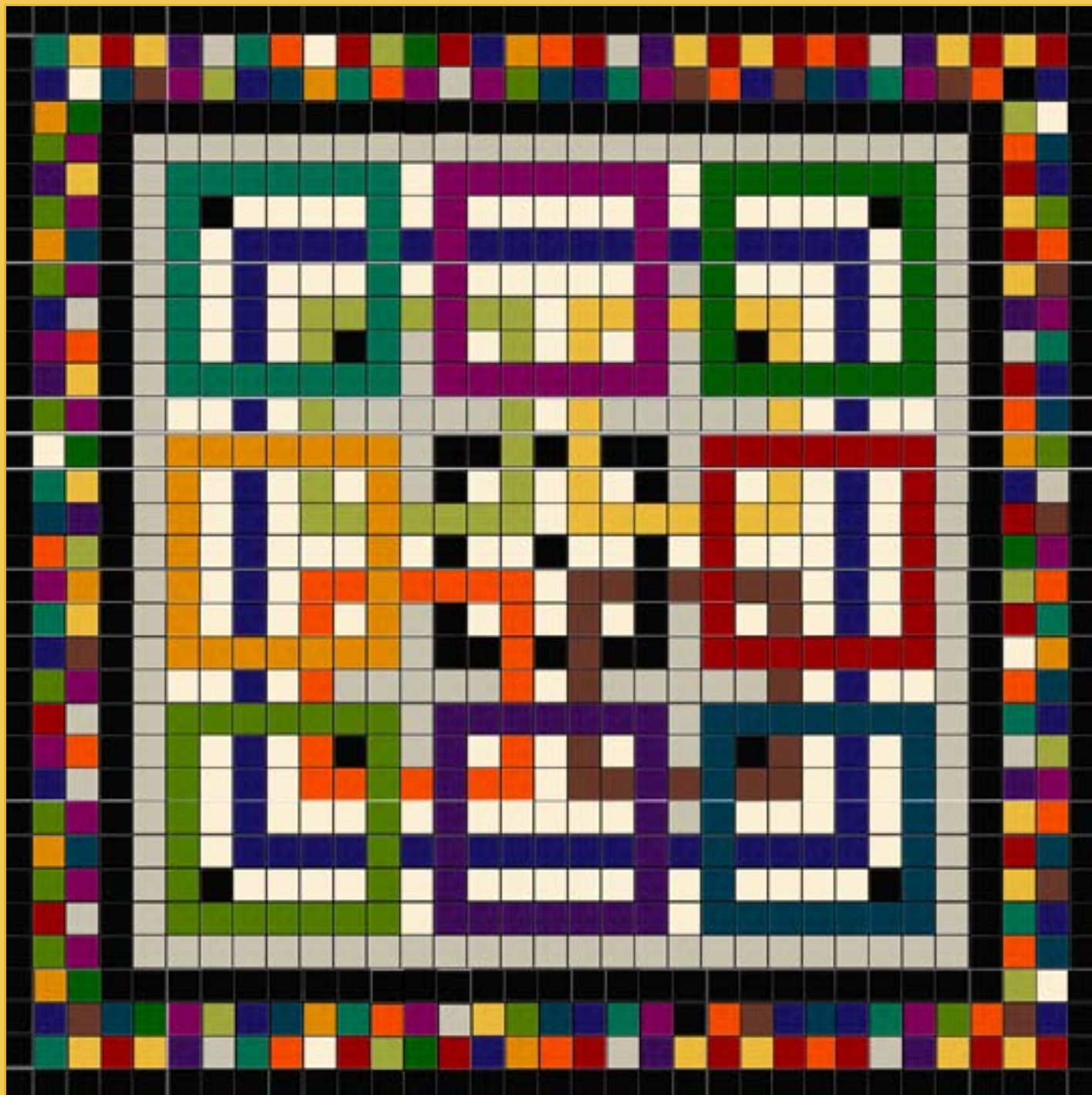


# DIMENSIONS IN COLOR

*Featuring the Explosion of Colors Fabric Line  
from Kona Bay Fabrics*



Two Sizes  
64" Square or 96" Square

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## Yardage Requirements and Cutting Guide

For a quilt that finishes to 96" Square, cut 3.5" squares of fabric.  
 For a quilt that finishes to 64" Square, cut 2.5" squares of fabric.

