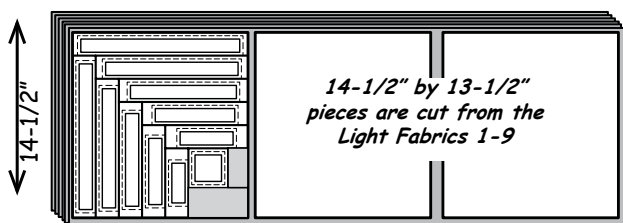The cutting instructions provided below include the stacking and pre-cutting instructions for each of the Template Layout Sheets. To best utilize your yardage, the fabrics are precut into strips, then subcut into the sizes needed to fit the Template Layout Sheets. Graphics have been provided below to reference the cutting layout for each strips.

Cutting Light Fabrics for Log Cabin, Colors 1–9:
Divide your light fabrics evenly into **(3)** color groups. Precut **(2)** *14-1/2" by 42"* strips from each of the nine fabrics.

> *Group #1: Cut (2) Strips each of Light Fabrics #1, 2, & 3.*
> *Group #2: Cut (2) Strips each of Light Fabrics #4, 5, & 6.*
> *Group #3: Cut (2) Strips each of Light Fabrics #7, 8, & 9.*

Open, and restack the strips facing right-side-up, keeping each group separate. Subcut **(5)** *14-1/2" by 13-1/2"* pieces from Fabric #1, 2, 4, 5, 7, & 8. , Cut **(4)** pieces from Fabric #3, 6, & 9.

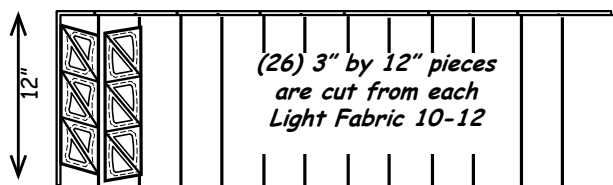*14-1/2" by 13-1/2" pieces are cut from the Light Fabrics 1-9*

Place the pieces in *Group 1* into *Bag #1*, the pieces in *Group 2* into *Bag #2*, and the pieces in Group 3 are placed into *Bag #3*. Discard any remaining pieces.

Cutting Light Fabrics for Nest, (3) Colors 10–12:
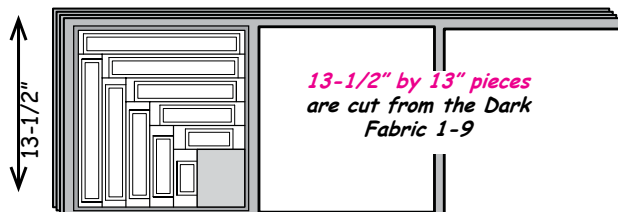Precut **(2)** *12" by 42"* strips from each fabric.

> *Group #1: Cut (2) Strips each of Light Fabrics #10.*
> *Group #2: Cut (2) Strips each of Light Fabrics #11.*
> *Group #3: Cut (2) Strips each of Light Fabrics #12.*

Open, and restack the strips facing right-side-up, keeping each color group separate. Cut **(26)** *3" by 12"* pieces from each color.

(26) 3" by 12" pieces are cut from each Light Fabric 10-12

The pieces in Group 1, Light Color #10, are placed in *Bag #5*, the pieces in Group 2, Light Color #11, are placed in *Bag #6*, and the pieces in Group 3, Light Color #12, are placed in *Bag #7*.
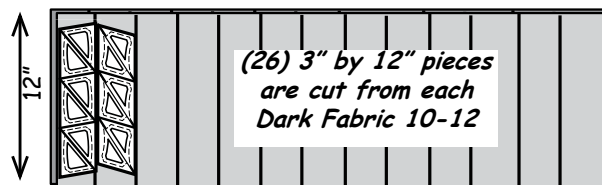
Cutting Dark Fabrics for Log Cabin, Colors (1–9):
The dark fabrics remain as one color Group. Precut each fabric into **(2)** *13-1/2" by 42"* strips. Then open and restack the strips facing right-side-up into **(2)** sets of nine pieces. The fabric strips should be sorted and stacked starting with fabric #9 on the bottom, ending with fabric #1 on the top. Subcut **(5)** *13-1/2" by 13"* pieces from each Fabric #1-6 and **(4)** pieces from Fabric #7-9. Discard any remaining pieces. These pieces are temporarily placed in *Bag #4* at this time.

13-1/2" by 13" pieces are cut from the Dark Fabric 1-9

Cutting Dark Fabrics for Nest, Colors 10-12:
Precut **(2)** *12" by 42"* strips from each fabric.

> *Group #1: Cut (2) Strips each of Dark Fabrics #10.*
> *Group #2: Cut (2) Strips each of Dark Fabrics #11.*
> *Group #3: Cut (2) Strips each of Dark Fabrics #12.*

Open, and restack the strips facing right-side-up, keeping each color group separate. Cut **(26)** *3" by 12"* pieces from each color.

(26) 3" by 12" pieces are cut from each Dark Fabric 10-12

The pieces in Group 1, Dark Color #10, are placed in *Bag #5*, the pieces in Group 2, Dark Color #11, are placed in *Bag #6*, and the pieces in Group 3, Dark Color #12, are placed in *Bag #7*.

Cutting Light and Dark Osprey Accent Fabrics, Colors 13 and 14:
Cut **(10)** 2-1/2" by 42" strips from each of the **(4)** bird fabrics. Subcut each strip into **(2)** *2-1/2" by 18"* pieces. Place **(13)** pieces of each dark and light color in *Bag #5, #6, and #7*. Discard any extra pieces.
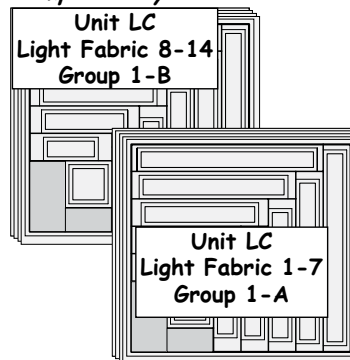
Bag #1, Group #1: Log Cabin Light Fabric

Step 1: Restack the *14-1/2" by 13-1/2"* pieces right-side-up into **(2)** stacks of **(7)** pieces. Stack each set as follows.
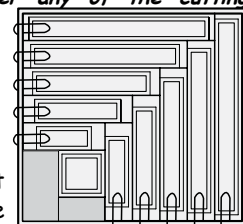
> *Light Color Group 1-A: Color #1, 2, 3, 1, 2, 3, & 2.*
> *Light Color Group 1-B: Color #1, 2, 3, 1, 2, 3, & 1.*

Step 2: Position **(1)** *'Light Fabric Unit LC, HLC-A, HLC-B, Template Layout Sheet'* onto each stack.

Unit LC
Light Fabric 8-14
Group 1-B

Unit LC
Light Fabric 1-7
Group 1-A

Step 3: Paper clips are placed onto each stack to hold the strips together in sets as you cut apart the individual sections.

Note: Be sure that the clips don't cross over any of the cutting lines.

Step 4: Locate Cut Line 1 on your first stack with the edge of your ruler. Slice through the paper and fabric with your rotary cutter. Move the piece to the side and continue cutting on each line in order until all of the sections are cut apart. Repeat this process with the second stack.

Step 5: Keep the pieces in each color set together. Set one group to the side before continuing with Step 6.

Step 6: When the whole layout sheet is cut, reorganize the sections from largest to smallest shown on the following page.