



Alternative Piecing Method for Log Cabin Twist

- From ("A") fabric cut: (4) 3 1/2" X 2 3/4" rectangles
 From ("B") fabric cut: (1) 1 1/2" strip the width of the fabric
 From ("C") fabric cut: (1) 1 1/2" strip the width of the fabric
 From ("D") fabric * cut - (1) 1 1/4" strip the width of the fabric
 * ("D") fabric should be a contrasting color

1. With right sides together, and raw edges aligned, place the long side of an "A" fabric rectangle on top of a "B" fabric strip, right sides together. Stitch rectangle to the strip continuing the stitching a few stitches beyond the edge of the rectangle. Lay another rectangle on top of the strip approximately 1/4 inch from first rectangle. Stitch second rectangle in same manner as first. Repeat until all rectangles are joined to the "B" fabric strip.
2. Using rotary cutter and ruler, align ruler with raw edge of the rectangle and cut strip even with the edges of the center rectangle. Press seam allowance away from the center rectangle.
3. With right sides together and raw edges aligned, lay the stitched unit on top of the "C" fabric strip. Repeat as above with all stitched units.
4. Repeat adding two additional "B" and "C" strips in alternating order to center rectangle.
5. Attach strips to "D" fabric strip to the bottom edge of the block as indicated in the drawing.
6. Sew block units together in pairs with "D" strips perpendicular to one another.
7. Attach pairs with "D" strips as indicated in diagram.