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Finished quilt measures: 62" x 81"

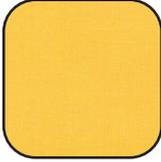
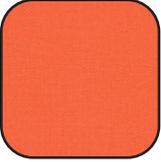
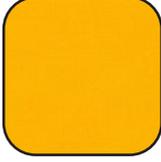
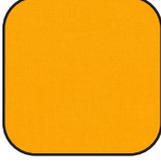
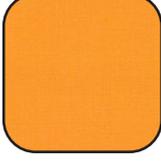
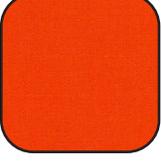
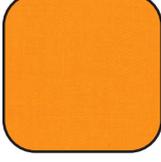
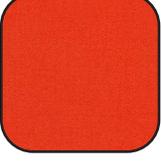
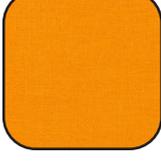
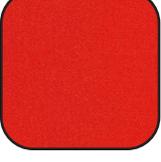
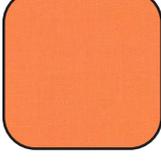
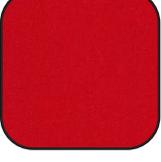
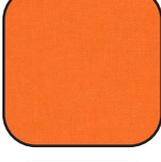
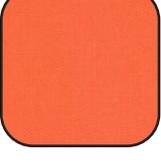
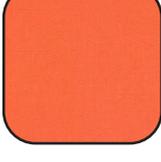
Difficulty Rating: **Advanced**

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Fabric and Supplies Needed

Fabric amounts based on yardage that is 42" wide.

Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage		Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage
	A	K001-353 SUNFLOWER	7/8 yard			J	K001-496 NECTARINE	5/8 yard
	B	K001-449 SUNNY	3/8 yard			K	K001-450 TORCH	7/8 yard
	C	K001-149 PAPAYA	1/2 yard			L	K001-1370 TANGERINE	1/2 yard
	D	K001-474 GOLDFISH	1/2 yard			M	K001-323 FLAME	5/8 yard
	E	K001-1482 SCHOOL BUS	5/8 yard			N	K001-865 PIMENTO	7/8 yard
	F	K001-1849 NACHO CHEESE	7/8 yard			O	K001-7 TOMATO	1/2 yard
	G	K001-192 MANGO	1/2 yard			P	K001-1480 CHINESE RED	1/3 yard
	H	K001-400 CARROT	1/2 yard			Binding*	K001-853 ORANGEADE <i>*Also used for Fabric I</i>	5/8 yard
	I	K001-853 ORANGEADE	1/2 yard		You will also need: 5 yards for backing			

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Notes Before You Begin

- Read through all of the instructions before beginning.
- All of the seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise noted.
- Press seam allowances open unless otherwise noted.
- Width of fabric (WOF) is equal to at least 42" wide.
- Right sides together has been abbreviated to RST.
- Remember to measure twice and cut once!

Cutting Instructions

From each of Fabrics A, F, K, and N, cut:

six 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
forty-eight 4-1/2" squares

From Fabric B, cut:

one 8-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:
six 4-1/2" x 8-1/2" rectangles
two 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
one 1-1/2" x 18-1/2" sashing strip
three 1-1/2" x 9-1/2" rectangles

From each of Fabrics C and O, cut:

one 8-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:
six 4-1/2" x 8-1/2" rectangles
two 3-1/2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end-to-end, then subcut:
one 3-1/2" x 62-1/2" top/bottom border strip
one 1-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:
three 1-1/2" x 9-1/2" rectangle

From each of Fabrics D and L, cut:

two 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
ten 4-1/2" x 8-1/2" rectangles
three 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
five 1-1/2" x 9-1/2" rectangles
Sew the partial and remaining strip together end-to-end, then subcut:
one 1-1/2" x 56-1/2" sashing strip

From each of Fabrics E and M, cut:

one 8-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:
eight 4-1/2" x 8-1/2" rectangles
two 3-1/2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end-to-end, then subcut:
one 3-1/2" x 81-1/2" side border strip
two 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
two 1-1/2" x 18-1/2" sashing strips
four 1-1/2" x 9-1/2" rectangles

