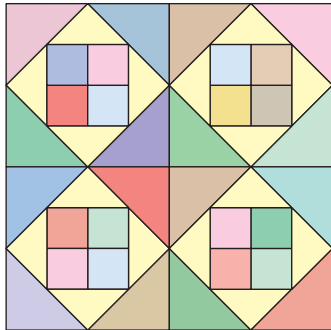


Project: Scrap Boxes



Block Assembly Diagram

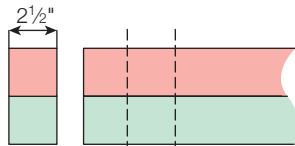


Diagram 1



Diagram 2

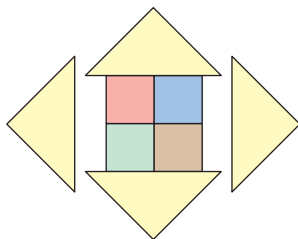


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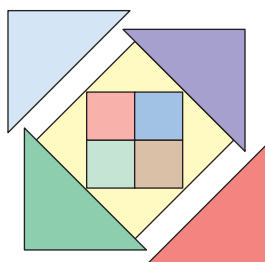


Diagram 4

Materials

- Assorted dark and light print scraps

Finished block: 16" square

Cut the Fabrics

From assorted dark prints, cut:

- 4—2½×21" strips
- 8—5" squares, cutting each in half diagonally for a total of 16 large triangles

From assorted light prints, cut:

- 8—4" squares, cutting each in half diagonally for a total of 16 small triangles

Assemble the Block

- Aligning long edges, sew together two dark print 2½×21" strips to make a strip set (Diagram 1). Press the seam allowance in one direction. Repeat to make a total of two strip sets. Cut the strip sets into eight 2½"-wide segments.
- Sew together two 2½"-wide segments to make a Four-Patch unit (Diagram 2). Press the seam allowance in one direction. The Four-Patch unit should measure 4½" square, including the seam allowances. Repeat to make a total of four Four-Patch units.
- Sew assorted light print triangles to opposite edges of a Four-Patch unit (Diagram 3). Sew assorted light print triangles to the remaining raw edges of the Four-Patch unit to make a subunit. Press the seam allowances toward the light print triangles. Repeat to make a total of four subunits. Leaving a ¼" seam allowance beyond the Four-Patch corners, trim the

edges of each pieced subunit so it measures 6¼" square, including the seam allowances.

- Sew assorted dark print triangles to opposite edges of a pieced subunit (Diagram 4). Sew assorted dark print triangles to the remaining raw edges of the subunit to make a quarter unit. Press the seam allowances toward the dark print triangles. Repeat to make a total of four quarter units. Trim the edges of each pieced quarter unit so it measures 8½" square, including the seam allowances.
- Lay out four quarter units in two rows. Sew together the units in pairs. Press the seam allowances in opposite directions. Then join the pairs to make a block (Block Assembly Diagram). Press the seam allowance in one direction.