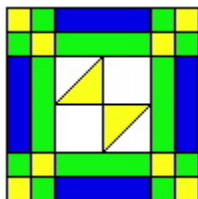


Bonus Block 2 Odds And Ends



Description:

The Odds and Ends Block is made from several smaller units that are then combined into the completed block. Half-square triangles and strip piecing are used to make the sections.

Fabric Requirements for one block:

Yellow: Focus Fabric, one strip 5 ½" wide by 22" long

Blue: Coordinating Color 1, one strip 3" wide by 27" long

Green: Coordinating Color 2, one strip 6" wide by width-of-fabric

White: Background, one strip 5 ½" wide by 13"

Cutting:

Background Fabric (Shown in White)	2 - 3 ½" squares 1 - 4 ½" square
Focus Fabric (Shown in Yellow)	1 - 4 ½" square 1 - 2 ½" wide by 17" long strip
Coordinate 1 (shown in Blue)	1 - 2 ½" wide by 27" long strip
Coordinate 2 (shown in Green)	1 - 2 ½" wide by 17" long strip 1 - 2 ½" wide by 27" long strip

Piecing:

- Sew the 27" strips of Coordinate 1 and Coordinate 2 together. Press the seam towards the darker fabric. Cut 4 sections from this strip set that are 6 ½" long.
- Take the 4 ½" squares of the focus fabric and the background fabric and sew two half-square triangle blocks from them using your favorite method. Finished blocks are to be 3 ½" in size.
- Sew the 17" strips of the focus fabric and Coordinate 2 together. Press the seam towards the darker fabric. Cut 8 sections from this strip set that are 2" long. Sew the sections together in pairs, being sure to alternate the direction of the sections. You will have 4 4-patches when completed. Press the seams open.
- Assemble the center block as follows:
 - Center Row 1 - Half-Square Triangle, Background Square
 - Center Row 2 - Background Square, Half-Square Triangle
 Press seams flat after sewing.
- Assemble the block in 4 rows as follows:
 - Row 1 - 4-Patch, Strip set, 4-Patch

- Row 2 - Strip Set, Center, Strip Set
- Row 3 - 4-Patch, Strip set, 4-Patch

Press seams flat after sewing.

NOTE: Refer to the figure above to make sure all units are turned correctly.

Note: Alternate direction of the seams to make it easier to put the rows together.

Skills to Learn/Reinforce:

Strip Piecing

Half-Square Triangles

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