



Barn Quilts at Crooked Lane Farm



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Barn Quilts
are large pieces of
wood which are
painted to look like a
quilt block.



After they are painted, these blocks are hung on the exterior of a barn, house, garage or other building.



Although there are similarities, barn quilts are not the same as Pennsylvania Dutch Hex Signs. Hex signs are designed to demonstrate ethnic identity and pride, and the pure joy of colorful decoration.



Barn stars are common in farming settlements with German heritage. They're believed to bring good luck and to ward off evil. The original paintings resembled Amish quilt squares

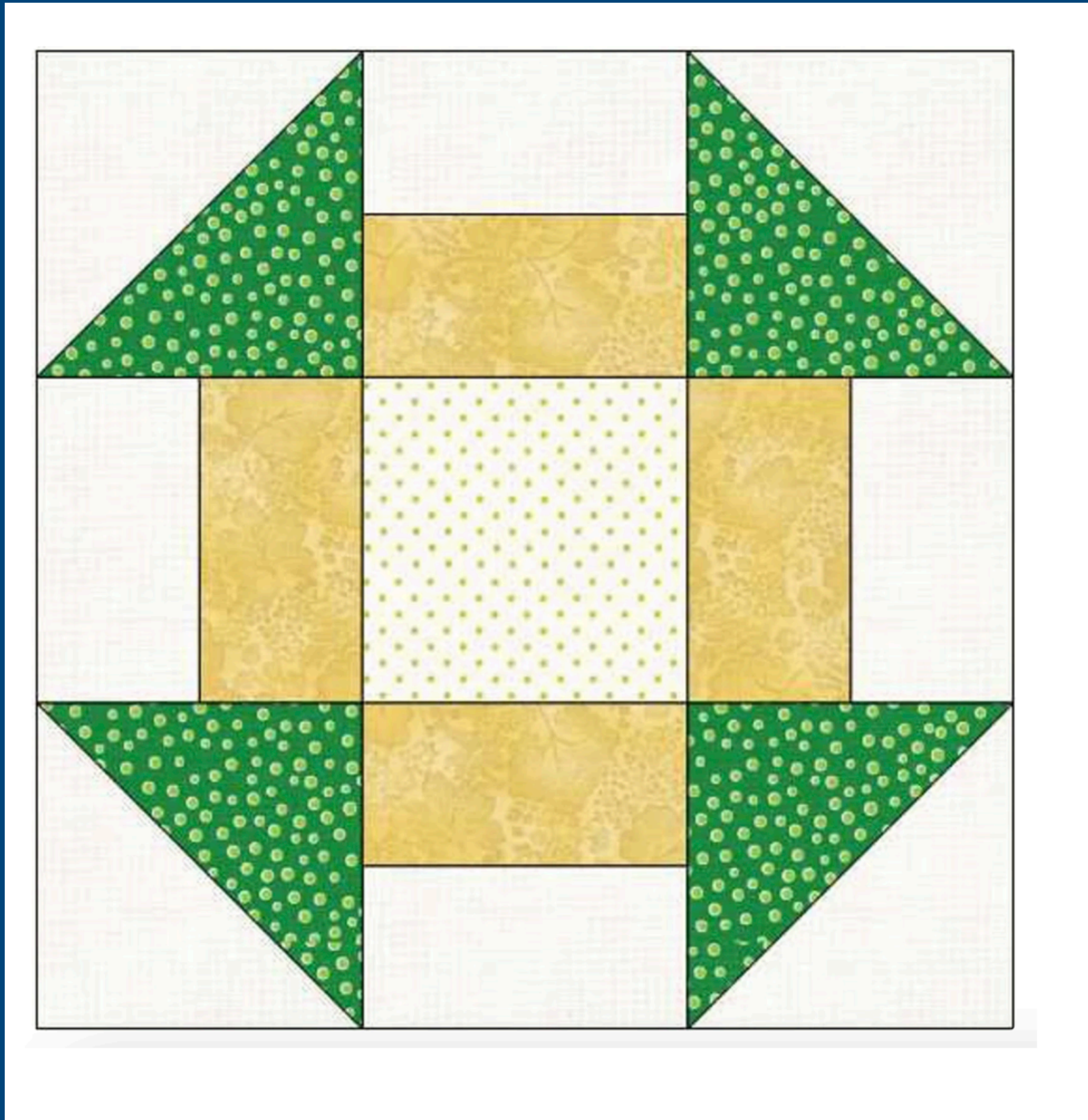




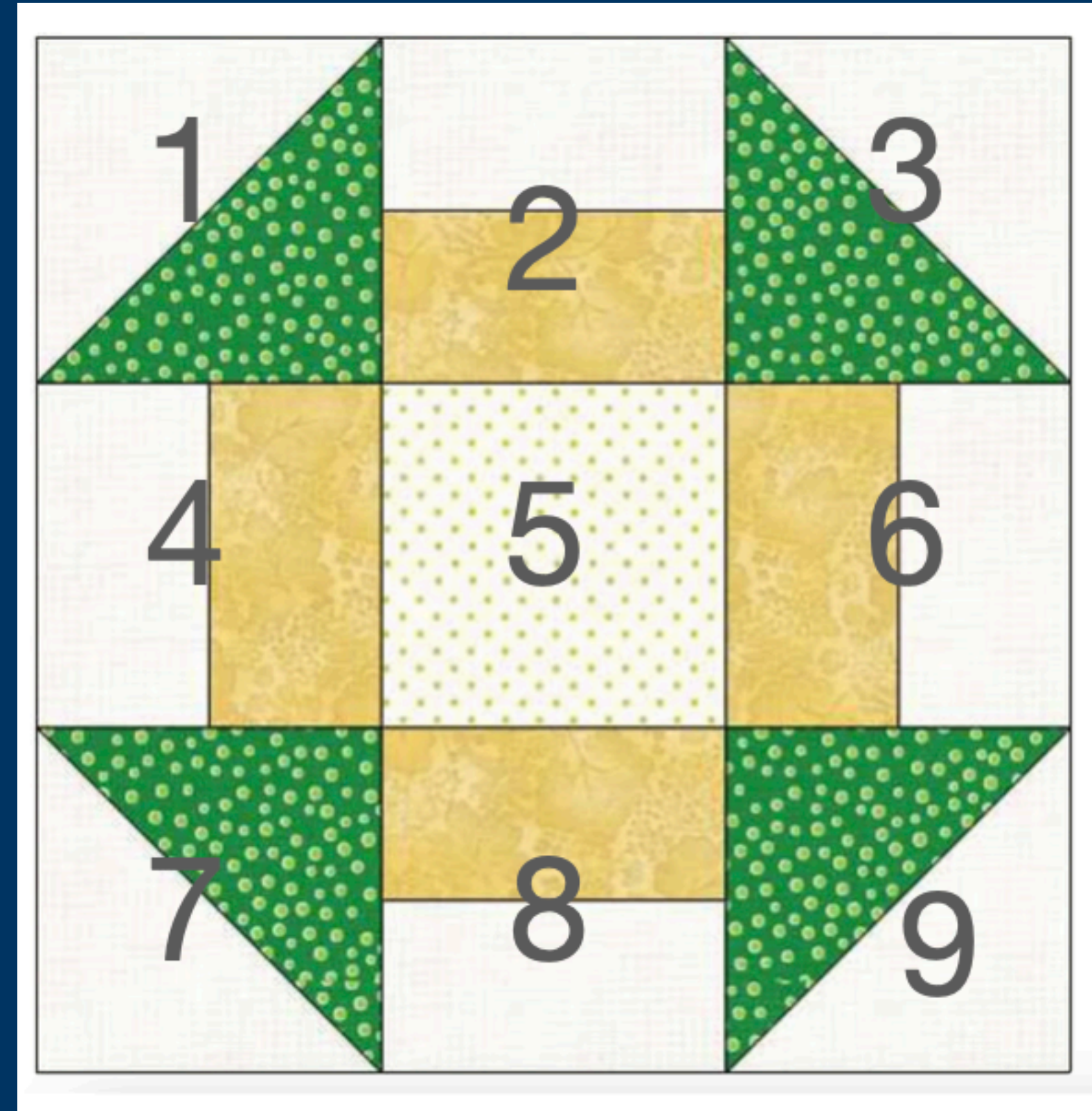
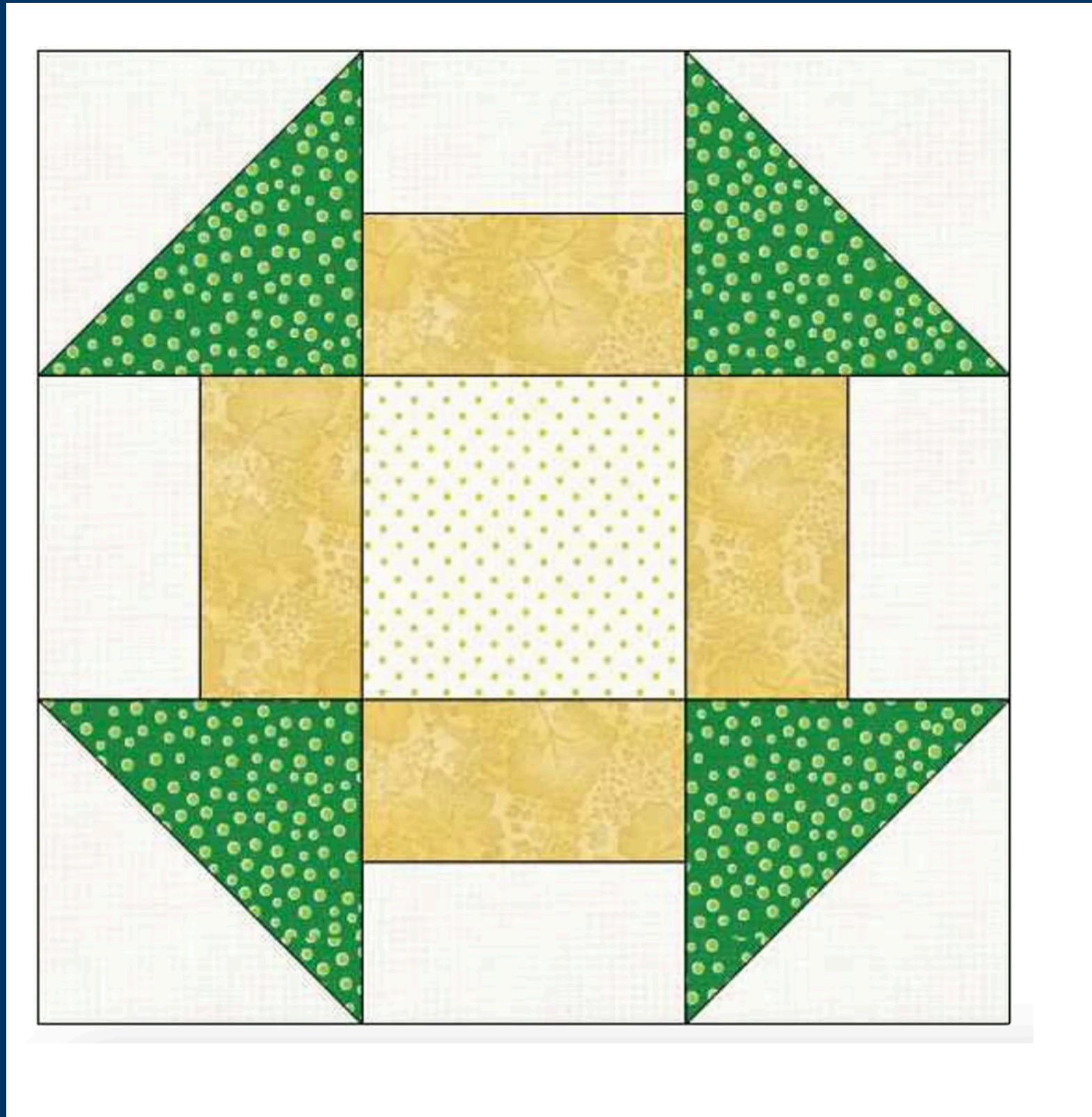
The first official documented barn quilt was created in 2001 in Adams County, Ohio. Donna Sue Groves wanted to honor her mother, Maxine, a noted quilter, with a painted quilt square on the family's barn in Manchester, Ohio.