From each of Fabrics G and H, cut:

two 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
twelve 4-1/2" x 8-1/2" rectangles
three 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
two 1-1/2" x 18-1/2" sashing strips
six 1-1/2" x 9-1/2" rectangles

From Fabric I, cut:

two 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
twelve 4-1/2" x 8-1/2" rectangles
three 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
six 1-1/2" x 9-1/2" rectangles
Sew the partial and remaining strip together end-to-end, then subcut:
one 1-1/2" x 56-1/2" sashing strip

From Fabric J, cut:

twelve 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
forty-eight 1-1/2" x 8-1/2" rectangles

From Fabric P, cut:

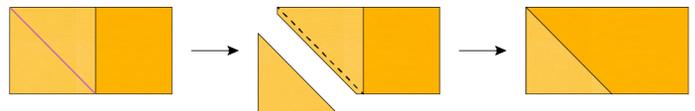
one 8-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:
six 4-1/2" x 8-1/2" rectangles
one 1-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:
three 1-1/2" x 9-1/2" rectangles

From the Binding Fabric, cut:

eight 2-1/2" x WOF strips

Assemble the Flying Geese

Step 1: Place a 4-1/2" Fabric A square on the left end of a 4-1/2" x 8-1/2" Fabric B rectangle, RST. Mark a diagonal line as shown. Sew on the marked line, then trim 1/4" away from the sewn seam. Press.



Repeat to replace the bottom right corner of the unit with a 4-1/2" Fabric K square.



Make three B/A/K Flying Geese.

Step 2: Repeat Step 1 to make:



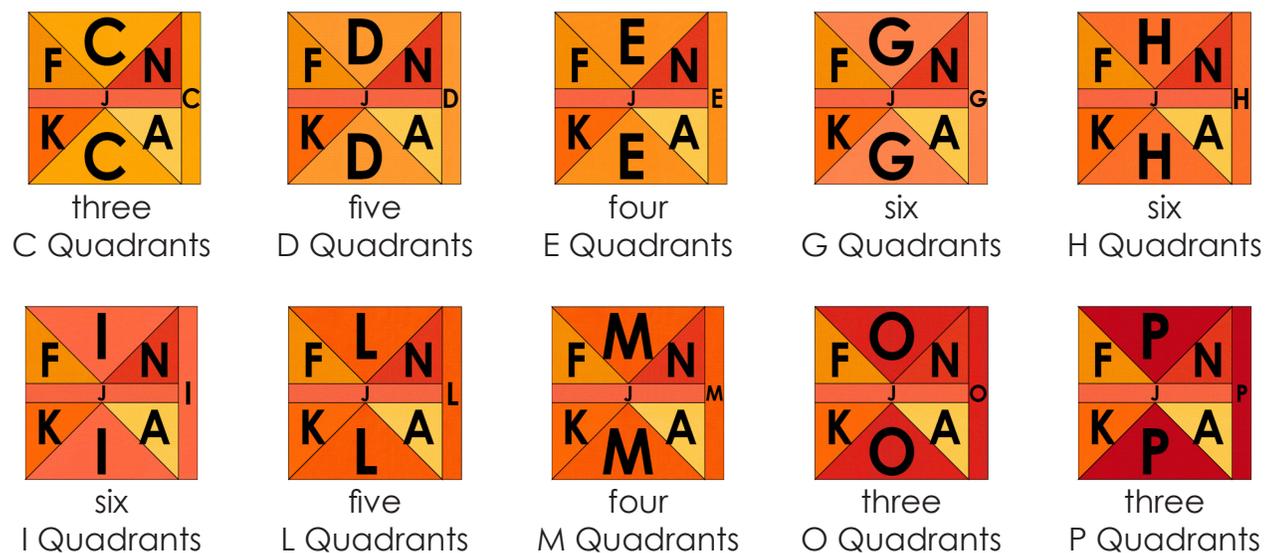
Assemble the Quadrants

Refer to the placement and orientation of the Flying Geese and rectangles in the diagrams to assemble the quadrants in the quantities shown. All Fabric B-E, G-I, L, M, O, and P rectangles measure 1-1/2" x 9-1/2". All Fabric J rectangles shown measure 1-1/2" x 8-1/2".

