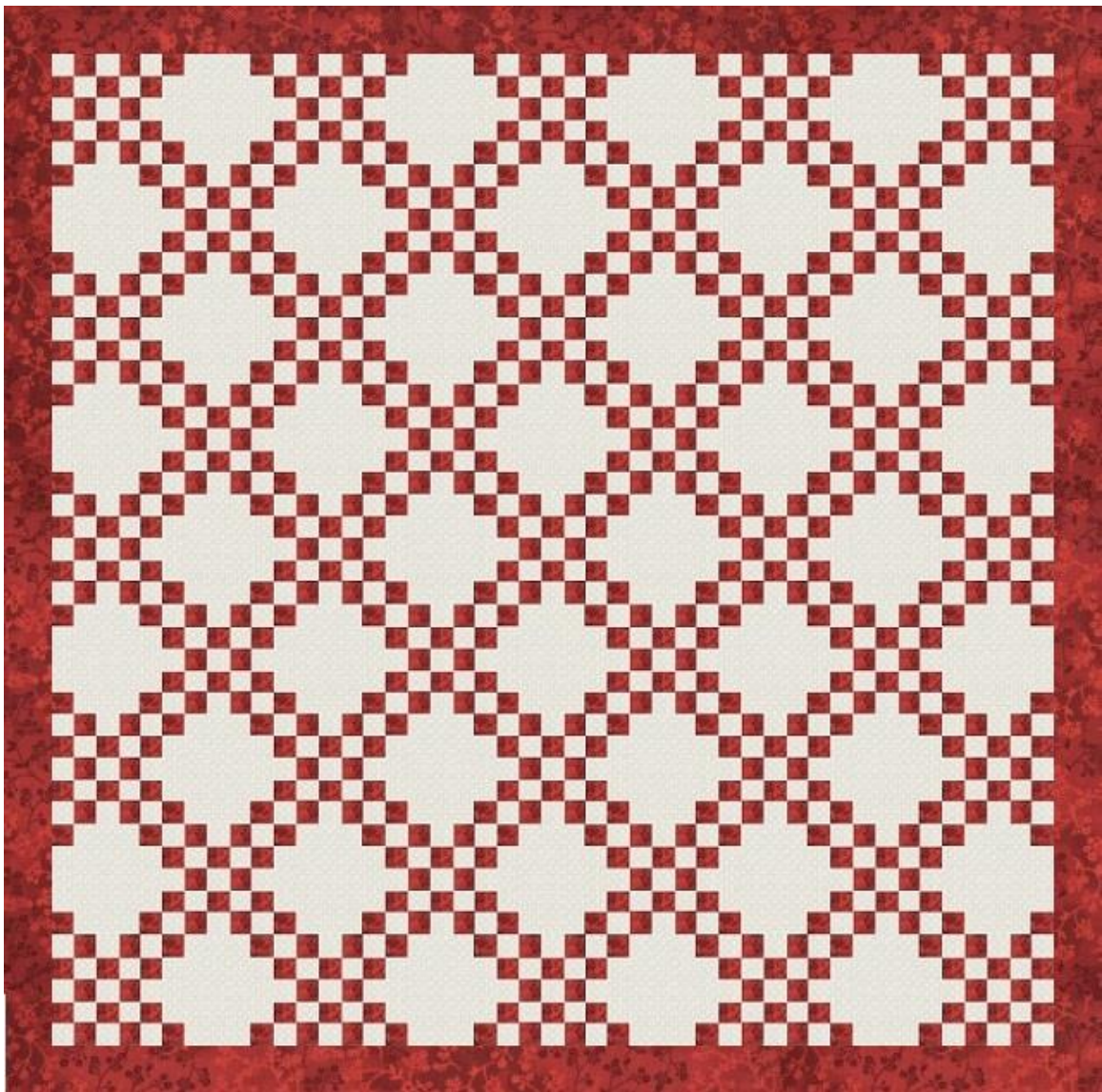


# Jelly Roll “Floating” Double Irish Chain Tutorial (Four Sizes)

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King size in [red!](#)

Here's an easy tutorial for how to make an entire "floating" Double Irish Chain quilt top using nothing but 2.5" jelly roll strips! I call it "floating" because the chains just seem to hover over the background fabric, and you can "see through" to the background below.

### What you'll need:

#### Baby Size – 50" x 50"

16 main fabric strips (Fabric A)

28 background fabric strips (Fabric B)

**Baby Shopping list:** (1) 20-strip [main color jelly roll](#); (2) 20-strip background or [white jelly rolls](#)

\*not included: 5 strips for binding

#### Throw Size – 72" x 72" – includes 2" border

35 main fabric strips (Fabric A)

50 background fabric strips (Fabric B)

**Throw Shopping list:** (2) 20-strip [main color jelly rolls](#); (3) 20-strip background or [white jelly rolls](#)

\*not included: 7 strips for binding

#### Queen Size – 90" x 90"

44 main fabric strips (Fabric A)

81 background fabric strips (Fabric B)

**Queen Shopping List:** (3) 20-strip [main color jelly rolls](#); (5) 20-strip background or [white jelly rolls](#). If you have an extra white strip lying around, you can get away with (4) white rolls. You will have enough extra main fabric strips for binding.