*Barn Quilts are a symbolic
tribute to women's
contributions to agriculture.*

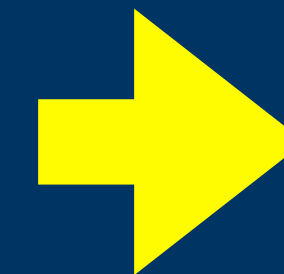
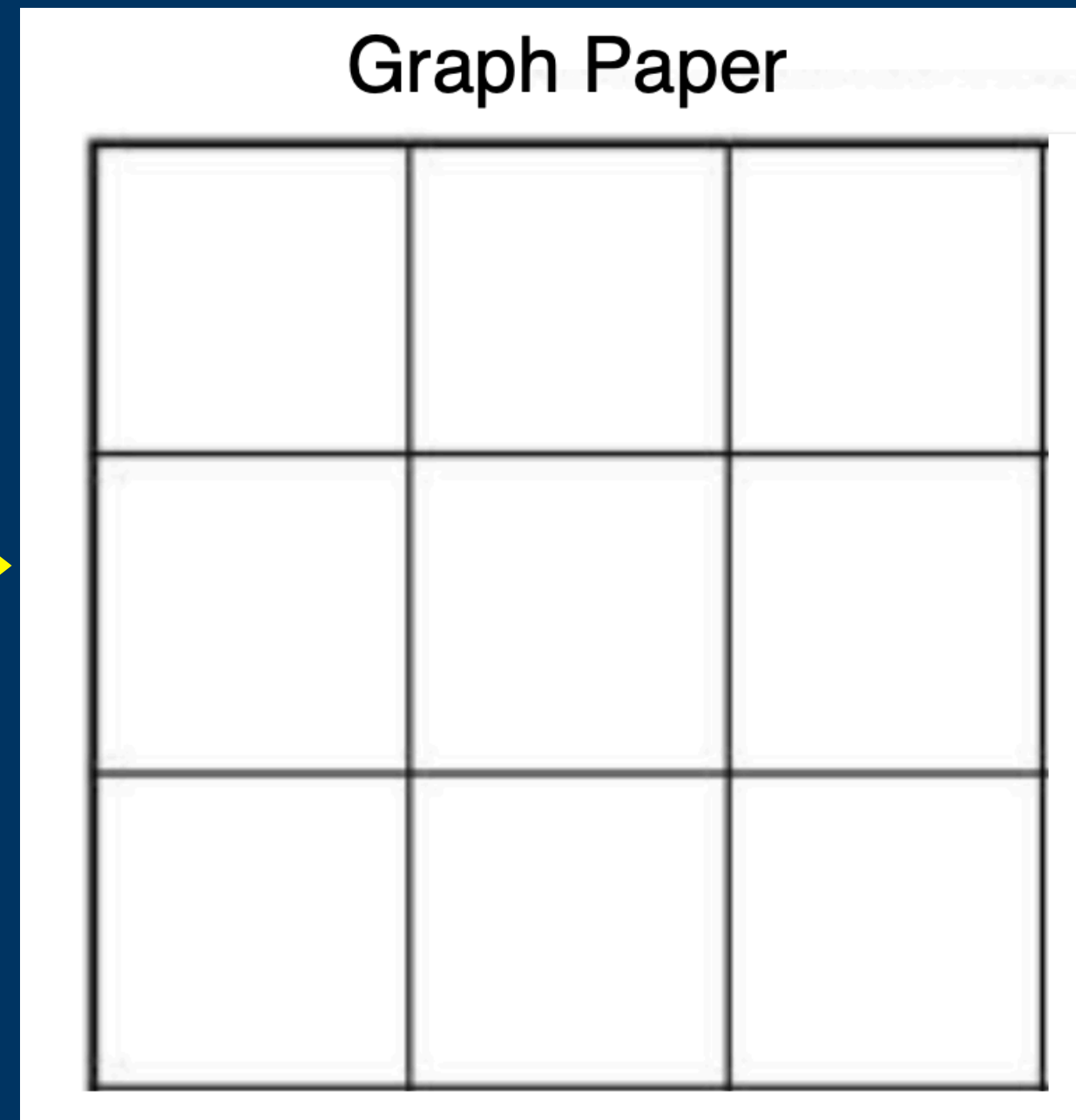
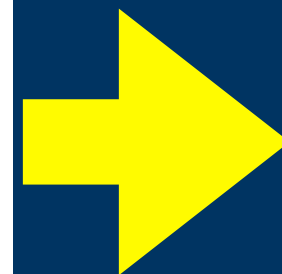
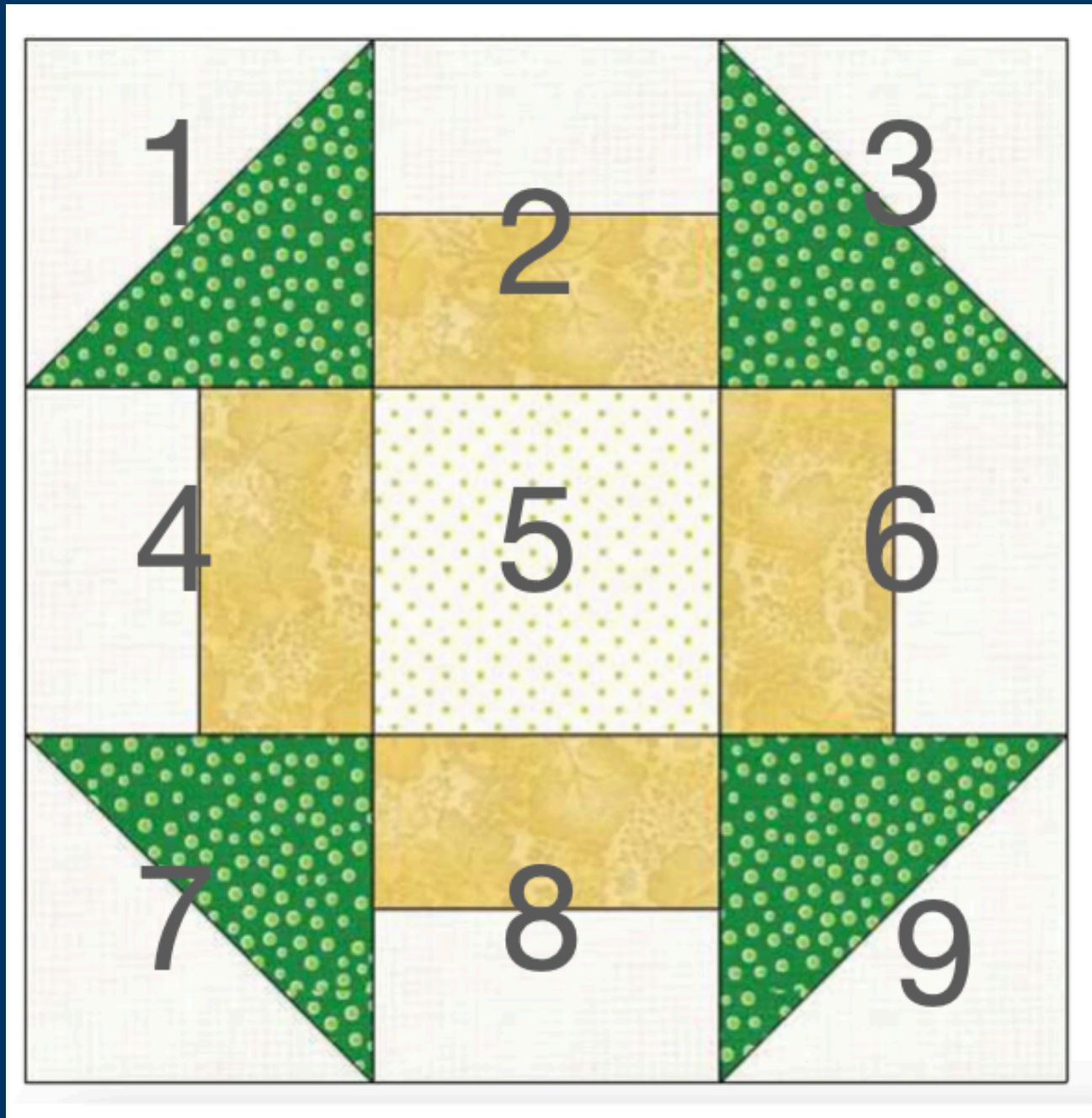




