

September Challenge BOTM 2019 “Septembers Double Surprise”

Use 100% cotton fabric and 1/4” seams
This month you will make 2 identical blocks!

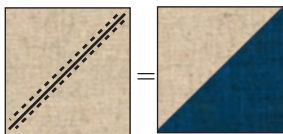
COLORS: Blue print (Nothing too bright – more a “denim” color) and Tans/Creams/Off-White prints

FABRIC REQUIREMENTS: Less than a fat quarter – probably not even a fat eighth! Great for SCRAPS!

CUTTING MEASUREMENTS – *from each color* cut the following:

- 1 – 5” squares
- 2 – 2-1/2” squares
- 2 – 2 x 4-1/2” rectangles
- 2 – 2 x 6” rectangles

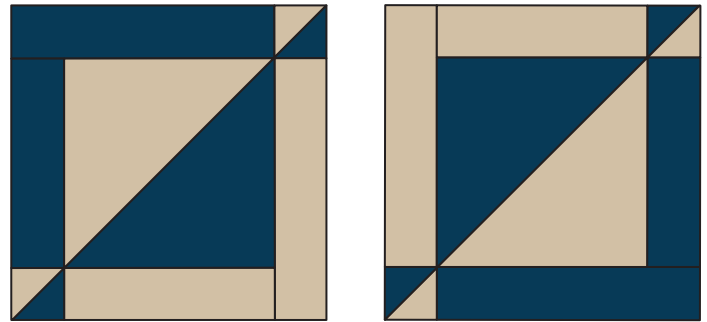
1. Put the two (one of each color) 5” squares right-sides together. Draw a line from one corner to the other and sew a SCANT 1/4” on either side of the line. Cut down middle to create two half-square triangles. Trim to 4-1/2”. Use one for each center of your two blocks.



2. Do the same thing with two (2) of the smaller 2-1/2” squares, creating (4) smaller half-square triangles. Trim to 2” square.
3. Sew a light 2” x 4-1/2” rectangle to the dark sides of each of your center HSTs.



4. Sew a light 2” x 6” rectangle to the top dark side of the rectangle you just made in Step 3.

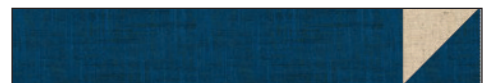


Two 7-1/2” Unfinished Blocks

5. Sew the small HSTs to the ends of the remaining dark rectangles (4 in all) making sure that the dark points of the small triangles are aiming in the same direction as the center dark triangle



6. Sew the shorter dark rectangle on first and then sew the longer dark rectangle on last.



7. Trim the squares to 7-1/2”.