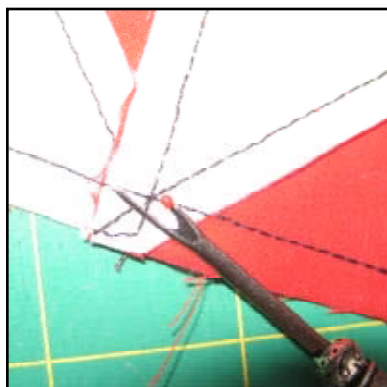
| Color     | Pieces to Cut | 96 Inch Square Quilt | 64 Inch Square Quilt |
|-----------|---------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Black     | 257           | 2.5 yards            | 1.25 yards           |
| Taupe     | 148*          | 1.5 yards            | .75 yard             |
| Cream     | 140*          | 1.5 yards            | .75 yard             |
| Blue      | 72*           | .75 yard             | .5 yard              |
| Teal      | 40*           | .5 yard              | .25 yard             |
| Magenta   | 40*           | .5 yard              | .25 yard             |
| Emerald   | 40*           | .5 yard              | .25 yard             |
| Gold      | 40*           | .5 yard              | .25 yard             |
| Red       | 40*           | .5 yard              | .25 yard             |
| Green     | 40*           | .5 yard              | .25 yard             |
| Purple    | 40*           | .5 yard              | .25 yard             |
| Peacock   | 40*           | .5 yard              | .25 yard             |
| Olive     | 34*           | .5 yard              | .25 yard             |
| Yellow    | 34*           | .5 yard              | .25 yard             |
| Orange    | 34*           | .5 yard              | .25 yard             |
| Brown     | 34*           | .5 yard              | .25 yard             |
| Binding** | 2.5" Strips   | .75 yard (10 Strips) | 5/8 yard (7 Strips)  |

\*includes 16 additional pieces to be used in pieced border

\*\*Straight of grain binding.

## Pressing Matters

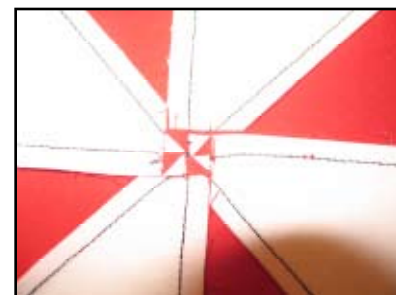
*Use the following technique to relieve bulk four patch blocks.*



Remove the stitches in the center perpendicular to the last stitching line.

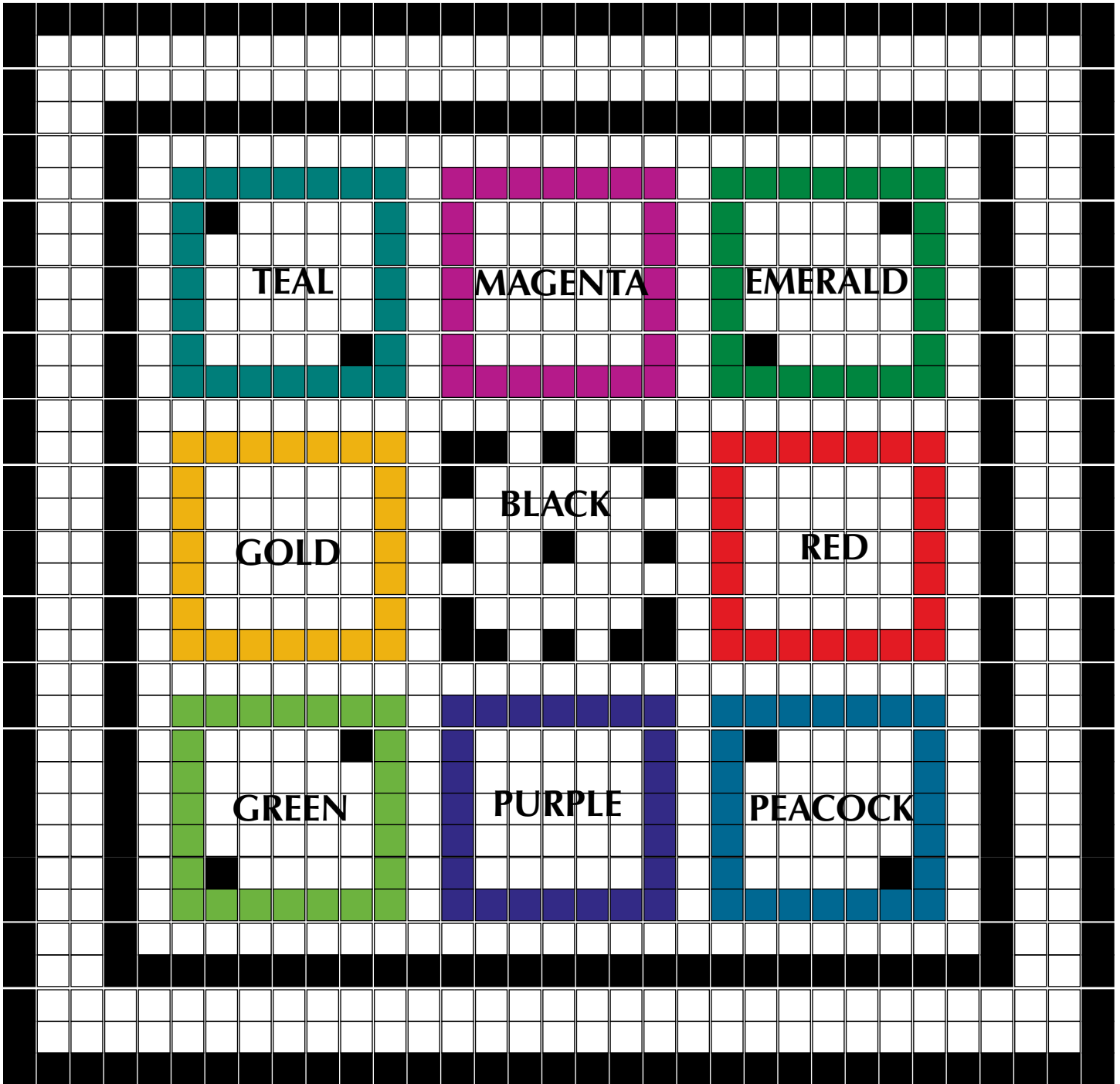


Press all seams in the same direction (Clockwise or Counterclockwise)



