

Twisters

Finished quilt size: 42" x 58"

Finished block size: 8" x 8"

Finished borders widths: 1" and 4"

Fabrics needed:

1 yard of large children's print for block centers.

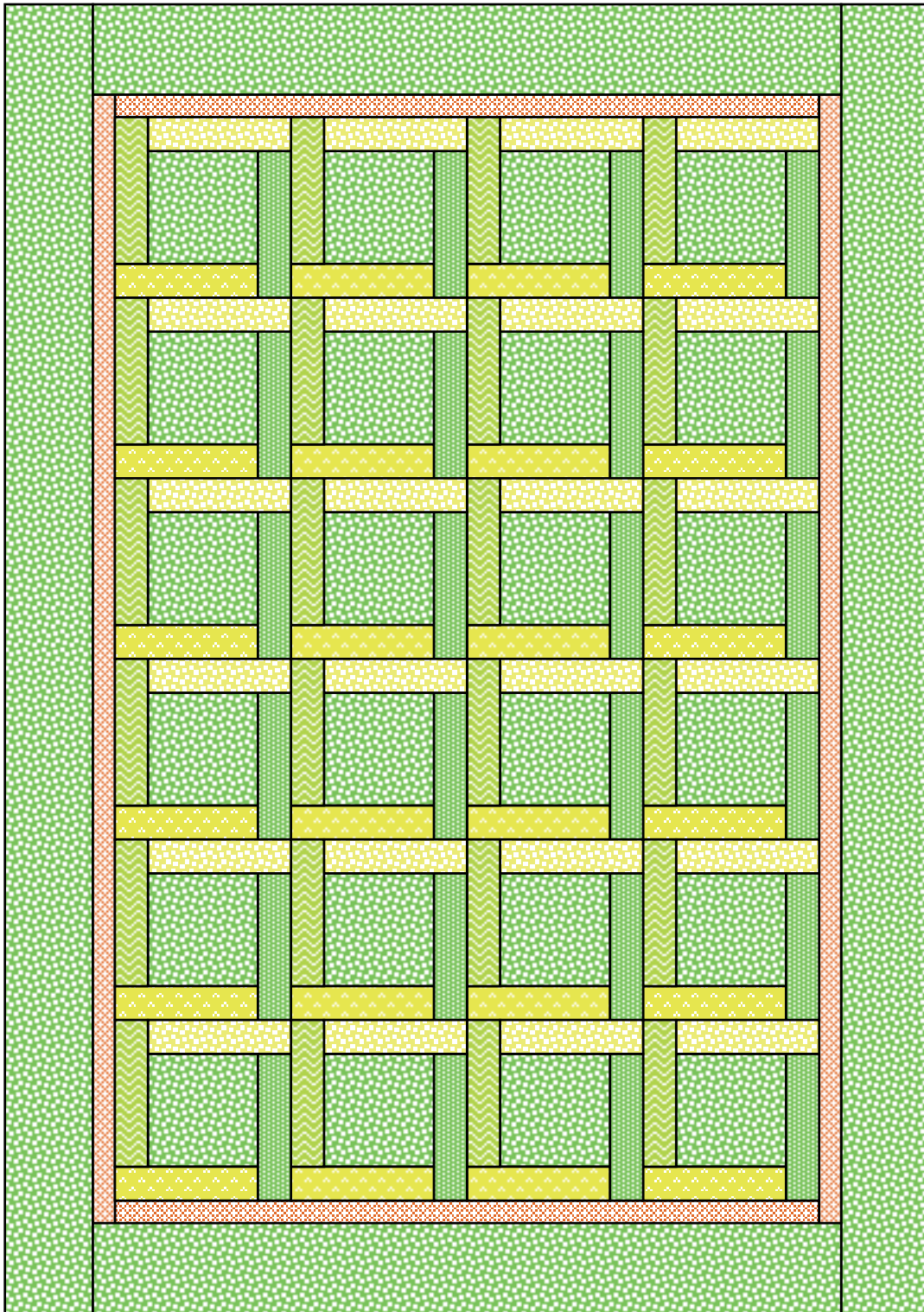
1/2 yard of 4 different prints for blocks.

1/2 yard for inner borders.

2 yards for outer borders.

2 yards (with some piecing) for backing.

1/2 yard for binding.



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Instructions

Cutting:

Block centers.

Fussy cut 24 (5-1/2") squares. *Centers may also be randomly cut.*

Block fabric.

Cut the following strips cross grain.

From each of four block fabrics cut two 7" x 45" strips. Cut into 24 (2" x 7") rectangles.

Inner borders

Cut the following strips cross grain.

Cut 6 strips 1-1/2" x width of the fabric. Piece to make 4 borders strips.

Outer borders

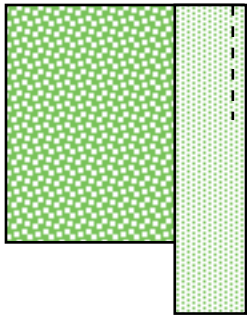
Cut the following strips along the lengthwise grain.

Cut 4 borders 4-1/2" x 2 yds.

Assembly:

1. Place rectangle #1 right sides together with center square.

Beginning at the end, stitch only half way. Backstitch. Press seam away from center square.

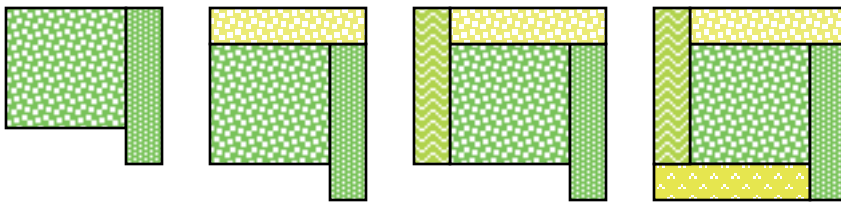


2. Place rectangle #2 right sides together with sewn unit. Match ends. Sew. Press seam away from center square.

3. Place rectangle #3 right sides together with sewn unit. Match ends. Sew. Press seam away from center square.

4. Place rectangle #4 right sides together with sewn unit. Match ends. Sew. Press seam away from center square.

5. Complete seam from #1. Twist block should measure 8-1/2" square.



6. Referring to the quilt diagram, layout blocks to form the quilt.

Sew blocks into rows. Press seams in alternating directions.

Sew rows together, matching intersecting seams. Press seams in alternating directions.

7. Add inner borders. Add outer borders.