

# Roundabout

Designed by Donna Jordan for Jordan Fabrics  
Finished Size 74x83"



## Fabric requirements:

Dark Tones - 12 Fat Quarters - Dark tones

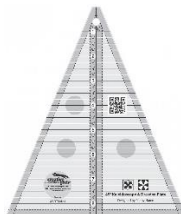
Light Tones - 18 Fat Quarters OR 4 ½ yards light print  
or solid

Inner Border - 5/8 yard

Outside Border - 1 yard

Binding - 3/4 yard

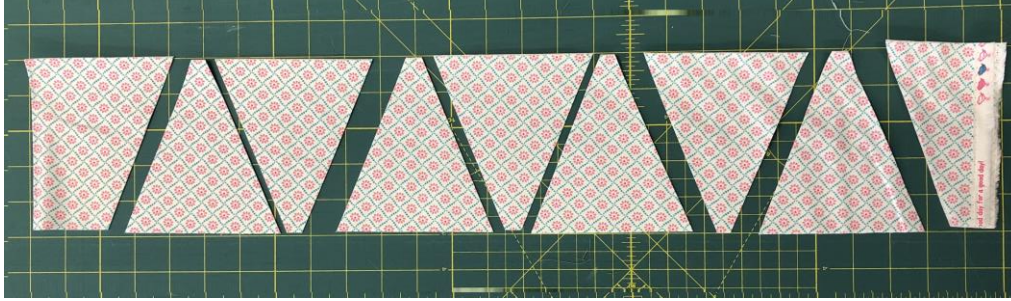
Backing - 5 yards



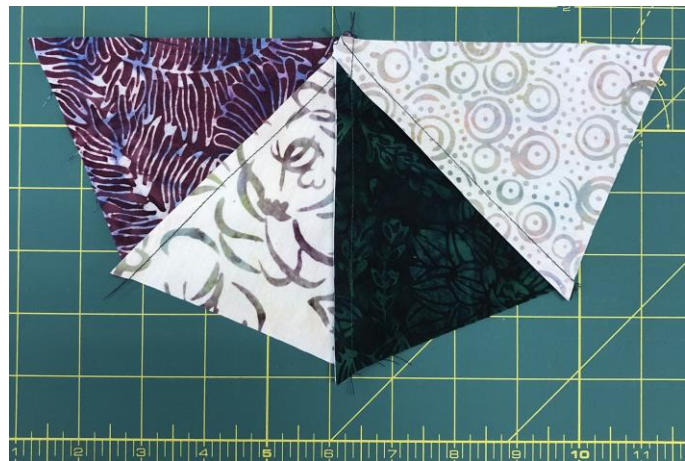
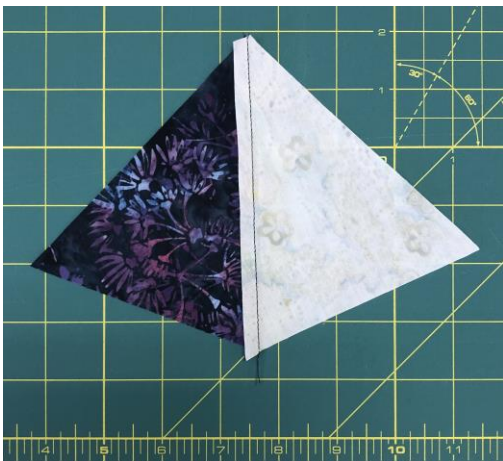
45 Degree Triangle Ruler

Set aside 6 of the light fat quarters for cutting the corner triangles.

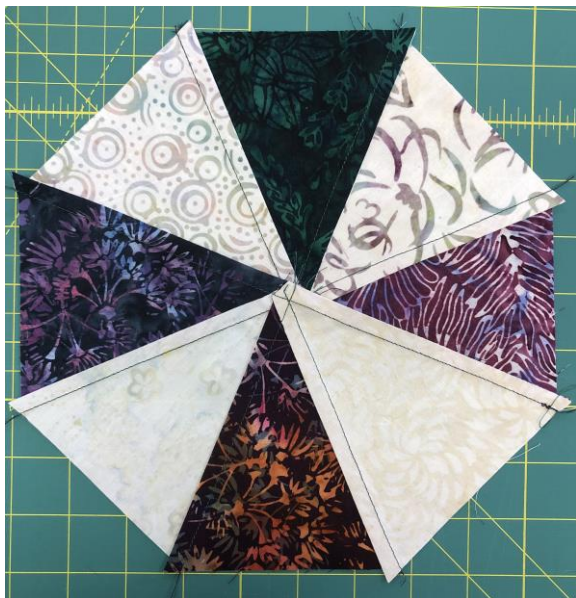
From each of the remaining 12 light FQs and the 12 dark FQs cut 3 strips 5" wide by the height of the FQ (about 21"). Place the 5" line of the triangle ruler on the cut edge and cut 7 triangle wedges from each strip as shown in the picture below for a total of 21 from each FQ. You will need a total of 224 light and 224 dark wedges.



Each block is made from 8 triangle wedges – 4 lights and 4 darks. Take one light and one dark triangle wedge and stitch them together along one long side. Repeat with 3 more pairs of triangles wedges. Press seam allowances to one side all facing the same way. Sew two of these pairs together to form half blocks. Iron seam allowances the same direction as those previously ironed.



Sew two half blocks together, making sure to match up the middle seam intersections as shown below. Trim off the "dog-ears".



Repeat to make 56 blocks.

**Corner triangles:** Take the 6 FQs set aside earlier and from each one cut 4 @ 3 1/2" strips the height of the FQ (about 21"). Cut each strip into 5 squares for a total of 20 - 3 1/2" squares. Cut each square in half from corner to corner along the diagonal. You need a total of 112 squares which will give you 224 corner triangles.

Take 28 of the blocks and sew corner triangles onto the **light** triangle wedges to make the block square. Press seam allowances **away** from the center and toward the outside corners.



Take 28 of the blocks and sew corner triangles onto the **dark** triangles wedges to make the block square. Press seam allowances **toward** the center of the block.



28 blocks with corner triangles on **light**



28 blocks with corner triangles on **dark**

Trim off all dog ears and square up the blocks. Each block should measure 9 1/2". Note - it is pretty easy to end up with blocks slightly smaller than 9 1/2" - my seam allowances tend to be a slight bit wider than 1/4" and as a result my blocks ended up 9 3/8".

Lay out the blocks into 8 rows with 7 blocks in each row alternating the blocks with light corners and the blocks with dark corners as shown in the picture of the completed quilt. Stitch into rows, and stitch rows together.

Inner border: cut 7 @ 2 1/2". Stitch onto all 4 sides.

Outer border: cut 8 @ 4". Stitch onto all 4 sides.

Quilt, bind, and enjoy!



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