

Follow along with the
**SPINNING
9-PATCH BLOCK**

video featured on our YouTube channel:

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REQUIRED MATERIALS

- about 1 yard **total** of various blues for centers
- $\frac{2}{3}$ yard **each** of two creams
- about $1\frac{1}{2}$ yard **total** of various whites
- $1\frac{1}{4}$ yard for triangles
- $1\frac{3}{4}$ yard for outer borders
- $\frac{7}{8}$ yard for inner borders and binding
- $3\frac{1}{2}$ yards for backing

PLEASE NOTE: This quilt requires
the **Spinning Possibilities Ruler** from
ShabbyFabrics.com

Finished Size: 54" × 71"

RST = Right Sides Together WOF = Width of Fabric LOF = Length of Fabric

CUT FABRICS

From **various blues**, cut a total of:

- (35) $4\frac{1}{2}$ " × $4\frac{1}{2}$ " squares for **centers**

From **cream 1**, cut a total of:

- (36) $4\frac{1}{2}$ " × $4\frac{1}{2}$ " squares for **centers**


From **cream 2**, cut a total of:

- (36) $4\frac{1}{2}$ " × $4\frac{1}{2}$ " squares for **centers**

From **various whites**, cut:

- (68) $4\frac{1}{2}$ " × $4\frac{1}{2}$ " squares for **white**

From **triangle** fabric, cut:

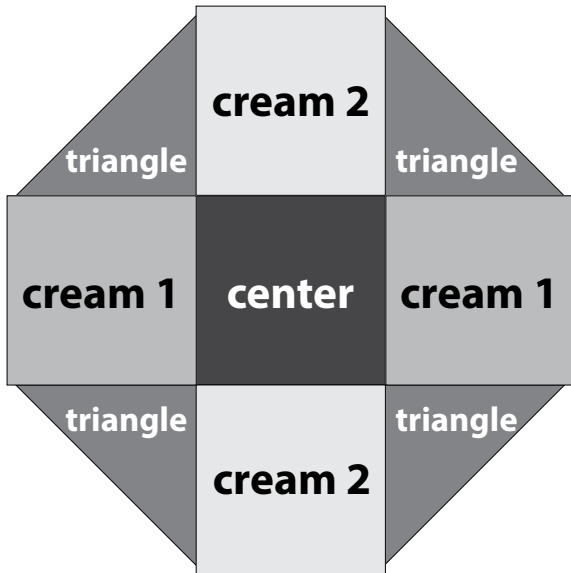
- (70) $4\frac{1}{2}$ " × $4\frac{1}{2}$ " squares for **triangles**
Cut in half once on the diagonal 

From **outer border fabric**, cut:

- (4) 5" × 63" (LOF) for **outer border**

From **inner border fabric**, cut:

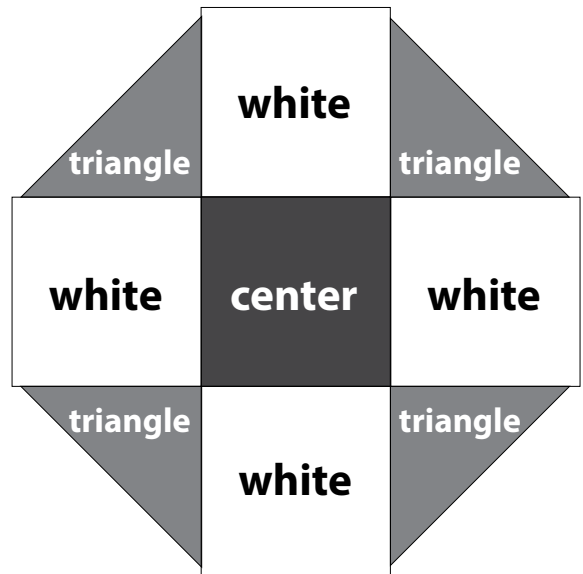
- (6) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " × WOF strips for **inner border**
- (7) $2\frac{1}{2}$ " × WOF for **binding**



18 Cream Blocks

We used various blues for the center of the cream blocks. To make your 18 cream blocks, you will use all of your cream 1 and cream 2 squares, and half of your Fabric J triangles, changing out the center fabric as desired.

For Cream Blocks, press all seams toward cream fabrics.



17 White Blocks

We used various blues for the center of the white blocks. To make your 17 white blocks, you will use all of your white squares, and the remaining half of your Fabric J triangles, changing out the center fabric as desired.

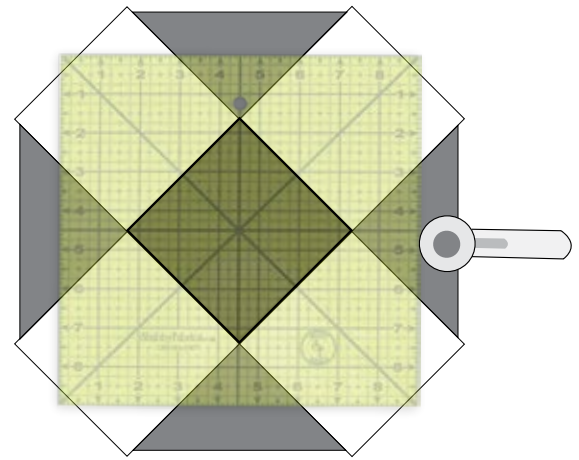
For White Blocks, press all seams toward blue fabrics.

