

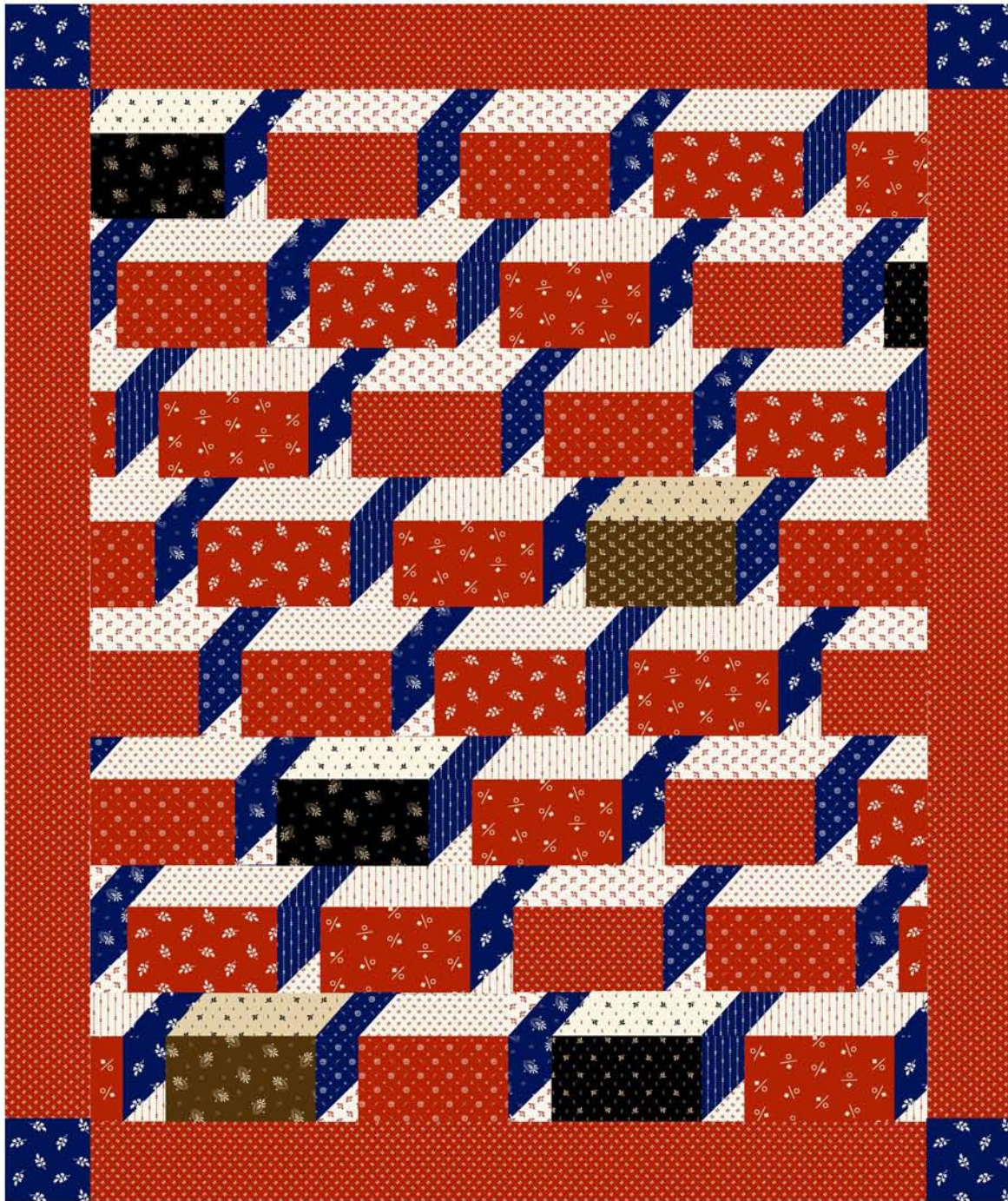


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Fabric	SKU	Amount	Placement
	35201-5	1 1/3 yards	Border and Lining
	35204-5	1/8 yard	Brick Faces
	35202-5	1/8 yard	Brick Faces
	35206-5	1/8 yard	Brick Faces
	35201-4	1/8 yard	Brick Tops
	35203-4	1/8 yard	Brick Tops
	35205-4	1/8 yard	Brick Tops
	35203-7	1/8 yard	Brick Shadows
	35204-7	1/8 yard	Brick Shadows
	35206-7	1/8 yard	Brick Shadows & Cornerstones
	35208-7	1/8 yard	Brick Shadows
	35208-8	Scraps	Brick Face
	35207-6	Scraps	Brick Top
	35207-1	Scraps	Brick Face
	35208-1	Scraps	Brick Face
	35207-2	Scraps	Brick Top



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This beautiful mini quilt is an optical illusion. After you have the center made, turn it upside down. Completely different look! You choose which way you want the top to be. The picture on the front suggests the placements of the brown/black brick faces, but, once again, you can pick where they go and how many of them you want. You should cut a tan top for each brown/black brick face, however.

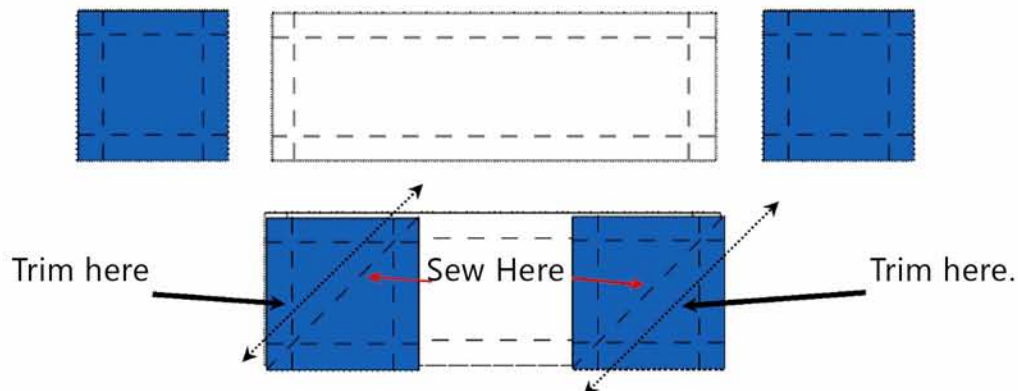
ALL SEAMS ARE 1/4" UNLESS OTHER WISE STATED.

Cut the following keeping each cut separate and all pieces of that cut together. Putting each group on an individual paper plate is a good way to collect and separate them.

