

This is a pattern by Sanae Kamei which I changed just a bit. We're going to use a bright batik (A) for the "flower", a yellow (Y) for the center, some cream (C) or ecru, a green (G) batik of your choice and some black (B)...black on black is fine but no prints, please.

From your "flower" batik (A), cut:

2 each 2" x 4 1/8" strips

From your yellow (Y) cut:

1 each 2" square (for center)

From the cream (C) or ecru cut:

2" x 3 1/2" strip, subcut into

1 each 2" x 4 1/8" strip

6 each 2" squares

4 each 2" x 5" rectangles

From the green (G) batik cut:

4 each 2" squares

4 each 2 1/2" squares (for half square triangles with black)

From the black (B) cut:

4 each 2" squares

4 each 2 1/2" squares (for half square triangles with green)



Begin by making your 9 patch "flower". Stitch together long sides of a 2" x 4 1/8" "flower" batik (A) strip and the 2" x 4 1/8" cream (C) strip, then add the other 2" x 4 1/8" "flower" batik (A) strip A/C/A. Press to A, then cut into two each 2" segments.



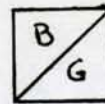
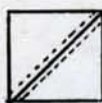
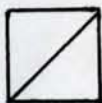
Assemble 2" squares Cream (C)/Yellow (Y)/Cream (C) C/Y/C into a strip.



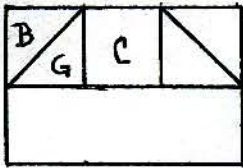
Assemble your 9-patch following diagram, press and square to measure 5"



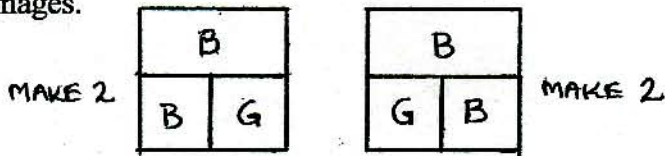
Using the 2 1/2" green(G) and 2 1/2" black(B) squares, make half square triangles by placing a green square face down on a black square. Draw a diagonal line on the back of the green square, stitch 1/4" on each side of the drawn line, cut on the drawn line, open and press to black. Repeat process to make a total of 8 half square triangle units and square all to measure 2".



Now, assemble the center side units using the green/black half square triangle units and then attaching a 2" x 5" (c) cream strip. Make 4.



Now, assemble the corner units, using the 2" green (G) and 2" black (B) squares and adding a 2" x 3 1/2" rectangle. Make two of each configuration. Make sure they are mirrored images.



Assemble your block, following piecing diagram below. Arrows represent pressing directions. If you have any problem or question, please call GLENNA (830)996-3069.