TRIM BLOCKS

Place assembled block on cutting mat (we recommend using the 17" Olfa Spinning Rotary Mat). Lay the **Spinning Possibilities Ruler** on top of block, aligning center square of ruler with center square of block (*outlined in black in image at right*). Trim outside edges.

Repeat for all 35 blocks.

Finished blocks should now measure 9" x 9".



ASSEMBLE QUILT TOP

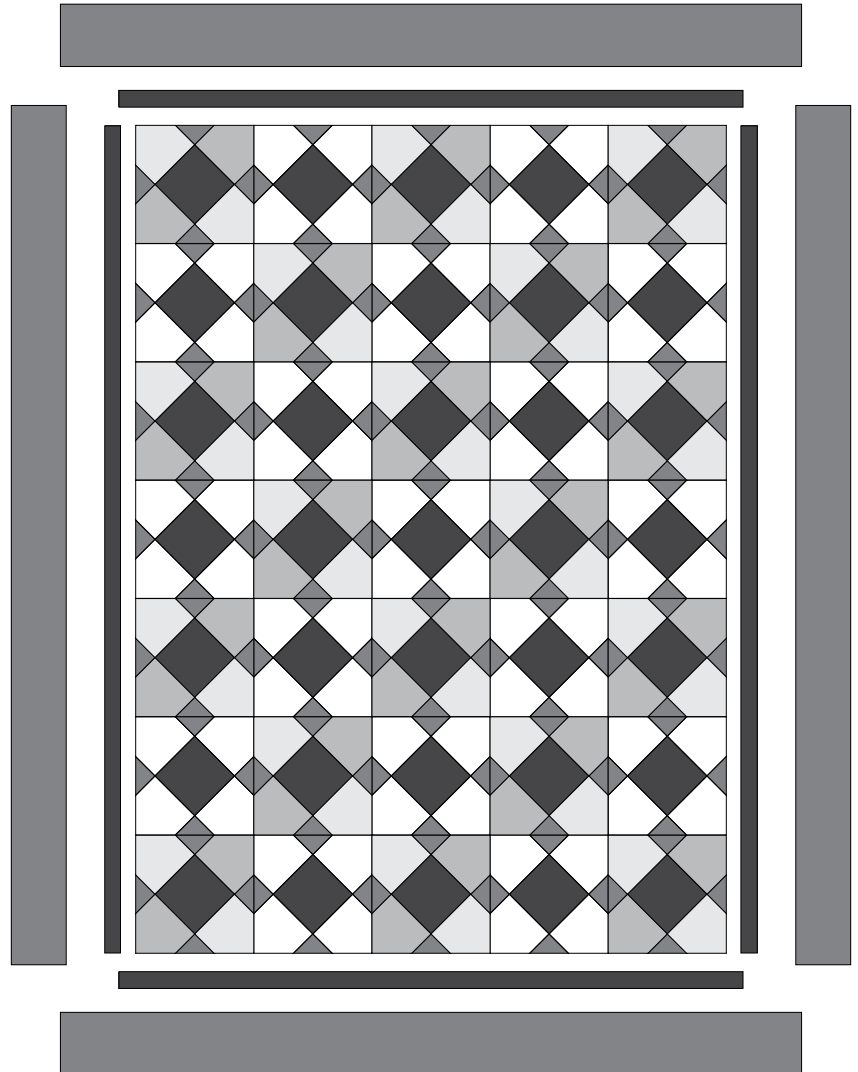
Arrange your blocks in 7 rows of 5 blocks each, alternating cream and white blocks.

For this step, you'll be pressing your seams open. For this reason, shorten your stitch length for this section.

Sew blocks together in rows. (Notice how your blue triangles nest so nicely!) Press seams open.

Join rows, pressing all seams open. Sew rows together, pressing seams open.

Quilt top should now measure 43" x 60".



ADD BORDERS

Sew 1½" **inner border** strips together into one long strip. Sew inner border to left and right sides of quilt and trim to be even with the quilt. Sew inner border strips to top and bottom of quilt and trim to be even with the quilt.

Sew **outer border** to left and right sides of quilt and trim to be even with the quilt. Sew outer border strips to top and bottom of quilt and trim to be even with the quilt.

FINISH THE QUILT

Layer quilt top, batting, and backing. Quilt as desired.

Sew all **binding** strips into one continuous piece. Fold the binding strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press. Line up raw edges of the binding strip with the raw edge of the quilt. Sew the binding to the front side of the quilt, starting at any side. Connect and finish the two ends, then turn the binding over and hand stitch to the back of the quilt.

