

Block #30 - Illusions Block

Finished Block Size 12 X 12 inches



Below, you will find cutting and piecing instructions for a single Illusions Block. Please read the entire pattern over before beginning. A quarter inch seam should be used for all piecing. WOF is Width of Fabric. Typical Quilting Fabric is 43/44 inches wide.

FABRIC REQUIREMENTS - SINGLE BLOCK

White - One strip 2 1/2 inch X WOF

Black - One strip 2 1/2 X 15 inch

Red - One strip 3 1/2 X 20 inch

CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS

White - Cut two rectangles 2 1/2 X 6 1/2 inches.

Cut two rectangles 2 1/2 X 4 1/2 inches.

Cut two squares 2 1/2 X 2 1/2 inches.

Cut two rectangles 1 1/2 X 4 1/2 inches.

Cut two rectangles 1 1/2 X 3 1/2 inches.

Black - Cut two rectangles 2 1/2 X 4 1/2 inches.

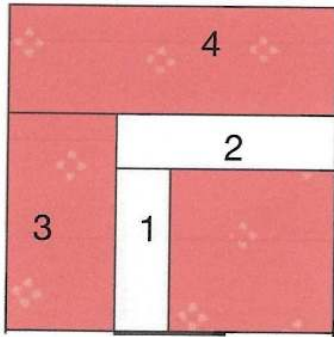
Cut two squares 2 1/2 X 2 1/2 inches.

Red - Cut one rectangle 2 1/2 X 6 1/2 inches.

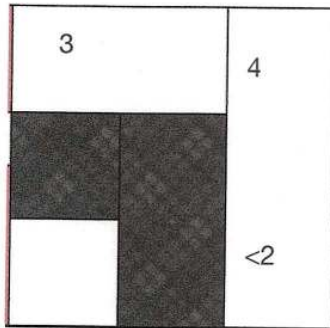
Cut one rectangle 2 1/2 X 4 1/2 inches.

Cut two squares 3 1/2 X 3 1/2 inches.

PIECING INSTRUCTIONS



1. Let's begin by piecing the red/white quadrants of this block. Sew a white rectangle ($3\frac{1}{2} \times 1\frac{1}{2}$) to a Red square ($3\frac{1}{2} \times 3\frac{1}{2}$). Press towards red.
2. Next add a white rectangle ($4\frac{1}{2} \times 1\frac{1}{2}$) to the top side of that unit.
3. Add a red rectangle ($2\frac{1}{2} \times 6\frac{1}{2}$) to left side of red/white unit. Press To red.
4. Add red rectangle ($2\frac{1}{2} \times 6\frac{1}{2}$ inches) to top of block.
5. Make two of these units.



Next onto the white and black quadrants!

1. Stitch a white $2\frac{1}{2}$ inch square to a black $2\frac{1}{2}$ inch square. Press towards black fabric.
2. Now add a black rectangle as shown in diagram to left.
3. Add a white $2\frac{1}{2} \times 4\frac{1}{2}$ inch rectangle to the top edge of pieced unit as shown in diagram.
4. Lastly add a $2\frac{1}{2} \times 6\frac{1}{2}$ inch white rectangle to the right hand side of pieced unit.
5. Make two!

Assemble your block using the diagram on from page for reference and we are done another block!