



Nine-Patch Lattice Quilt

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Quilt is 38" x 53" finished
Blocks are 7 1/2" x 7 1/2" finished

Supplies

9 assorted Fat Quarters
2 - 5/8 yards Neutral Solid Fabric
42" x 57" Batting
3/8 yard Fabric for Binding

Cutting Instructions

Fat Quarters: Cut each into 6 strips 3" x 18".

Neutral Solid: Cut 4 strips 8" x width of fabric. From these, cut 12 squares 8" x 8", 3 small rectangles 8" x 2 1/2", and 2 large rectangles 8" x 12 1/2".

Cut 2 long strips along the length (selvedge edge) of the remaining fabric, one measuring 12 1/2" wide and one measuring 26 1/2" wide. Trim both strips to about 61" long.

Binding Fabric: Cut 5 strips 2 1/2" x width of fabric.



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Make Blocks

Note: All seams are sewn with a ¼" seam allowance and pressed open.

Sew the strips you cut from your fat quarters into 18 sets of 3, joining strips along long (18") sides.



Cut each finished strip set into 5 slices 3" wide.

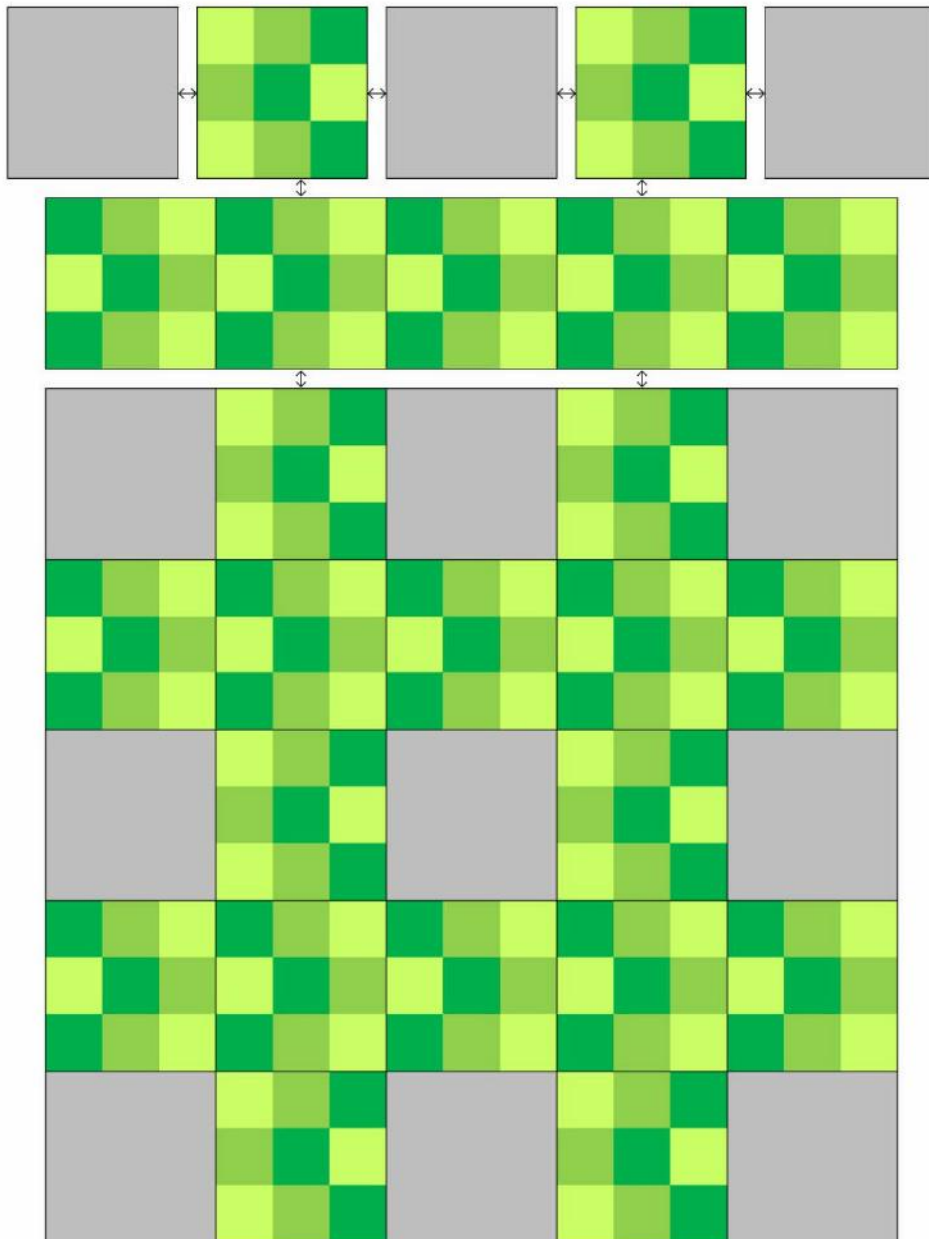


Sew sets of 3 slices together to create nine-patch blocks. You should have enough slices for 30 blocks, but you will only need 27 to finish this quilt.

