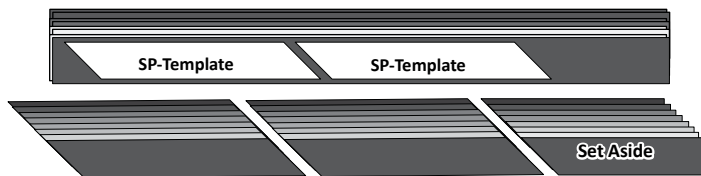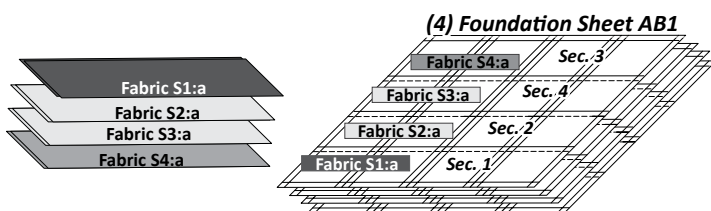**Step 3:** Position two *AB Strip Piecing Templates* on top each stack and use them to cut **(2)** pieces from each strip. Clip the remaining end pieces together and set aside at this time.
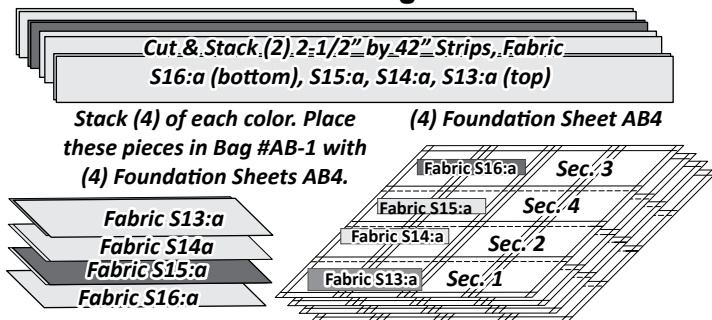

SP-Template   SP-Template   Set Aside

Step 4: The SP-Template pieces are re-stacked into the sewing order starting with Fabric S4 on the bottom ending with Fabric S1 on the top. A paper clip should be used to keep each group together. Place these pieces in Bag AB-1 with **(4)** Foundation Sheets AB1. At this point, you can also label your papers if you would like. If you intend to chain piece them all at once, this might be a good idea. Just label them as AB1-1 to AB1-4 (then the next group would be AB2-1 to AB2-4, and so forth). Since you are only working with (4) papers at a time, labeling might not be necessary. It is up to you!

(4) Foundation Sheet AB1

Fabric S1:a
Fabric S2:a
Fabric S3:a
Fabric S4:a

Fabric S4:a — Sec. 3
Fabric S3:a — Sec. 4
Fabric S2:a — Sec. 2
Fabric S1:a — Sec. 1

Step 5: Repeat the same cutting instructions for each Foundation Sheet AB2, AB3, and AB4. When you are done cutting, clip the fabrics and papers together and place back into Bag #AB-1. When you are done with the papers in Bag #AB-1, continue with the Foundation Sheets in Bag #AB-2. Graphics are shown on the following page.
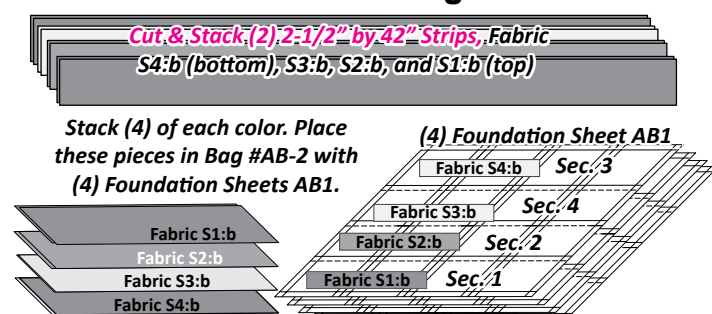
► Foundation Sheet AB2: Bag #AB-1

Cut & Stack (2) 2-1/2" by 42" Strips, Fabric S8:a
Cut & Stack (2) 2-1/2 by 42" Strips, Fabric S7:a
Cut & Stack (2) 2-1/2" by 42" Strips, Fabric S6:a
Cut & Stack (2) 2-1/2" by 42" Strips, Fabric S5:a

Stack (4) of each color. Place these pieces in Bag #AB-1 with (4) Foundation Sheets AB2.

