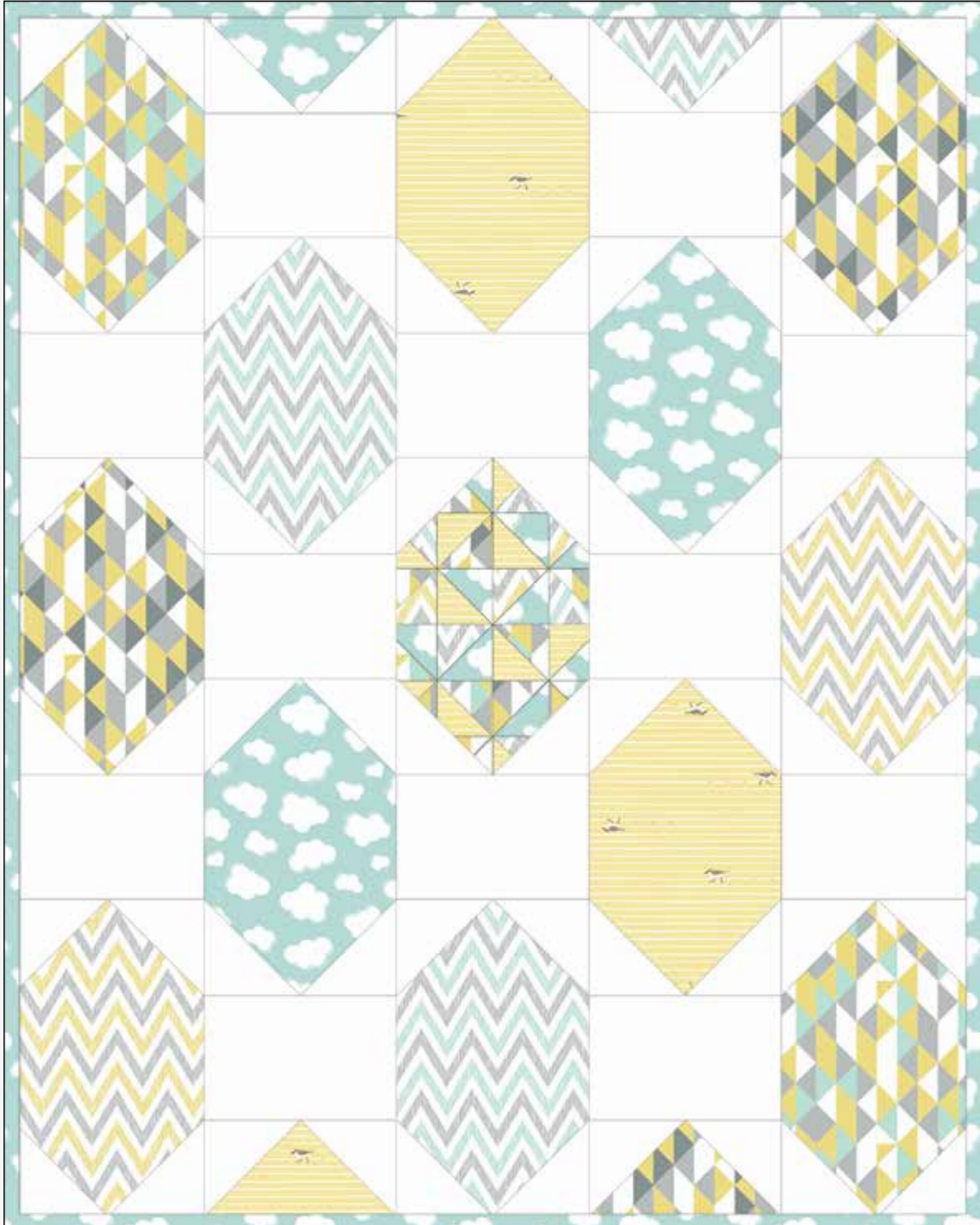


free project | SPACED OUT | baby quilt 44" x 50"

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QUILT SIZE: 44" x 55"

MATERIALS

YARDS

6 prints total (indicated as a-f below)	<i>non-directional</i> : 6 FQ <i>directional</i> : FQs of 2 prints 1/2 yds of 4 prints
White Ground	2 yd
Backing	1 1/2 yd
Bindng	1/2 yd

