Goose in the Pond
Finished 12 inches

Background
Cut six squares 3-3/8". Draw one diagonal line from corner to corner
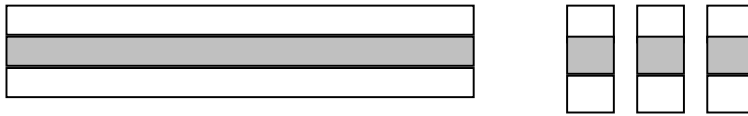Cut five squares 2-15/16"
Cut two strip 1-5/16" wide by the width of fabric
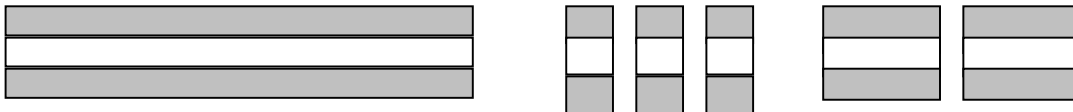
Print fabric
Cut six squares 3-3/8".
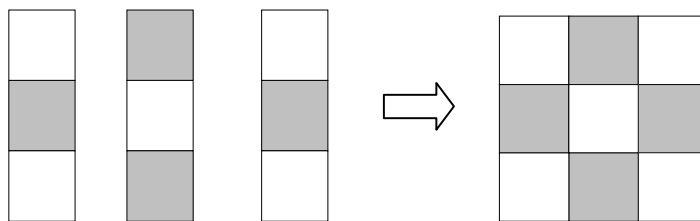Cut two strips 1-5/16" by width of fabric.

1. From the background strip, cut two lengths of 12". From print strip, cut one length of 12". Sew a background strip to each side of the print strips. Press seams to print fabric. Cross-cut eight 1-5/16" segments.
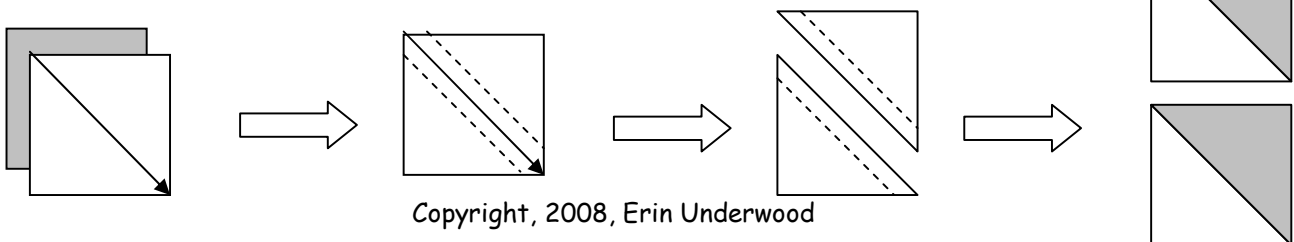
2. Make a second strip set by cutting one background strip at 18 inches and two print strips of 18". Sew a print strip to each side of the background strip. Press toward the print fabric. Cross-cut four 1-5/16" segments and four 2-15/16" segments.

3. Using the 1-5/16" segments, make four 9-patches. Press seams in toward the center. This 9-patch should measure 2-15/16" unfinished.

4. Match up the 3-3/8 inch background and print squares, right sides together. Sew a 1/4 inch seam on either side of the drawn diagonal line. Cut on the line. Press toward the print fabric. Trim squares down to 2-15/16.

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5. Lay out pieces according to the diagram. Sew squares together to make rows. Press top, middle and bottom rows to the same direction. Press the remained two rows to the opposite direction. Sew rows together, matching points and seams. Press the block the way the seams want to go.