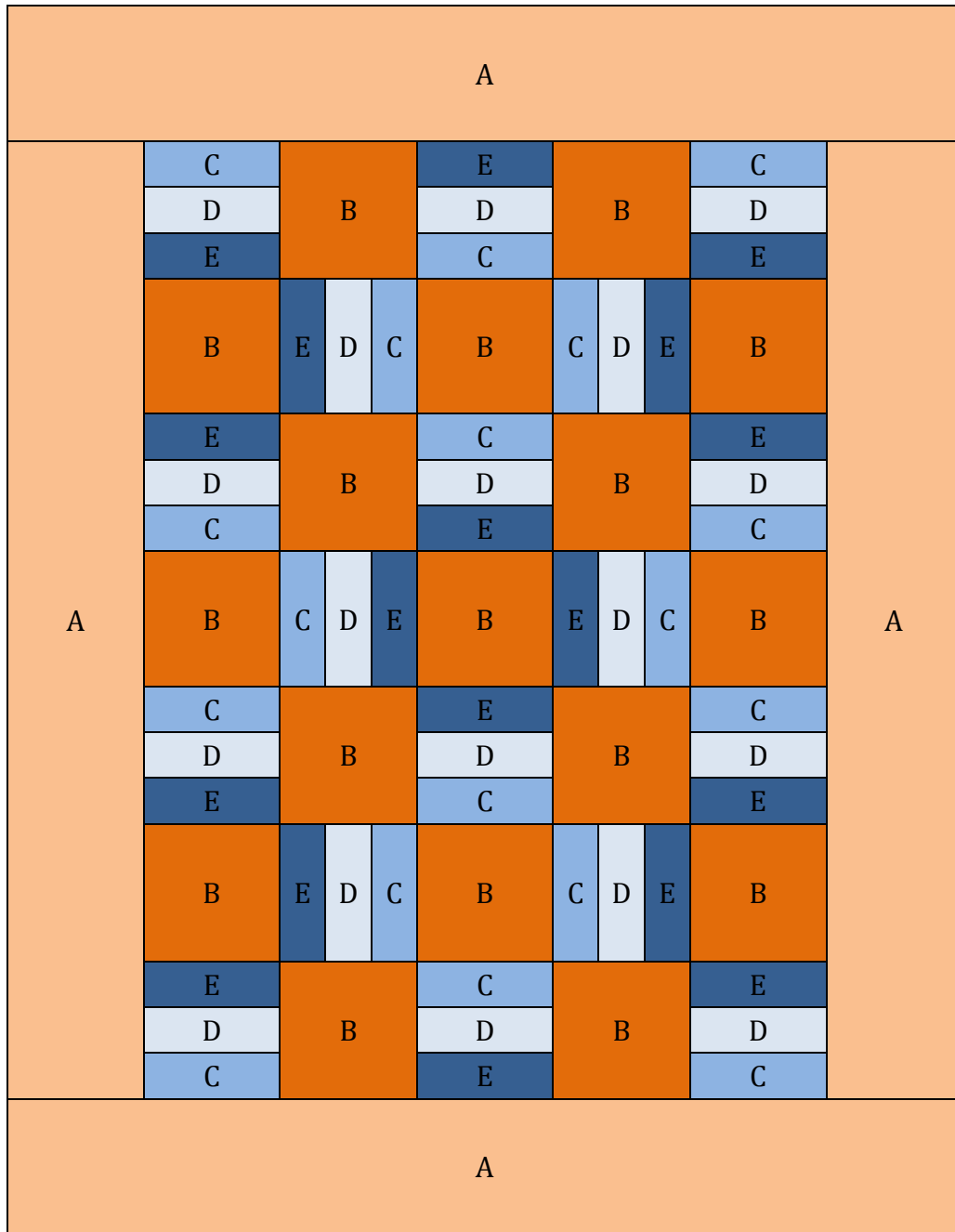


Alternating Rail Fence Pattern



Fabric Requirements

$\frac{3}{4}$ yard of A, at least 42 inches wide.

$\frac{5}{8}$ yard of B, at least 40 inches wide, or alternately, $17\frac{1}{2}$ inch squares of your choice.

$\frac{1}{4}$ yard each of C, D, and E, at least 40 inches wide.

Instructions

Cut four strips of fabric A, 6 ½ x 42 inches.

Cut 17 6 ½ inch squares of fabric B, or cut different 18 6 ½ inch squares if desired.

For Rail Fence blocks, cut three 2 ½ x 42 inch strips of each of C, D and E.

Sew together three sets of strips in the order C, D and E. **Careful!** Use ¼ inch foot so that the sets will be 6 ½ inches wide. Cut each of these sets into six 6 ½ inch squares.

Assemble the Rail Fence blocks into the pattern as shown, alternating with the B blocks.

Sew these together.

Sew two strips of border fabric onto the sides.

Sew the remaining two strips of border fabric to the top and bottom.

Examples and variations



Corner blocks were added to the top and bottom borders.



Different strips were used to create the fence rail blocks.