A small four patch will be created in the center of the back and the bulk will be equally distributed.

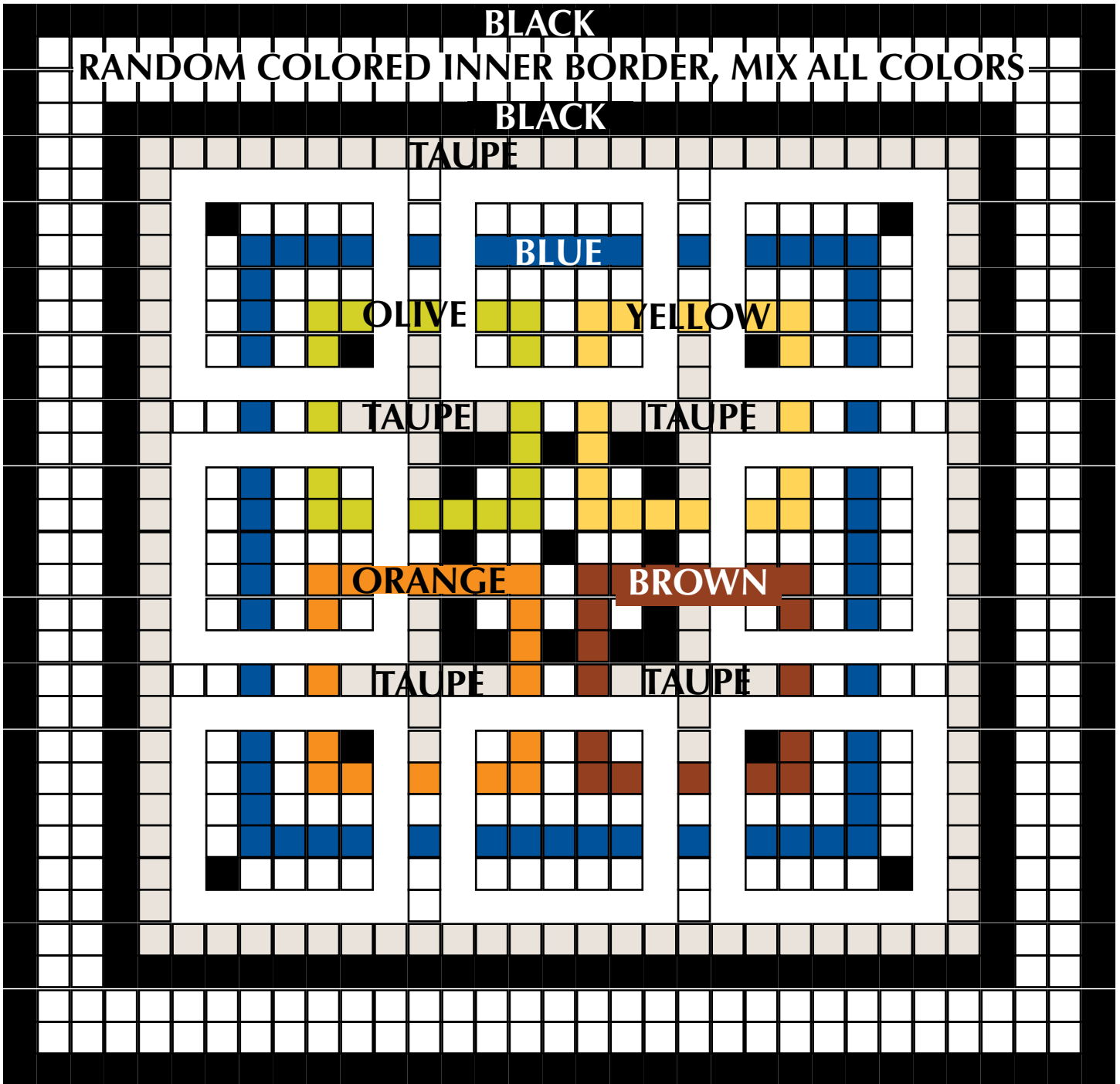
# Color Placement Guide



The following three illustrations are for ease of color placement.  
Black is shown on each for reference purposes.

