

# MATERIALS

**PROJECT RATING: INTERMEDIATE**

Size: 96" x 96"

1/4 yard each of 25 assorted 1930s reproduction prints for strip sets

6 yards white solid for strip sets

3 1/2 yards blue solid for pyramids, border, and binding

3/4 yard pink solid for border

3/4 yard green solid for border

3/4 yard lavender solid for border

3/4 yard yellow solid for border

Fons & Porter 60° Pyramids ruler

(optional)

9 yards backing fabric

King-size quilt batting

## Cutting

Measurements include 1/4" seam allowances. Pattern for pyramid is on page 60.

**From each 1930s print, cut:**

- 2 (4"-wide) strips for strip sets.

**From white solid, cut:**

- 50 (4"-wide) strips for strip sets.

**From blue solid, cut:**

- 12 (5 1/2"-wide) strips for pyramids.
- 11 (2 1/4"-wide) strips for binding.
- 11 (2"-wide) strips. Piece strips to make 4 (2" x 100") border strips.

**From pink solid, cut:**

- 11 (2"-wide) strips. Piece strips to make 4 (2" x 100") border strips.

**From green solid, cut:**

- 11 (2"-wide) strips. Piece strips to make 4 (2" x 100") border strips.

**From lavender solid, cut:**

- 11 (2"-wide) strips. Piece strips to make 4 (2" x 100") border strips.

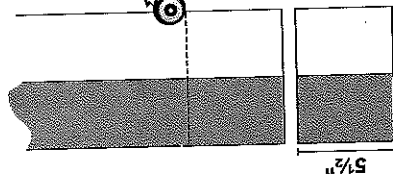
**From yellow solid, cut:**

- 11 (2"-wide) strips. Piece strips to make 4 (2" x 100") border strips.

## Cutting Pyramids

1. Join 1 1930s print strip and 1 white strip as shown in *Strip Set Diagram*. Make 50 strip sets.

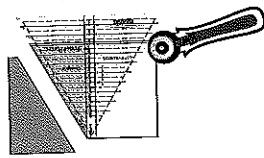
2. From strip sets, cut 344 (5 1/2"-wide) segments.



Strip Set Diagram

3. Referring to *Pyramid Diagram*, cut 1 pyramid from each segment, placing dashed line on ruler (or template) on seam line. Cut 344 pieced pyramids.

**NOTE:** Be sure to position each segment with white on left side.



Pyramid Diagram

4. Cut 120 blue pyramids from blue (5 1/2"-wide) strips.

**Sew Smart™**

Trim all three corners of each pieced and blue pyramid to make piecing foolproof. —Liz

## Quilt Assembly

1. Lay out pieced pyramids and blue pyramids as shown in *Quilt Top Assembly Diagram* on page 60. Join

into rows; join rows to complete quilt center.

**Sew Smart™**

Join 3 pieced pyramids to make a pyramid unit before joining rows. —Marianne

2. Straighten sides of quilt by trimming 1/4" outside pyramid points.

3. Join 1 pink border strip, 1 green border strip, 1 lavender border strip, 1 yellow border strip, and 1 blue border strip as shown to make 1 border strip set. Make 4 border strip sets.

4. Add border strip sets to quilt center, mitering corners.

**WEB EXTRA**

For instructions on mitering borders visit our Web site at [www.FonsandPorter.com/mrborders](http://www.FonsandPorter.com/mrborders)

## Finishing

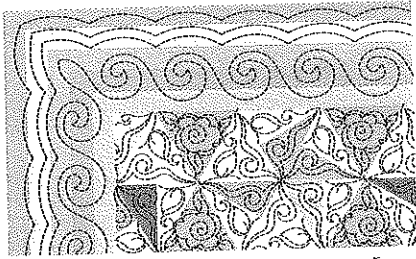
1. Divide backing into 3 (3-yard) lengths. Join panels lengthwise.

2. Layer backing, batting, and quilt top; baste. Quilt as desired. Quilt

shown was quilted with rose and leaf designs in the pyramids, and scrolls and scallops in border (*Quilting Diagram*)

3. Join 2 1/4"-wide blue strips into 1 continuous piece for straight-grain

French-fold binding. Add binding to quilt.



Quilting Diagram