1. From the red border fabric, cut 4 strips lengthwise 30" x 2 1/2".
2. From cornerstone navy fabric, cut 4 pieces 2 1/2" x 2 1/2". Put with border strips.
3. From the assorted reds and the remainder of the border fabric, cut 27 pieces 3 1/2" x 2 1/2". Label as Brick Faces for units C & F..
4. From the scraps of dark fabrics, cut 5 pieces 3 1/2" x 2 1/2". Label as Brick Faces for unit C.
5. From assorted reds, cut 4 pieces 2 1/2" x 2 1/2". Label as Partial Brick for units I & D.
6. From assorted reds, cut 3 pieces 1 1/2" x 2 1/2". Label as Partial Brick Faces for units H & E.
7. From scrap of a dark fabric, cut 1 piece 1 1/2" x 2 1/2". Label as Partial Brick Face for unit E.
8. From assorted navy fabrics, cut 36 pieces 1 1/2" x 1 1/2". Label as Brick Sides for all units.
9. From assorted navy and cream fabrics, cut 20 of navy and 20 of cream 2" squares. (Total of 36 squares.) Label as Brick Corners.
10. Cut 25 assorted cream fabrics and 5 tan fabrics, for a total of 30 pieces 4 1/2" x 1 1/2". Label Brick Tops for unit A.
11. From the cream fabrics, cut 4 pieces 3 1/2" x 1 1/2". Label Partial Brick Tops for units I & F.
12. From assorted cream fabric, cut 4 pieces 2 1/2" x 1 1/2". Label Partial Brick Tops for units D & H.
13. From assorted navy fabrics, cut 66 pieces 1 1/2" x 1 1/2". Label Top Corners for all units.

