

BOM Block 9

EQ8 Joseph's Coat

Cutting Instructions: (for two blocks)

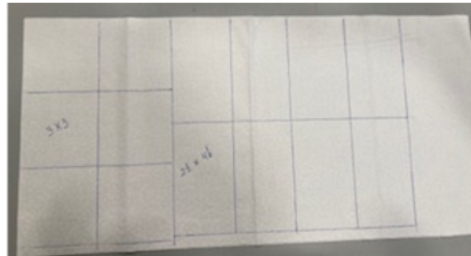
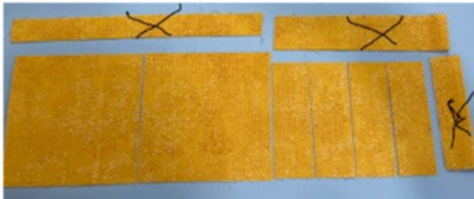
Red: (16) 2 ½" squares.

Dark blue: (16) 2 ½" squares.

Light aqua: (4) 3" squares and (2) 4 ½" squares.

White: (16) 2 ½" x 4 ½" rectangles and (12) 3" squares.

Dark yellow: (4) 5" squares and (8) 1 ½" x 4 ½" rectangles.



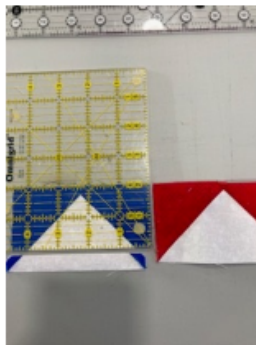
Construction:

- Red and dark blue Flying Geese (FG):** draw a diagonal line on the back of the red and blue squares. Using the flip-and-sew method, place a 2 ½" red square on top of a white 2 ½" x 4 ½" rectangle and sew on the line. Press away from the white square. **Start sewing in the center, not on the point.** Trim off the back fabrics. Sew a red square on the other side of the white rectangle, using the same procedure.

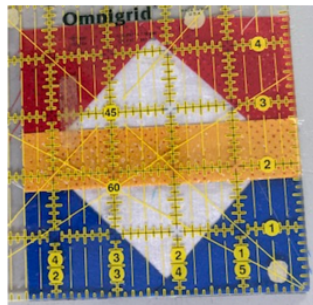
Cut back this rectangle to a 2" x 4 ½" FG, with ¼" seam allowance at the point.

Repeat with the other white 2 ½" x 4 ½" rectangles, using red and blue squares.

Makes 8 red/blue pairs.



2. **FG units:** Sandwich the yellow $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " strips between the white sides of a red and a blue FG. Press to the yellow strip. This will be a $4\frac{1}{2}$ " square.



3. **Center row** of the block: sew the aqua $4\frac{1}{2}$ " squares to the blue sides of two FG units. Press to the aqua square.



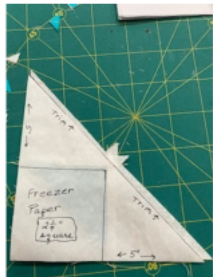
4. **Corner units:** on the back of four 3" white squares draw a diagonal line and place on top of the 3" aqua squares. Sew $\frac{1}{4}$ " from the drawn line on both sides. Cut on the line. Square up to $2\frac{1}{2}$ ". Press to the aqua side. This will make 8 HST.



Cut the remaining (8) 3" white squares on the diagonal. Sew these to the aqua sides of the white/aqua HST: The 90° point of the white triangle will lie on top of the aqua/white intersection of the HST. Press to white side.

Place another 90° point of a white triangle on the other side of the HST, again placing it on top of the other aqua/white intersection and sew along the aqua side of the HST.

Use a Freezer Paper template cut diagonally from a 5" square to trim the triangle to proper size.



Cut the dark yellow 5" squares on the diagonal and sew these to the white/aqua triangles. Press to the yellow side. Square up to 4 1/2" square.



5. Top and bottom rows: Sew a FG unit between two corner units, with the yellow triangle on the blue end of the FG. Press to the yellow side. Repeat with the remaining units.

6. Sew these to the center units. Square up to 12 1/2".

