

March Block of the Month Background - white Use greens for the others

2024

Cutting Instructions:

Background fabric: cut 1 square 5½", 4 squares 3" and 4 squares 2½" fabric. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong sides of the 5½" and 3" squares.

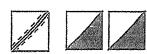
Medium: cut 1 square $5\frac{1}{2}$ " and 4 squares 3". Cut 4 squares $2\frac{1}{2}$ ". Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the $5\frac{1}{2}$ " square.

Dark: cut 2 squares 51/2".

Accent: cut 1 square 4½" for center of block.

Piecing Instructions:

1. Place a 5½" background square right sides together (rst) onto a 5½" dark square. Stitch ¼" on both sides of the diagonal line. Cut on the line. Press to the dark. You will get 2 units.



2. Repeat the instructions above using the 5½" medium square and 5½" dark square. You will get 2 units. Press toward the dark.

3. Place a Step 1 unit onto a Step 2 unit, rst with the dark pieces opposite one another. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the unit. Stitch ¼" on both sides of the drawn line. Cut on the drawn line and press. Repeat to get a total of 4 quarter square units. Square up to 4 ½". The Tucker Trimmer® can be used for this.





4. Place a 3" background square rst onto a 3" medium square. Stitch ¼" on both sides of the diagonal line. Cut on line to get 2 units. Press to the dark. Trim (square up) the half square units to 2½". The Bloc-Loc Ruler® can be used for squaring up. Repeat to get 8 units total.

5. With step 4 units and the light and bg 2½" squares, make corner units as shown. Press top row to right and bottom to left.

6. Stitch block units in rows. Press top and bottom rows out and middle to center. Press long horizontal seams to the middle row.

