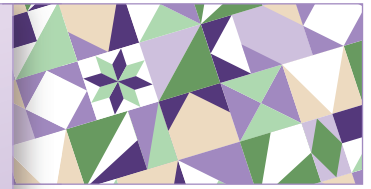


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BlockBusters

Stormy Chain

Made using Studio 180 Design's Diamond Rects®
and Four Patch Square Up® tools



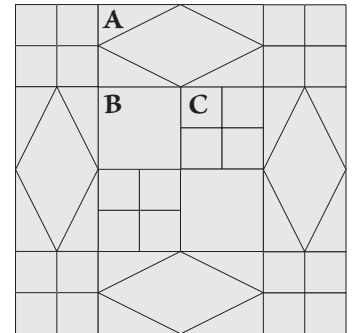
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Difficulty: ★★☆☆☆

All the instructions you need to make the Diamond Rects and Four Patch units required for this block came with your **Diamond Rects®** and **Four Patch Square Up®** tools. There are charts, step by step graphics, and directions. Determine the finished size you are making and cut the pieces required, then work your way through the instructions. These two units go together quickly and easily when you follow the instructions.

Diamond Rects are a little tricky, so remember to stitch with the diamond on top and use an accurate 1/4" seam. Pay attention to the placement of the side triangles so you have enough fabric where you need it for trimming. Pressing your seams open can help distribute the bulk at the intersection.

Here's a construction tip for the center unit made up of 2 B squares and 2 C four patch units. If you trim the center one more time after you stitch them together, you can get an even more accurate result. To do that, you need to make a few changes. First, cut your B squares 1/4" larger than stated in the chart. Then only trim the first 2 sides of the four patches. Stitch the C four patches to the B squares so that the untrimmed edges will be on the outside of the large unit. Now you can trim the unit with your Four Patch Trimmer one more time before final block assembly. The finished size for the double four patch is the same as the largest finished size measurement of the Diamond Rects unit.



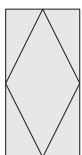
Cutting Chart

Unit	# of units required	4" Block	8" Block	12" Block
A: Diamond Rects	4	1" x 2" finished size 1½" x 2½" cut size	2" x 4" finished size 2½" x 4½" cut size	3" x 6" finished size 3½" x 6½" cut size
B: Squares	2	1½" x 1½" cut size	2½" x 2½" cut size	3½" x 3½" cut size
C: Four Patches	6	1" x 1" finished size 1½" x 1½" cut size	2" x 2" finished size 2½" x 2½" cut size	3" x 3" finished size 3½" x 3½" cut size



Unit Summary

Unit A



Unit B



Unit C

