

HALF SQUARE TRIANGLE BLOCK #5



Unfinished block measures 12 ½" square

Cutting:

Red: Cut two 4" squares

White: Cut three 4" squares, Six 3 ½" squares, and one 7" square

Blue: Cut one 4" square and one 7" square



Step #1:

Place the 7-inch white square on top of the 7-inch blue square. Draw a diagonal line on the back of the white square and sew ¼" on each side of the drawn line, then cut apart on the middle line. Press toward the dark blue and trim to measure 6 ½" square. **Set aside the extra 6-½" HST as it will be used in next months block.**



Step #2

Place a 4" white square on top of the remaining blue and red 4" squares, draw a diagonal line on the back of each white square and sew ¼" on each side of the drawn line. Cut apart on the middle line, press toward the darker colors and trim the square to measure 3 ½" square.

Step #3:

Lay out the blocks as shown. Sew together into three rows and then sew the rows together to form the block.

