

Intertwined



Finished band is about 3 1/2" x 52"

Fabric

You will need 3 fabrics for the **Intertwined** band. For the best visual effect, use high contrast fabrics. Solid or very small prints will work best due to the tiny pieces. Cut all strips the width of the fabric (selvage to selvage), except where noted on fabrics B and C.

- Fabric A (black in example)
 - Cut (2) 2" strips, then cut in half to make (4) 2" x 20" strips
 - Cut (2) 2 1/2" strips, then cut in half to make (4) 2 1/2" x 20" strips
 - Cut (1) 1" strip, then cut in half to make (2) 1" x 20" strips
- Fabrics B (red in example)
 - Cut (1) 3" x 20" strip
 - Cut (1) 1" strip, then cut in half to make (2) 1" x 20" strips
- Fabrics C (gold in example)
 - Cut (1) 3" x 20" strip
 - Cut (1) 1" strip, then cut in half to make (2) 1" x 20" strips

Construction

- Make 4 strip sets as shown:
- A (2") – B (3") – A (2")
press all seams in the same direction
- A (2") – C (3") – A (2")
press all seams in the same direction
- A (2 1/2") – B (1") – A (1") – C (1") -
A (2 1/2")
press all seams in the same direction
- A (2 1/2") – B (1") – A (1") – C (1") -
A (2 1/2")
press all seams in the opposite
direction of the previous set



- Cut each of the strip sets into 1" wide segments.



- Join pairs of segments as shown.
- Where the B fabrics (red) meet, the seam allowances should go in opposite directions, giving a nice flat seam.
- On the other pairs, where the C fabrics (gold) meet, the seam allowances should go in opposite directions.



- Join pairs of segments as shown.



- Continue joining segments until they are all joined into a band.



- Cut the band in half.
- **Tip:** If you have a seam that is a bit off, cut through it to move it to the end of the band.



- Move the left half to the right and join the segments.



- Trim the long edges of the band to straighten the band.