Step 3: Sew the two Flying Geese shown to opposite sides of a Fabric J rectangle. Press. Sew a Fabric B rectangle to the right edge, then press to complete a B quadrant. Make three B Quadrants.



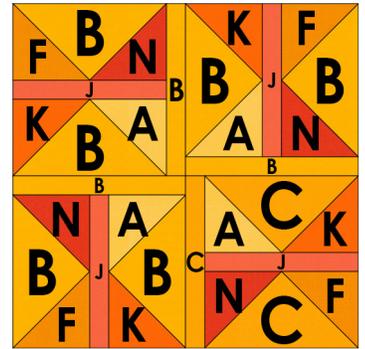
Step 4: Repeat Step 3 using the Flying Geese and rectangles shown to make:



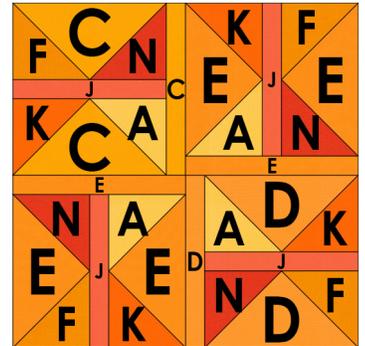
Assemble the Flying Geese

Tip: Pay close attention to the orientation of the blocks shown in the diagrams.

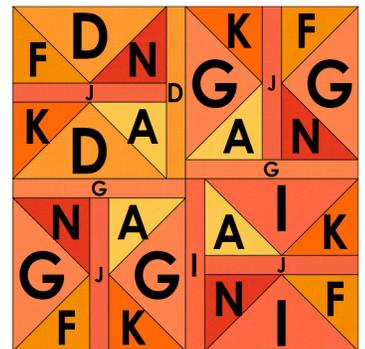
Step 5: Arrange three B Quadrants and one C Quadrant in two rows of two as shown. Sew the quadrants together in pairs to form rows, then press. Sew the rows together to form the B/C Block.



Step 6: Arrange one C Quadrant, one D Quadrant, and two E Quadrants in two rows of two as shown. Sew the quadrants together in pairs to form rows, then press. Sew the rows together to form the C/D/E Block. Make two C/D/E Blocks.



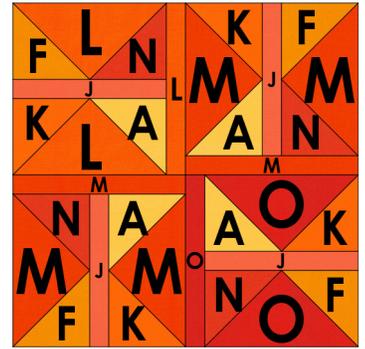
Step 7: Arrange one D Quadrant, two G Quadrants, and one I Quadrant in two rows of two as shown. Sew the quadrants together in pairs to form rows, then press. Sew the rows together to form the D/G/I Block. Make three D/G/I Blocks.



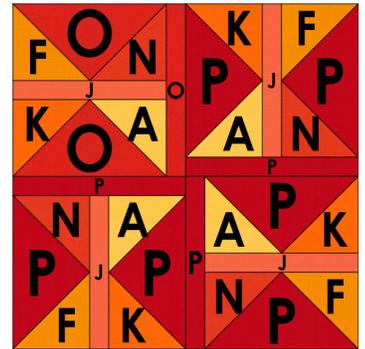
Step 8: Arrange two H Quadrants, one I Quadrant, and one L Quadrant in two rows of two as shown. Sew the quadrants together in pairs to form rows, then press. Sew the rows together to form the H/I/L Block. Make three H/I/L Blocks.



Step 9: Arrange one L Quadrant, two M Quadrants, and one O Quadrant in two rows of two as shown. Sew the quadrants together in pairs to form rows, then press. Sew the rows together to form the L/M/O Block. Make two L/M/O Blocks.



Step 10: Arrange one O Quadrant and three P Quadrants in two rows of two as shown. Sew the quadrants together in pairs to form rows, then press. Sew the rows together to form the O/P Block.

