

BLOCK OF THE MONTH

2021-2022

Join us in some pattern play. We will be making a collection of 12",12 x 6" and 6" blocks to set in a 36"x 36" grid. Go scrappy or seasonal, solid or controlled color palette.

A half yard of fabric is required for a consistent background. These basic instructions will be used frequently.

LET'S GET STARTED.

HALF-SQUARE-TRIANGLES

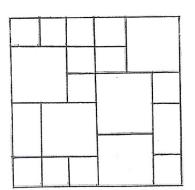
With the lighter fabric on top, right sides together, layer the fabric squares needed for the half-square-triangle. Draw a line from corner to corner on the lighter square. Stitch a scant ¼" from both sides of the line. Cut apart on the marked line. Press towards the darker fabric. Each pair of squares will yield two identical half-square-triangle units.











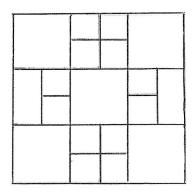
STITCH AND FLIP TECHNIQUE

Align a square on a corner of a larger square, a rectangle or a pieced unit as directed in the block instructions. From corner to corner mark a diagonal line on this square and make sure you place it slanting in the correct direction. Sew on the marked line. Trim the seam allowances to 1/4" as shown. Flip the resulting triangle open and press. This technique is often used for flying-geese-units.









HAVE FUN!

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