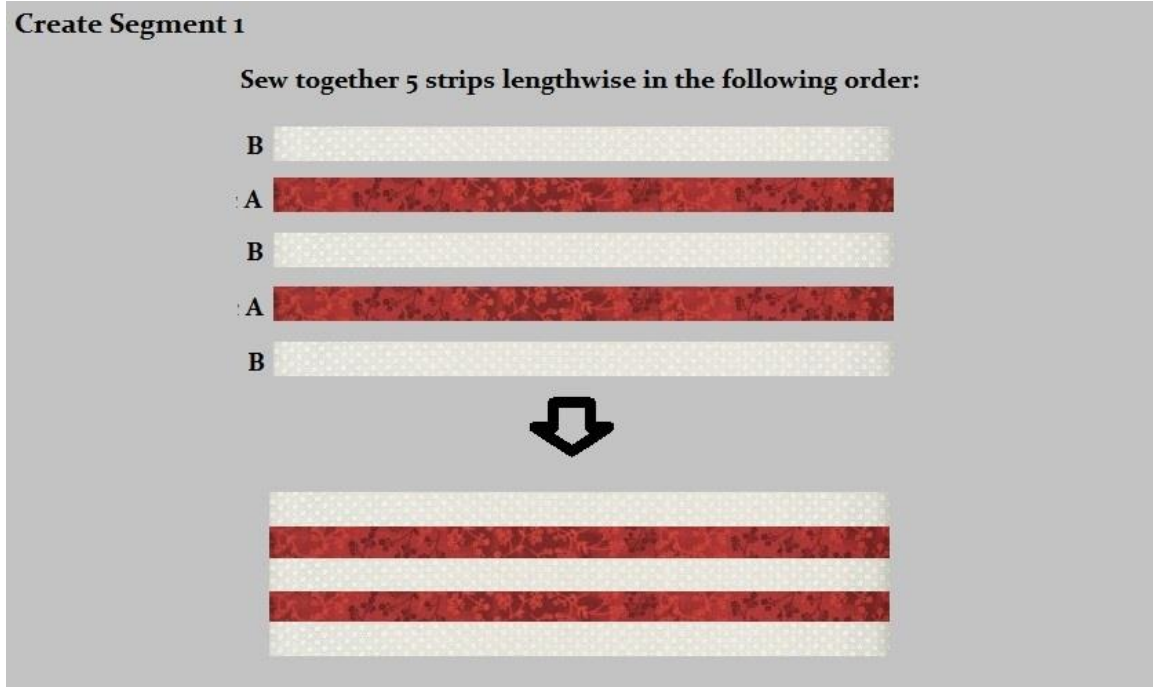
**King Size – 100" x 100"** – same as queen size, but add [1 ¼ yards of fabric](#) to create a 5" border.

**Larger King Size – 110" x 110"** – same as queen size, but add [2 ½ yards of fabric](#) to create a 10" border.

**[Single Fabric/Binding Strip Rolls](#)** are PERFECT for the Floating Double Irish Chain Pattern!

# Instructions

Ready to Sew?



Baby Size – Make 3.

Throw Size – Make 5.

Queen/King Size – Make 8.

## Create Segment 2

Sew together 5 strips lengthwise in the following order:



Baby Size – Make 2.

Throw Size – Make 4.

Queen/King Size – Make 6.

### Create Segment 3

Sew together 5 strips lengthwise in the following order:



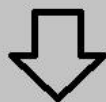
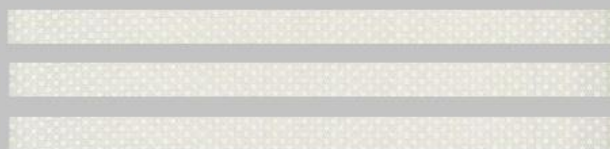
Baby Size – Make 2.

Throw Size – Make 3.

Queen/King Size – Make 5.

#### Create Segment 4

Sew together 3 strips lengthwise in the following order:



Baby Size – Make 3.

Throw Size – Make 6.

Queen/King Size – Make 10.

# Ready To Cut?

## Cut Segment 1

Trim selvage edge, and cut 2.5" segments



## Cut Segment 2

Trim selvage edge, and cut 2.5" segments



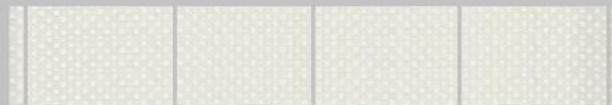
## Cut Segment 3

Trim selvage edge, and cut 2.5" segments



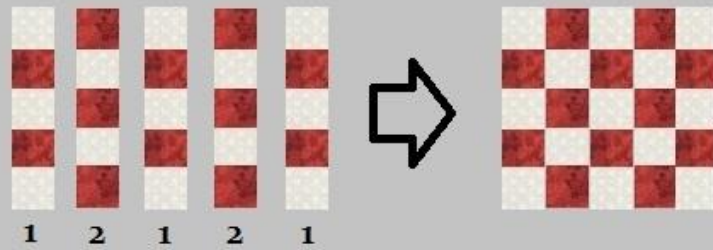
## Cut Segment 4

Trim selvage edge, and cut 10.5" segments



### Assemble Block 1

Sew segments 1 and 2 together in the following order:



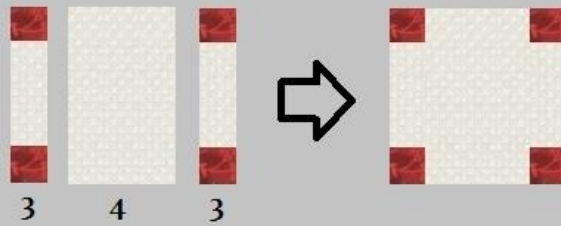
Baby Size – Make 13.

Throw Size – Make 25.

Queen/King Size – Make 41.

