

STACKED SQUARED

Features

- Beginner level sewing
- Detailed instructions with full color photos
- A quick project
- Links for learning the basics of quilting



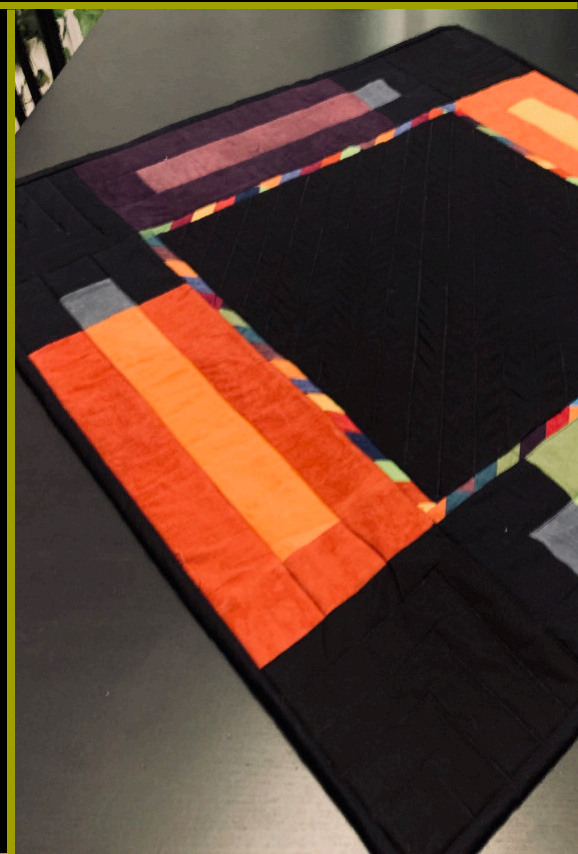
Simple, Stylish and Beautiful

28" x 28"

Table Topper

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Stacked Squared

28" x 28"

Looks great on a square table.

Fabric Requirements

Black $\frac{3}{4}$ yard - center block, corners and binding

Gray - scraps or $\frac{1}{8}$ yard

4 dark solids - $\frac{1}{8}$ yard

4 light solids - $13 \times 2\frac{1}{2}$ " piece of each color

Backing - $\frac{3}{4}$ yard

Read Before You Begin

- Read the entire instructions before you begin
- WOF = Width of Fabric
- Pattern assumes WOF to be 40"
- All seams are a scant $\frac{1}{4}$

If you are new to quilting I suggest taking a few minutes to review these videos. They contain the basics to all successful projects.

How to Lay Out Your Fabric

By: Sew Make Do

[How to Lay Out your Fabric](#)

How to Cut Straight - Quilting Skills Tutorial

By: Just Get It Done Quilts

[How to Cut Straight](#)

How To Sew Straight - Beginner Quilting Skills

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How To Iron For Quilting - A Really Good Method

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Cutting

Each block will have a black and gray section and a section with color.

Black section:

Cut 8 - 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" black rectangles

4 - 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" black squares

4 - 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" gray squares

1 - 15 1/2" x 15 1/2" black square

4 - 6 1/2" squares

3 - 2 1/2" x WOF for binding

For each of the four color sections cut:

From the dark fabric cut: 2 - 2 1/2" x 12 1/2" rectangles

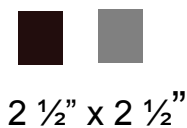
1 - 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" rectangle

From the light fabric cut: 1 - 2 1/2" x 12 1/2" rectangle

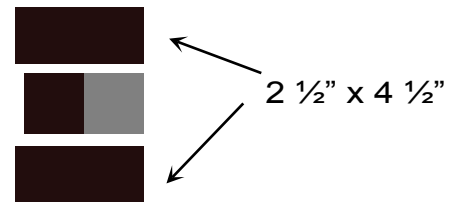
Sewing

1. Piece the black & gray sections

Sew the 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" gray squares to the 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" black squares.



