



THE CONTEMPORARY HOMESTEAD

## CONTEMPORARY MUG RUG

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### Fabric Requirements

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| Dark Fabric         | Scrap at least 7" x 8"           |
| Light Fabric        | Scrap at least 8" x 4"           |
| Binding Fabric      | 2.5" by WOF strip (at least 40") |
| Backing and Batting | 9" x 9" scrap pieces             |

## Cutting Instructions

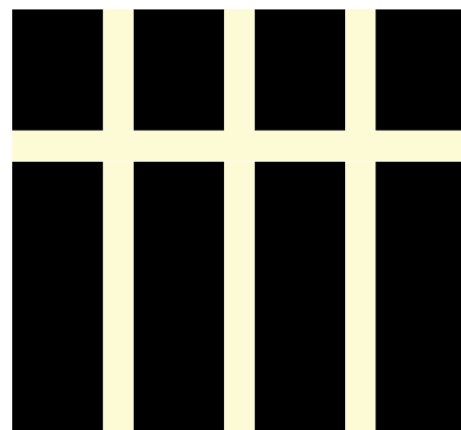
From the dark fabric, cut 4 pieces 7" x 2".

From the light fabric, cut 3 pieces 7" x 1".

From the light fabric, cut 1 piece 8" x 1".

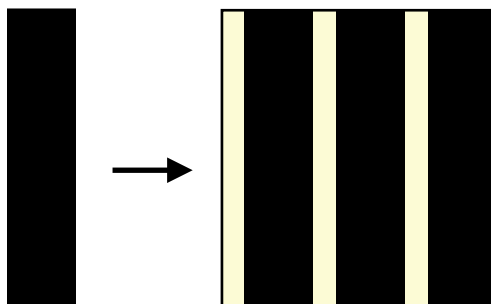
From the binding fabric, cut 1 piece 40" x 2.5".

From the backing fabric cut 1 piece 8" x 8"

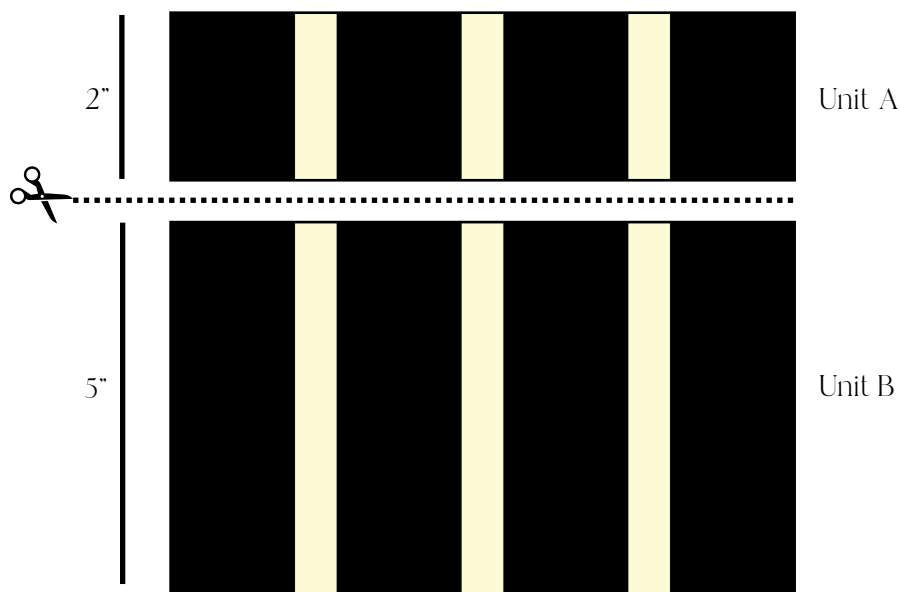


## Assembly

1. Sew the dark 7" x 2" strips and light 7" x 1" strips in alternating colors, using a scant 1/4" seam. Press to the dark fabric.

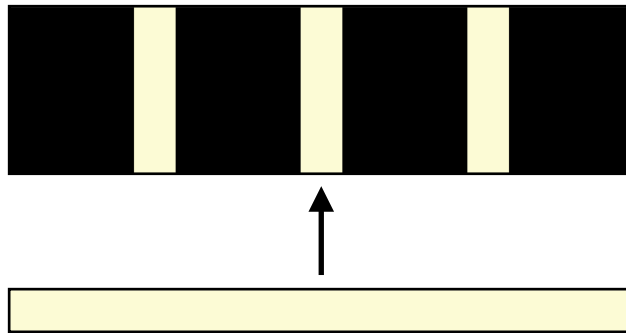


2. Cut the strip unit 2" from the top, creating a top unit, Unit A, and a bottom unit, Unit B.

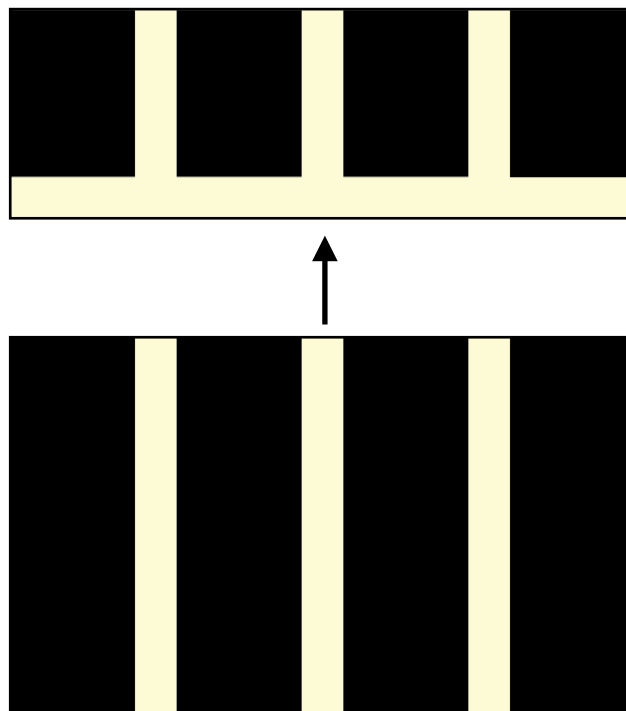


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3. Sew the 8" x 1" strip of light fabric to the bottom of Unit A. Press toward the strip.



4. Sew Unit B to the bottom of the new Unit A, using pins to carefully align the vertical stripes of light fabric. Press toward Unit A.



5. Congratulations, you're finished! Quilt and bind as desired.

For an in-depth tutorial on  
quilting and binding, [click here](#)