### Assemble Block 2

Sew segments 3 and 4 together in the following order:

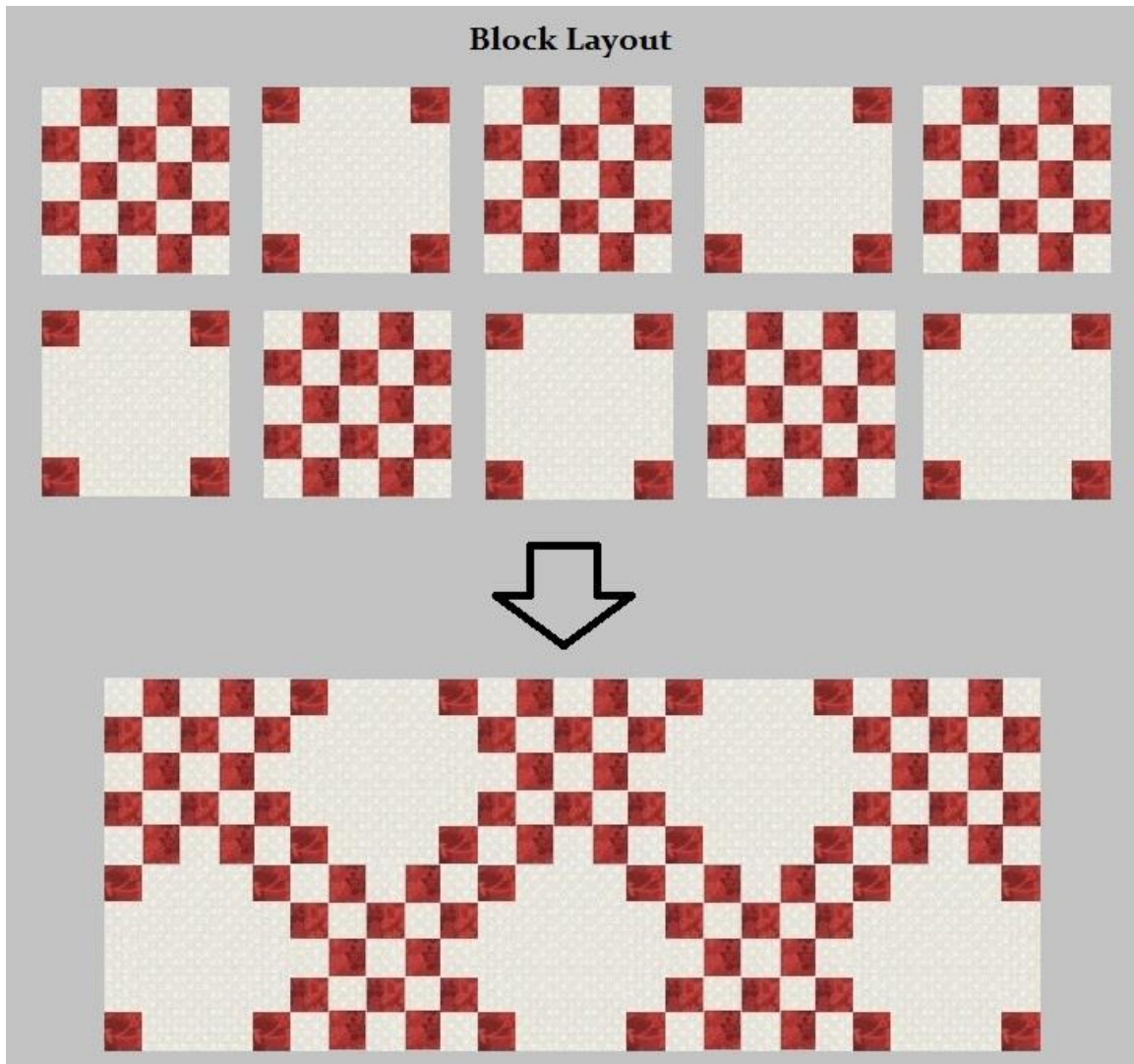


Baby Size – Make 12.

Throw Size – Make 24.

Queen/King Size – Make 40.

