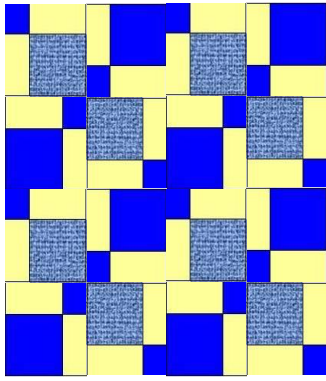


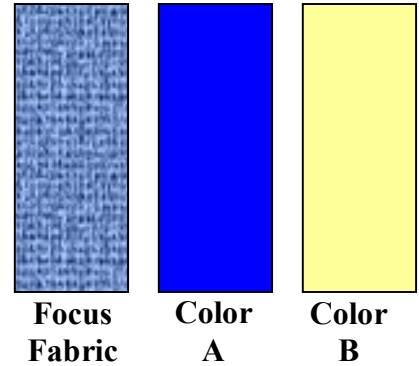
# Quick & Easy 9 Patch Shuffle

(finishes 45" square *without* a border)



**STEP 1:** Cut 8" strips width of fabric (WOF)  
from three prints:

- 2 strips from focus fabric
- 3 strips from Color A
- 4 strips from Color B



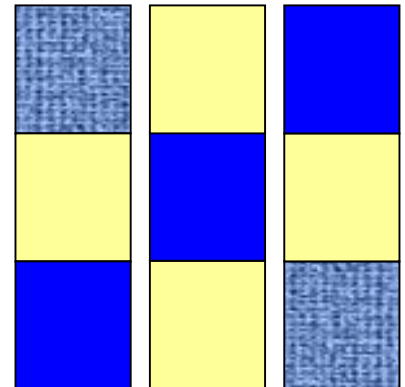
**STEP 2:**

Sew strips together in the following order:

- 1<sup>st</sup> set: Focus Fabric, Color B, Color A
- 2<sup>nd</sup> set: Color B, Color A, Color B
- 3<sup>rd</sup> set: Color A, Color B, Focus Fabric

**Press seams:**

- Sets 1 & 3 press seams *away* from center strip
- Set 2 press seams *toward* center strip

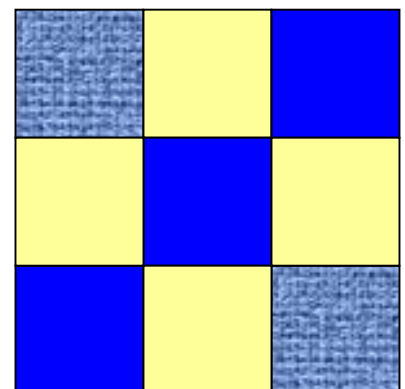


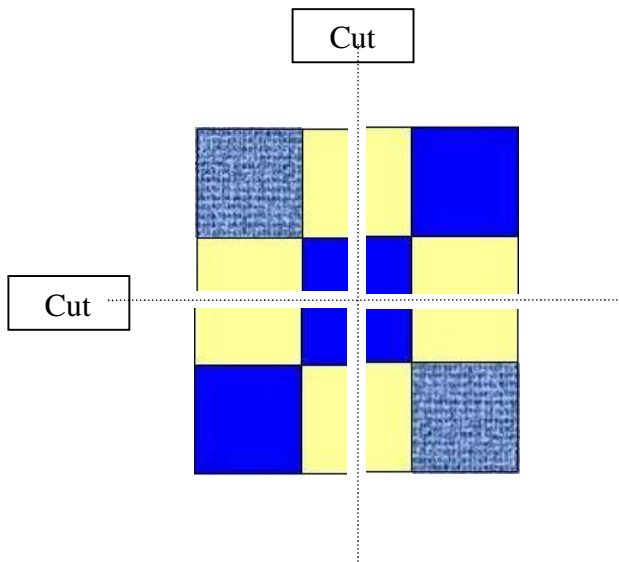
Cut strips into 8" segments.

**STEP 3:**

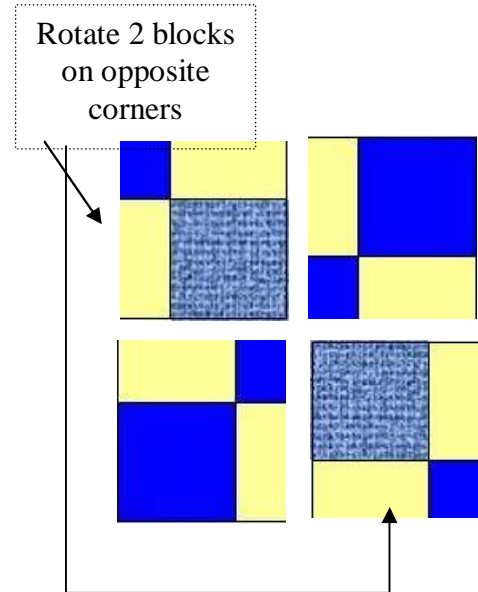
Sew segments together to make 5 Nine-Patch blocks, making certain that focus fabrics are on the outer opposing corners.

Press.

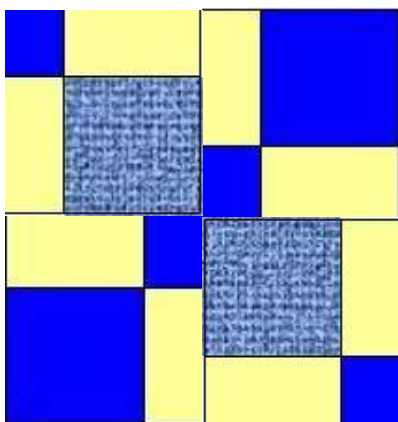




**STEP 4:** Cut each block into quarters. Stack 'like' pieces together.



**STEP 5:** Arrange each block so that the focus fabric on opposite corners are in middle.

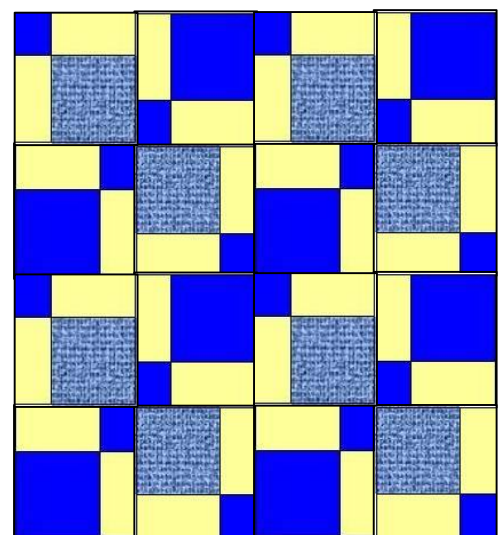


**STEP 6:** Sew block back together. Press. Repeat until you have 4 blocks.

**STEP 7:** Lay blocks out in two rows of two blocks each and sew together. Press.

You will have one extra block which can be used on the backing. Quilt, square up the edges, attach binding & FHQ quilt label. Return to FHQ for delivery.

**STEP 8:** Add borders as desired. Press.



**Note:** if kits are made, obviously Step 1 would be eliminated.

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