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OLD CROW

Cutting requirements for block using two fabrics:

COLOR A:

1. Center of block: 2 – 4 1/2in squares
2. For the half square triangles (HST) and corner squares I cut one strip width of fabric 2 7/8 wide. From that strip, cut 8 – 2 7/8in squares, from the remaining: cut 2 – 2 ½ in squares.

COLOR B:

1. Repeat the same cutting as color A for your second fabric choice.

note Cutting for variation using three fabrics: using center of block as designers' choice, outer HST one color and one background color. For HST use block color of choice and background color (cut 8 - 2 7/8 in squares of each fabric) make 16 HST. For 2 ½ in corner squares use background color for all 4 corners.

Recommend pressing all seams open to reduce bulk.

1. Make all HST.
    a. Using 2 7/8 in. sq. color A and B matched together. See note for techniques for making HST.
2. Layout Old Crow block according to diagram before assembly, assuring correct orientation of HSTs.
3. Assemble each of the 4 block units.
    a. Sew two HST together then to corner 2 ½ in square.
    b. Sew two HST together then to side of center 4 ½ in square. (pay attention to points of HST when sewing this seam)
    c. Sew two units together matching seams at corner square and minding points of HST.
4. Sew two left and right units together.
5. Sew two top and bottom units together. (pay attention to center meeting point)

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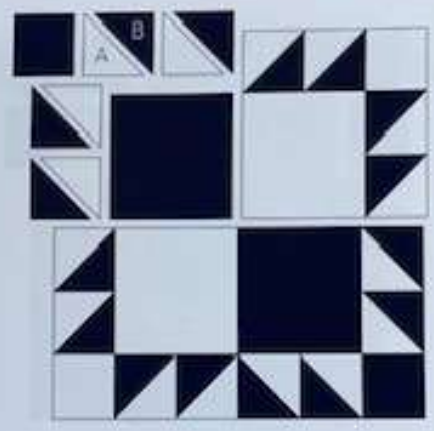
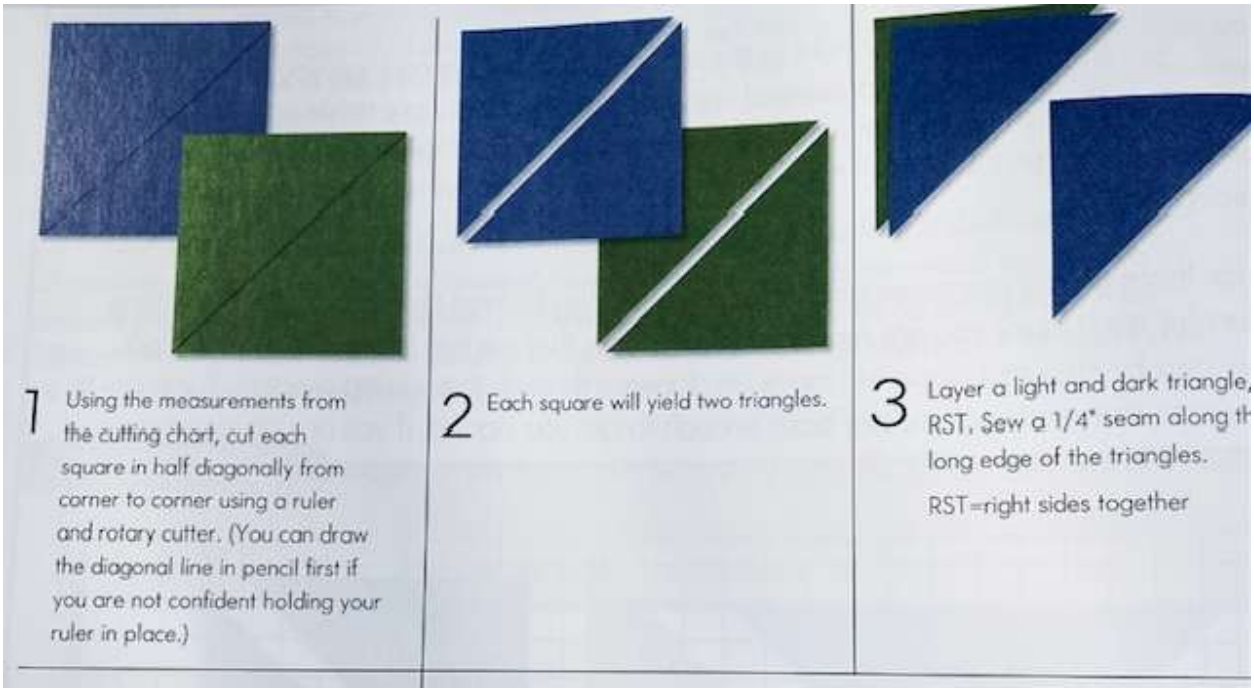
Color/Cut		Subcut	6"	9"	12"
A	2		2-1/2"	3-1/2"	4-1/2"
A	8	◹	1-7/8"	2-3/8"	2-7/8"
A	2		1-1/2"	2"	2-1/2"
B	2		2-1/2"	3-1/2"	4-1/2"
B	8	◹	1-7/8"	2-3/8"	2-7/8"
B	2		1-1/2"	2"	2-1/2"