## Ready to Assemble?

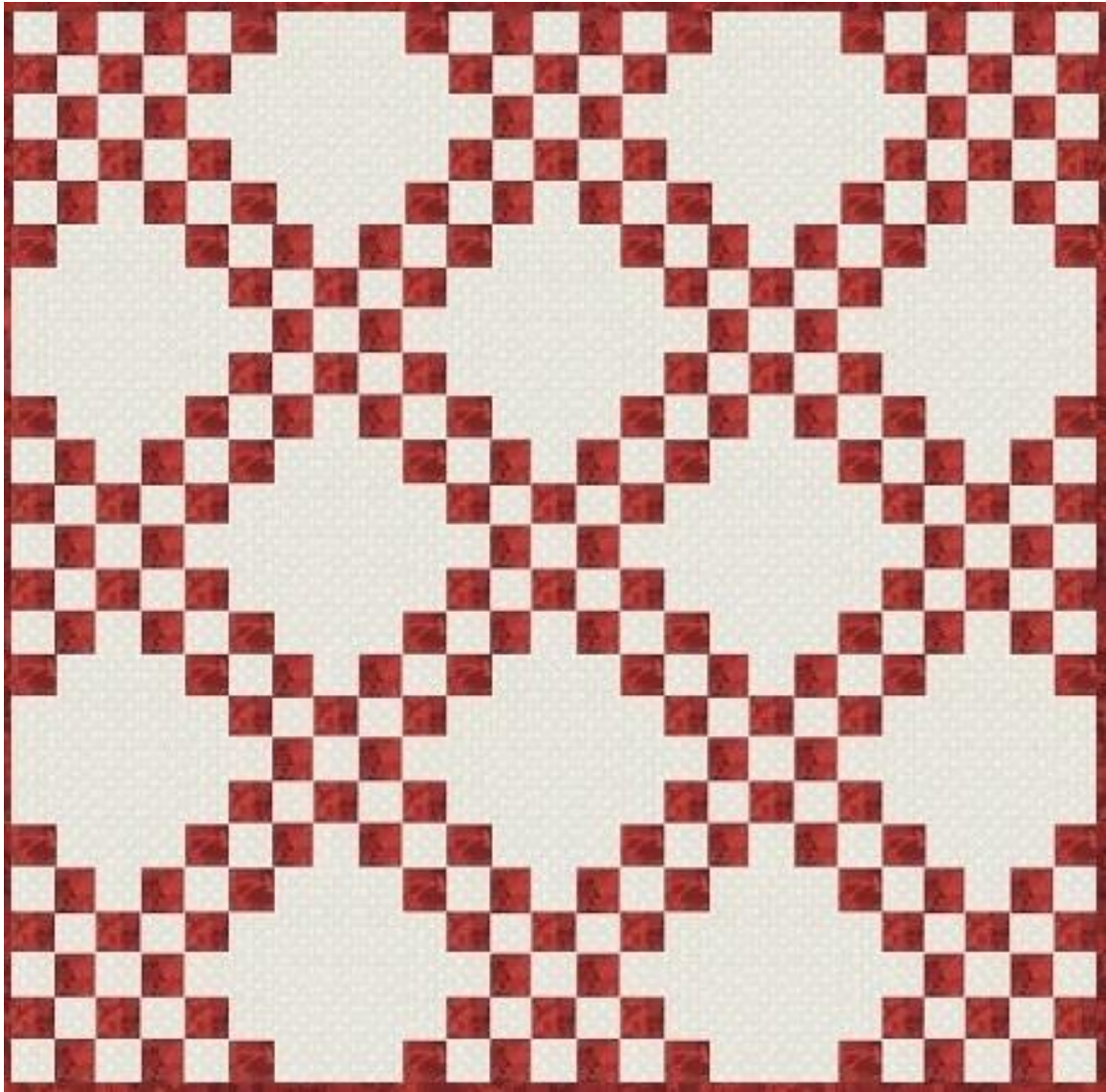


Baby Size – blocks will be laid out 5 x 5 (shown).

Throw Size – blocks will be laid out 7 x 7.

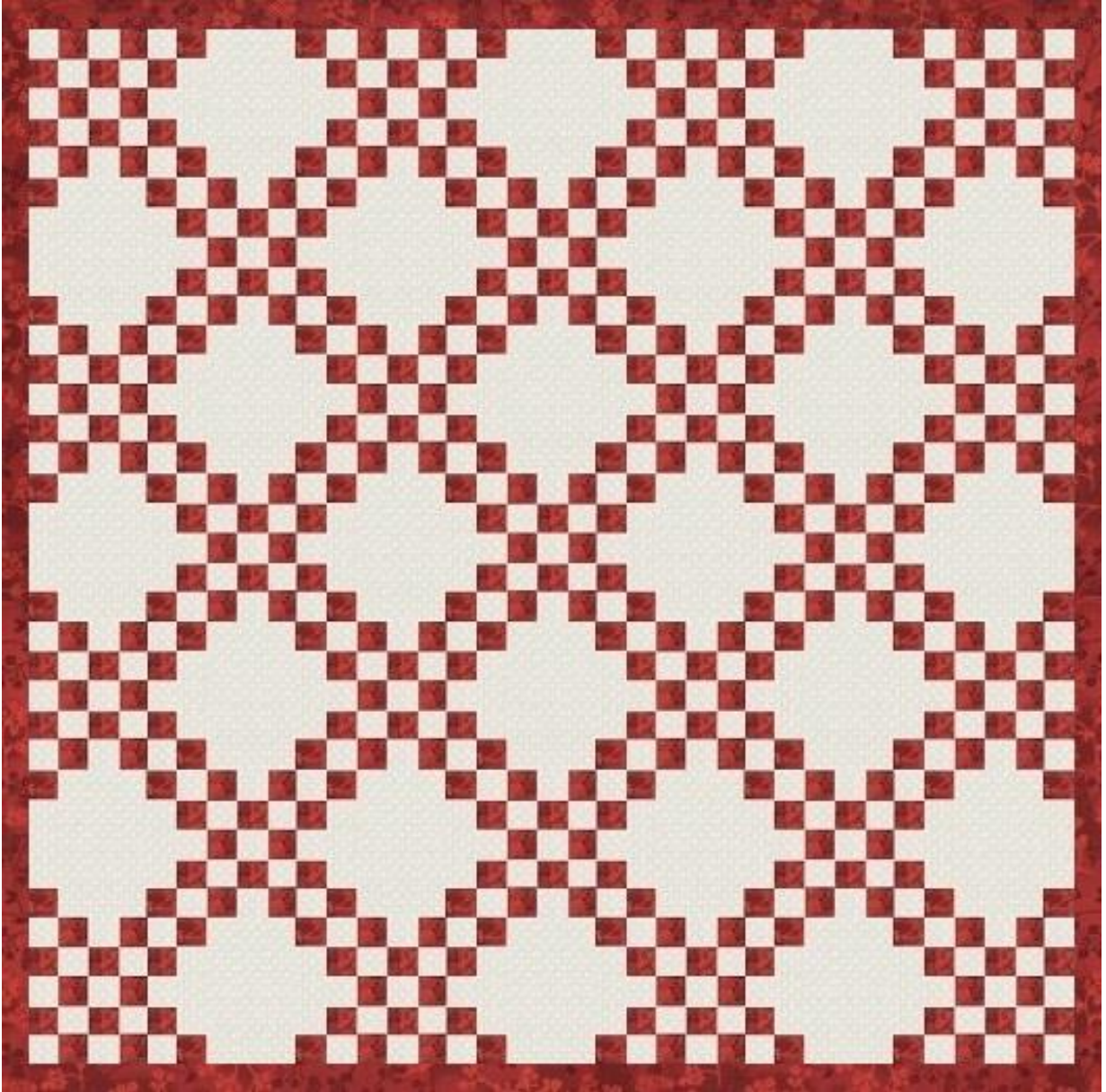
Queen/King Size – blocks will be laid out 9 x 9.