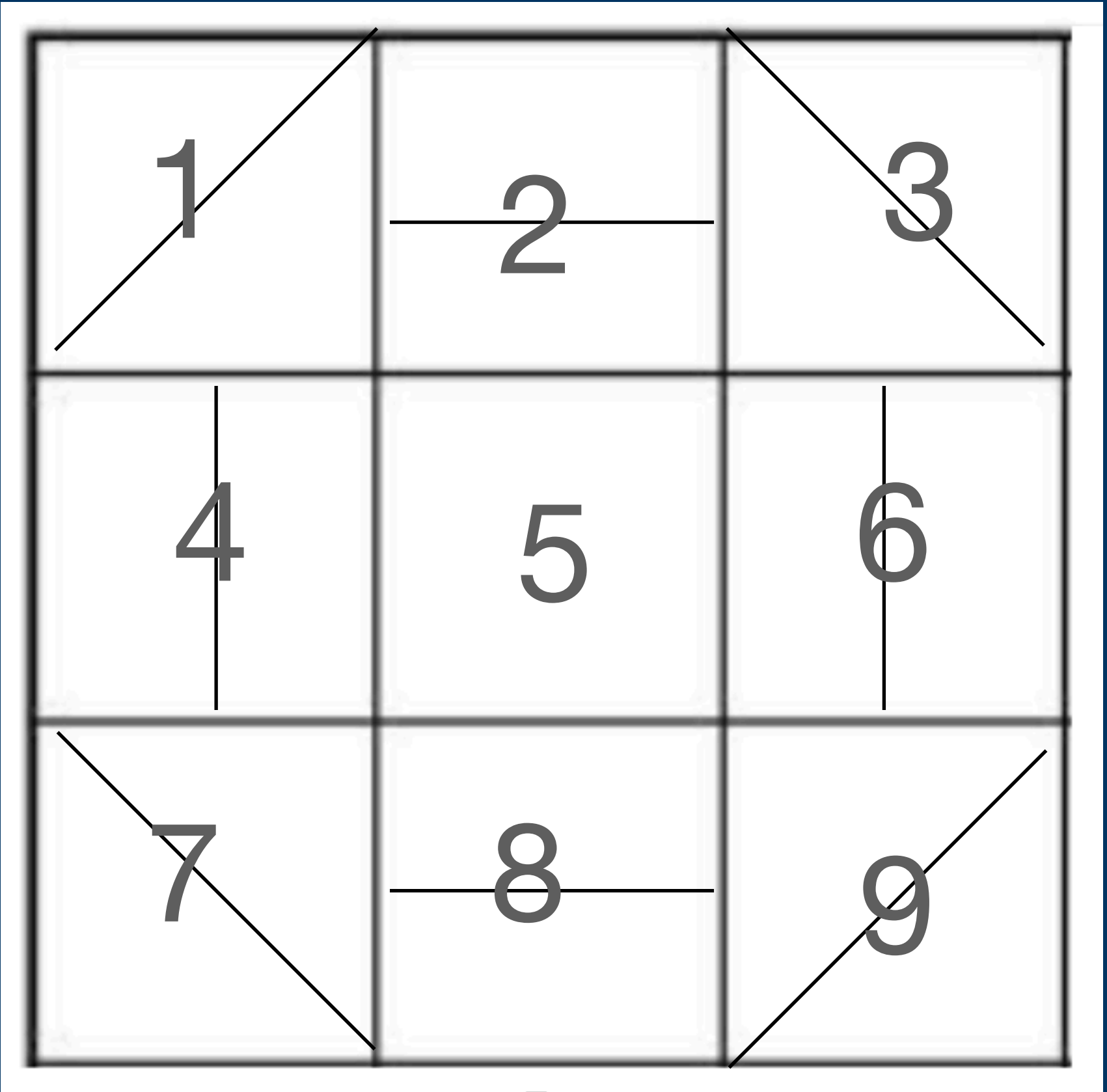
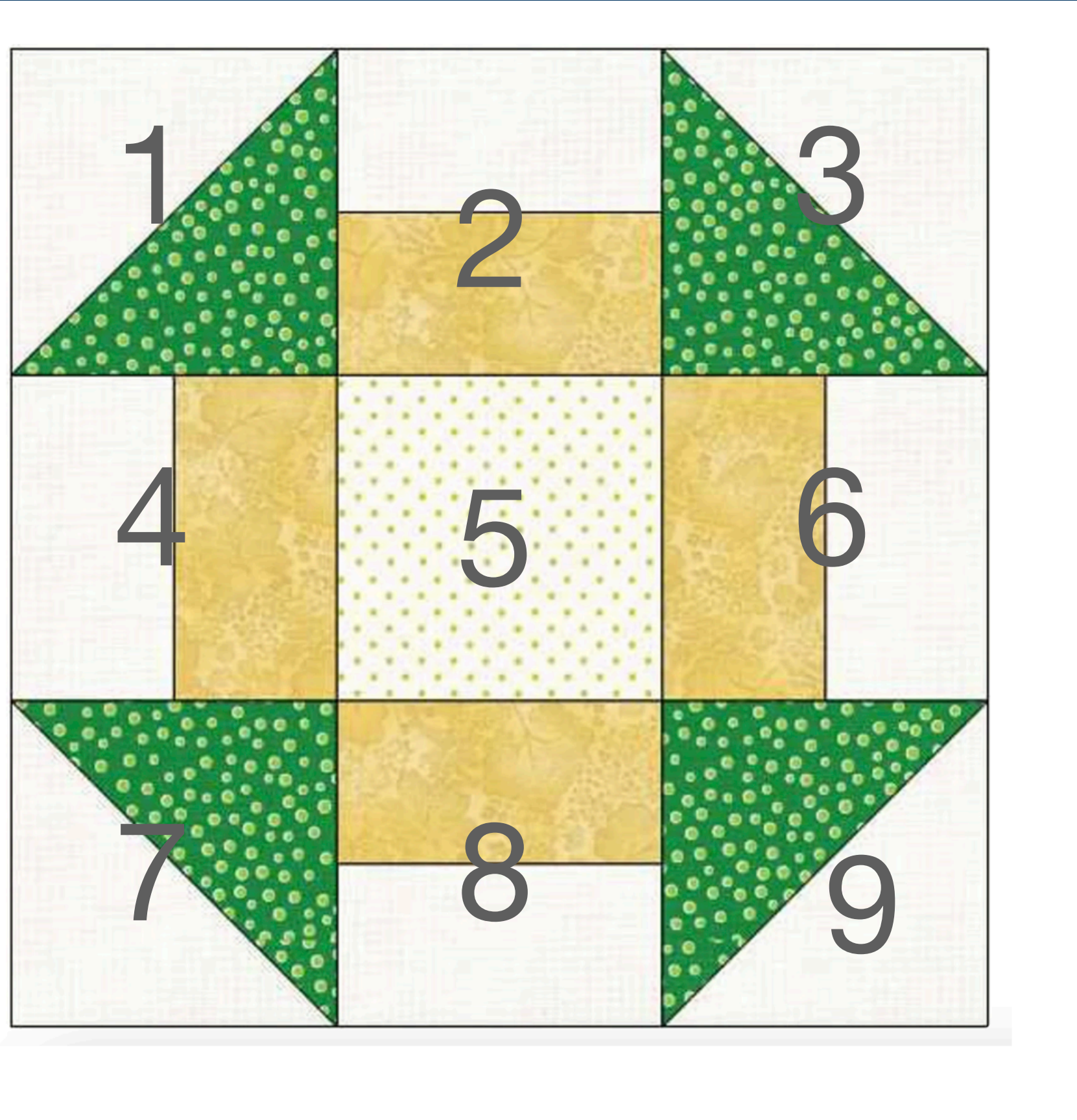
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