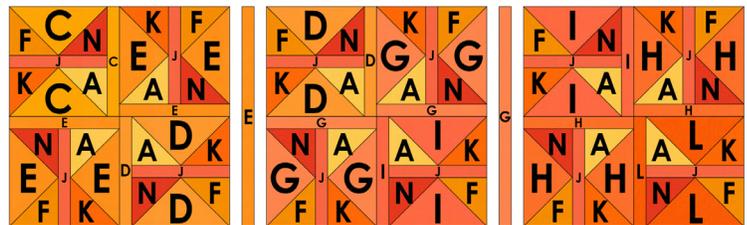


Assemble the Quilt

Step 11: Arrange the blocks into four rows of three blocks. Separate the blocks in each row with a with 1-1/2" x 18-1/2" sashing strip. Note the block placement and fabrics used for each sashing strip in the Quilt Assembly Diagram.



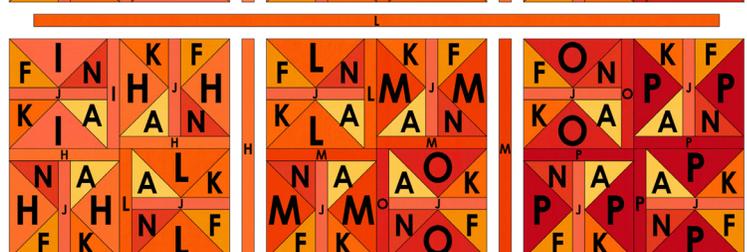
Step 12: Sew the blocks and sashing strips together to form rows. Press.



Step 13: Separate the rows with a 1-1/2" x 56-1/2" sashing strip. Note the fabric used for each sashing strip in the Quilt Assembly Diagram.



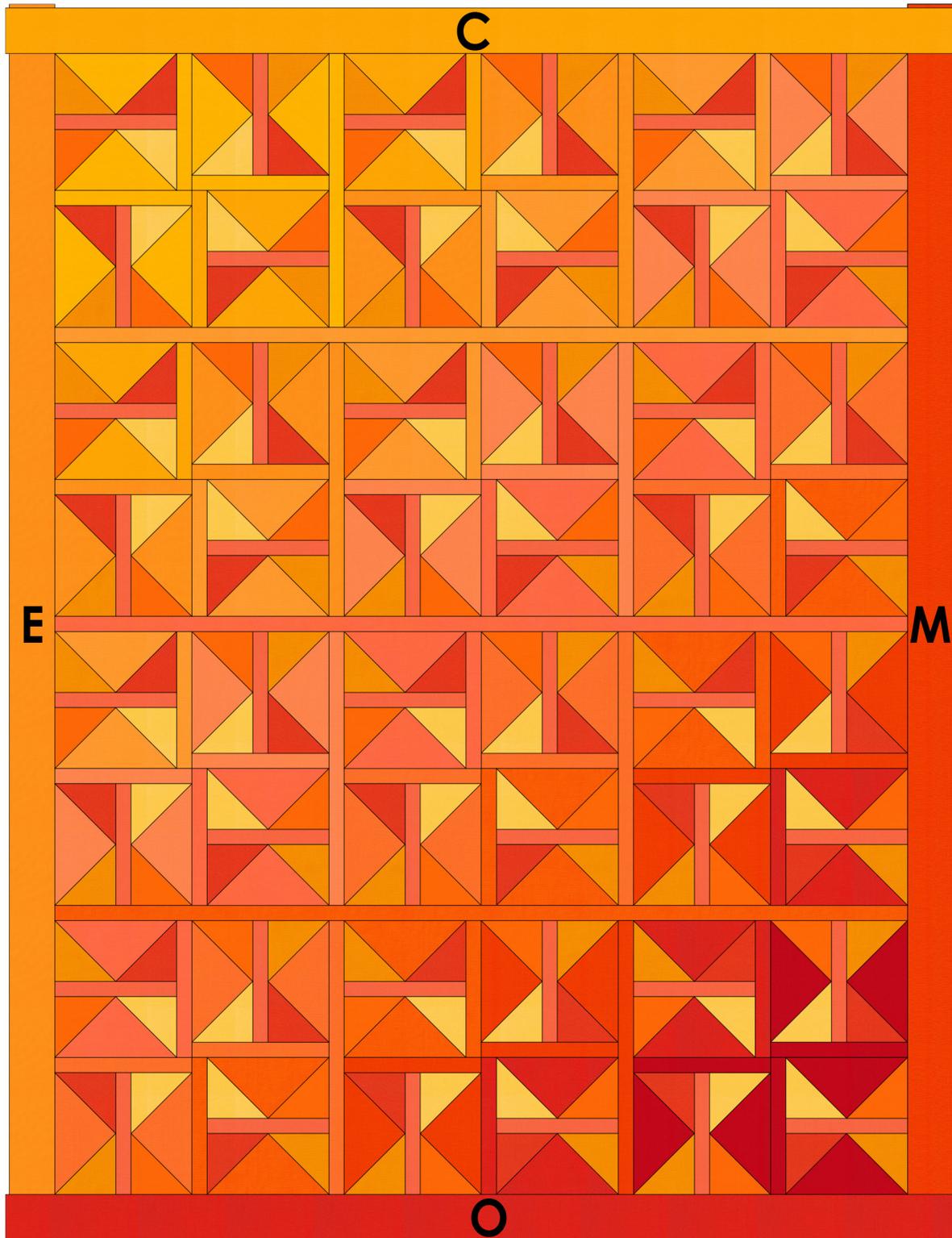
Step 14: Sew the rows and sashing strips together to form the quilt center. Press.