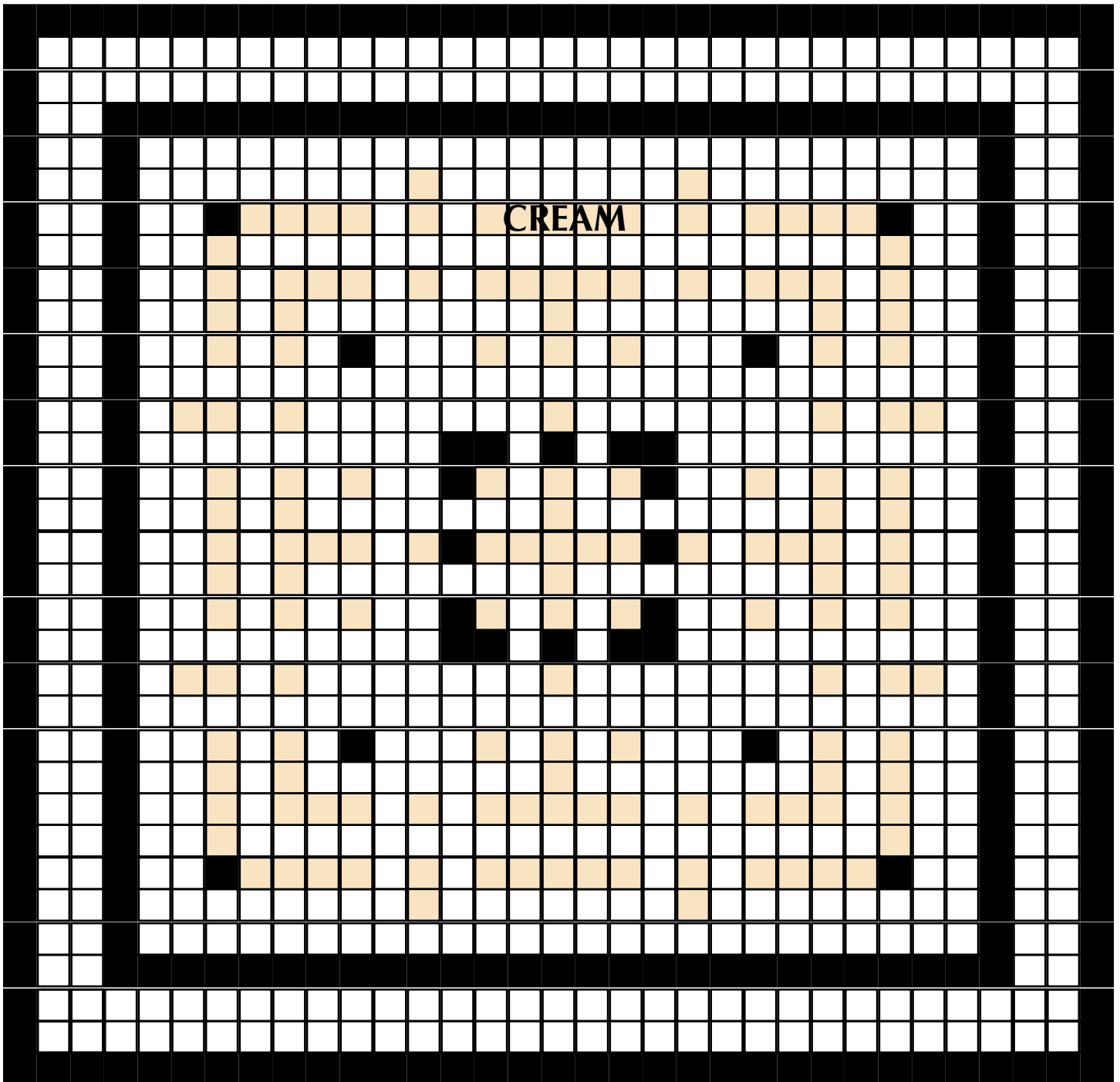
*Illustration 1*

# Color Placement Guide



*Illustration 2*

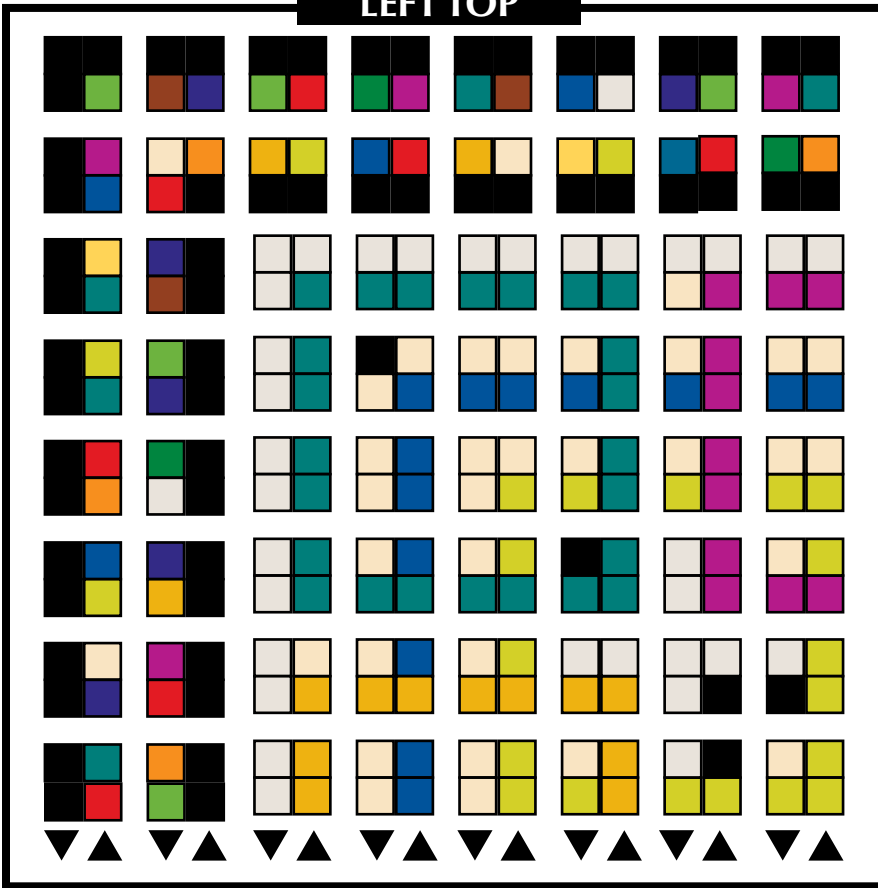
# Color Placement Guide



*Illustration 3*

# Assemble the Quilt Top

## LEFT TOP



Sew Four Patch Units, using colors show at left. Randomly select colors for the inner border to make a scrappy look.

