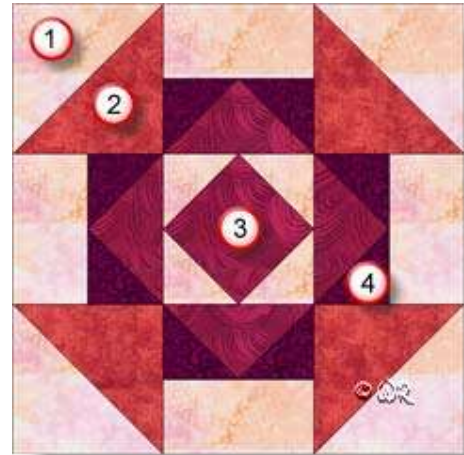


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Fabric Placement



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12" finished quilt block

How-to Notes







Bisect square on one diagonal



Bisect square on both diagonals

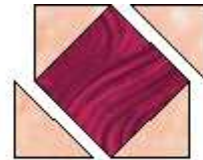
*All seam allowances are 1/4" unless noted otherwise

1		<p>Background fabric 1</p> <p>Cut 4 rectangles 2 1/2" x 4 1/2"</p> <p>Cut 2 squares 2 7/8" and bisect on one diagonal</p> <p>Cut 2 squares 4 7/8" and bisect on one diagonal</p>
2		<p>Fabric 2</p> <p>Cut 2 squares 4 7/8" and bisect on one diagonal</p>
3		<p>Fabric 3</p> <p>Cut centre square 3 3/8"</p> <p>Cut 1 square 5 1/4" and bisect on both diagonals</p>
4		<p>Fabric 4</p> <p>Cut 4 squares 2 7/8" and bisect on one diagonal</p>

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Make 4



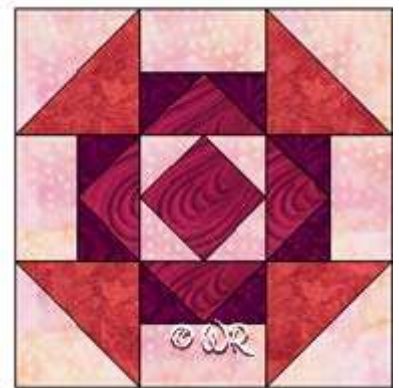
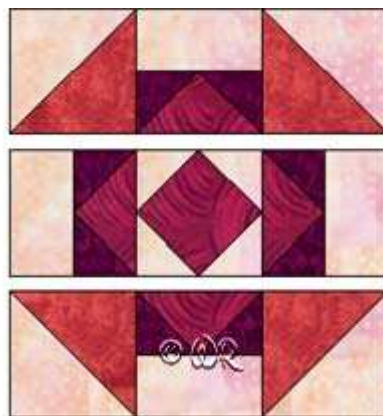
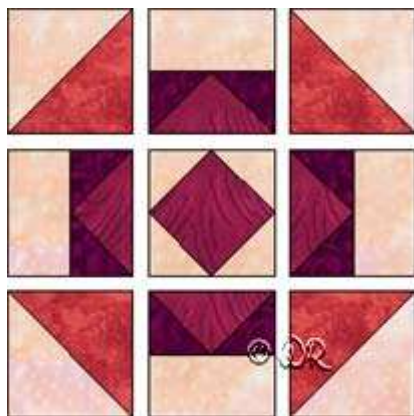
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Make 4



