

Strip Tease

These are the general guidelines for cutting and piecing of the block known as strip tease. Your blocks should finish at 10 ½ " with seam allowances.

Back ground- 3 ¼ yds

Sashing detail and border-3 yds

Scraps- 7 yds total

You will need to use med-dark 1 ½ " strips approx 110 WOF total for large quilt 78x102; these strips will need to be cut into A= 3 5/8", B=2 ½" and C=6 5/8" strips.

5- 4" strips of dark fabric, cut into 4" squares then cut each square diagonally in both directions, an X, to make 216 triangles, (more if you want scrappy and to trade with others for more variety)

Background:

5-3 5/8" strips cut into 3 5/8" squares

12- 4 ½" strips cut into 4 ½" squares, then cut once diagonally to make 216 triangles.

Sashing: Pattern used black for the squares and the piece that joined the colored blocks (4 1/8") and tan for the piece that joined the background (3 3/8")

11 strips 1 ½" cut into 3 3/8" strips

25 strips 1 ½" cut into 4 1/8" strips

3 strips 1 ½" cut into 1 ½" squares

For the class: Make sure you have a variety of strips available to make at least 1 block, others may want to swap strips to increase the scrappy look. If you have any questions please call me at 785-9359 (H) or 776-5185 (C). thanks, Susie

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