(4) Foundation Sheet AB2

Fabric S5:a
Fabric S6:a
Fabric S7:a
Fabric S8:a

Fabric S8:a — Sec. 4
Fabric S7:a — Sec. 3
Fabric S6:a — Sec. 2
Fabric S5:a — Sec. 1

► Foundation Sheet AB3: Bag #AB-1

Cut & Stack (2) 2-1/2" by 42" Strips, Fabric S12:a
Cut & Stack (2) 2-1/2 by 42" Strips, Fabric S11:a
Cut & Stack (2) 2-1/2" by 42" Strips, Fabric S10:a
Cut & Stack (2) 2-1/2" by 42" Strips, Fabric S9:a

Stack (4) of each color. Place these pieces in Bag #AB-1 with (4) Foundation Sheets AB3.

(4) Foundation Sheet AB3

Fabric S9:a
Fabric S10:a
Fabric S11:a
Fabric S12:a

Fabric S12:a — Sec. 3
Fabric S11:a — Sec. 4
Fabric S10:a — Sec. 2
Fabric S9:a — Sec. 1

► Foundation Sheet AB4: Bag #AB-1

Cut & Stack (2) 2-1/2" by 42" Strips, Fabric S16:a (bottom), S15:a, S14:a, S13:a (top)

Stack (4) of each color. Place these pieces in Bag #AB-1 with (4) Foundation Sheets AB4.

(4) Foundation Sheet AB4

Fabric S13:a
Fabric S14a
Fabric S15:a
Fabric S16:a

Fabric S16:a — Sec. 3
Fabric S15:a — Sec. 4
Fabric S14:a — Sec. 2
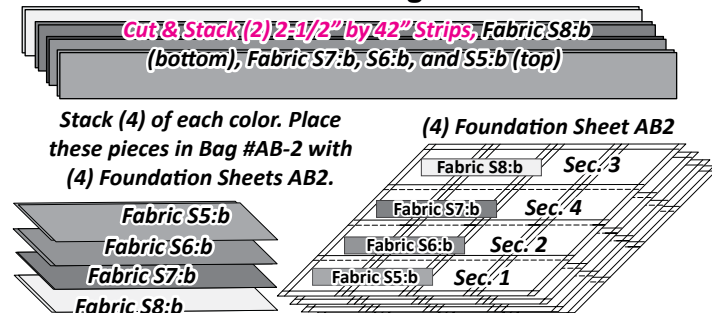Fabric S13:a — Sec. 1

