

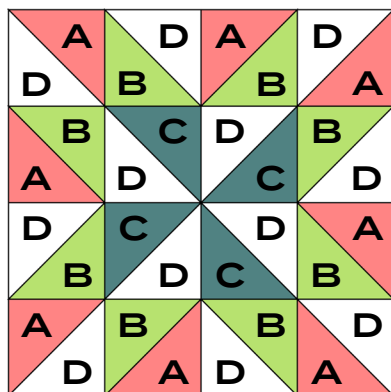
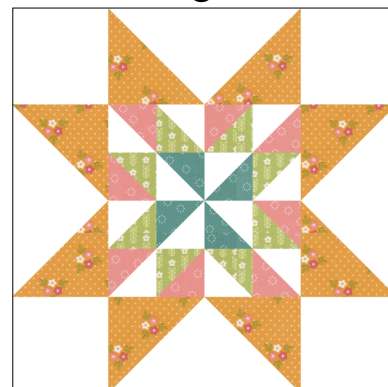
a Quilting Life

Block of the Month 2024

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August



Cutting Instructions

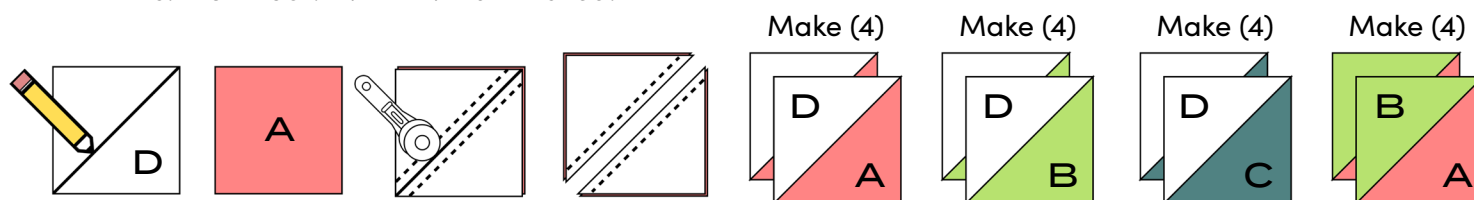
	8" Block (8 1/2" unfinished)	16" Block (16 1/2" unfinished)
Medium (A)	(4) 2" squares	(4) 3" squares
Medium (B)	(4) 2" squares	(4) 3" squares
Medium (C)	(2) 2" squares	(2) 3" squares
Light (D)	(6) 2" squares	(6) 3" squares

Designer Note: Follow the block guide shown for fabric placement.

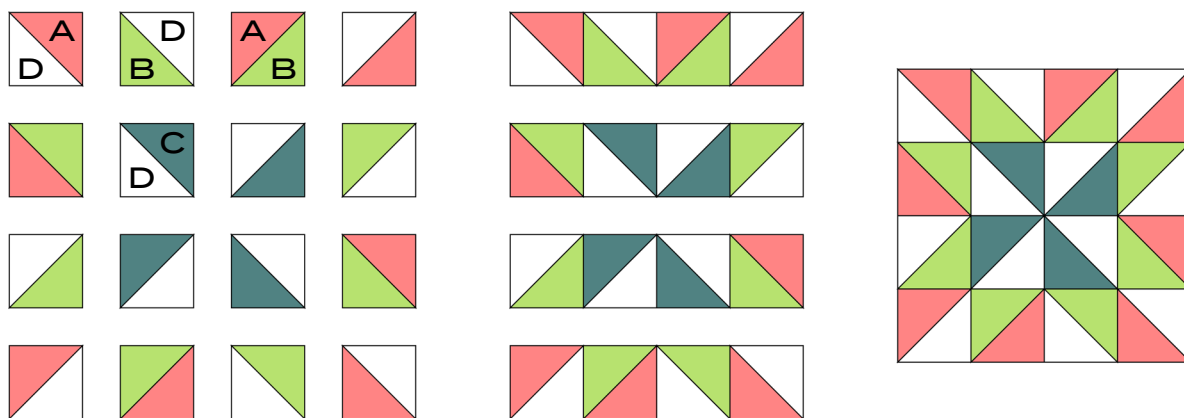
Units are labeled A-D.

Piecing Instructions

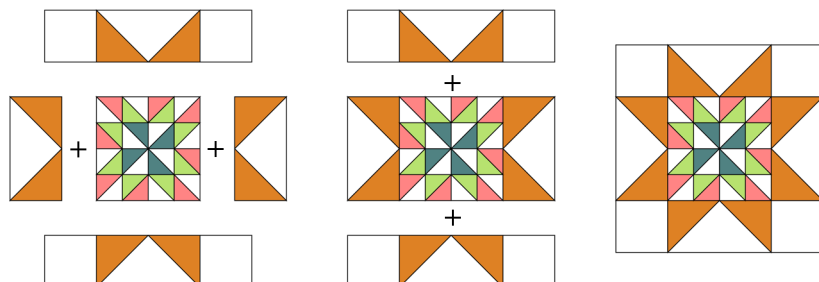
1. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of (2) A – squares and (6) D – squares using an erasable marker or pencil.
2. Make the following print combinations, placing squares right sides together. This will ensure accurate print combinations for HST unit assembly.
 - a. Make (2) pairs: A + D squares.
 - b. Make (2) pairs: B + D squares.
 - c. Make (2) pairs: C + D squares.
 - d. Make (2) pairs: A + B squares.
3. Sew a 1/4" away from both sides of the drawn diagonal lines.
4. Cut along the drawn diagonal lines, making a total of (16) HST units. There should be (4) A/D HST units, (4) B/D HST units, (4) C/D HST units and (4) A/B HST units.
5. Trim HST units using the following guide for 8" and 16" blocks:
 - a. 8" Block: 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" unfinished.
 - b. 16" Block: 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" unfinished.



6. Arrange HST units to form the August block center. Reference the diagram for location of colorways and rotation of HST units. Sew together, alternating the direction in which you press the seams.
7. Use the following guide for August block center sizes:
 - a. 8" Block: 4 ½" x 4 ½" unfinished.
 - b. 16" Block: 8 ½" x 8 ½" unfinished.



8. Arrange the prepared Star Border pieces around the August block center and assemble as shown. Reference the Cutting Chart for unfinished block sizes.



Pattern of the Month...

School is back in session, and that means children and adults alike will be longing for Friday once again. Enjoy the fun and scrappy **Happy Friday** quilt pattern to bring the weekend vibes. This quilt is Jelly Roll friendly and is the perfect throw size. TGIF, it's sewing time!