Make 4



Instructions for 12 ½" Hansel and Gretel block

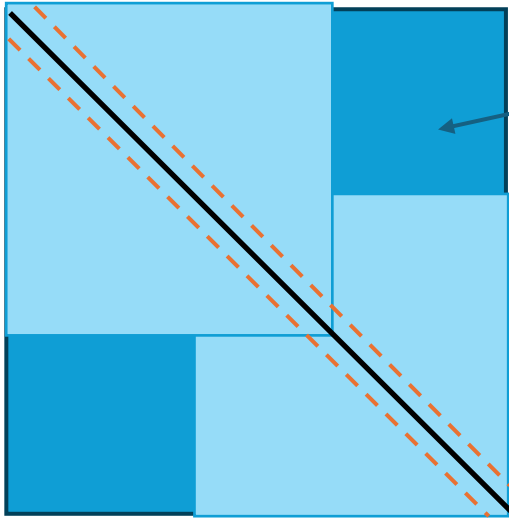
1. Make sure to use Best Press or other spray starch on all pieces, especially those that get cut into triangles.
2. Cut all pieces as indicated, EXCEPT... from the background fabric, cut the two 4⁷/₈" squares at 5¹/₄" and do not bisect. From Fabric 2, cut the two squares at 5¹/₄" and do not bisect.
3. To create the half square triangle corner pieces, first draw a diagonal line on the back of one of the two 5¹/₄" pieces from Fabrics 1 and 2. Put a Fabric 2 square on a Fabric 1 square, right sides together, and sew a scant ¼" away from the diagonal line you drew, then cut along the diagonal line. Do this for both 5¹/₄" squares to create four corners. Trim to 4¹/₂".
4. NOTE: the 5¹/₄" piece you cut from Fabric 3 DOES get bisected on both diagonals. OR, see below and next page to make four flying geese at once!
5. All of the small blocks should measure 4¹/₂" when complete. Trim as necessary.

Here is an easy way to make four Flying Geese blocks at the same time. See illustrations on the next page.

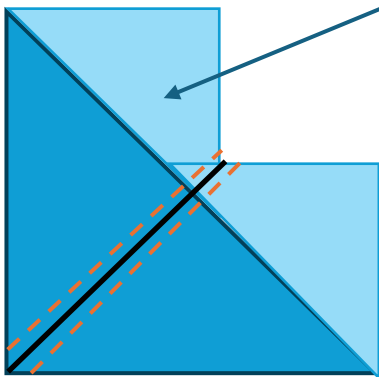
1. From Fabric 3 cut a 5 ¼" square.
2. From Fabric 4 cut four 3" squares.
3. Place two 3" squares on opposite sides of the 5 ¼" square. They will overlap.
4. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner and sew ¼" from each side of it.
5. Cut the diagonal line you drew and press the resulting small triangles out.
You now have two units of two small triangles attached to one large triangle.
6. Place a 3" square at the base of each large triangle and draw a diagonal line from the outside corner to the middle. Sew ¼" from each side of this.
7. Cut the diagonal line for each unit, and you now have four flying geese!
8. Trim to 2½" x 4½".

Make Four Flying Geese at Once!!!

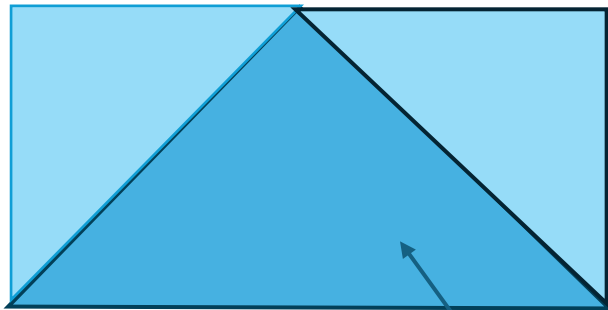
Finished size	Unfinished size	Four small squares	One large square
1" x 2"	1½" x 2½"	2"	3¼"
1½" x 3"	2" x 3½"	2 ½"	4¼"
2" x 4"	2 ½" x 4½"	3"	5¼"
2½" x 5"	3" x 5½"	3½"	6¼"
3" x 6"	3 ½" x 6½"	4"	7¼"
3½" x 7"	4" x 7½"	4½"	8¼"
4" x 8"	4 ½" x 8½"	5"	9¼"
4½" x 9"	5" x 9½"	5½"	10¼"
5" x 10"	5 ½" x 10½"	6"	11¼"
5½" x 11"	6 " x 11½"	6½"	12¼"
6" x 12"	6 ½" x 12½"	7"	13¼"



Lay the big square face up. Place two smaller squares in opposite corners face down. Draw a diagonal line as shown, then sew a scant $\frac{1}{4}$ " on either side of it. Make one.



Yields two of these. Press out the two smaller triangles. Next, draw a line from the outside corner to the corner where the two smaller triangles intersect. Sew a scant $\frac{1}{4}$ " away from the line, then cut the line.



Press out the two resulting triangles and voila! Four flying geese blocks!