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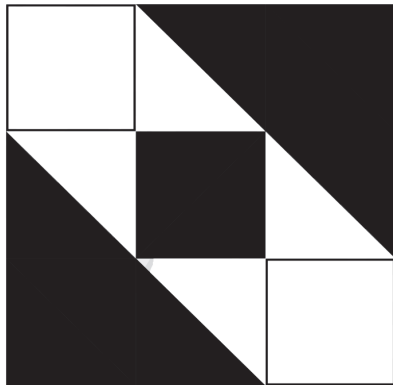


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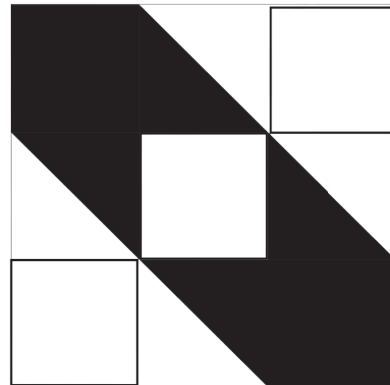
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- Make the same block twice
- Blocks are mirror images
- Unfinished block size is  $9\frac{1}{2}$ "



Block 7a.



Block 7b.

2 contrasting fabrics -  $\frac{1}{8}$  yard each

Label your fabrics #1 and #2 (It doesn't matter which way you label them)

From each of the fabrics cut:

(1)  $3\frac{7}{8}$ " x WOF strip

Cut (4)  $3\frac{7}{8}$ " squares

Trim remaining fabric down to  $3\frac{1}{2}$ "

Cut (5)  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " squares

**Block 7a.** Take (2)  $3\frac{7}{8}$ " squares from fabric #1 and (2)  $3\frac{7}{8}$ " squares from fabric #2. Place one square of each fabric right sides together and draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of one of the squares. Pin. Stitch a scant  $\frac{1}{4}$ " away from both sides of the drawn line. Cut apart on the drawn line and you have two sewn half square triangle units! Repeat this process to yield four sewn  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " half square triangle units. See diagram below.

Take (3)  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " squares from fabric #2 and place them in the lower left corner, upper right corner and the center. Take (2)  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " squares from fabric #1 and lay them in the upper left corner and the lower right corner. Place your half square triangle units as shown in Block 7a. diagram above and sew together.

**Block 7b.** Take (2)  $3\frac{7}{8}$ " squares from fabric #2 and (2)  $3\frac{7}{8}$ " squares from fabric #1. Place one square of each fabric right sides together and draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of one of the squares. Pin. Stitch a scant  $\frac{1}{4}$ " away from both sides of the drawn line. Cut apart on the drawn line and you have two sewn half square triangle units! Repeat this process to yield four sewn  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " half square triangle units. See diagram below.

Take (3) 3 ½" squares from fabric #1 and place them in the lower left corner, upper right corner and the center. Take (2) 3 ½" squares from fabric #2 and lay them in the upper left corner and the lower right corner. Place your half square triangle units as shown in Block 7b. diagram above and sew together.

