

## NON-SLIP Square on Square 8" Trim Tool




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## NON-SLIP

Square on Square 8" Trim Tool
Make a variety of 8 " Square on Square blocks (or 4 " bonus blocks) by following the cutting chart printed on the tool. Add the triangles sequentially to the square - then trim each round for perfect piecing!

## For a 4" finished block

Step A-1
Center and sew the Block A-1 triangles to opposite sides of the center square. Press. Add the remaining two triangles to the other two sides. Press. Place the square marked A-1 on the ruler on top of the fabric center square. Trim two adjoining sides. Turn the partially trimmed unit a half turn $\left(180^{\circ}\right)$ then trim the remaining two sides.


Tip: If the sewn square does not fit exactly into the alignment square on the tool, be sure you match the two corners. This assures a $1 / 4$ " seam allowance.

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## For a 4" finished block (cont.)

Step A-2
Center and sew the Block A-2 triangles to opposite sides of your pieced square. Press. Add the remaining two triangles to the other two sides. Press. Place the square marked A-2 on the ruler on top of the fabric center square. Trim two adjoining sides. Turn the partially trimmed unit a half turn $\left(180^{\circ}\right)$ then trim the remaining two sides.


NOTE: The Square on Square block now measures 4 1/2" (4"finished). Continue with Steps B-1 and B-2 to create an $8^{\prime \prime}$ finished block. You may also choose to START with step B-1 - simply use a $41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ fabric square (or pieced square) in the center.

## For an 8" finished block

Step B-1
Center and sew the Block B-1 triangles to opposite sides of the center square. Press. Add the remaining two triangles to the other two sides. Press. Place the square marked B-1 on the ruler on the fabric center square. Trim two adjoining sides. Turn the partially trimmed unit a half turn $\left(180^{\circ}\right)$ then trim the remaining two sides.


Step B-2
Center and sew the Block B-2 triangles to opposite sides of the center square. Press. Add the remaining two triangles to the other two sides. Press. Place the square marked B-2 on the ruler on the fabric center square. Trim two adjoining sides. Turn the partially trimmed unit a half turn $\left(180^{\circ}\right)$ then trim the remaining two sides.


## Center Cutting / Trimming To Size

2" Four-Patch

- cut (4) 2" squares

4" Four-Patch

- cut (4) $3^{\prime \prime}$ squares

2" Hourglass Square

- cut (2) $31 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares, then cut in half on diagonal twice.

4" Hourglass

- cut (2) $51 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares, then cut in half on diagonal twice.


## 4" Pinwheel

- cut (2) $31 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares, then
cut in half on diagonal once.
 Snail's Trail Block
A Snail's Trail block can be created by simply changing the colors of the triangles.


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