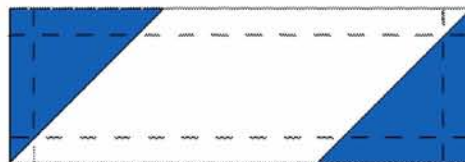
To begin assembly, we will make various units and then put them together to form the blocks.

Unit A-Brick Tops. Take a 4 1/2" x 1 1/2" light piece from Brick Tops pile. On each end, sew a 1 1/2" square diagonally. Sew each diagonal from the bottom left corner to the top right corner as shown below:



Trim 1/4" away from the seam and press seams toward the dark.

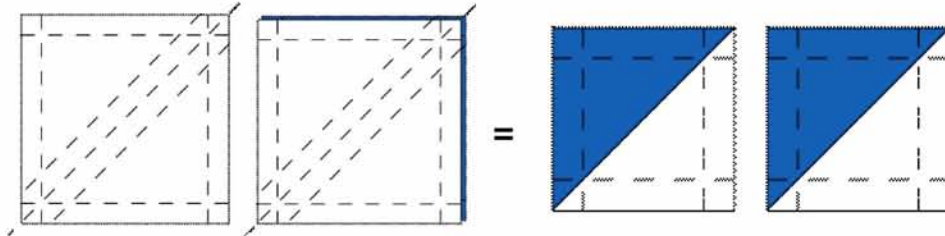
Make 30. Label Brick Tops.



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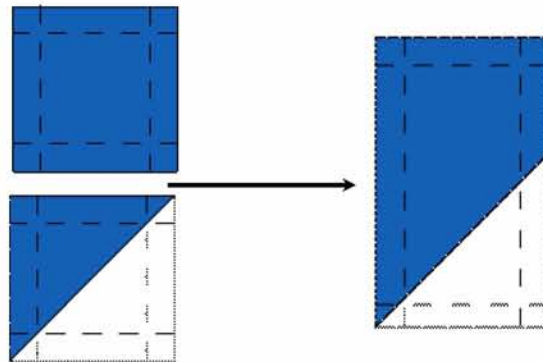
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1/2 Square Triangles. On wrong side of 20 light 2" squares, draw lines 1/4" away from center as shown below. Layer a dark and a light square and sew on the lines you have drawn. Cut apart along center line. Press toward dark. Carefully trim each to 1 1/2" square.



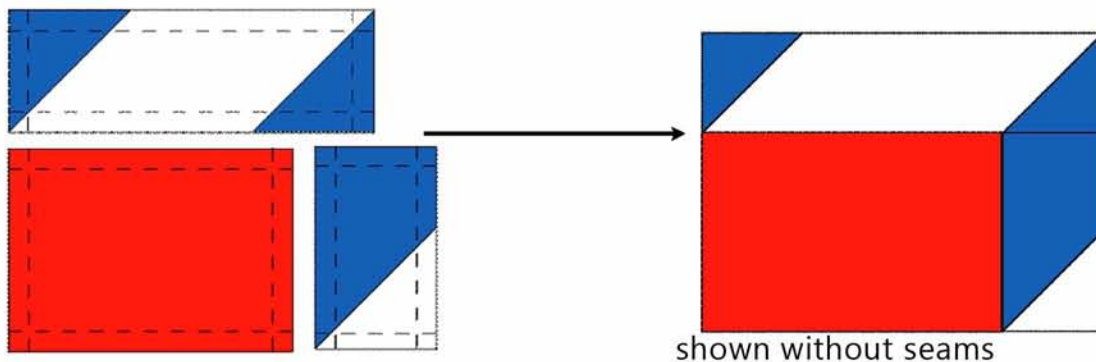
Make 40 - 1 1/2" squares. These will be used in several units.