Half Square Triangle Techniques

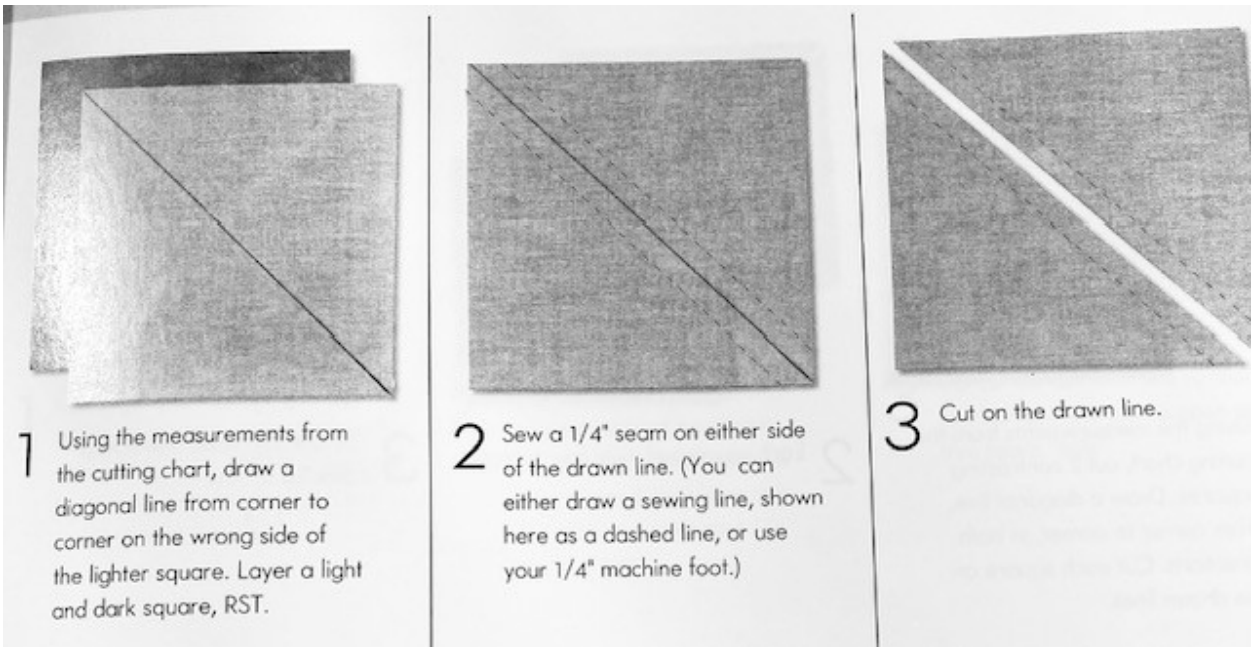


1 Using the measurements from the cutting chart, cut each square in half diagonally from corner to corner using a ruler and rotary cutter. (You can draw the diagonal line in pencil first if you are not confident holding your ruler in place.)

2 Each square will yield two triangles.

3 Layer a light and dark triangle, RST. Sew a 1/4" seam along th long edge of the triangles.

RST=right sides together



1 Using the measurements from the cutting chart, draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of the lighter square. Layer a light and dark square, RST.

2 Sew a 1/4" seam on either side of the drawn line. (You can either draw a sewing line, shown here as a dashed line, or use your 1/4" machine foot.)

3 Cut on the drawn line.