

# Patch-n-Dash Block 9

## Grecian Square



### Block 9: Grecian Square

Make 2

Block size: 6 1/2" x 6 1/2"

Technique: 8@Time HST's and Strip Set

### Cutting

#### Background

- 1 (1 1/2" x 20 1/2") rectangle (strip), label B
- 1 (6") square, label A

#### Green

- 1 (6") square, label A

#### Orange

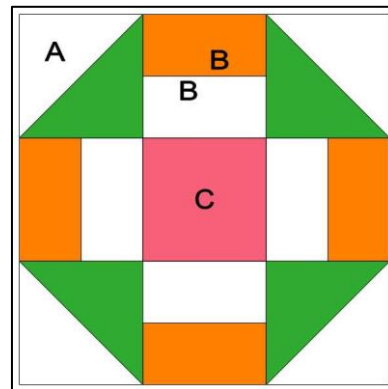
- 1 (1 1/2" x 20 1/2") rectangle (strip), label B

#### Pink (my pink looks more red)

- 2 (2 1/2") square, label C

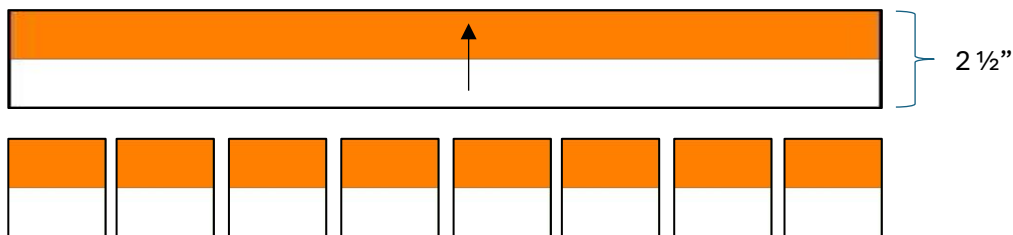
### Technique: working with Bias Triangles

- Always sew with a 1/4" seam allowance
- Always sew with RST (Right Sides Together)
- Pressing Seam Allowance Arrows are in black and orange
- WOF: Width of Fabric

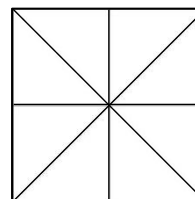


### Block Construction

1. Making the Strip Set B/B. Match and join with RST the Background B strip to the Orange B strip. Open and press seam allowance. Strip Set should measure (2 1/2" wide x 20 1/2" long)
  - a) Cut the Strip Set B/B into (8) (2 1/2" x 2 1/2") units, label B/B



2. 8@Time HST. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner, making an X, on the backside of the Background A square. Next, draw a line from top to bottom and side to side, dividing the block in half at the 3" mark, making a plus sign +

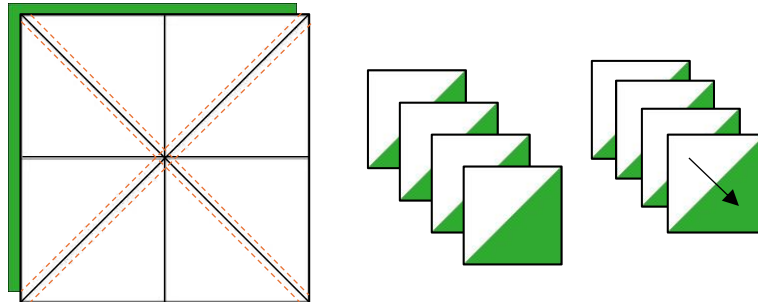


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3. Match with RST the Green A square to the Background A square.
  - a) Stitch a  $\frac{1}{4}$ " away from the DIAGONALLY drawn lines ONLY, On both sides of the DIAGONAL lines.
  - b) Cut apart on All of the Drawn lines: Yield (8) HST's
  - c) Open and Press.
  - d) Trim each HST to ( $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $2\frac{1}{2}$ ")



4. Finishing the Block. Layout as shown.
  - a) Match with RST and join the units for each Row.
  - b) Press
  - c) Match Block Row 1 to Block Row 2, Sew and Press
  - d) Match Block Row 3 to Block Row 2, Sew and Press
  - e) Make 2 blocks, Size:  $6\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $6\frac{1}{2}$ "