Press odd numbered rows towards the bottom and even numbered rows towards the top, as illustrated by the arrows.

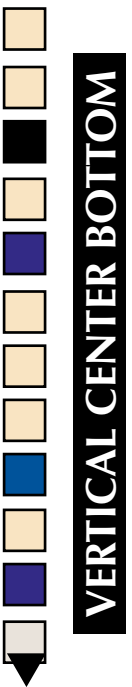
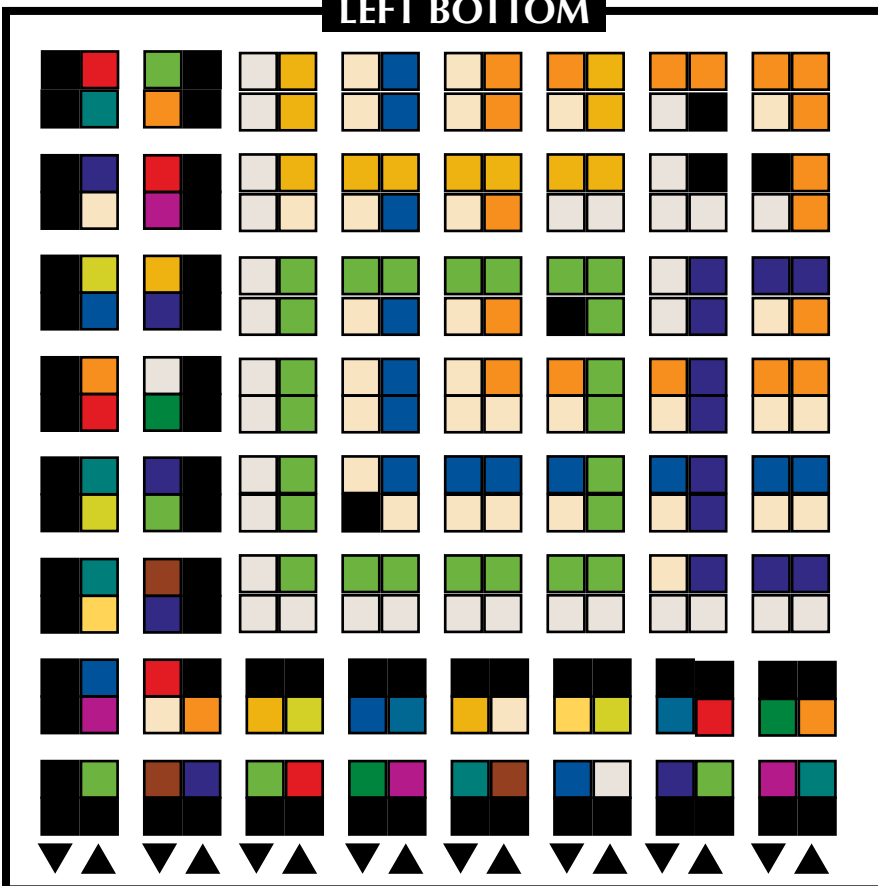


Press all columns to the right and follow the pressing instructions on Page 1 to have all seams laying clockwise.

Join vertical center rows and press towards the bottom.

