

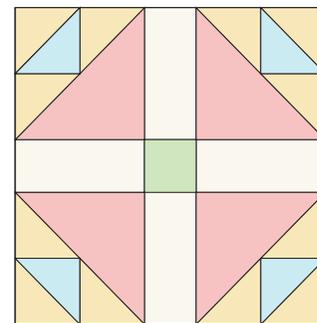
In 2011 I opened Hen & Chicks Studio and my happiness exploded on many levels. My reasons for opening the store included being able to help people make quilts by providing them both a retail store and a fully-equipped retreat center. It has been a JOYFUL four years watching people be creative and inspiring them to be creative. I have always loved how my passion for quilting has allowed me to be a part of a great profession. The other part of opening the store that makes me happy is that the mother hen in me gets to come out and really take care of my chicks—Henry, Goldie, and Virginia.

Hen and Chicks

for the Splendid Sampler™

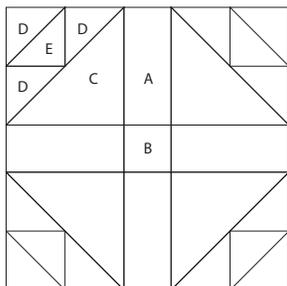
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Finished Block Size 6" x 6"



Requirements

- ✂ 4 rectangles - 1 1/2" x 3" (Fabric A)
- ✂ 1 square - 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" (Fabric B)
- ✂ 2 squares - 3 3/8" x 3 3/8". Cut in half diagonally for a total of 4 triangles (Fabric C)
- ✂ 6 squares - 2 1/8" x 2 1/8". Cut in half diagonally for a total of 12 triangles (Fabric D)
- ✂ 2 squares - 2 1/8" x 2 1/8". Cut in half diagonally for a total of 4 triangles (Fabric E)



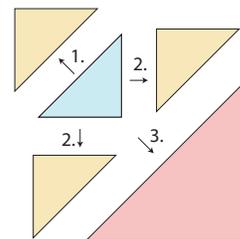
Block Assembly

1. Sew a Fabric A rectangle to opposite edges of the Fabric B square to make the center row. Press seams toward the rectangles.

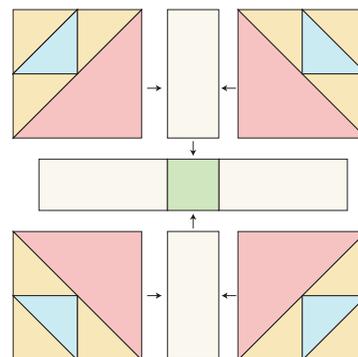


2. Sew a Fabric D triangle to a Fabric E triangle to make a triangle-square. Repeat to make a total of four triangle-squares. Press seams toward the D fabric.

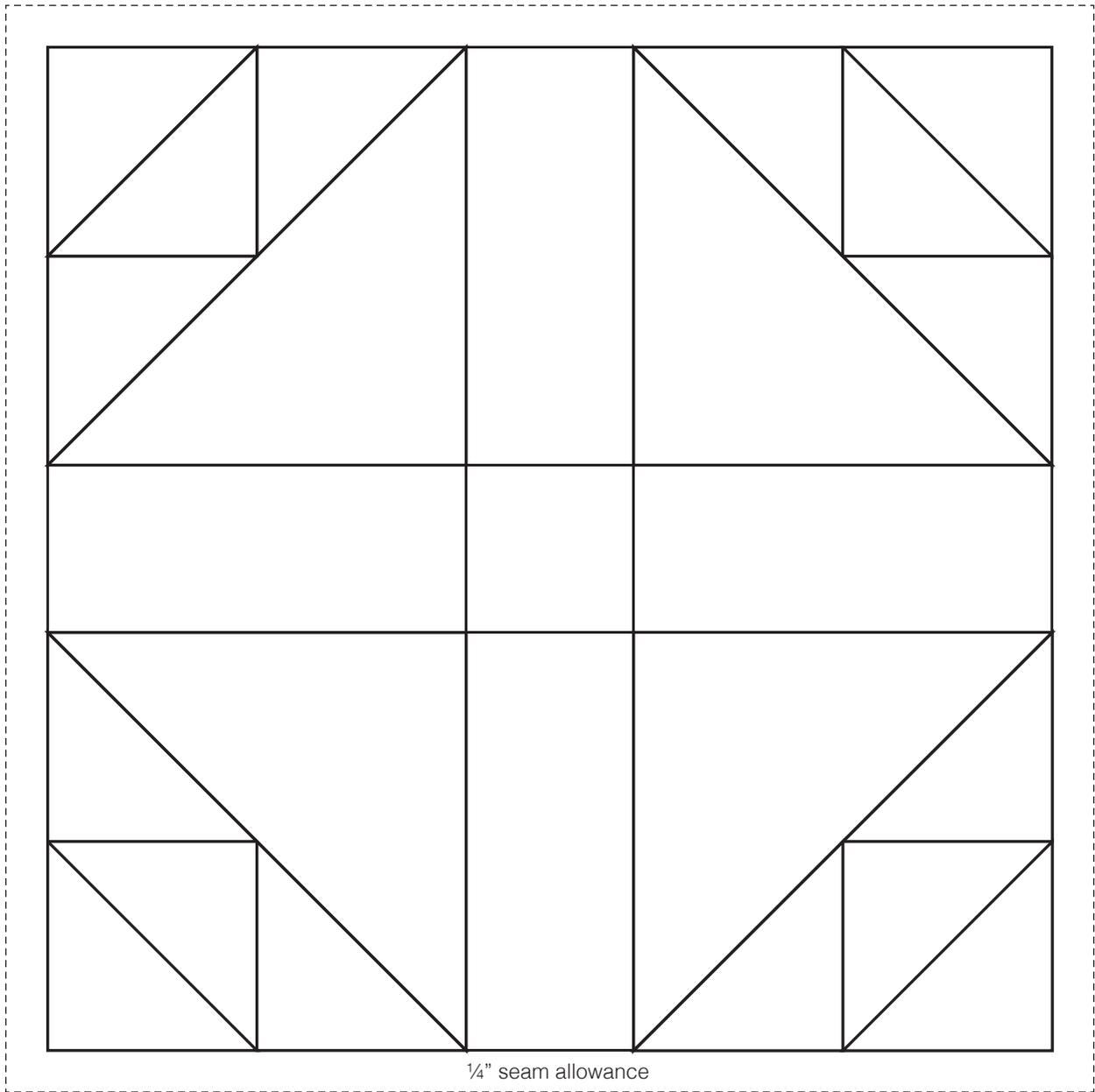
3. Sew Fabric D triangles to two adjacent edges of each triangle-square unit to make a triangle unit. Press seams toward D triangles. Repeat to make a total of four triangle units.
4. Sew a Fabric C triangle to each long edge of the triangle units to make a corner unit. Press seams toward Fabric C triangle. Repeat to make a total of four corner units.



5. Referring to the diagram for placement sew two corner units to opposite edges of the remaining Fabric A rectangles to make an outer edge row. Press the seams toward the Fabric A rectangles. Repeat to make a total of two outer edge rows.
6. Sew an outer edge row to each long edge of a center row to make a block. Press the seams toward the center rows.



7. Unfinished block size 6 1/2" x 6 1/2".



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