





In the hustle and bustle of camp life, it's nice to take a moment to stop and smell the flowers. These tulip blocks are the optional cornerstone blocks for the first round. Whether to add cornerstone blocks is completely up to you--choose what works best for your quilt!

NOTE: This is one post in a series of quilt-along posts. Start from the beginning with the first post {here}. Each block requires three fabrics (A, B, and background) and finishes at 3 inches square.

INGREDIENTS

makes four cornerstone blocks

Fabric A:

- [4] 3 ½" by 2" rectangles
- [2] 2 ½" squares

Fabric B:

• [4] 1 ¼" square

Background Fabric:

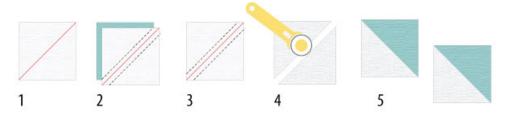
- [4] 1 ¼" square
- [4] 2" by 1 1/4" rectangles
- [4] 2" square
- [2] 2 ½" square

INSTRUCTIONS

Assembling the Block

First, we will assemble the half-square triangles.

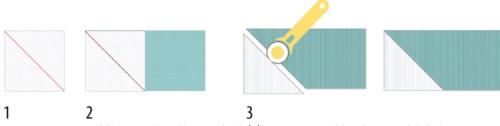
HALF-SQUARE TRIANGLES (HSTs)



- 1. Draw a line on the diagonal of the wrong side of (1) 2½" background square.
- 2. Pair with (1) 2½" square of fabric A.
- 3. Sew 1/4" away from each side of the pencil line.
- 4. Cut on the pencil line.
- 5. Press towards the darker fabric and square up to 2".

Next, we will assemble the Easy Corner Triangles (ECTs).

EASY CORNER TRIANGLES (ECTs)

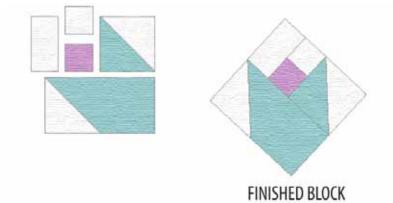


- 1. Draw a pencil line on the diagonal of (1) 2" square of background fabric.
- 2. Match the background fabric to the left edge of (1) 3½" by 2" rectangle of fabric A and sew along the pencil line.
- 3. Trim 1/4" to the left of the pencil line and press toward darker fabric.

Finally, we will assemble the block.

Take a $1\frac{1}{4}$ " square of Fabric B and a $1\frac{1}{4}$ " square of background fabric. Sew together. Press towards fabric B. Sew a 2" by $1\frac{1}{4}$ " rectangle of background fabric to the side of the two squares with the square of fabric B in the lower right corner. Press towards the rectangle.

Join HST and ECT units as shown below.



Repeat to make a total of four cornerstone blocks.

YIELD

The Tulip Field block finishes at 3" square (measures 3.5" square unfinished).

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