

## Project: Bear's Paw

### Materials

- Solid black and solid pink scraps

**Finished block:** 14" square

### Cut the Fabrics

#### From solid black, cut:

- 8— $2\frac{7}{8}$ " squares, cutting each in half diagonally for a total of 16 triangles
- 4— $2\frac{1}{2} \times 6\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles
- 4— $2\frac{1}{2}$ " squares

#### From solid pink, cut:

- 4— $4\frac{1}{2}$ " squares
- 8— $2\frac{7}{8}$ " squares, cutting each in half diagonally for a total of 16 triangles
- 1— $2\frac{1}{2}$ " square

units in each row. Press the seam allowances toward the solid black  $2\frac{1}{2} \times 6\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles. Then join the rows to make a block (**Block Assembly Diagram**). Press the seam allowances toward the center row.



DIAGRAM 1

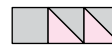


DIAGRAM 2

### Assemble the Block

1. Sew together a solid pink triangle and a solid black triangle to make a triangle-square (**Diagram 1**). Press the seam allowance toward the black triangle. Repeat to make a total of 16 triangle-squares.
2. Join two triangle-squares into a pair. Add the pair to one side of a solid pink  $4\frac{1}{2}$ " square (**Diagram 2**). Then join two triangle-squares and a solid black  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " square to make a unit. Press the seam allowances in one direction. Then add the unit to the adjacent edge of the solid pink square to make a paw unit. Press the seam allowance toward the pink square. The pieced paw unit should measure  $6\frac{1}{2}$ " square, including the seam allowances. Repeat to make a total of four paw units.
3. Lay out the four paw units, the solid pink  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " square, and four solid black  $2\frac{1}{2} \times 6\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles in three horizontal rows (**Diagram 3**). Sew together the

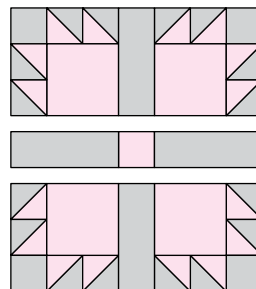
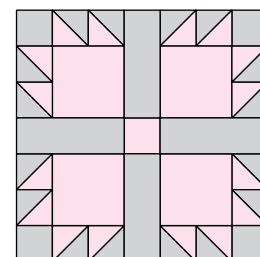


DIAGRAM 3



BLOCK ASSEMBLY DIAGRAM