Strip #1, is used for Sec. 1 and Sec. 11.	
Strip #2, is used for Sec. 2 and Sec. 4.	
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Strip #4, is used for Sec. 6 and Sec. 8.	#
Strip #5, is used for Sec. 7 and Sec. 9.	<u>.</u>
Strip #6, the first half is used for Sec. 10.	Strip
The second half of strip #6 is not used.	•,

Cutting the Black Strips:

1. Cut fourteen (14) 1-1/4" by 63" strips along the selvage grain.

2. Set seven (7) strips aside to be cut later, (3) strips are used for the vertical lattice strips and the other (4) strips are used for the inner border strips.

**3**. From (3) of the remaining strips, cut twelve (12) 1-1/4" by 14" pieces. These pieces are used for the slanted accent strips, which are the last piece sewn onto Unit K. Place these strips with the Unit K foundation papers.

**4**. From the other **(4)** strips, cut twenty **(20)** 1-1/4" by 12-1/2" pieces. These pieces are used for the horizontal lattice strips.

Foundation Paper Piecing, Units J, K, and L:

Unit-J

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**Step 1**: If you are new to foundation paper piecing, turn the foundation paper over and trace the *dotted lines* on the backside of the paper. This can be done by placing the paper up to a window or onto a light table. Only trace one piece to get you started. When you are done tracing, write the Sec. # in each section on the backside of the paper.

**Step 2**: Place a small amount of fabric glue on the *wrong-side* of the foundation paper under Sec. 1.

Note: When adding the glue to the paper, take one very light swipe with the glue stick. The glue is used to adhere the fabric temporarily to the foundation paper until the first two pieces have been sewn to the paper.



**Step 3:** Position fabric strip #1 under Sec. 1 *wrong-side-up* on your table. Lift the foundation paper and slide the fabric under Sec. 1. Line the edge of the fabric #1 up to the edge of the foundation paper leaving about 1/16" of the fabric showing beyond the paper. The *wrong-side* of the paper is glued to the *wrong-side* of the fabric.

Note: If you leave too much fabric hanging beyond the edge of the paper, the trim off section for fabric #1 will not yield a piece wide enough to cover Sec. 11.



**Step 4**: Place the fold template over the top of Sec. 1, lining up the edge of the fold template on Line 1.

**Step 5**: Fold the paper back over the top of the fold template.





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**Step 6**: Place the add-a-quarter ruler next to the folded back edge on the paper, lip-side down, and trim the second half of strip #1 with your rotary cutter. This leaves you with a quarter-inch seam allowance with which to line up the next piece of fabric.

**Step 7:** The fabric strip you just trimmed off is saved for Sec. 11, which is the last piece sewn onto foundation paper for this unit, so don't throw this piece away.

Note: If you don't pre-trim your quarter-inch seam allowance on strip #1 before adding strip #2, the strips will only yield enough fabric to cover (1) section instead of two sections.

**Step 8**: Remove the add-a-quarter and fold template. Place the fabric Strip #2 for Sec. 2 *right-side-up* next to the folded back paper as shown.



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**Step 9**: Lift the foundation paper and slide the second fabric strip under Sec. 2, extending the fabric beyond the perimeter of the lines on Sec. 2. The graphic shows



the location of Sec. 2 on the **backside** of the paper. Line up the edge of the second fabric with the trimmed quarter-inch seam allowance.

step 10: Lift the two (2) pieces to your machine with the paper. Open the paper and sew on Line 1. Start at the top of the fabric and sew to the bottom of the fabric on Line 1. Always extend the sewing lines beyond the end of the paper.





**Step 11**: Loosen the glue under Sec. 1 and then flip the paper over and press the fabric pieces to the open po-

sition on the *right-side* of the fabric. Don't press any folds into the seam lines.

**Step 12**: Place the fold template over the top of Sec. 1 and 2. Line the edge of the template up with Line 2.

Lift the paper and tear the paper loose from the stitches at the bottom of Line 1. This allows the fabric to lay flat, making it easier to fold back the paper. Fold the paper back

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over the top of the fold template.

**Step 13**: Place the add-a-quarter ruler next to the folded back edge of the paper, lip-side down, and trim the second half of strip #2 with your rotary cutter.

**Step 14**: Set the fabric strip you just trimmed off aside to be used later for Sec. 4.