

Web Bonus: Edinburgh Square

Designed and Machine Quilted by
Rachel Hayes

Finished Quilt Size
48" x 48"

Number of Blocks & Finished Size
16 Edinburgh Square Blocks
12" x 12"

Plan

Rachel paired bright prints with solid white for a fun, fast, modern baby quilt that sews up quickly thanks to strip-piecing techniques. Note that each block contains just one print and white. Our instructions have you make matching sets of all units to recreate the look.

Use an accurate $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance throughout to ensure all elements of the quilt fit together well.

Shop

Assorted bright prints (blocks)	2½ yds.
White solid (blocks)	2½ yds.
Lime solid (binding)	⅝ yd.
Backing	3⅛ yds.
Batting size	52" x 52"

Cut

(in order listed)

Assorted bright prints—cut 16

matching sets of:

1 strip 2½" x 22"

1 strip 2½" x 20"

White solid

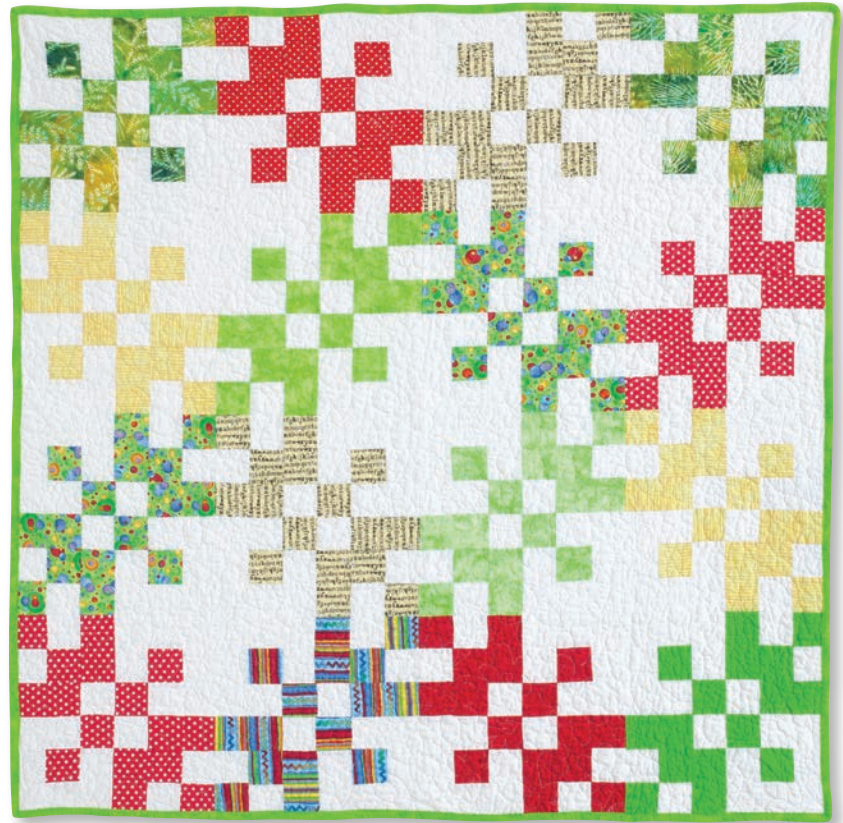
16 strips 2½" x 22"

16 strips 2½" x 20"

32 rectangles 2½" x 4½"

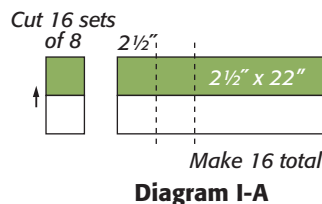
Lime solid

6 strips 2½" x width of fabric (binding)



Sew

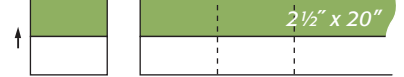
1 Sew assorted print 22" strip to white solid 22" strip to make strip set (Diagram I-A). Make 16 total. Press in direction of arrow. Cut each strip set into eight 2½" segments.