2. Sew the 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" gray set to the 2 - 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" black pieces.



3. Sew a dark 2 1/2" x 12 1/2" strip to both sides of the light 2 1/2" x 12 1/2" strip.



4. Sew a dark 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" strip to one side of the piece made in step 3.



5. Sew a color section to the black section.

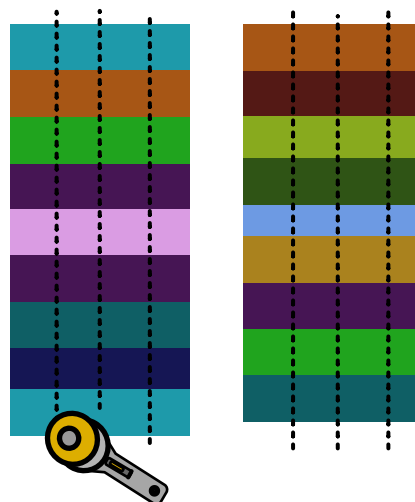


Make 4



6. Striped border:

Using the scraps from making the rectangle boxes,
cut 1" x approximately 6 1/2" long strips
Sew 9 strips together twice making 2 pieces
Cut the stripe piece in 1" strips.



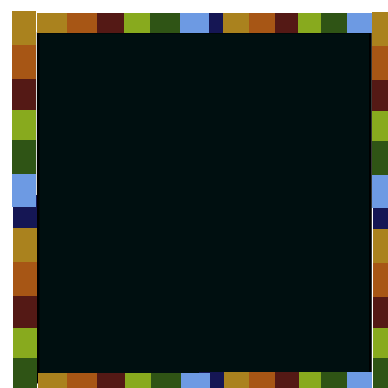
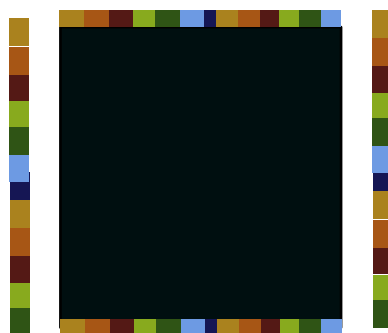
7. Sew the strips together length wise and cut:
2 strips 1" x 15 1/2"
2 strips 1" x 16 1/2"

*Note: You can make these strips shorter
and cut them on the diagonal for a
different look.*

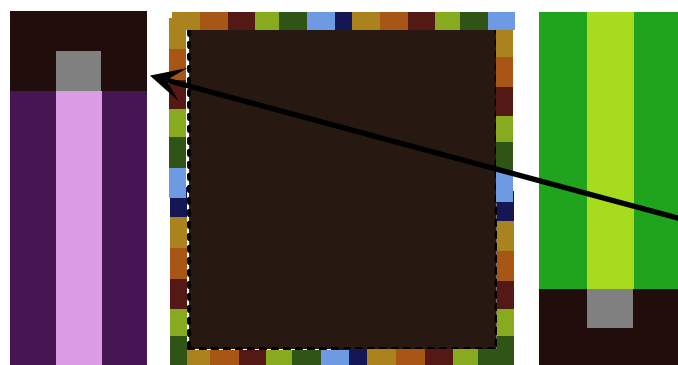
8. Sew a 1 x 15 1/2" strip
to the top and bottom of
the black 15 1/2" square.

9. Sew a 1 x 16 1/2" to
each side of the black
15 1/2" square.

Completed center square.



10. Sew a 6 ½" black square to each side of two of the rectangle blocks.



11. Sew a rectangle block to each side, making sure the black portion of the block is opposite each other.

12. Sew the sections made in step 10 to the top and bottom of the quilt making sure of the placement of the black sections of the blocks are in the correct place.

13. Quilt is complete.

Quilt as desired and bind.

Note: You can find a binding tutorial here:

[How to Bind a Quilt](#)

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