ASSEMBLING THE ELONGATED HEXAGONS

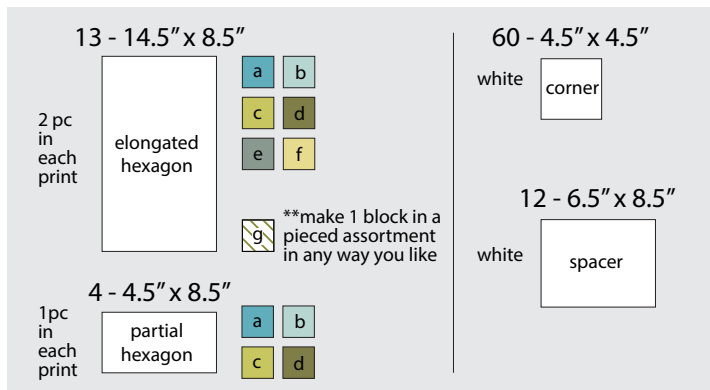
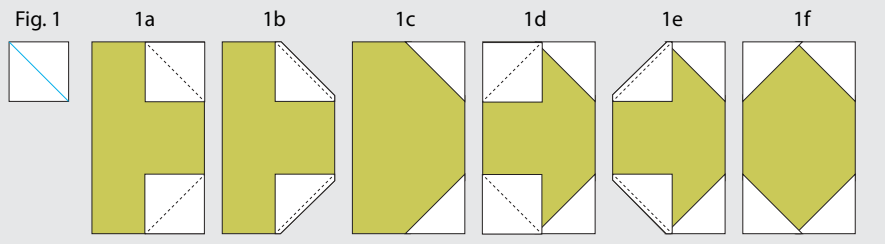
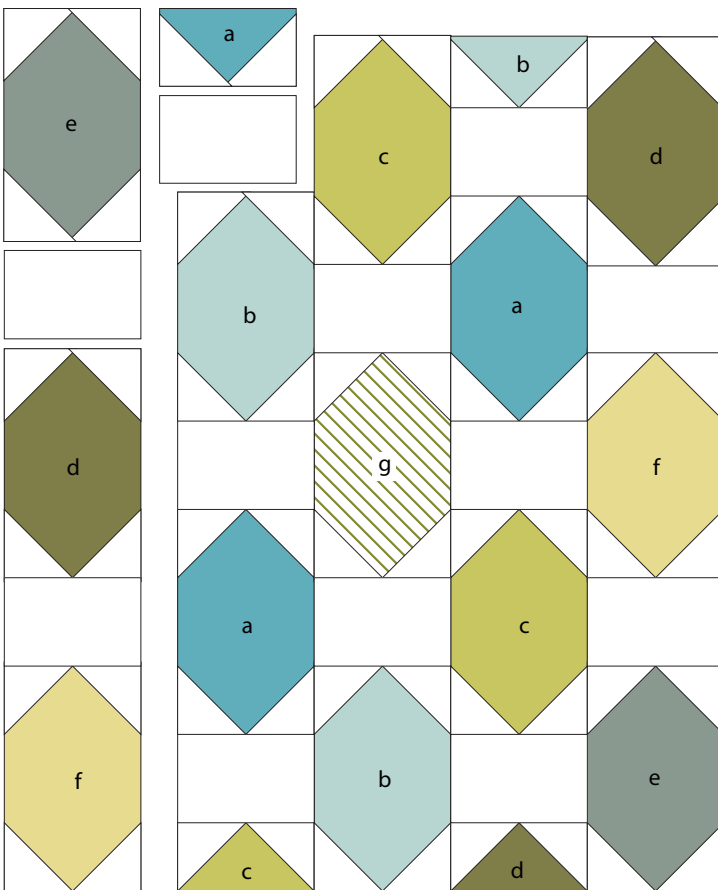


Fig. 2 ASSEMBLING THE QUILT TOP



ASSEMBLY (all seam allowances 1/4")

- After cutting all fabrics, create a 13th block by assembling fabrics in any fashion you choose using the leftover scraps. Alternatively, you can use the triangles left over from the blocks (see pt 3). Make it large enough so that you can trim this down to 14.5" h x 8.5" w to use as the center block.
- Mark the 4.5" squares diagonally (Fig. 1). Start on the upper and bottom right corners lining up a square flush with the corners and stitch on line (Fig. 1a).
- Trim excess to 1/4" seam allowance. (Fig. 1b) Press seam allowance towards print. (Fig. 1c)
- Repeat on the left sides, both top and bottom (Fig. 1d-1f) **Note**: you will see the overlap on top and bottom edges of the white triangles, which is part of the 1/4" seam allowance.
- Repeat for all blocks and partial blocks along the top and bottom edge of quilt. **Note**: the partial blocks are assembled the same way, only 2 corners are created. Be aware of print direction.
- Lay out the blocks, partial blocks and spacers as shown in vertical columns (Fig. 2)
- Once all columns are assembled, sew them together.
- Layer the quilt back, batting, and the quilt top. Baste the layers together. Quilt as desired, removing the basting as you go. Bind to finish!

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