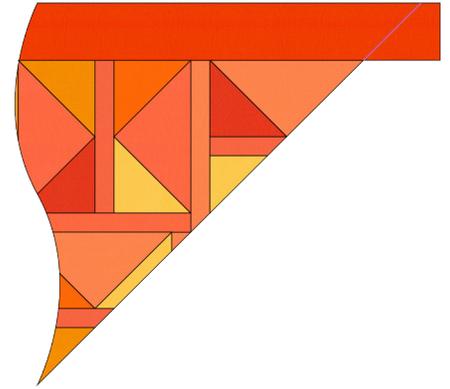
Attach the Mitered Borders & Finish the Quilt

Step 15: Mark 1/4" away from each corner of the quilt top using a water-soluble fabric marker.

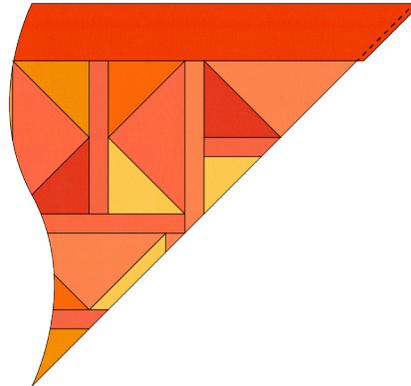
Step 15: Center and sew the border strips edges of the quilt top between your marks. The Fabric C border should be placed at the top edge, the Fabric M border along the right edge, the Fabric O on the bottom edge, and the Fabric E border along the left edge of the quilt top. Each border strip will overhang the corner of the quilt.



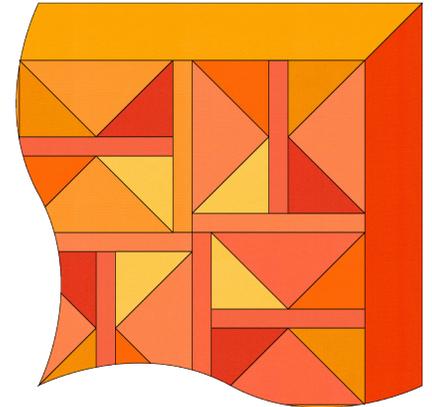
Step 16: Fold the quilt top diagonally from one corner, RST. Align the border edges of the quilt, then lay the quilt top flat. Use a ruler with a 45° marking to draw a diagonal line from the 1/4" markings you made at the corner in Step 15 with a water-soluble fabric marker.



Step 17: Sew on the marked line, then trim the overhanging border strip 1/4" away from the sewn seam.



Step 18: Repeat to sew each of the miter the border strips on each of remaining corners of the quilt.



Your quilt top is complete! Baste, quilt, bind, and enjoy!