Opposites Attract

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Quilt Size: **58" x 74"**

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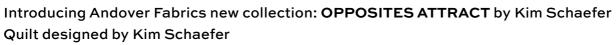
Opposites Attract is a collection of 18 contemporary prints in black and white. The strong contrast between black on white, and white on black fabrics provides a classic yet timeless combination. — Kim Schaefer



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Down and Across Quilt



Quilt finishes 58" x 74" 32 Block Y: 8" x 8" 31 Block Z: 8" x 8"

This contemporary quilt design made with fresh, modern fabrics is so easy to piece you may want to make more than one. It is the perfect size for a twin bed topper or throw.

Cutting Directions

Note: Read assembly directions before cutting patches. All measurements are cut sizes and include 1/4" seam allowances. A fat 1/8 is a 9" x 20"-22" cut of fabric. A fat 1/4 is an 18" x 20"-22" cut. Borders are cut the exact lengths required plus 1/4" seam allowances. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42" wide).

Fabric A

Cut (7) strips 21/2" x WOF for binding

Cut (7) strips $1\frac{1}{2}$ x WOF, pieced to make the following:

(2) borders 1¹/₂" x 72¹/₂"

(2) borders $1\frac{1}{2}$ x 58 $\frac{1}{2}$

Cut (126) rectangles $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $8\frac{1}{2}$ "

9 Warm Prts.

From each: Cut (10-11) squares $2\frac{1}{2}$ " (93) total squares

9 Cool Prts.

From each: Cut (10-12) squares $2\frac{1}{2}$ " (96) total squares

5 White Prts.

From each: Cut (6) rectangles $2\frac{1}{2}$ x $6\frac{1}{2}$ Cut (6) rectangles $1\frac{1}{2}$ x $6\frac{1}{2}$

4 White Prts.

From each: Cut (8) rectangles $2^{1}/2^{"} \times 6^{1}/2^{"}$ Cut (8) rectangles $1^{1}/2^{"} \times 6^{1}/2^{"}$

5 Black Prts.

From each: Cut (8) rectangles $2^{1}/2^{"} \ge 6^{1}/2^{"}$ Cut (8) rectangles $1^{1}/2^{"} \ge 6^{1}/2^{"}$

4 Black Prts.

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Backing

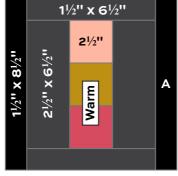
Cut (2) panels $33'' \ge 82''$, pieced to fit quilt top with overlap on all sides

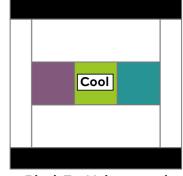
Fabric Requirements

	Yardage			Fabric	
*Fabric A	blocks, border		2¼ yards		8821-K
9 Warm Prts.	blocks 8821-E1 8821-R1	8821 8821	-N	⁄s yard ea. 8821-O 8821-Y1	8821-E 8821-R 8821-Y2
9 Cool Prts.	blocks 8821-G 8821-T	8821- 8821-	-G1	% yard ea. 8821-P 8821-T5	8821-B 8821-P1 8821-V
5 White Prts.	blocks **9061-X	9064		4 yard ea. 9065-X	9060-X 9066-X
4 White Prts.	blocks 9062-X	9063		⁄4 yard ea. 9067-X	9059-X
5 Black Prts.	blocks 9062-K	9063		4 yard ea. 9065-K	9061-K 9067-K
4 Black Prts.	blocks 9060-K	9064		4 yard ea. 9066-K	9059-K
Backing *includes bindi	ng		43⁄4	yards	9061-X

Making the Quilt

1. Note the differences in fabric placement in Block Y and Block Z. Each Block Y is made with 2½"squares cut from warm prints, black print rectangles, and Fabric A rectangles. Each Block Z is made with squares cut from cool prints, white print rectangles, and Fabric A rectangles. Arrange the fabrics into blocks, referring to the quilt photograph for color placement.





Block Y – Make 32 total

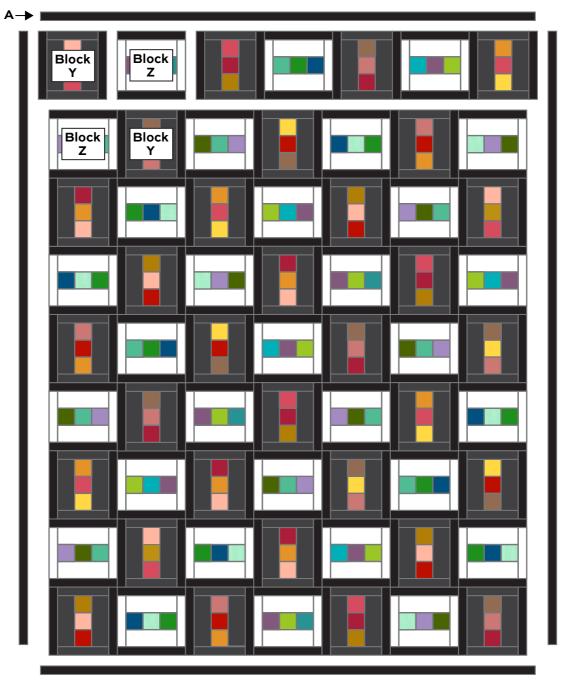
Block Z – Make 31 total

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- 2. Referring to the Block Y diagram, join 3 warm squares, and then add black print rectangles. Add Fabric A rectangles to the sides. Make 32 Block Y. Likewise, make 31 Block Z using cool squares, white print rectangles, and Fabric A rectangles, noting the difference in the arrangement of patches.
- **3.** Referring to the Quilt Diagram, join 4 Block Y and 3 Block Z to make horizontal row 1, rotating the blocks as shown. Make 5 rows like this. Join 4 Block Z and 3 Block Y to make row 2. Make 4 rows like this. Join the rows, alternating types.
- **4.** Sew longer Fabric A borders to the sides of the quilt. Sew shorter borders to the top and bottom.

Finishing the Quilt

5. Layer the quilt with batting and backing and baste. Quilt in the ditch around borders and block patches. Bind to finish the quilt.



Quilt Diagram

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9061-X

9063-X

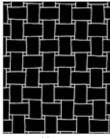
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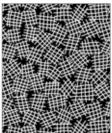
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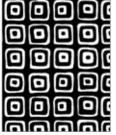
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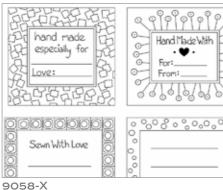




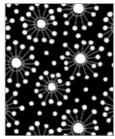
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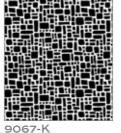
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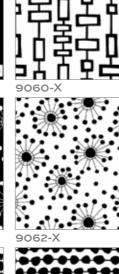


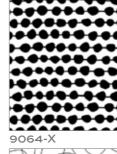
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9066-K









9067-X



8821-B

8821-E

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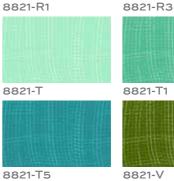
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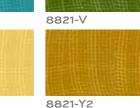
8821-G1

8821-N

8821-P

8821-R





All fabrics except 9058-X are used in quilt pattern. Fabrics shown are 25% of actual size.

8821-Y1

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