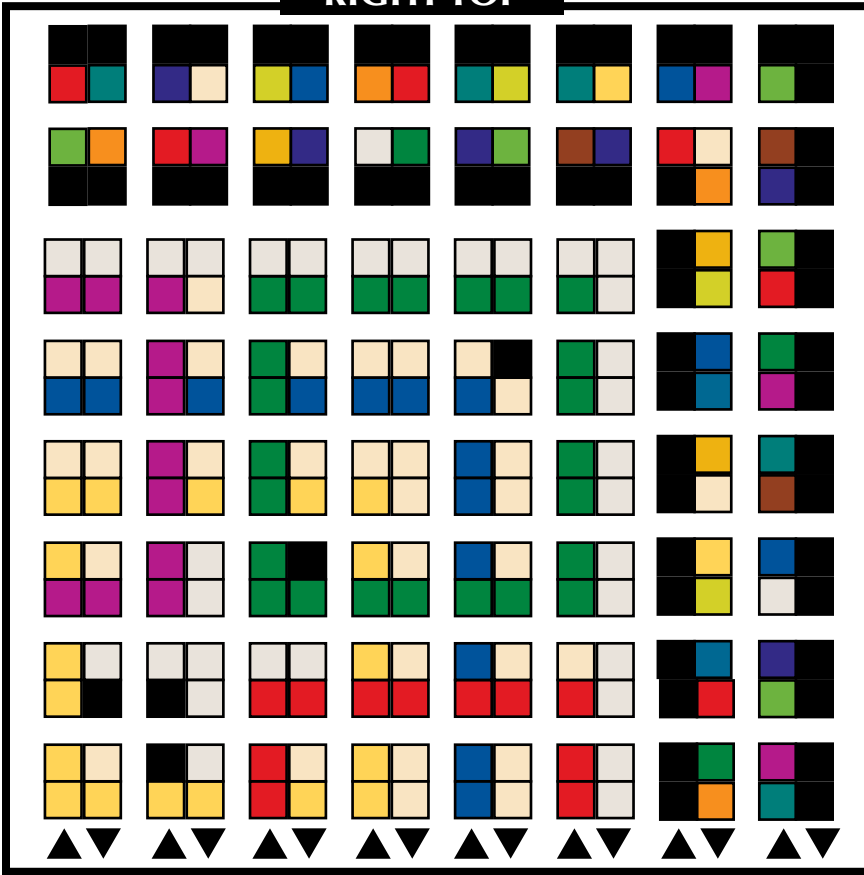


## LEFT BOTTOM



*If you make a mistake with the color of the patch, save it for the scrappy border.*

## RIGHT TOP



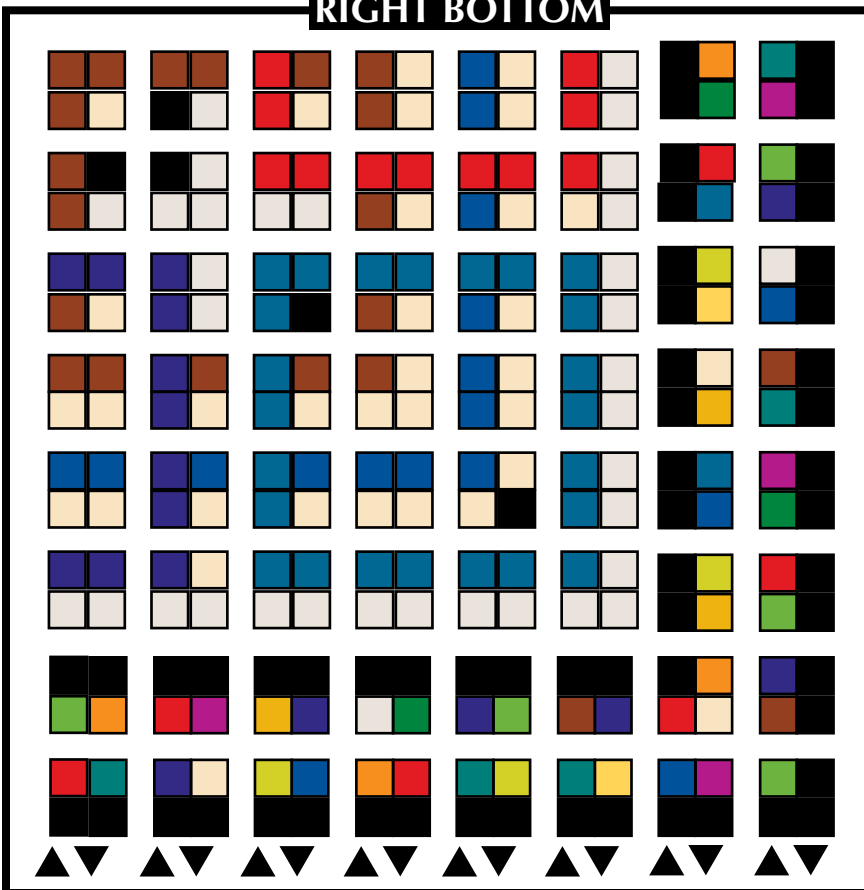
Sew Four Patch Units for the right side of the quilt.

To make these sections match with the vertical centers, you will press the far left row towards the top and the next row towards the bottom, as illustrated by the arrows.

