

# Easy Chinese Coins

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Quilt Size is 55x73

Coins Strip width is 5 inches (5.5 inches with seam allowances)

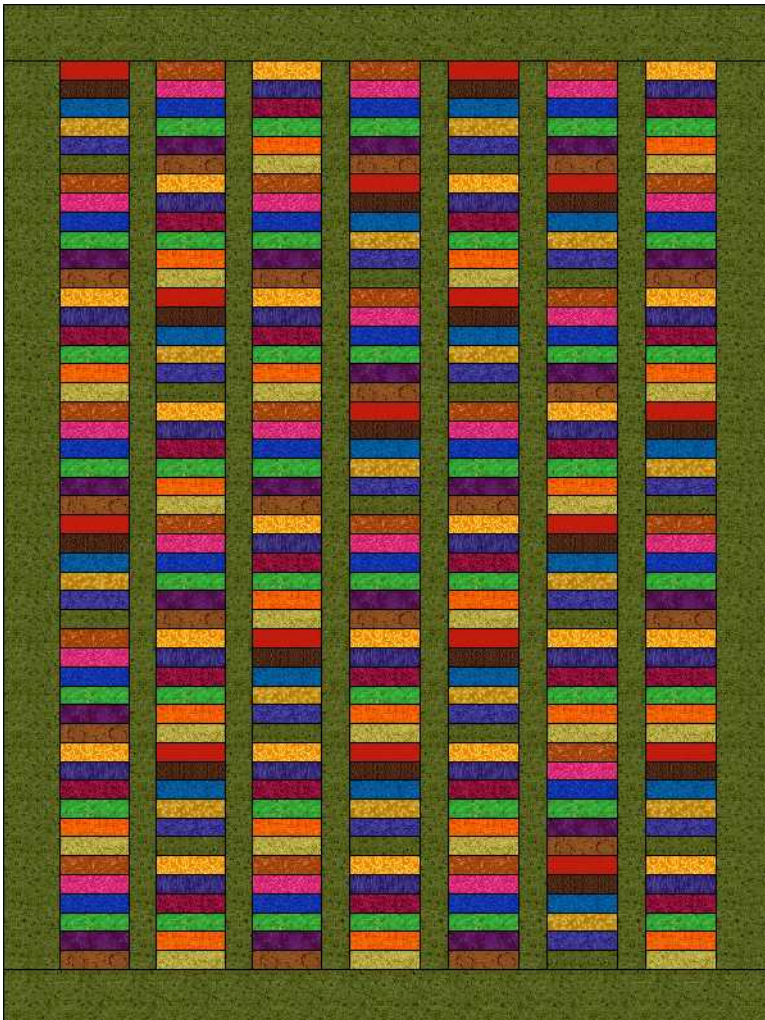
Sashing strip width is 2 inches (2.5 inches with seam allowances)

Length of vertical rows is approximately 65 inches (you can vary this to increase or decrease your quilt length)

Border is cut 4.5 inches

## Quilt Notes

- If I cut my fabric **exactly** right I can use 2 yards of fabric for the border, sashing, and binding. I suggest you have a back-up plan for the binding or start with 2.5 yards.
- Although the diagram shows coins of equal width I used coins of varying widths for my quilts
- Ironing all the seam allowances down makes sewing the sashing and borders much easier.
- For information on making the Chinese Coins strips – visit <http://heartstringsquiltproject.blogspot.com/2007/03/chinese-coins.html>



Starting with a coins section, sew a sashing strip to the right side of 6 of the coins sections. The 7<sup>th</sup> section will not have a sashing strip sewn to it. Sew sections together using above picture as needed. I trim my top and bottom rows to even them up before putting my border on.