

SEEING STARS - BLOCK 11

Rising Star

This is a 20" (20-1/2") block. No math or fancy rulers are needed.

Notes:

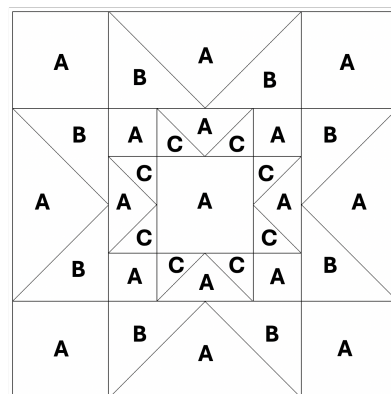
- **Choose the same background fabric** for your entire quilt. You will need approximately 6 yards of background fabric.
- **You will be making the same block in two different sizes.** The smaller block becomes the center of the larger block.

Fabrics / Quantity

Fabric A (Background): 12" x WOF

Fabric B (Star Points): 6" x 24"

Fabric C (Star Points): 3-1/2" x 14"



Cutting Instructions

Before cutting the fabrics, press them using Best Press or a similar product to stabilize the fabric and make it easier to work with.

Fabric A: Cut [1] 11-1/4" square and [1] 6-1/4" square.

- **Subcut** both the 11-1/4" and the 6-1/4" squares diagonally, corner to corner, in both directions. **See Diagram 1.**
- **Cut** [4] 3" squares and [5] 5-1/2" squares.

Fabric B: Cut [4] 6" squares.

- **Subcut** the 6" squares diagonally, corner to corner, in one direction. **See Diagram 2.**

Fabric C: Cut [4] 3-1/2" squares.

- **Subcut** the 3-1/2" squares diagonally, corner to corner, in one direction. **See Diagram 2.**

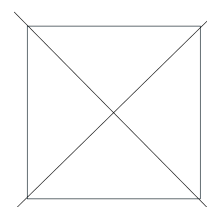


Diagram 1

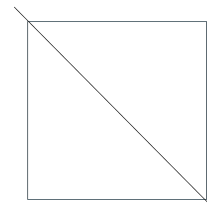


Diagram 2

Block Assembly - Small Star

Step 1: Arrange and sew the Fabric B triangles to the left side of the Fabric A triangles.

- Arrange and sew** the remaining Fabric C triangles to the right sides of the Fabric A-C units. Press. **See Diagram 3.**
- Make [4].** Press. These units should measure 3" x 5-1/2".

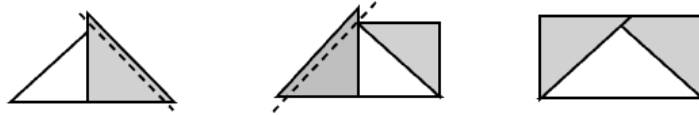
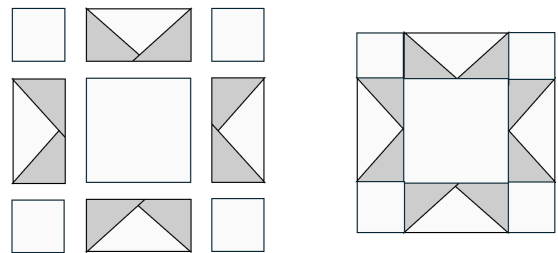


Diagram 3

Step 2: Arrange the units into rows: **See Diagram 4.**

- Row 1:** 3" Fabric A square / A-C Unit / 3" Fabric A square. Press
- Row 2:** A-C Unit / 5-1/2" Fabric A square / A-C Unit. Press
- Row 3:** 3" Fabric A square / A-C Unit / 3" Fabric A square. Press



Step 3: Arrange and sew the rows together. Press.

Diagram 4

Block Assembly - Large Star

Step 1: **Arrange and sew** the Fabric B triangles to the left side of the Fabric A triangles.

- Arrange and sew** the remaining Fabric B triangles to the right sides of the Fabric A-B units. Press. **See Diagram 3.**
- Make [4].** Press. These units should measure 5-1/2" x 10-1/2".

Step 2: Arrange the units into rows: **See Diagram 5.**

- Row 1:** 5-1/2" Fabric A square / A-B Unit / 5-1/2" Fabric A square. Press
- Row 2:** A-B Unit / Small Star Block / A-B Unit. Press
- Row 3:** 5-1/2" Fabric A square / A-B Unit / 5-1/2" Fabric A square. Press

Step 3: Arrange and sew the rows together. Press.

Your completed block should measure 20-1/2" square.

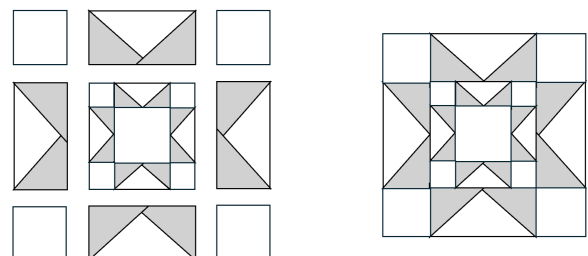


Diagram 5

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