BABY SIZE – 50 x 50



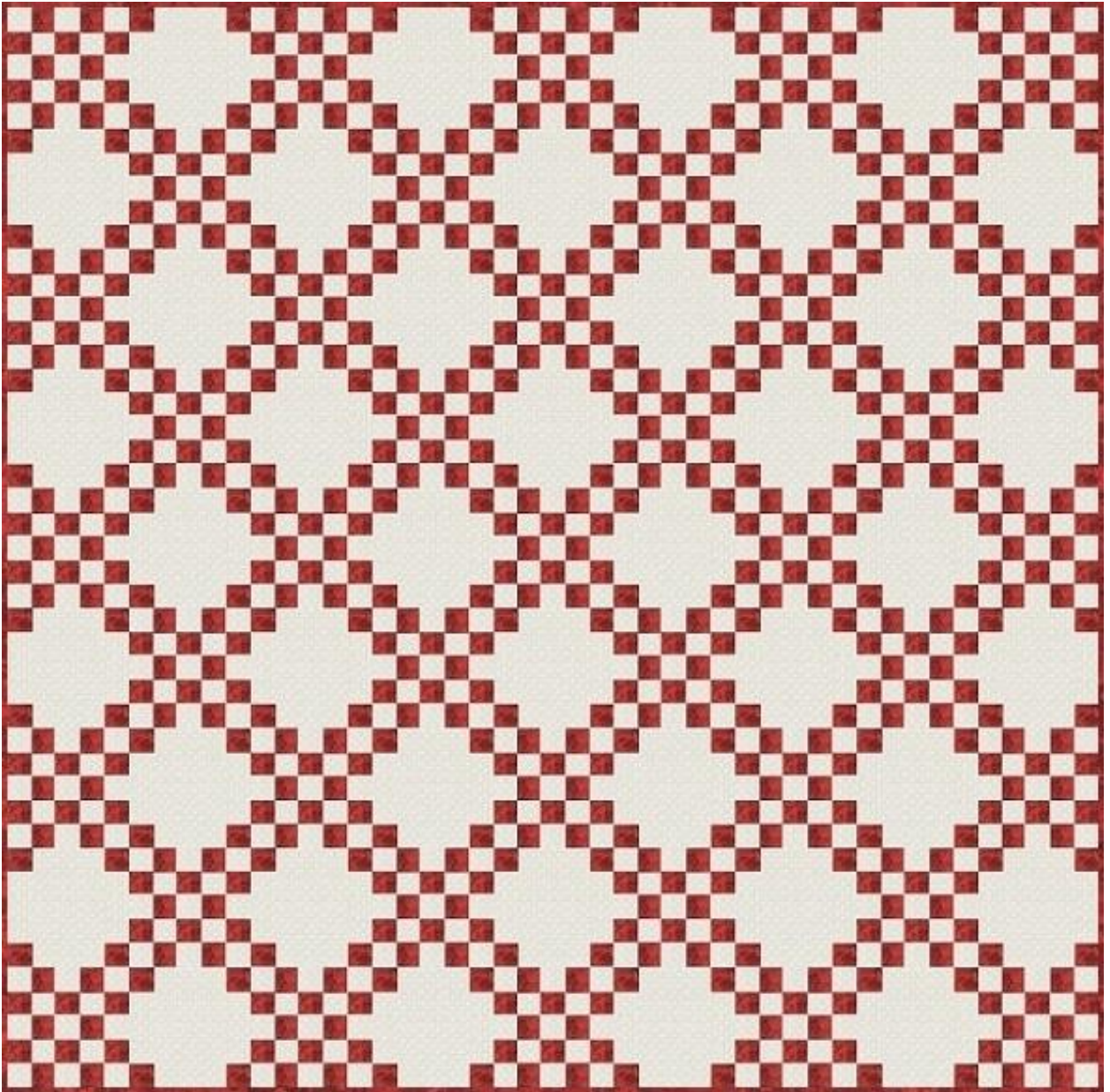
Shown with no borders, only binding – 50" x 50"