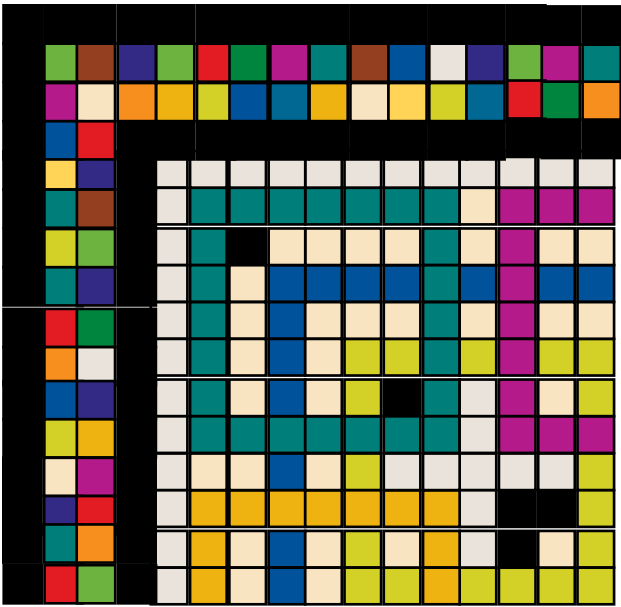
As on the left side of the top, press all columns to the right and follow the pressing instructions on Page 1 to have all seams laying clockwise.

Join horizontal center row and press.

