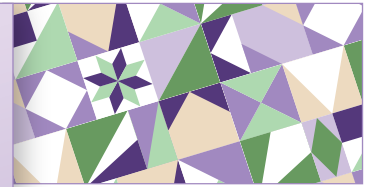


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BlockBusters

Floating Diamonds

Made using Studio 180 Design's Diamond Rects®

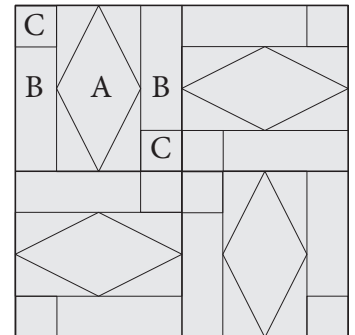


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Difficulty: ★★★★★

All the instructions you need to make the Diamond Rects units required for this block came with your Diamond Rects® tool. There's a chart, step by step graphics, and directions. Determine the finished size you are making and then work your way through the instructions.

Piecing this block will be simple, you just need to pay attention to the orientation of your pieces and the seam allowance on your Diamond Rects units. Depending on your color choices you might want to consider using strip piecing to make the rectangle with the square on the end. For example if you are making the 8" block you could cut two rectangle strips 3½"x 6¼", then cut two square strips 1½"x 6¼". Stitch them together along the 6¼" side and press toward the square fabric. The sub cuts you will make in this example are 1½" wide, you will need four cuts, there is a little extra so that you can clean up the pieces cut at each end.



Cutting Chart

Unit	# of units required	4" Block	8" Block	12" Block
A: Diamond Rects	4	1" x 2" finished size 1½" x 2½" cut size	2" x 4" finished size 2½" x 4½" cut size	2" x 4" finished unit 2½" x 4½" cut size
B: Rectangle	8	1" x 2" cut size	1½" x 3½" cut size	2" x 5" cut size
C: Square	8	1" square cut size	1½" square cut size	2" square cut size



Unit Summary

