

layers, this is actually more efficient than cutting strips and chopping them to the proper length after stitching. My method also gives you immediate feedback on your cutting and sewing accuracy. After sewing the first two "A" squares together for a block corner, lay the third log, "B," over it. If there is any overhang at all, go to page 11 to learn how to adjust your seam allowances. Make one block before proceeding assembly-line fashion so you can tweak the colors and perfect your seam allowances before you've gone too far.

You may want to organize your patches in a silverware tray or drawer organizer (page 9).

After completing your blocks, see page 108 for setting ideas. Shoreline Log Cabin blocks are not half-light/half dark, so the usual sets will look different for this pattern. The secondary pattern is less pronounced here. Note that one other possibility is to make Y blocks for the borders and Z blocks for the quilt center. If you do so, be sure to switch light and dark fat quarter quantities and patch quantities.

SHORELINE LOG CABIN AT A GLANCE

PATCH CUTTING DIMENSIONS

A 1½" x 1½"	a 1½" x ¾"	e 1½" x 2"
B 1½" x 2½"	b 1½" x 1"	f 1½" x 2¼"
C 1½" x 3½"	c 1½" x 1¼"	h 1½" x 3"

TWIN QUILT (SHOWN)

Dimensions: 80" x 100" quilt; 10" blk.; 1" log w.

48 blocks set 6 x 8 plus borders

Blocks Required: 48 Y, 32 Z

Darks: 31 fat quarters

Lights: 25 fat quarters

Backing: 7¾ yards

Binding: ¾ yard

PATCH QUANTITIES: TWIN

Darks: 192 C, 192 h, 480 B, 96 f, 384 e, 1504 A, 96 c, 192 b, 192 a

Lights: 128 C, 128 h, 320 B, 64 f, 256 e, 1536 A, 64 c, 128 b, 128 a

Backing: 3 pieces 36½" x 88"

Binding: 17 lengthwise strips 2" x 27"

QUEEN QUILT

Dimensions: 100" x 100" quilt; 10" blk.; 1" log w.

64 blocks set 8 x 8 plus borders

Blocks Required: 64 Y, 36 Z

Darks: 40 fat quarters

Lights: 30 fat quarters

Backing: 9½ yards

Binding: ¾ yard

PATCH QUANTITIES: QUEEN

Darks: 256 C, 256 h, 640 B, 128 f, 512 e, 1832 A, 128 c, 256 b, 256 a

Lights: 144 C, 144 h, 360 B, 72 f, 288 e, 1968 A, 72 c, 144 b, 144 a

Backing: 3 pieces 36½" x 108"

Binding: 18 lengthwise strips 2" x 27"

WALL QUILT

Dimensions: 60" x 60" quilt; 10" blk.; 1" log w.

16 blocks set 4 x 4 plus borders

Blocks Required: 16 Y, 20 Z

Darks: 13 fat quarters

Lights: 14 fat quarters

Backing: 4 yards

Binding: ½ yard

PATCH QUANTITIES: WALL

Darks: 64 C, 64 h, 160 B, 32 f, 128 e, 744 A, 32 c, 64 b, 64 a

Lights: 80 C, 80 h, 200 B, 40 f, 160 e, 624 A, 40 c, 80 b, 80 a

Backing: 2 pieces 34¼" x 68"

Binding: 18 lengthwise strips 2" x 18"

CUTTING THE PATCHES

Note that all patches are cut from 1½"-wide strips. Cut the patches in the sizes and quantities listed for your quilt size, cutting the largest patches first.

MAKING THE BLOCKS

Arrange patches for a Y block and sew them together in numerical order. Make 48 Y blocks for the twin quilt; 64 Y for the queen quilt; or 16 Y for the wall quilt.