

A Vintage View Web Bonus: Forties Chevron



Planning a Reproduction

To create your own quilt with the same feel as this antique original, check out the great 1940s reproduction prints available at your local quilt shop, or use those vintage feedsack fabrics you've been collecting for a special project.

Cutting Instructions

Assorted solids—cut **90 sets of:**

2 matching squares $4\frac{7}{8}$ " x $4\frac{7}{8}$ "

Assorted prints—cut **90 sets of:**

2 matching squares $4\frac{7}{8}$ " x $4\frac{7}{8}$ "

Green solid

9 strips $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x width of fabric (binding)

Piecing the Blocks

1 Match each assorted solid with a contrasting assorted print. Referring to **Diagram I**, draw diagonal line on wrong side of assorted solid square. Place marked square on contrasting assorted print square, right sides together. Sew $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam on each side of marked line; cut apart on marked line. Press open to make pieced squares. Make 90 sets of 4 matching.

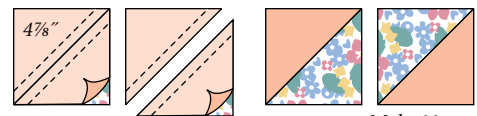


Diagram I

Make 90 sets
of 4 matching

Finished Quilt Size

$72\frac{1}{2}$ " x $80\frac{1}{2}$ "

Number of Blocks and

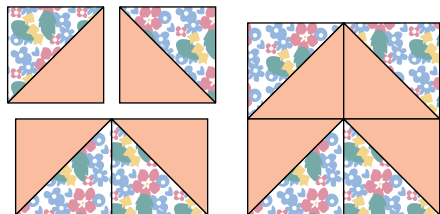
Finished Size

90 Chevron Blocks
 8 " x 8 "

Fabric Requirements

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| Assorted solids | $3\frac{1}{2}$ -4 yds. total |
| Assorted prints | $3\frac{1}{2}$ -4 yds. total |
| Green solid (binding) | 1 yd. |
| Backing (piece lengthwise) | $5\frac{1}{8}$ yds. |
| Batting size | Full |

2 Stitch 4 matching pieced squares together to make Chevron Block (Diagram II). Make 90 total.



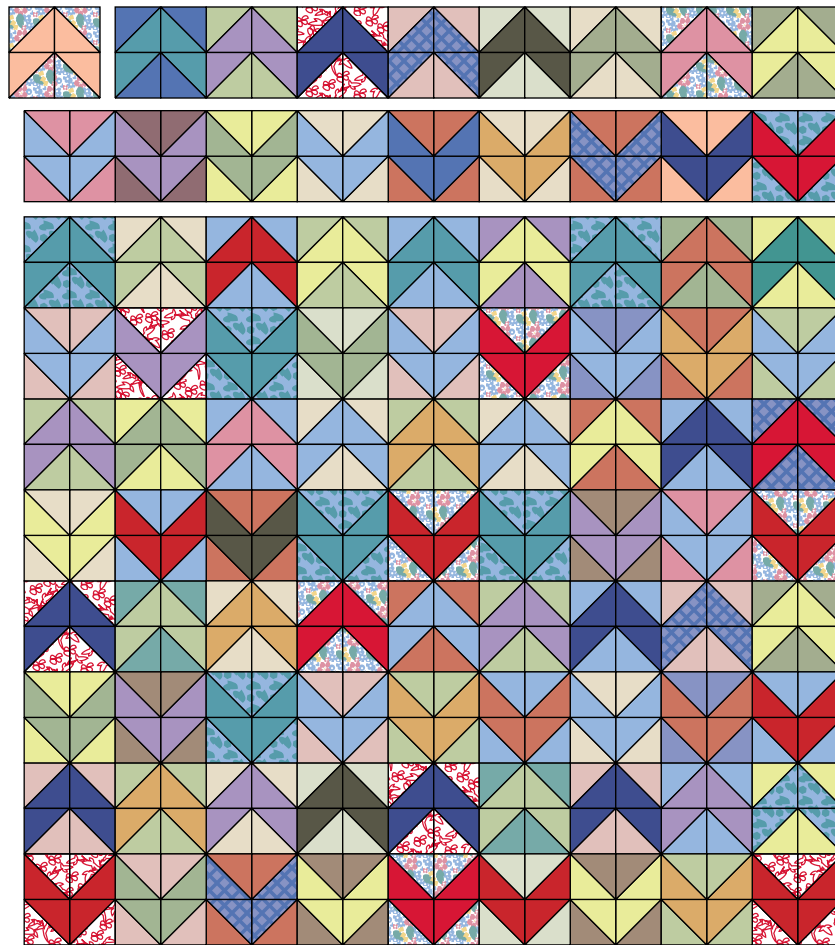
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Diagram II

Quilt Top Assembly and Finishing

3 Referring to Assembly Diagram, sew 10 rows of 9 blocks each. Sew rows together.

4 Layer, baste, and quilt. The diagonal lines of hand quilting are 1" apart across the quilt. Bind with green solid.



Assembly Diagram