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10.5" square (unfinished)
4 x 4 layout, plus 3" border = 46" square
80 2.5 x 6.5" scrap strips
32 2.5 x 10.5" scrap strips
2/3 yd for optional border

This block is easy to production line piece. (No seams to match until the rows are joined.)

Piece sets of 5, 6.5" strips. Press as desired

Add a 10.5" strip to each side of the block. Press toward the long strip.

Join the blocks as indicated below into four rows of 4 blocks each. Press the joining seams of rows 1 & 3 in one direction, rows 2 & 4 in the opposite direction.

Join rows 1 & 2, press the long seam as desired.

Join rows 3 & 4, press the long seam as desired.

Join the 2 row sets into one unit. Press the final joining seam.

Add borders (if included) Cut strips needed at 3.5 inches. Press toward the border.

