

## 24-Block Challenge

Block Requirements:
To make all 48 blocks,
you will need a total of 3 yds of Fabric #1
and 3 yds of Fabric #2.
See image to the right using Block 20 in two fabrics.





If you're using different fabrics in each block, you will need approx.\* 1/8 yd of Fabric #1 & 1/8 yd of Fabric #2. (\*Some blocks require 1/6 yd.) See image to the right using all blocks in a variety of fabrics.

If you're using a particular fabric in more than one block, you will need 1/8 yd for each block that it's used in, i.e.

 $2 \text{ blocks} = \frac{1}{4} \text{ yd}$ 

3 blocks = 3/8 ydBlock Quilt here)

4 blocks =  $\frac{1}{2}$  yd

5 blocks = 5/8 yd

Etc.



## To make the 70" x 90" quilt using all 48 blocks (2 mirror image blocks of all 24 blocks):

Additional Fabric Requirements Sashing – 1 ¼ yds (quilt shown uses 9020-10) Border – 1 ¼ yds (quilt shown uses 9030-99) Binding – 2/3 yd (quilt shown uses 9030-99) Lengthwise Backing – 6 yds

## Finishing Instructions:

- 1. Make 48 blocks (2 mirror image blocks of all 24 blocks)
- 2. From sashing fabric, cut  $28 1 \frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips. From the first ten strips, cut  $40 1 \frac{1}{2}$ " x  $9 \frac{1}{2}$ " vertical sashing strips. Join the remaining strips together and set aside.
- 3. Referring to the quilt image for placement, sew blocks for each row together, adding a 1 ½" x 9 ½" vertical sashing strip between each block.
- 4. From the long sashing strip made in Step 2, cut 9 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 59  $\frac{1}{2}$ " horizontal sashing strips.
- 5. Sew completed rows together, adding a 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 59  $\frac{1}{2}$ " horizontal sashing strip between each row, and then to the top & bottom of the quilt top.
- 6. From the remaining long sashing strip, cut  $2 1 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 81  $\frac{1}{2}$ " side sashing strips and add to both sides of the quilt top.
- 7. From border fabric, cut 8 5" x WOF strips. Sew strips together. Cut two  $81 \frac{1}{2}$ " side border strips and sew to each side of the quilt top. Cut two  $70 \frac{1}{2}$ " top & bottom border strips and sew to top & bottom of the quilt top.
- 8. From binding fabric, cut 9 2 ½" x WOF strips. Join strips with diagonal seams and prepare binding.
- 9. Cut backing piece in half along length of fabric to get two 3 yd x WOF pieces. Sew pieces together along selvage edges. Backing piece will measure approximately 84" x 106".
- 10. Sandwich the quilt top with batting and backing. Quilt as desired and bind using your favorite method.