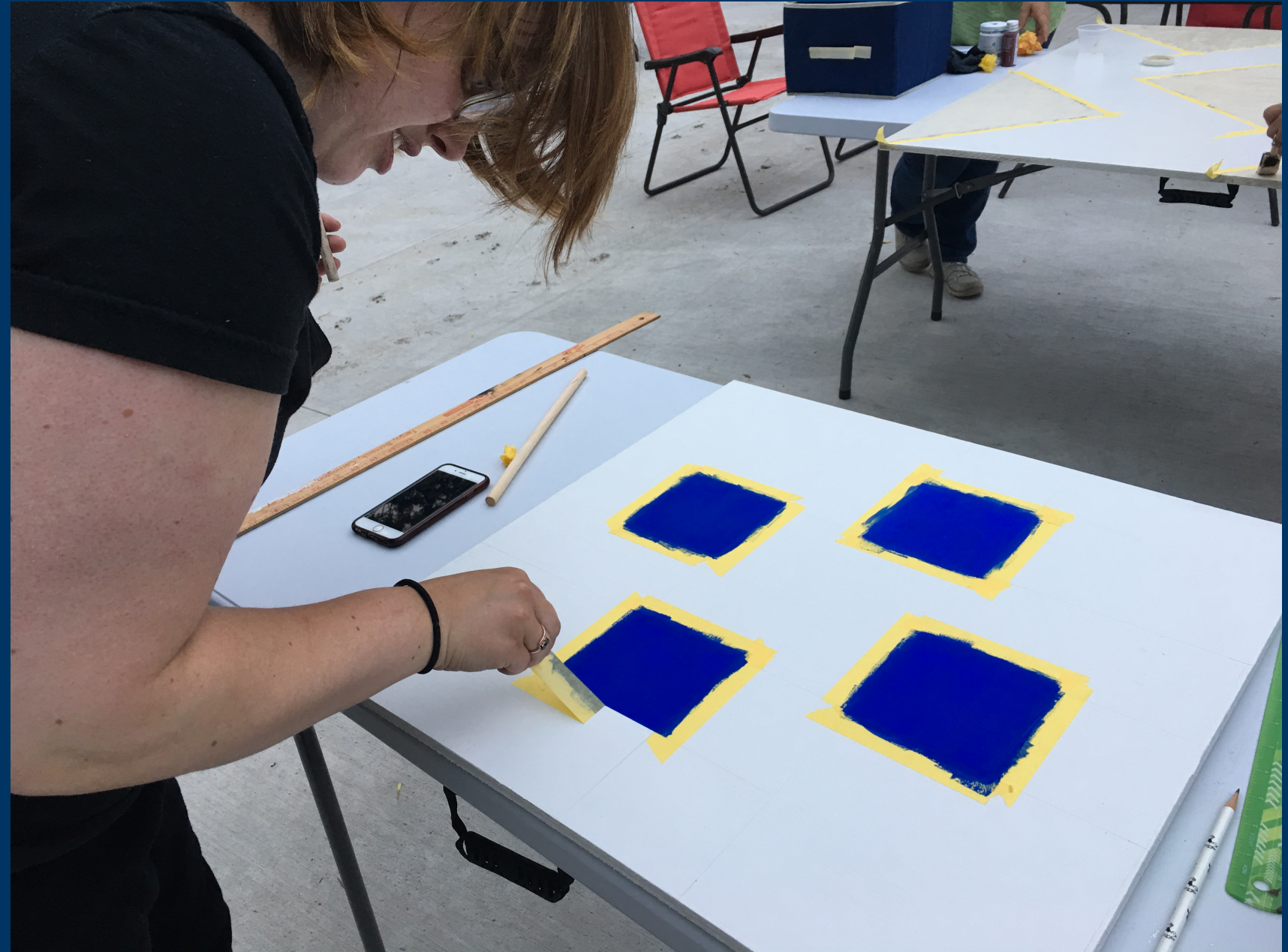
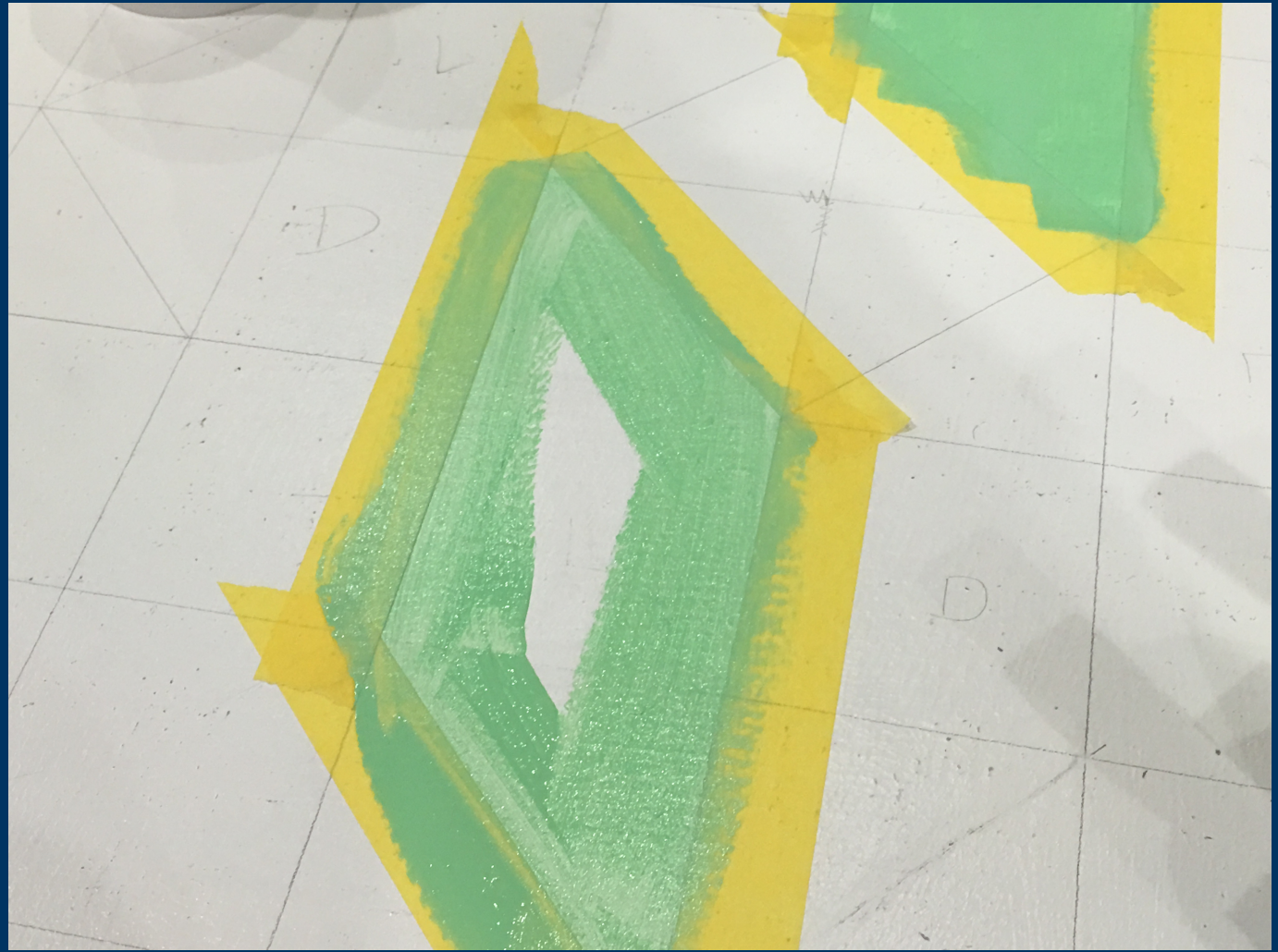


Determine the geometric design of the pattern.



1	2	3
4	5	6
7	8	9









Sealer

Spar
the kind used on boats

Non-Yellowing

3 Heavy Coats