Square in a Square (SiaS) Units

A/bg SiaS UNITS

1. Cut 40 bg square 3" x 3" (3 $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ " if oversized) in half once diagonally to form 80 bg triangles.



2. Center a bg triangle along one side of a fabric A square 3 %" x 3 %" right sides together.

Sew along the edge with a scant 1/4" seam (shown as a dotted line), pressing seam open or towards the bg triangle.



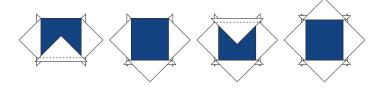


3. Sew another bg triangle on the side of the fabric A square opposite to the first seam, pressing the seam open or towards the bg triangle.

Note: you can sew both of these triangles on then press instead of pressing after each addition.



4. Continue by sewing two more bg triangles onto the remaining outside edges of the fabric A square, pressing the seams open or towards the bg triangles.



- 5. Trim off the tabs (dog ears) formed by the sewn on triangles and square the unit to 4 ½" x 4 ½" if necessary making sure there is ½" between the corners of the inner square and the outer sides of the unit.
- 6. Repeat steps 2-5 to make a total of 20 A/bg SiaS units 4 ½" x 4 ½".



bg/A SiaS UNITS

1. Cut 8 fabric A square 3" x 3" (3 1/4" x 3 1/4" if oversized) in half once diagonally to form 16 fabric A triangles.



2. Center a fabric A triangle along one side of a bg square 3 %" x 3 %" right sides together.

Sew along the edge with a scant 1/4" seam (shown as a dotted line), pressing seam open or towards the fabric A triangle.



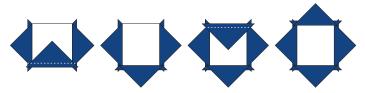


3. Sew another fabric A triangle on the side of the bg square opposite to the first seam, pressing the seam open or towards the fabric A triangle.

Note: you can sew both of these triangles on then press instead of pressing after each addition.



4. Continue by sewing two more fabric A triangles onto the remaining outside edges of the bg square, pressing the seams open or towards the fabric A triangles.



- 5. Trim off the tabs (dog ears) formed by the sewn on triangles and square the unit to 4 ½" x 4 ½" if necessary making sure there is ½" between the corners of the inner square and the outer sides of the unit.
- 6. Repeat steps 2-5 to make a total of 4 bg/A SiaS units 4 ½" x 4 ½".



Fabric Color Key









