



Border of the Month February 2021

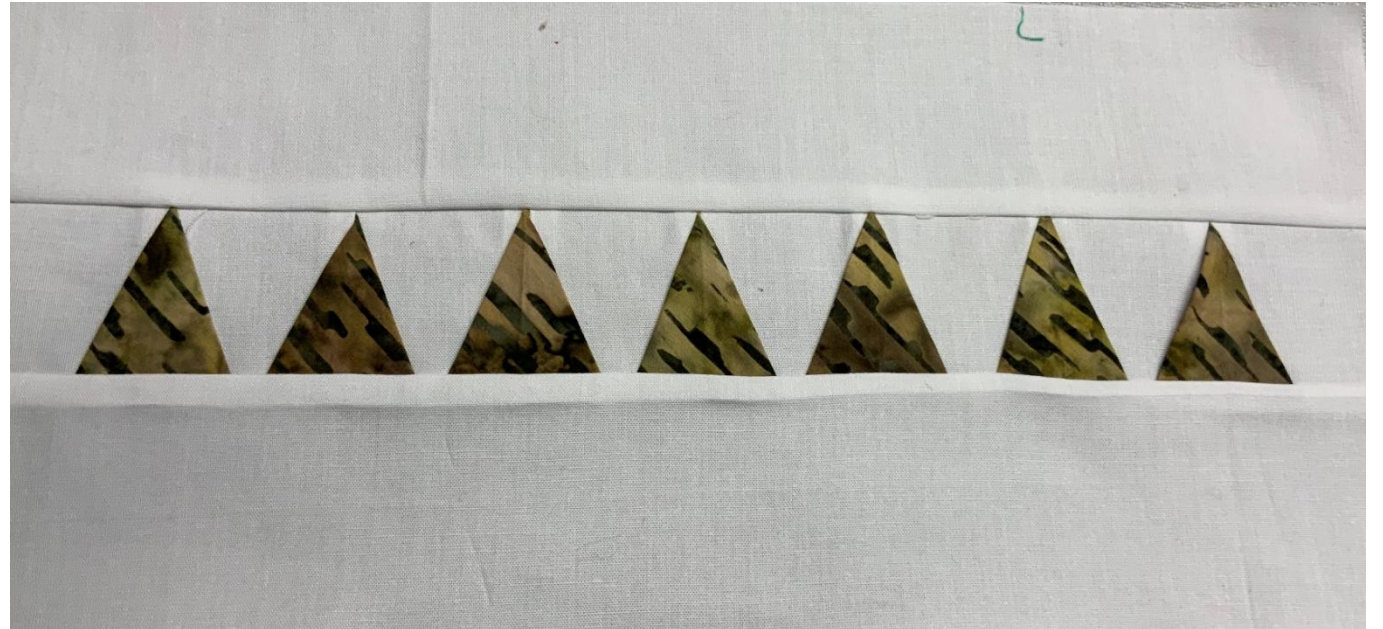
3D Borders

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What exactly is a 3-D Border?

The easy answer- It's a simple border the divides one space to another on the quilt involving **folded fabrics** (hence the 3-D effect) tucked into the seam when creating the border to sew to your quilt or wall hanging.

Using contrasting colours gives you the best results.



My example is taken from a YouTube video called “Border Easy Pine” from Patchwork Facil. (Please respect copywrite)

You can find the video at:

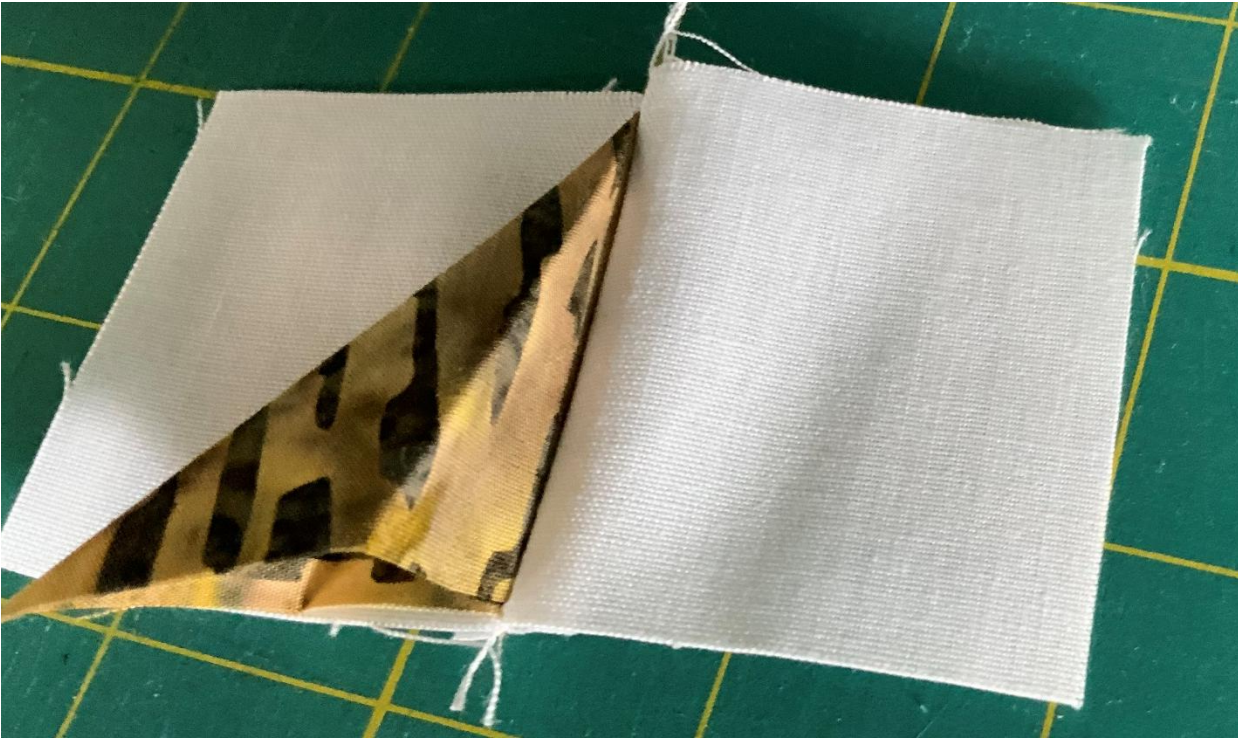
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2Bw0dgpglEc>