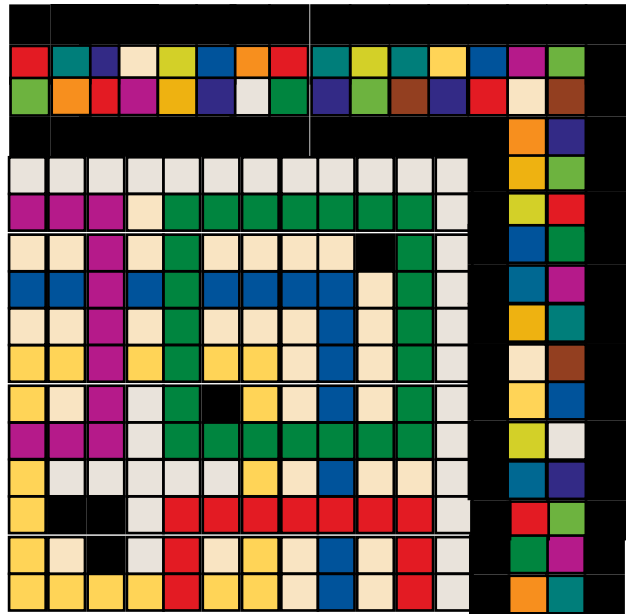
## RIGHT BOTTOM



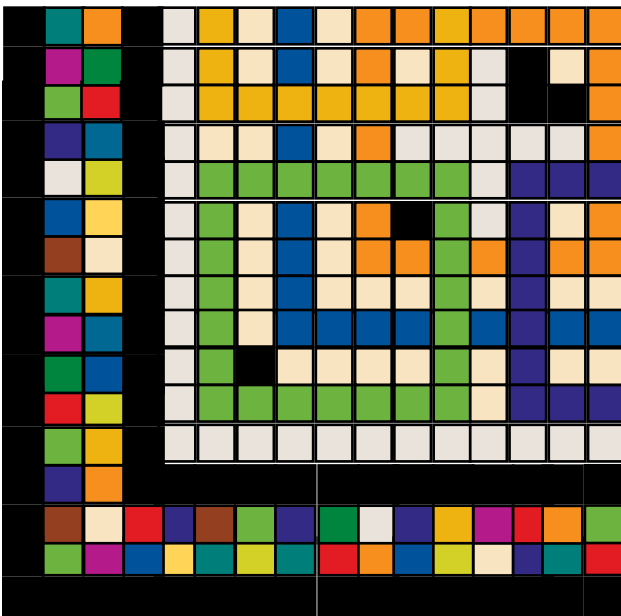




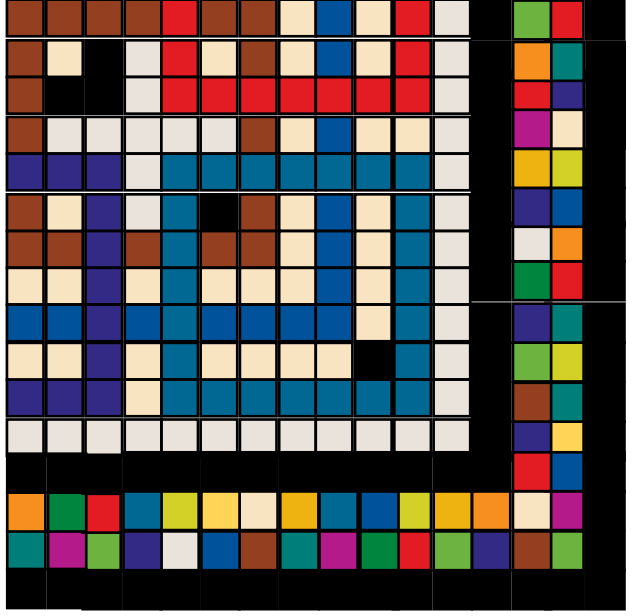
VERTICAL CENTER TOP



**HORIZONTAL CENTER**



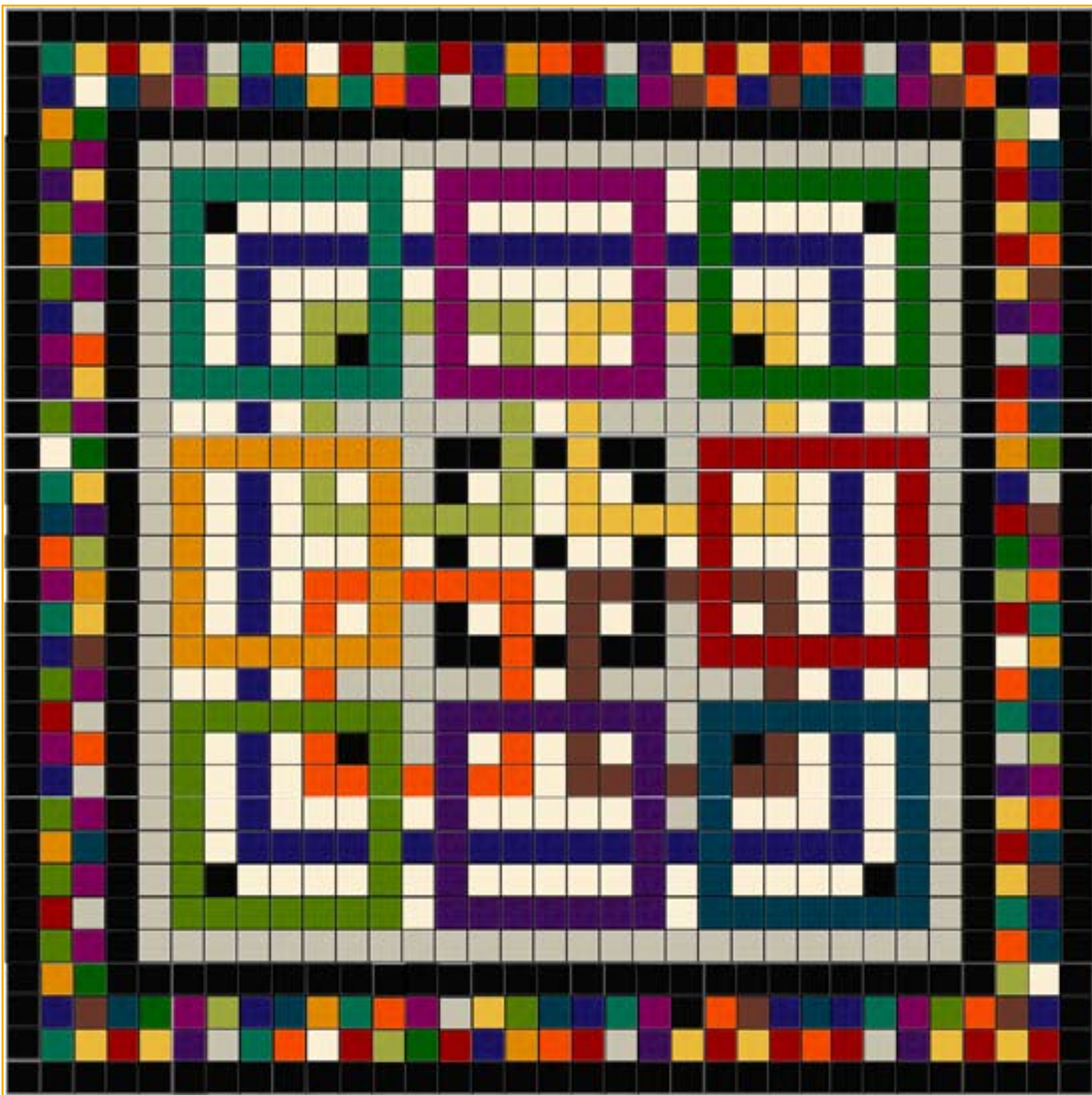
VERTICAL CENTER BOTTOM



Join the Sixteen Patch Units to make quarter sections of the quilt top.

Join the quarter sections with the vertical center sections top and bottom.





Layer quilt top with batting and backing.

### Quilting Suggestion

Of course, quilt as desired, but consider this option. Stitch in the ditch around each of the color shapes to enhance the dimensional quality of this quilt.

### Binding

Choose your favorite color from the Explosion of Colors line for the binding. Sew binding strips together to make one long continuous strip. Press in half to form a 1.25" strip.

If hand binding, sew to the front first and whip stitch by hand to the back.

If machine binding, sew to the back first and then carefully fold to the front and sew down using a small blanket stitch or your favorite decorative stitch.