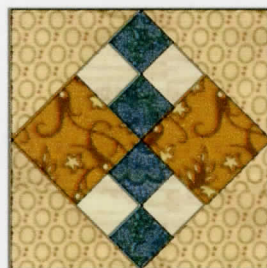


# Four Patch on Point

This makes an 8-1/2" FINISHED block !

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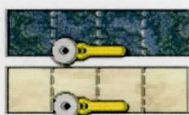


I show it here in reproduction 1800's fabrics! You can find lots at [reproductionfabrics.com](http://reproductionfabrics.com) !

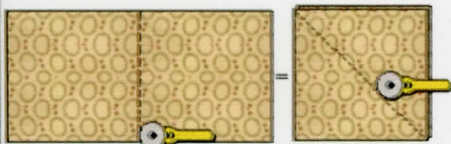
## \*\* Preparing the Pieces and Sewing the Block \*\*



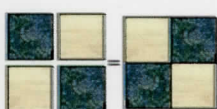
Start by cutting the Color 1 3-1/2" x 7" strip into two 3-1/2" squares...



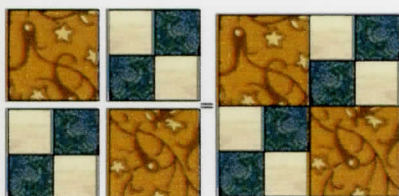
Now cut the Color 2 and Color 3 2" x 8" strips into four 2" squares of each...



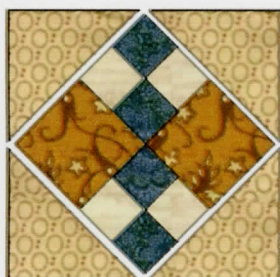
Next cut the Color 4 5-1/8" x 10-1/4" strip into two 5-1/8" squares. Stack these and cut them once on the diagonal to make four half square triangles...



Sew Color 2 and Color 3 squares together using all scant 1/4" seam allowances to make two four patch units as shown at left. Press all seams to darker sides. Trim to measure 3-1/2" if needed...



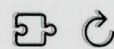
Then sew the two four patch and two Color 1 squares together to make the block's center unit...



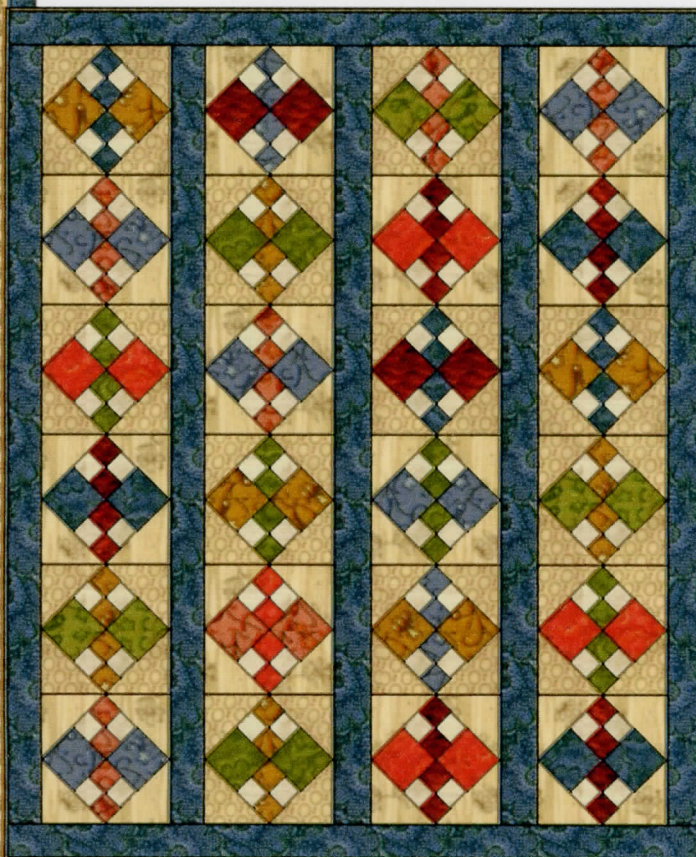
Sew Color 4 half square triangles to opposing sides of the center unit, and then to the two remaining open sides...and the block is all done! Square off if needed, to measure 8-1/2", being sure to leave the 1/4" seam allowance beyond the square tips!

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## Four Patch on Point - Page 2



Here you see the block as an old fashioned Strippy Quilt, with haphazardly arranged blocks! [ If you'd rather make 12" blocks the Large outer corner triangles are half square triangles cut from two 6-7/8" squares-The Larger center squares are each 4-3/4, and The Smaller center squares are each 2-5/8"!]

Happy Quilting Folks!

Marcia :o)

Here's Dessa's! Shannon W's!  
Mary's!

**\*\* Supplies List \*\***



Color 1 Color 1 needs: one 3-1/2" x 7" strip



Color 2 Color 2 needs: one 2" x 8" strip



Color 3 Color 3 needs: one 2" x 8" strip



Color 4 Color 4 needs: one 5-1/8" x 10-1/4" strip

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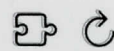
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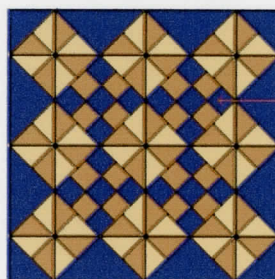
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Traditional Block

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## How to Make Setting Triangles



← Corner Setting Triangle

← Alternate Block

← Primary Block

← Side Setting Triangle



Time to get the Calculator! This involves some Formulas! I'll show you how to do the math, and include some pre-calculated sizes below!

### CORNER SETTING TRIANGLES:

**Finished** block size divided by 1.414, plus .875 for seams, rounded up to the nearest 1/8" Make **SQUARE** this size and cut it in half once on the diagonal to make two corner half square triangles.

### SIDE SETTING TRIANGLES:

**Finished** block size multiplied by 1.414, plus 1.25 for seams, rounded up to the nearest 1/8" Make **SQUARE** this size and cut in half twice on the diagonal to make four side quarter square triangles.

### EXAMPLE:

To accompany a finished 12" block, for the corner triangles...

$$12 / 1.414 = 8.489 + .875 = 9.364 \text{ or } 9\text{-}3/8" \text{ square, cut in half once diagonally}$$

and for the side triangles...

$$12 \times 1.414 = 16.968 + 1.25 = 18.218 \text{ or } 18\text{-}1/4" \text{ square, cut in half twice diagonally}$$

### Common Setting Triangle Sizes

Finished Block Size	Side Triangles	Corner Triangles
4"	7"	3-3/4"
5"	8-3/8"	4-1/2"
6"	9-3/4"	5-1/8"
7"	11-1/4"	5-7/8"
8"	12-5/8"	6-5/8"
9"	14"	7-1/4"
10"	15-1/2"	8"
12"	18-1/4"	9-3/8"
14"	21-1/8"	10-7/8"
15"	22-1/2"	11-1/2"
16"	23-7/8"	12-1/4"