Using same technique, make 16 strip sets using assorted print and white solid 2½" x 20" strips. Press, and cut into 16 sets of 4 matching 4½" segments (Diagram I-B). Set aside the 4½" segments until Step 4.

Cut 16 sets

of 4



Make 16 total

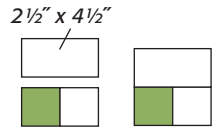
Diagram I-B

2 Referring to Diagram II, join 2 matching 2½" segments to make 4-patch unit. Make 16 sets of 3 matching 4-patches. Reserve remaining 2½" segments for Step 3.



Make 16 sets of 3 matching
Diagram II

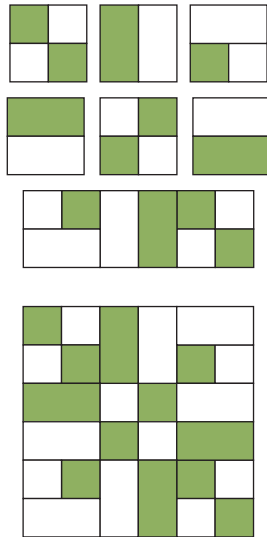
- 3** Sew together assorted print $2\frac{1}{2}$ " segment and white solid $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangle to make corner unit (**Diagram III**). Make 16 sets of 2 matching corner units.



Make 16 sets of 2 matching

Diagram III

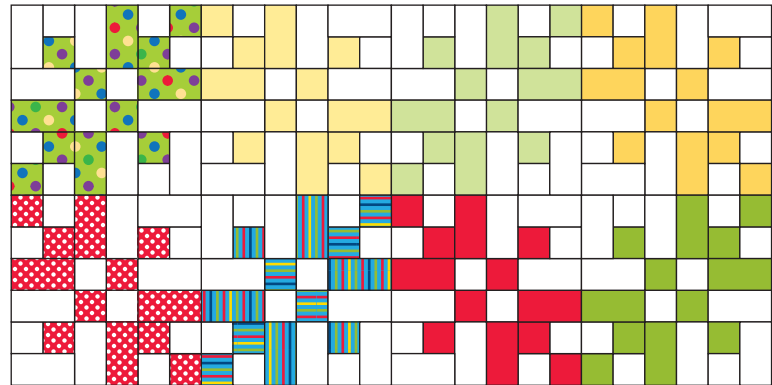
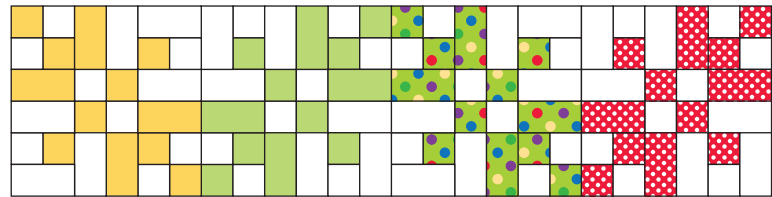
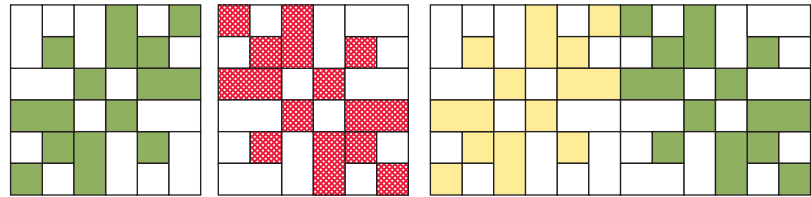
- 4** Sew 3 rows using 3 matching 4-patch units, 4 matching $4\frac{1}{2}$ " segments, and 2 matching corner units (**Diagram IV**). Sew rows together to make Edinburgh Square Block. Make 16 total.



Make 16 total

Diagram IV

- 5 Note:** Refer to **Assembly Diagram** for this step, watching block placement and orientation. Sew 4 rows of 4 blocks each. Stitch rows together.
- 6** Layer, baste, and quilt. Rachel machine quilted an all-over floral motif. Bind with lime solid.



Assembly Diagram