Square up blocks to 8" x 8".

Tip: Too-small blocks are usually the result of too-large seam allowance. If your blocks are coming out significantly smaller than 8", you may want to trim your solid squares to match the size of your blocks.

Make the Quilt Top



Sew finished blocks and 8" solid squares into seven rows of five. Three rows should have five blocks and four rows should alternate, as follows: solid square, block, solid square, block, solid square.

Finish quilt top by sewing rows together, as shown in the diagram above.

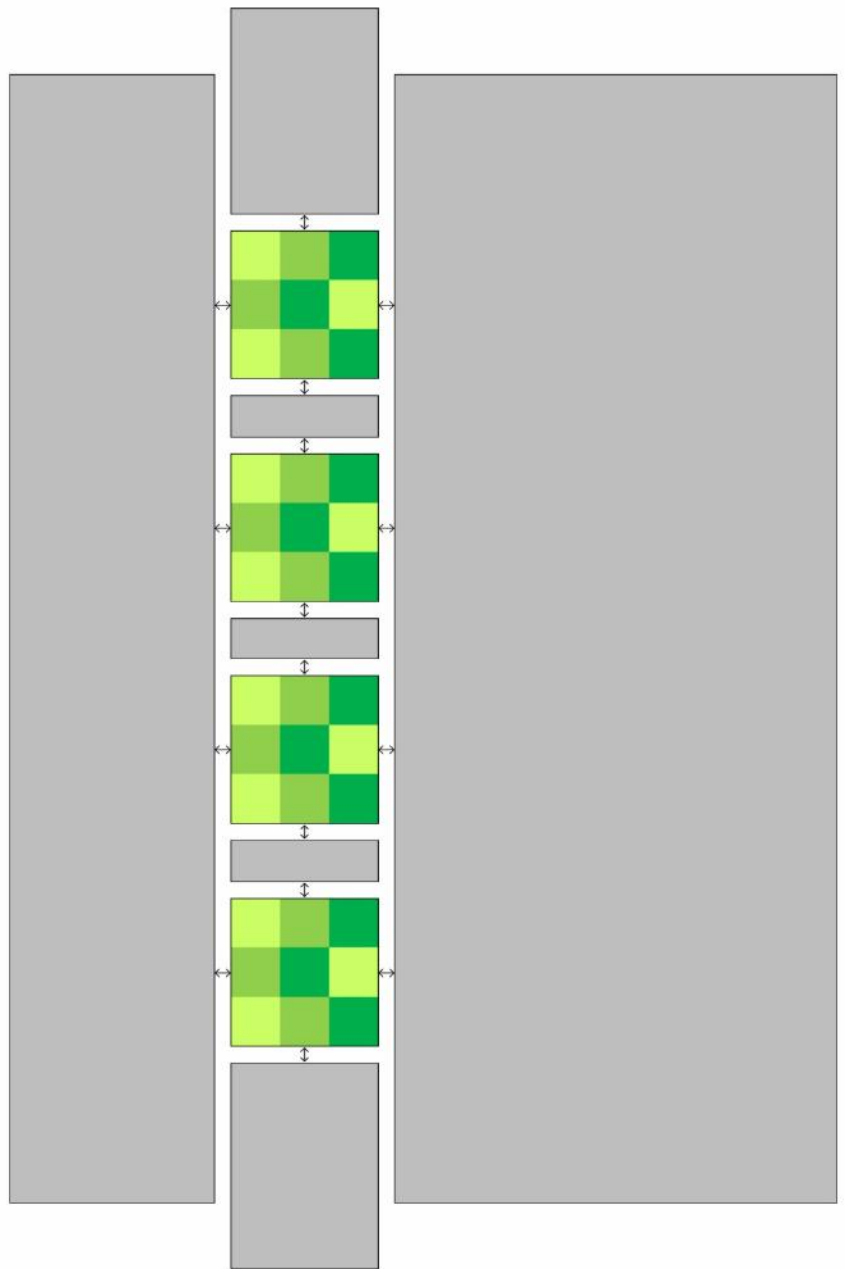
Make the Quilt Back

Make a pieced column by sewing the following pieces together, matching 8" sides:

- 12 ½" x 8" large rectangle
- Nine-Patch Block
- 2 ½" x 8" small rectangle
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- Nine-Patch Block
- 12 ½" x 8" large rectangle

Sew the 12 ½" x 61" strip to the left side of the pieced column.

Sew the 26 ½" x 61" strip to the right side of the column to finish quilt back.



Sandwich, quilt and bind as desired. Please reference my blog for more specific tutorials on making a quilt sandwich, free-motion quilting and making double-fold binding.