Wonky Log Cabin Block

This block is jelly roll or fat quarter friendly as it uses 2 ½ " strips. It makes an awesome scrappy quilt!
- press away from the center square
- always stitch with RST (right sides together)
- use a scant ¼ inch seam allowance

USE LIGHT FLORAL SCRAPS

This makes an 11-1/2" unfinished block

CUTTING DIRECTIONS TO MAKE ONE BLOCK:
• cut 1 – 2 ½ " x 2 ½ " square
• cut 1 – 2 ½ " x 2 ½ " square and sew to the bottom of your center square
• cut 2 – 2 ½ " x 4 ½ " rectangles and sew the first one to the left of the 2 squares and the second one to the top
• cut 1 – 2 ½ " x 6 ½ " rectangle and sew it to the right side of the pieced block
• place a 5 ½” square ruler on the block (tilted) making sure your corners are on the fabric block and trim to make a 5 ½” square...

It is now looking wonky!!

...from this point on
always add your next strip to the side of the block that has 2 seam allowances...
continue to add 4 more strips to the wonky 5 ½" square always adding to the side with 2 seam allowances
• cut 1 – 2 ½ " x 5 ½ "
• cut 2 – 2 ½ " x 7 ½ "
• cut 1 – 2 ½ " x 9 ½ "
• using an 8 ½ " square ruler and positioning the ruler (tilted) so all corners are on the fabric block, trim to make an 8 ½ " square....

• continue to add 4 more strips in the same manner
• cut 1 - 2. ½ " x 8 ½ "
• cut 2 – 2 ½ " x 10 ½ "
• cut 1 – 2 ½ " x 12 ½ "
• I didn't have a 11 1/2" x 11 1/2" ruler, so I made a paper template 11 1/2" x 11 1/2" making sure it was all on the fabric block. I then placed my 12 ½ " square ruler on top of the paper template and trimmed.

11 1/2" x 11 1/2" block

There are lots of possibilities with this block....