

Patch-n-Dash Block 6

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Block size: 6 ½" x 6 ½"

Make 2

Technique/Skill: Using Bias Triangles to make 2 color wings of the Flying Geese/Star Points

Bias triangles:

(Optional) Use spray starch on fabrics before cutting.

Note: I added one more blue fabric to my FQ selection of blues. You don't need to, I just wanted a lighter blue in the block.

Cutting:

Background

- 8 (2") squares, label A
- 2 (4 ¼") squares, cut on BOTH diagonals, label B (Bias Triangles)

Dark Blue

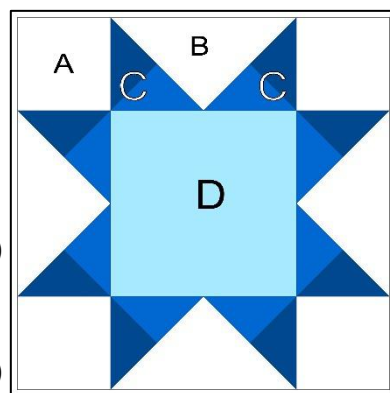
- 4 (2 ¾") squares, cut on BOTH diagonals, label C (Bias Triangles)

Bright Blue

- 4 (2 ¾") squares, cut on BOTH diagonals, label C (Bias Triangles)

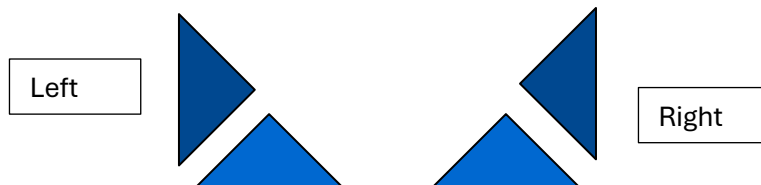
Light Blue (new blue, see **Note**)

- 2 (3 ½") squares, label D



Block Construction:

1. Divide the Dark Blue and Bright Blue C Triangles into two groups: 8 Dark Blue and 8 Bright Blue in each group. One group will be the left and the other will be the right star points.

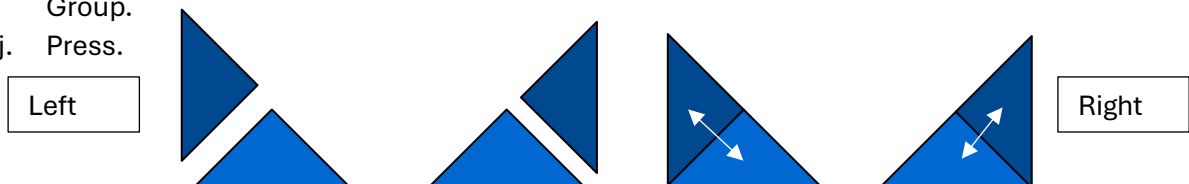


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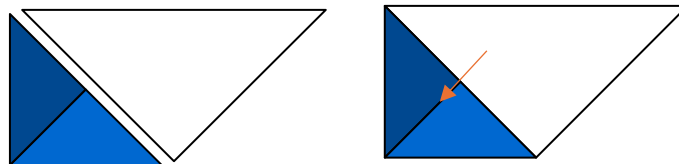
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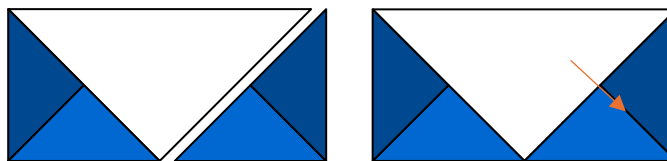
2. Layout as shown, both Dark Blue and Bright Blue C triangles.
 - a. Starting with the left group, Match with RST, placing the Bright Blue C triangle on top of the Dark Blue C triangle.
 - b. Match the Corner of the triangles. Keeping the Dark Blue C Triangle on the bottom.
 - c. Sew, leading with the corner. **TIP: Place a scrap piece of the fabric under the presser foot sew a few stitches on this scrap fabric and sew OFF the scrap. Now place the C triangles under the presser foot and begin sewing.**
 - d. Sew all 8 from the left group.
 - e. Press Seam Allowance, pressing arrow is in WHITE
 - f. For the Right Group:
 - g. Match with RST, place each Dark Blue C triangle on top of each Bright Blue.
 - h. Matching the corner of the triangles. Keeping the Dark Blue on TOP.
 - i. Sew, leading with the corner. **Don't forget the TIP from above.** Sew all 8 from the Right Group.
 - j. Press.



3. Match with RST, each Left Star Point as shown to each Background B Triangle. Align the tip of the Dark Blue Left triangle to the Left tip of the Background B Triangle as shown. Sew and Press. The Tip of the Bright Blue Triangle will go past the Background B Triangle. Make 8



4. Repeat step with the Right Group of C Triangles to the Background B Triangles. Sew and press. Make 8. Size 2" x 3 1/2"



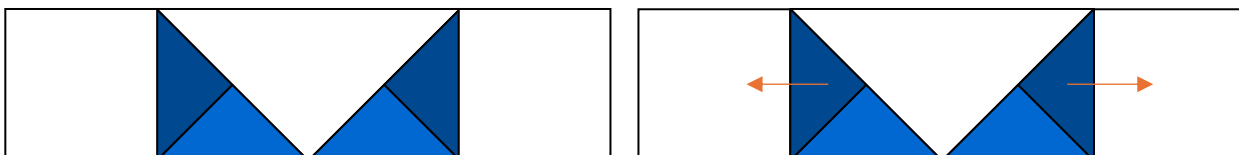
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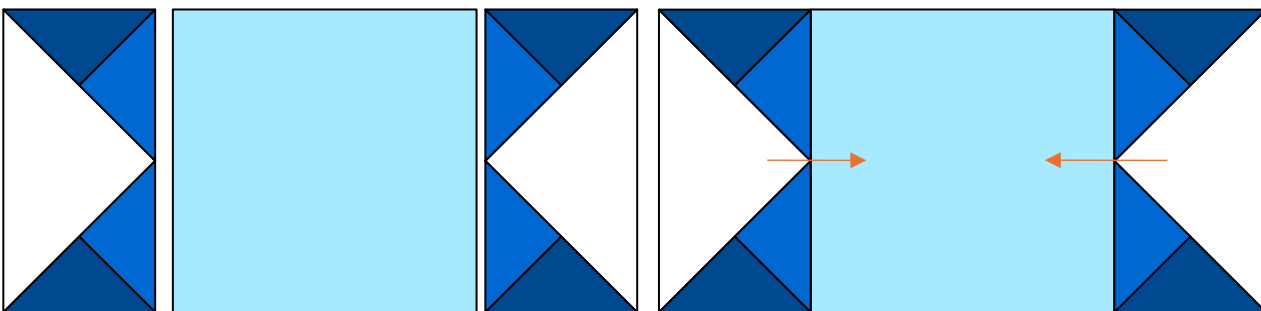


Finishing the Block

1. Layout as shown. Match with RST a Background A square to the left and right sides of (4) Flying Geese. Sew and press. **Make 4** Size: (Top and Bottom Rows) $2'' \times 6 \frac{1}{2}''$



2. Match with RST a Flying Geese to the left and right sides of the Light Blue D square. Sew and press. **Make 2.** Size: (Center Row) $3 \frac{1}{2}'' \times 6 \frac{1}{2}''$.



3. Match with RST a Top and Bottom Row to the Center Row as shown. Sew and Press. **Make 2,** Block size: $6 \frac{1}{2}'' \times 6 \frac{1}{2}''$