Although not in English, this is a short video, very easy to follow and less than 5 minutes long. I have followed the video and created my own instructions and pictures to share with you.

Step One

Start with three two inch squares (2 of background colour and 1 of “tree”

Fold “tree” and attach to outside pieces as seen below.



Step Two – Press “trees” open at middle seam to form a triangle.



Step Three – Add another folded “tree” and repeat



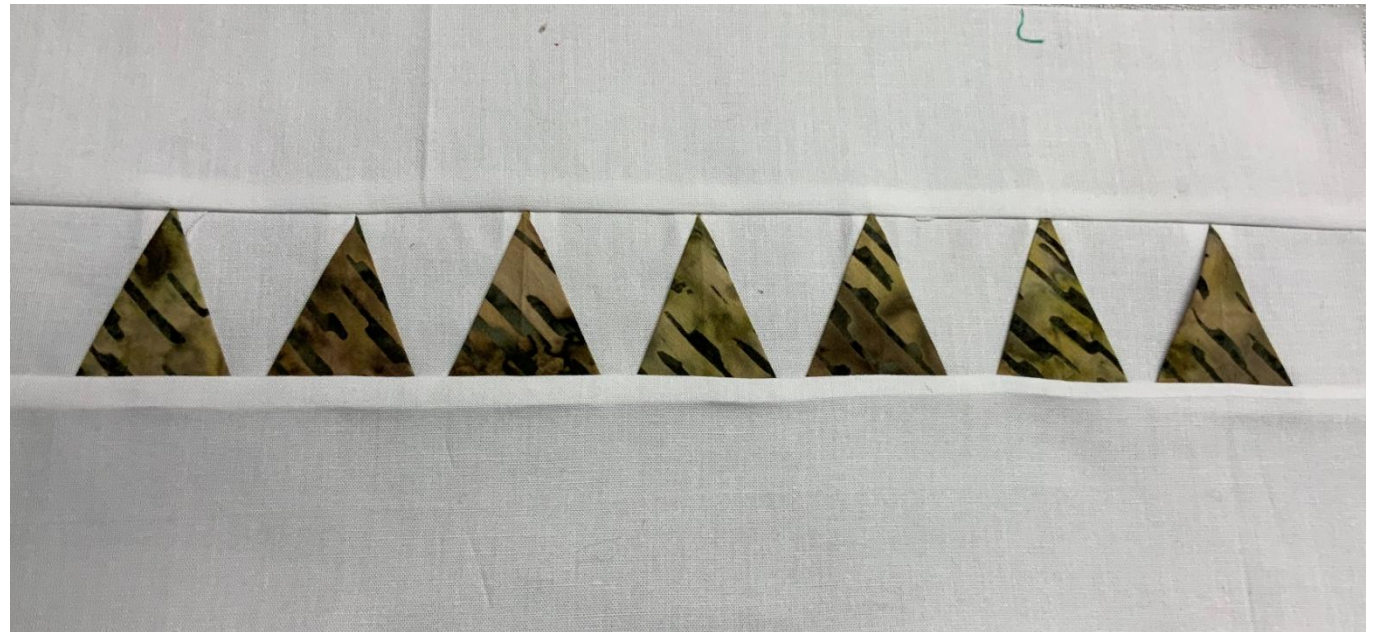
Add repeat, and repeat to create your desired length.

Step Four – Press well and trim, making sure “trees” are open completely into triangles.



Hint: You can pin the “trees” at each bottom corner ensure they remain flat while attaching the border strips.

Step Five- Add a top and bottom strip
(background fabric, 2.5 inches wide by width of border)



Alternate Options with this Easy Border



Double Border – Offset



Double Border – Diamonds



Double Border – Offset Diamonds