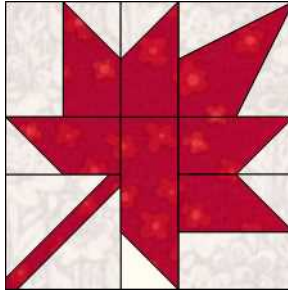


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Block of the Month

August 2023 – Maple Leaf



Fabric Requirements: Cream and a fall leaf color (dark red, orange, gold)

Cutting Instructions:

From Cream:

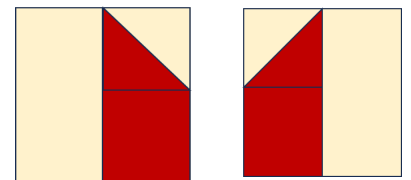
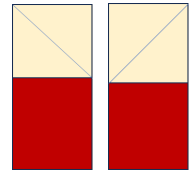
- Cut 2 rectangles 2 ½" x 4 ½"
- Cut 6 squares 2 ½" x 2 ½"
- Cut 2 squares approximately 5 ½" x 5 ½" to paper piece the upper right & lower left units

From Color:

- Cut 5 rectangles 2 ½" x 4 ½"
- Cut 1 rectangle 2 ½" x 6 ½"
- Cut 1 square approximately 5 ½" x 5 ½" for paper piecing
- Cut 1 strip 1 ½" x 7" for paper piecing

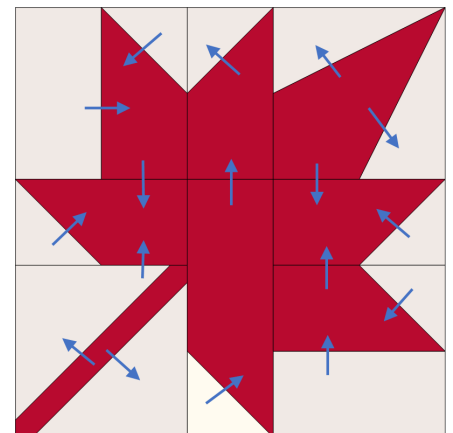
Sewing Instructions:

1. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the 6 cream squares
2. Snowball the five 2 ½" x 4 ½" rectangles by stitching just outside the drawn line
Angle 2 to the right and 3 to the left
3. Snowball the 2 ½" x 6 ½" rectangle to the right
Press according to the diagram
4. Sew a cream rectangle two of units made in Step 2
5. Make the paper pieced units

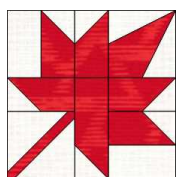


Block Assembly:

- This block is assembled in columns
- Press Column 1 and Column 3 to the center
- Press Column 2 to the top
- Sew the columns together and press to the center



**This is a 10" block;
10 ½" inch unfinished.**



RWB Option – substitute white for cream and either red or blue for color