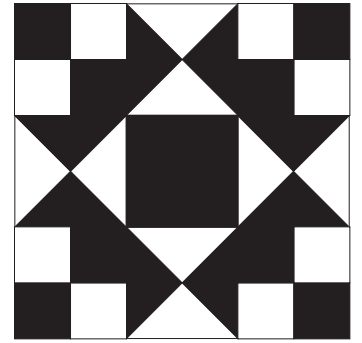


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Free Quilt Block Pattern

Block 3: Ohio Trail



Use one light and one dark fabric.

Instructions:

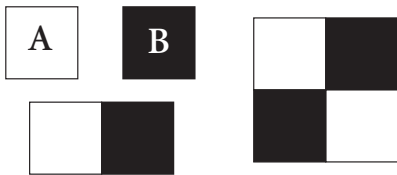
Read instructions before beginning the project. All seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise stated.

1. Cut fabrics:

- Eight squares 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" (light) - A
- Eight squares 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" (dark) - B
- Two square 5 1/4" x 5 1/4" (light) - C
- Two square 5 1/4" x 5 1/4" (dark) - D
- One square 4 1/2" x 4 1/2" (dark) - E

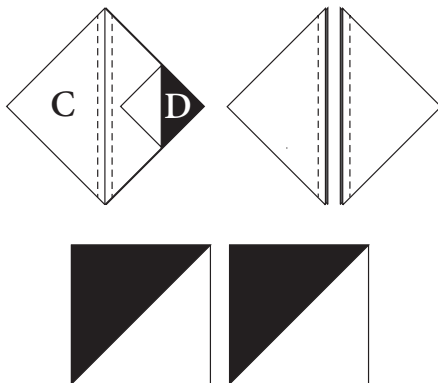
2. Create 4-patch block:

- Sew two light A squares and two dark B squares together into a unit, as shown; press toward B. Sew the units together to create a 4-patch and press seam either open or one direction. Make four blocks.

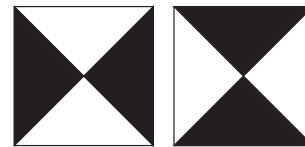
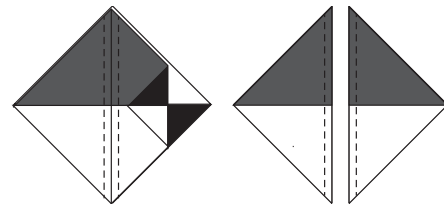


3. Create hour glass blocks:

- Draw a diagonal line, corner to corner, on the wrong side of one light C square and place on one dark D square. Stitch 1/4" seam on each side of drawn line. Cut in half and press toward D. Make four half squares triangles.



- Draw a diagonal line, corner to corner, on the wrong side of one C/D half square triangle made above and placed on second C/D with right sides together and opposite fabrics facing each other. Sew a 1/4" seam on each side of drawn line. Cut in half and press seam either open or to one side. Make 4 hour glass blocks.



4. Create block:

- Layout 4-patch, hourglass, and E squares, as shown. Sew into rows; press each row in opposite direction. Sew rows together (press seams open) to create the Ohio Trail block measuring 12 1/2" square.