# LARGE THROW SIZE – 72” x 72”



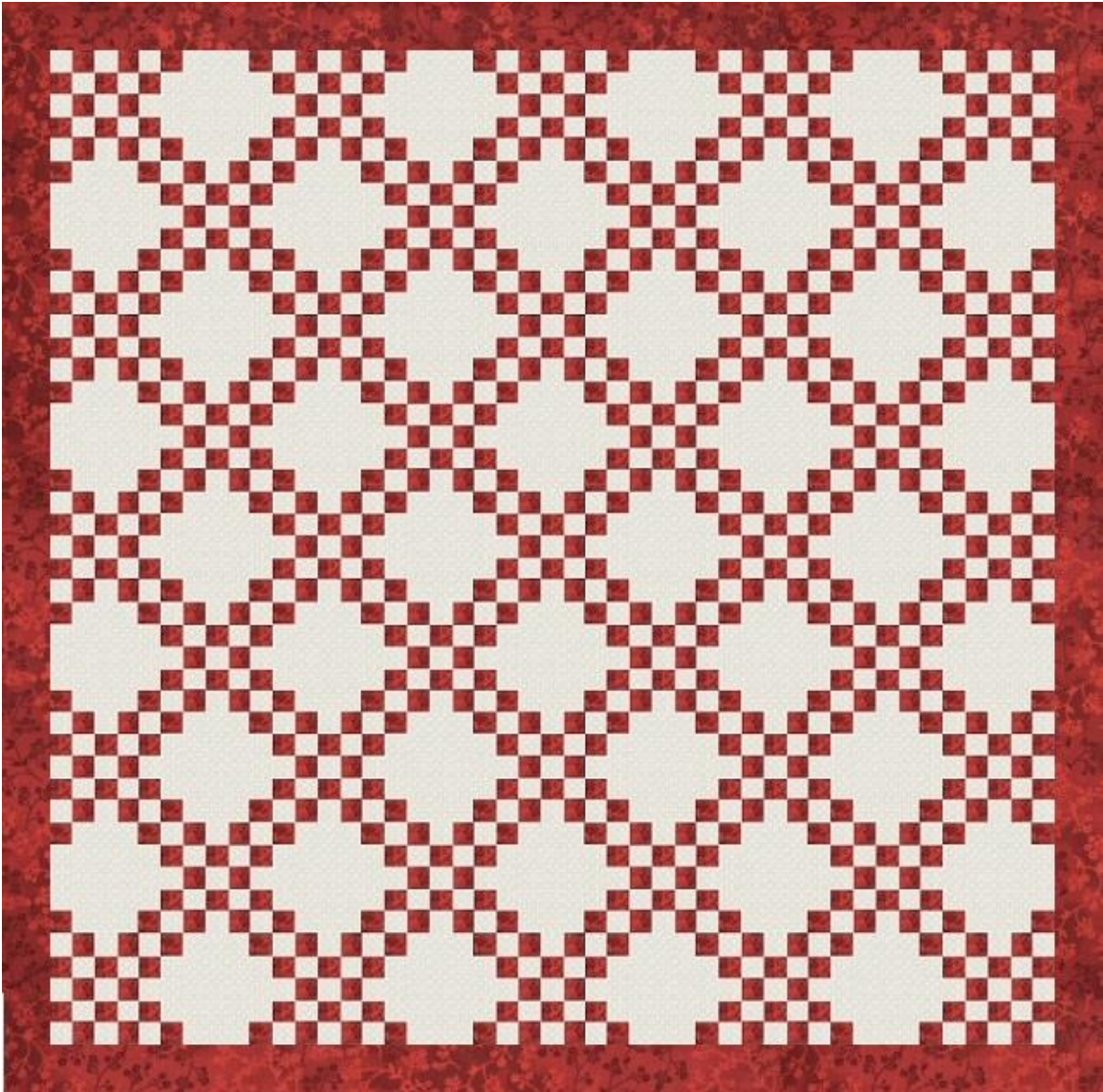
Shown with 2” border (1 strip all around) – 72” x 72”

QUEEN SIZE – 90” x 90”



Shown with only binding – 90” x 90”

## KING SIZE – 100” x 100”



Shown with 5” [yardage border](#), 100”x 100” – approximately [1 ¼ yards](#) needed for border

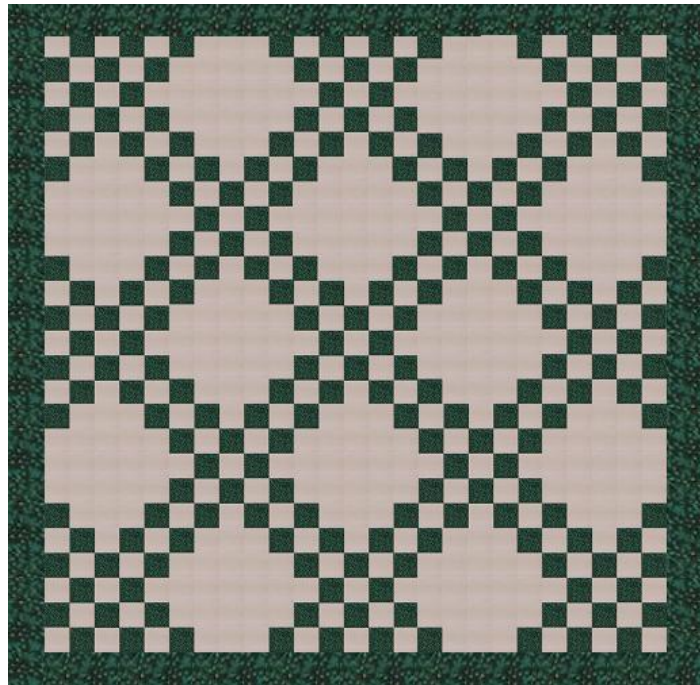
To enlarge to 110” x 110”, replace 5” border with 10” border – approximated [2 ½ yards](#)  
needed for border

Create border by cutting fabric selvage to selvage and then sewing long strips.