Unit B. Take one 1/2 square triangle and a dark 1 1/2" Brick Side square. Sew together as shown below:



Make 40. These will be used in several units. Label Unit B.

Unit C. On each Brick Face sew a Unit B on the right side of the piece. Press to the Brick Face. Add a Unit A on top as shown below and press the seam OPEN:



Make 25 with red faces and 5 with dark faces for a total of 30. Label Unit C.



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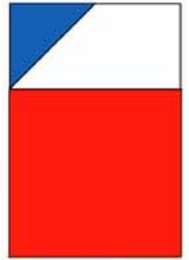


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Partial Bricks:

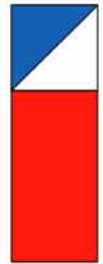
Unit D. Sew a dark 1 1/2" block on a 2 1/2" x 1 1/2" light brick top on the left side of the top. Trim and press toward the dark as shown in Unit A. Sew on top of a 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" brick face as shown below pressing seam open:

Make 2. Label Unit D.



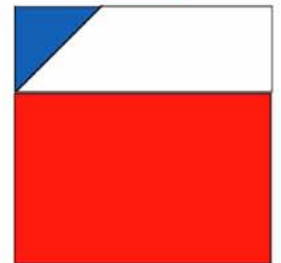
Unit E. Take 1 red and 1 dark piece 1 1/2" x 2 1/2". Sew a half square unit on top as shown below pressing seam open:

Make 1 red and 1 dark. Label Unit E.



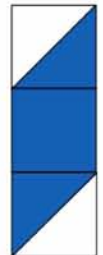
Unit F. Sew a dark 1 1/2" block on a 3 1/2" x 1 1/2" light brick top. Trim and press toward the dark. Sew on top of a 3 1/2" x 2 1/2" brick face as shown below pressing seam open:

Make 2. Label Unit F.



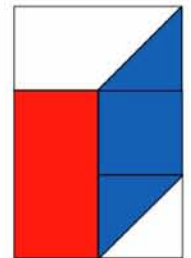
Unit G. Sew a 1/2 square unit on top of Unit B to make the unit shown below.

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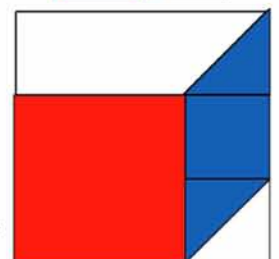
Unit H. Sew a 1" square on the right side of a light 2 1/2" x 1 1/2" piece. Trim and press to the dark. Sew a Unit B to the right side of a 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" partial brick face to create the unit shown below pressing seam open:

Make 2. Label Unit H.



Unit I. Sew a 1" square on the right side of a light 3 1/2" x 1 1/2" piece. Trim and press to the dark. Sew a Unit B to the right side of a 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" partial brick face. Sew the 3 1/2" x 1 1/2" piece to the top to create the unit shown below pressing seam open:

Make 2. Label Unit I.





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The blocks are all done now. Following the layout below, lay out the rows and sew together. Then sew the rows together.

When the quilt center is complete, press well and measure the center of the quilt from top to bottom and from side to side. Trim your borders to these measurements. Sew the side borders on. Sew the cornerstones to the top and bottom borders and attach them to the quilt.

Cut a batting to the size of the finished quilt, which is to say, take off the seam allowances. You don't want batting in the outside seams. Baste or pin batting to back of quilt top.

Turn quilt batting side up and carefully smooth it out on the right side of the backing. Rough trim around the edges. Sew around the quilt leaving 8" open at the center of the bottom. Turn right side out and whip stitch the bottom seam closed.

Quilt as desired.

Turn the quilt upside down. Decide which way you want the top to be. Whip stitch a sleeve on the top. Better yet, stitch a sleeve on both top and bottom and switch the direction when whenever you get bored!

Enjoy!!!

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