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Project: Wall of Color

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Coordinate favorite solid colors or use up leftovers in this graphic wall hanging. Using only squares makes it easy to reduce or enlarge the finished size based on your needs.

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Materials

- 4—1/8-yard pieces and 10—1/4-yard pieces assorted solids (quilt center)
- ¾ yard solid dark brown (binding)
- 2% yards backing fabric
- 53×51" batting

Finished quilt: 441/2×421/2"

Yardages and cutting instructions are based on 42¹/₂" of usable fabric width.

Measurements include 1/4" seam allowances. Sew with right sides together unless otherwise stated.

Cut Fabrics

Cut pieces in the following order.

From assorted solids, cut 61 sets of:

- 5—2¹/₂" squares
 From scraps of assorted solids, cut 15 sets of:
- 4—2½" squares
 From scraps of assorted solids, cut:
- 15—2¹/₂" squares
- From solid dark brown, cut:
- 2—2**½**×42**½**" border strips
- 2—2¹/₂×40¹/₂" border strips
- 5—2¹⁄₂×42" binding strips

Assemble Quilt Top

- Referring to Quilt Center Assembly Diagram, use a design wall to lay out all 2¹/₂" squares in 19 horizontal rows of 20 squares each. Form plus signs from each set of five 2¹/₂" squares, making half plus signs on edges from each set of four 2¹/₂" squares. Fill open spaces between plus signs and half plus signs on edges with the 15 assorted print 2¹/₂" squares.
- 2. Sew together pieces in each row. Press seams in one direction, alternating direction with each row.
- Join rows to make quilt center. Press seams in one direction. The quilt center should be 40¹/₂×38¹/₂" including seam allowances.
- Sew solid dark brown 2¹/₂×40¹/₂" border strips to long edges of quilt center. Add solid dark brown 2¹/₂×42¹/₂" border strips to remaining edges to complete quilt top. Press all seams toward border.

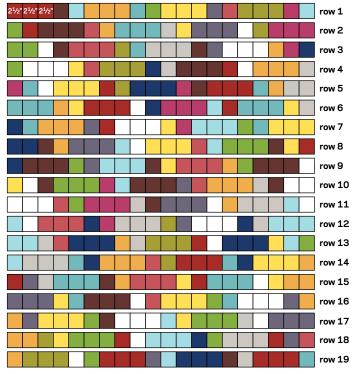
Finish Quilt

- **1.** Layer quilt top, batting, and backing; baste. Quilt as desired.
- **2.** Bind with dark brown binding strips.

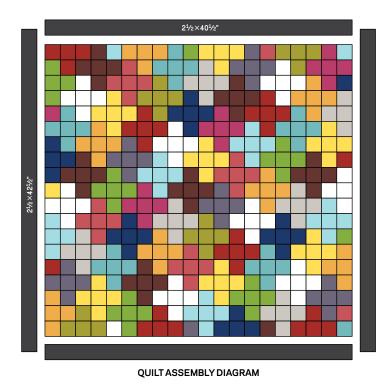
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QUILT CENTER ASSEMBLY DIAGRAM



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