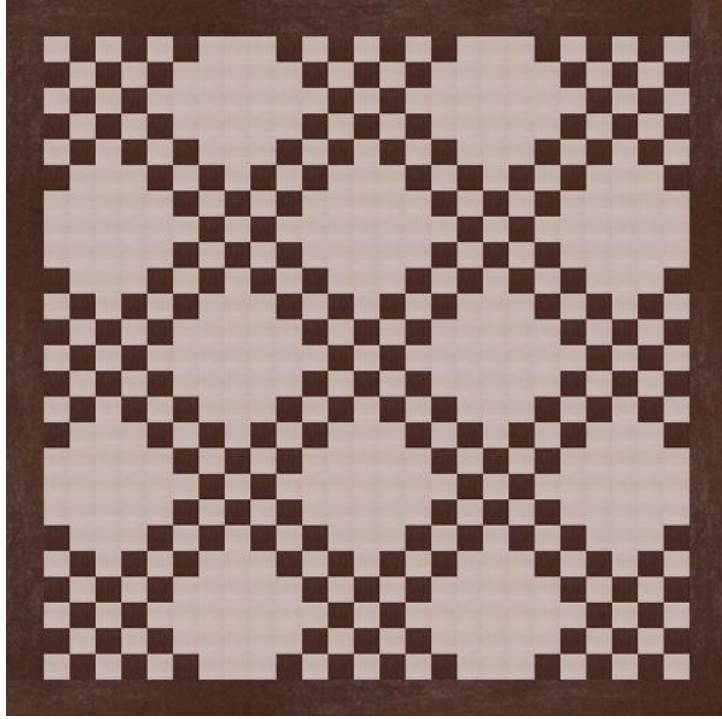
Color Samples:



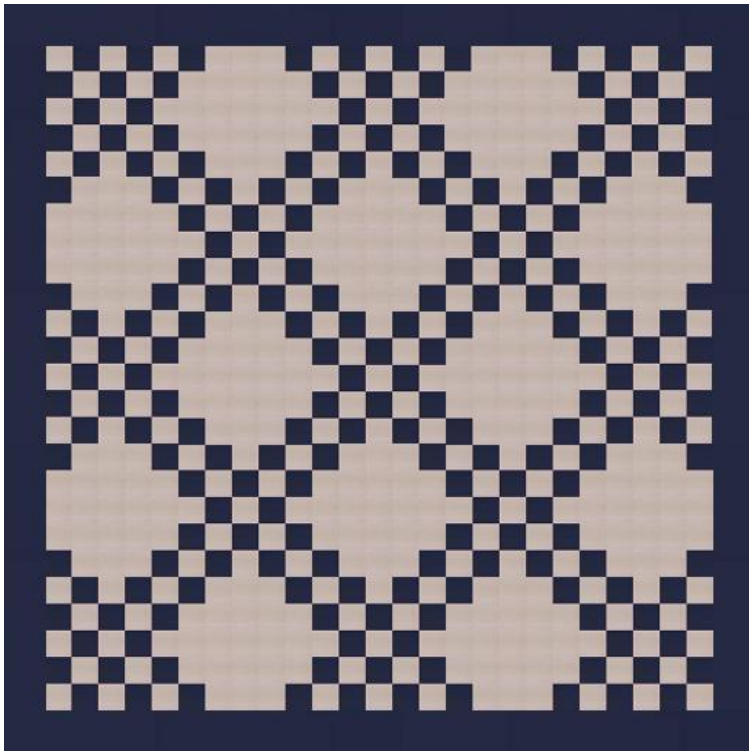
[Pink](#)



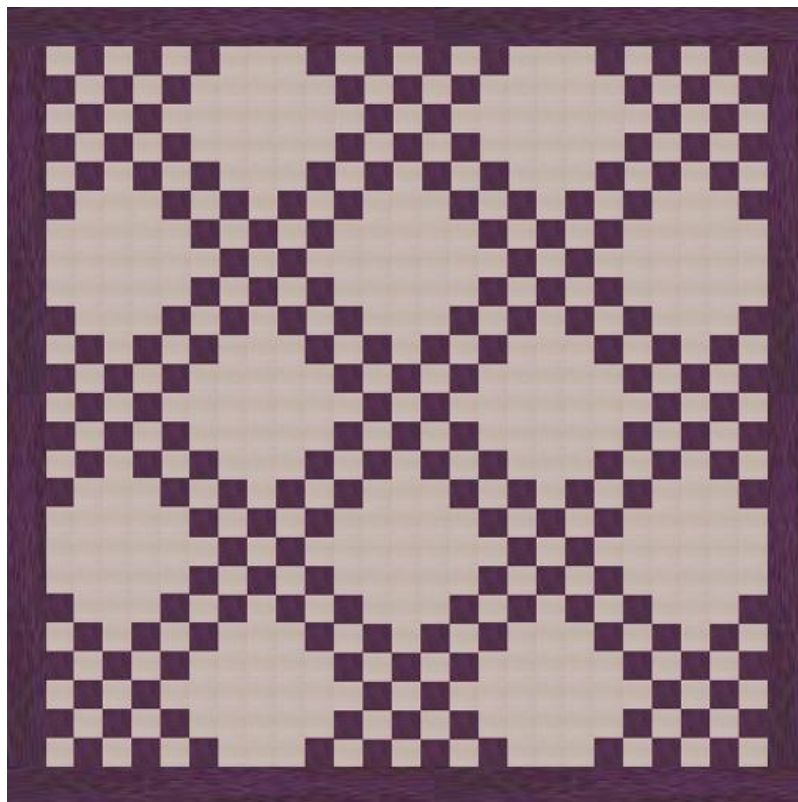
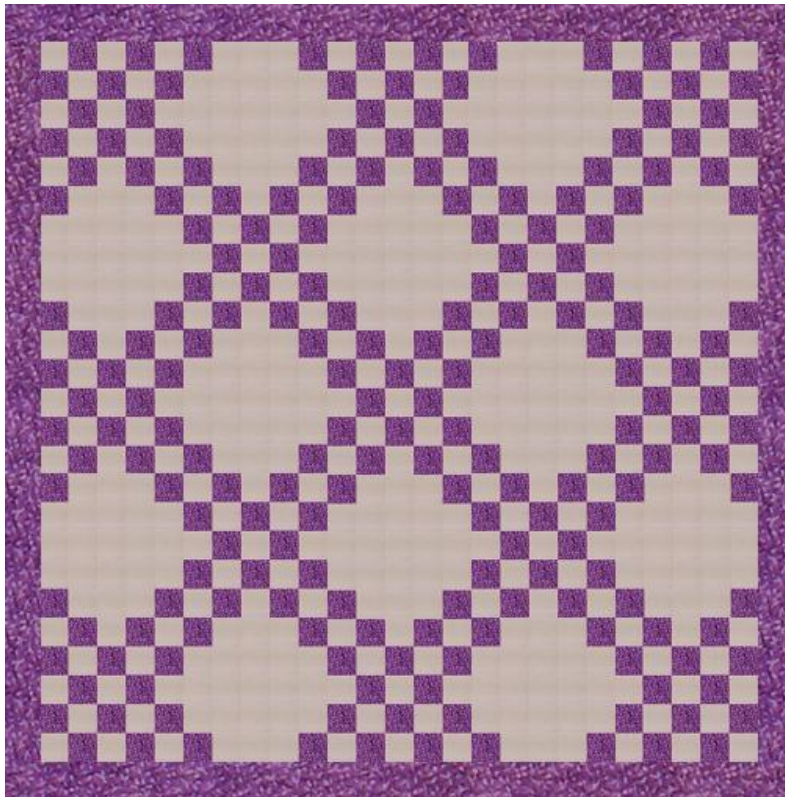
[Green](#)