■ COLOR GROUP AB:B BAG AB-2

Step 6: When you are done cutting and sorting the papers in Bag #AB-1, continue with the Foundation Sheets in Bag #AB-2.
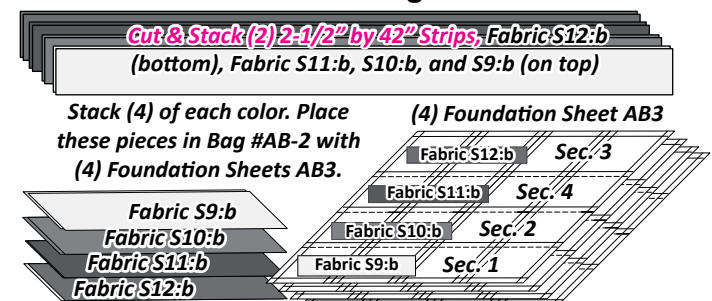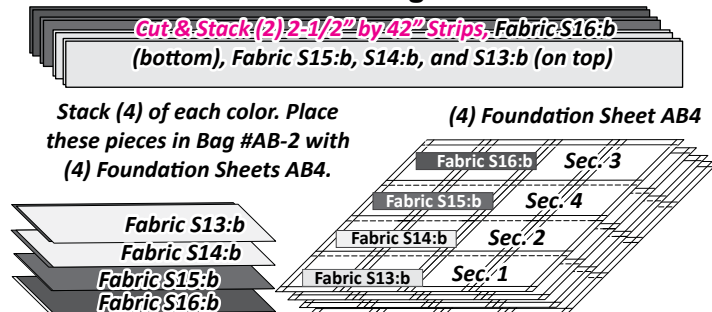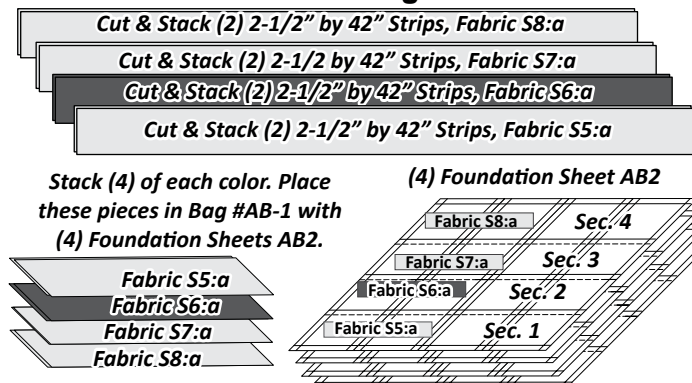
► Foundation Sheet AB1: Bag AB-2

Cut & Stack (2) 2-1/2" by 42" Strips, Fabric S4:b (bottom), S3:b, S2:b, and S1:b (top)

Stack (4) of each color. Place these pieces in Bag #AB-2 with (4) Foundation Sheets AB1.

(4) Foundation Sheet AB1

Fabric S1:b
Fabric S2:b
Fabric S3:b
Fabric S4:b

Fabric S4:b — Sec. 3
Fabric S3:b — Sec. 4
Fabric S2:b — Sec. 2
Fabric S1:b — Sec. 1

► Foundation Sheet AB2: Bag #AB-2

Cut & Stack (2) 2-1/2" by 42" Strips, Fabric S8:b (bottom), Fabric S7:b, S6:b, and S5:b (top)

Stack (4) of each color. Place these pieces in Bag #AB-2 with (4) Foundation Sheets AB2.

(4) Foundation Sheet AB2

Fabric S5:b
Fabric S6:b
Fabric S7:b
Fabric S8:b

Fabric S8:b — Sec. 3
Fabric S7:b — Sec. 4
Fabric S6:b — Sec. 2
Fabric S5:b — Sec. 1

► Foundation Sheet AB3: Bag #AB-2

Cut & Stack (2) 2-1/2" by 42" Strips, Fabric S12:b (bottom), Fabric S11:b, S10:b, and S9:b (on top)

Stack (4) of each color. Place these pieces in Bag #AB-2 with (4) Foundation Sheets AB3.

(4) Foundation Sheet AB3

Fabric S9:b
Fabric S10:b
Fabric S11:b
Fabric S12:b

Fabric S12:b — Sec. 3
Fabric S11:b — Sec. 4
Fabric S10:b — Sec. 2
Fabric S9:b — Sec. 1

► Foundation Sheet AB4: Bag #AB-2

Cut & Stack (2) 2-1/2" by 42" Strips, Fabric S16:b (bottom), Fabric S15:b, S14:b, and S13:b (on top)

Stack (4) of each color. Place these pieces in Bag #AB-2 with (4) Foundation Sheets AB4.

(4) Foundation Sheet AB4

Fabric S13:b
Fabric S14:b
Fabric S15:b
Fabric S16:b

Fabric S16:b — Sec. 3
Fabric S15:b — Sec. 4
Fabric S14:b — Sec. 2
Fabric S13:b — Sec. 1