

Half Block Sixteen

Background Fabric—Cut:

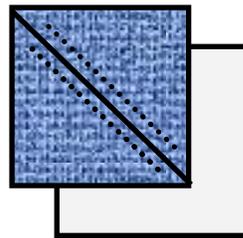
- HST—Two—5 inch squares, finish 4 1/2
- HST—Four—3 inch squares, finish 2 1/2
- TriRec—2 sets—5 inches x 11 inches—Tri unit
- One—3 inch square, cut on the diagonal
- Two—2 1/2 x 4 1/2 inch rectangles
- One—4 1/2 inch square

Snowflake Main Fabric—Cut:

- HST—Two—Five—5 inch squares, finish 4 1/2
- HST—Four—3 inch squares, finish 2 1/2
- Tri Rec—2 sets—5 inches x 12—Rec unit
- One—3 inch square, cut on diagonal
- One—2 1/2 inch square

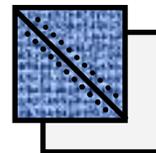
Step One

A. Half-Square Triangles—using the Two—5 inch blocks of the background and Snowflake fabric, made a set of HST's by drawing a line down the center and sewing a *scant quarter* inch on each side of line. Make 2 sets.



Cut apart, press and square down to 4 1/2 inches, should have 4 total.

B. Using the same method, using the Four—3 inch snowflake and background fabric, make four sets of HST's. Cut apart, press and square down to 2 1/2 inches. You will have a total of 8.



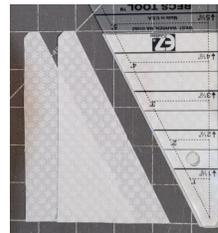
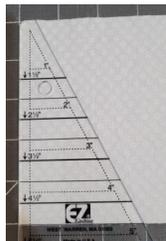
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Step Two

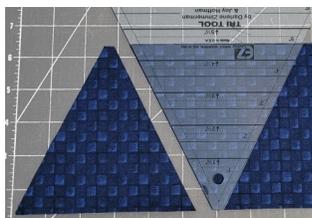
**note—examples shown below are in opposite colors. Triangle should be background and Rec unit should be Snowflake fabric*

Tri Rec Blocks— The blocks need to be 4 1/2 inch square—I'm using a 5 inch strip and square down to 4.5 inches. If you're confident in your sewing ability (I'm not!), you can use a 4.5 inch strip of fabric.

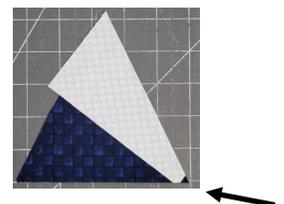
Using the **Background** 5 x 11 inch strip, cut 2 Tri units.



Add Recs to Tri units, by matching the corners (see arrow). Add both sides and to Tri. Fold Block in half by matching corner seams and use the center fold (2 1/4) mark to square up to 4 1/2 inches.

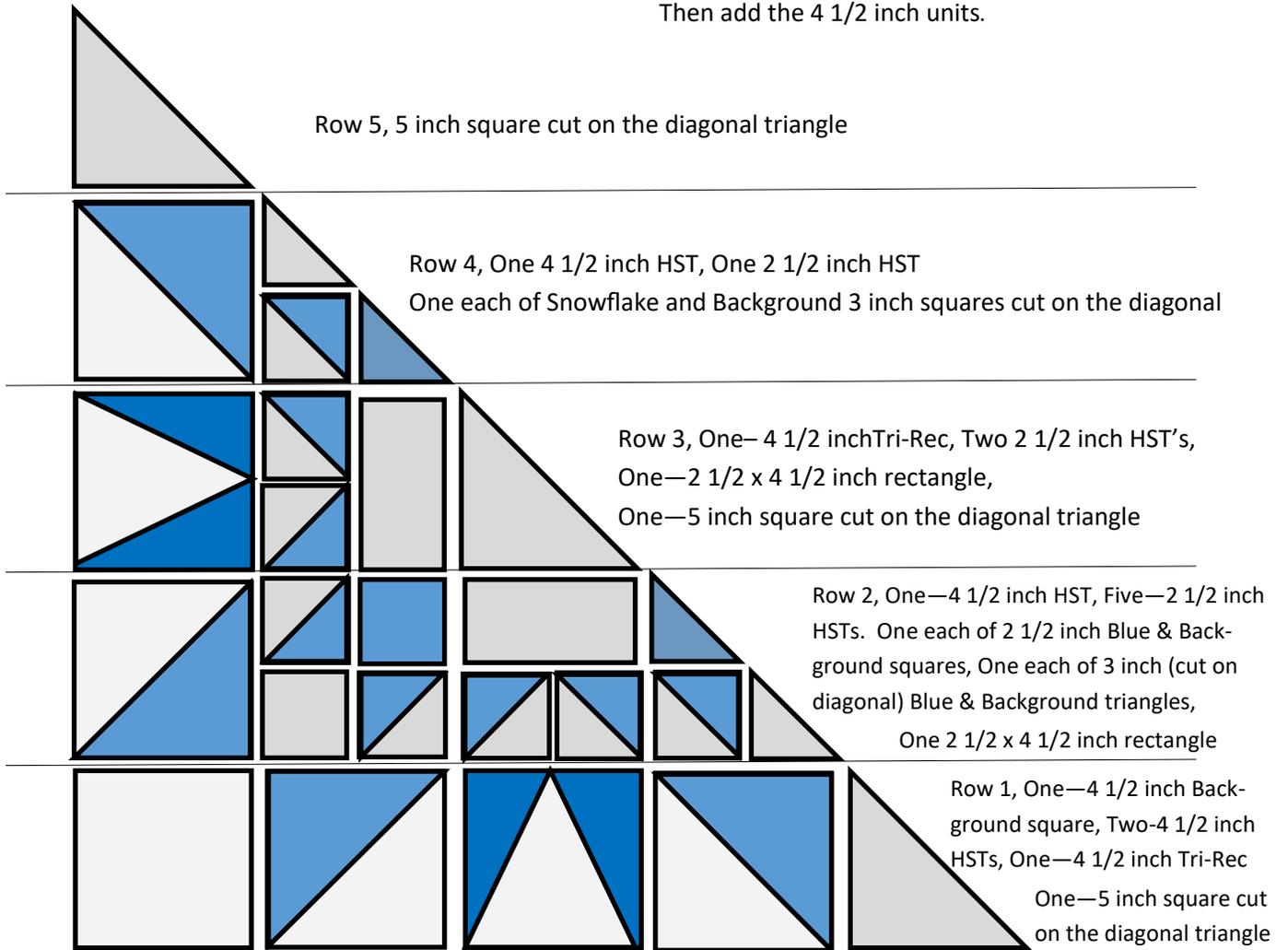


Using the 5 x 12 **Blue Snowflake** strip, fold in half, with wrong sides together, cut out 2 sets of



Block Assembly

Assemble as shown by rows. You will have one half of a 5 inch square cut on the diagonals not used. First assemble the 2 1/2 inch units in each row unit. Then add the 4 1/2 inch units.



Pic is prior to trimming. Should be 14 1/2 inches with seam allowance

Trim to 20 1/2 inches

Width should be 14 1/2 inches