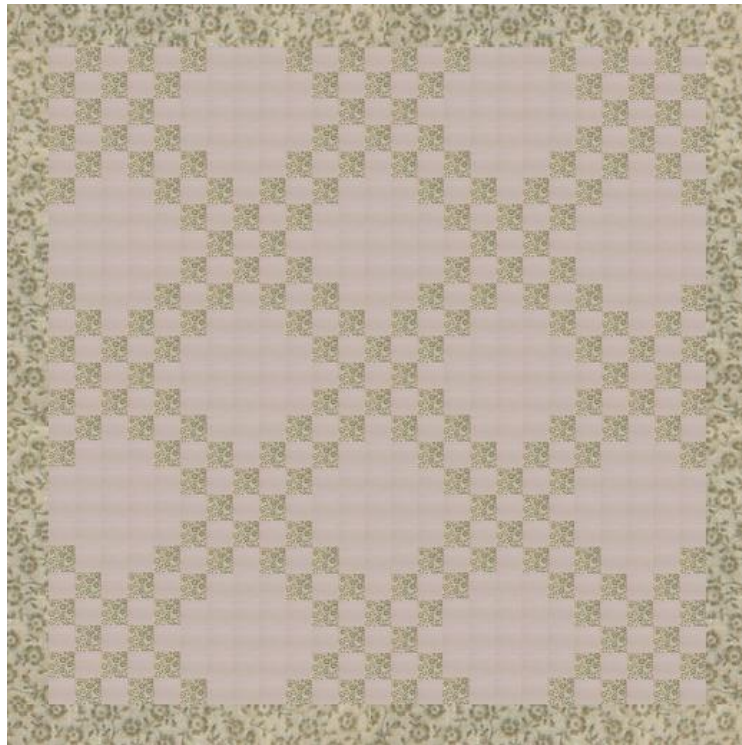
[Brown](#)



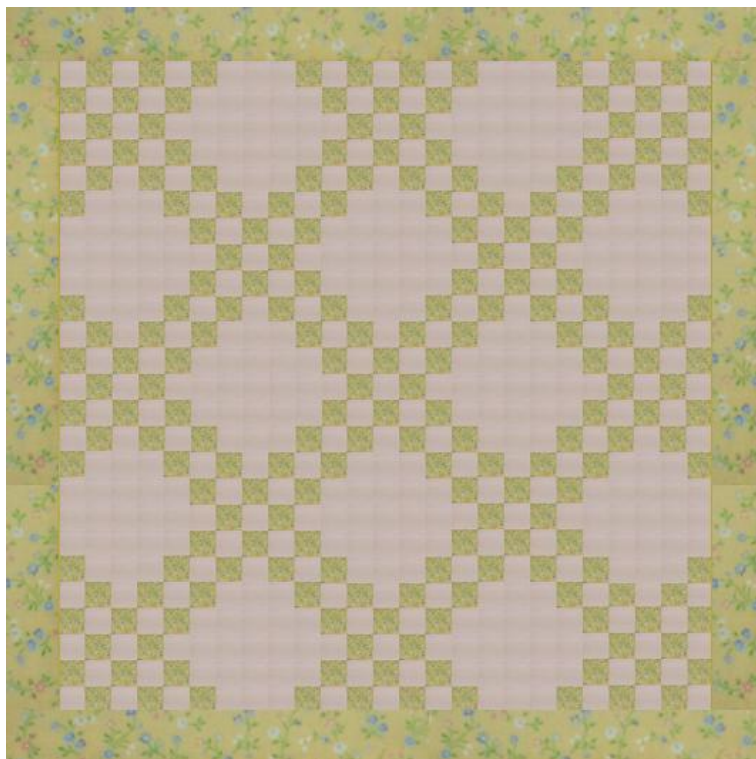
[Dark Blue](#)



[Lavender](#) & [Purple](#)



[Tan/Natural](#)



[Yellow](#)

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