

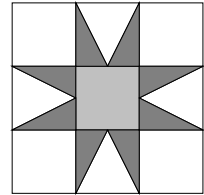
Meadowside Designs

Dancing Block Blues

Block of the Month Quilt-along

Block Eight – 54-40 or Fight

You will need your background and two other fabrics for 'star' and centre.

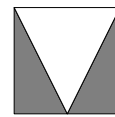


Cutting

From centre fabric cut one 3½ inch square.
Use the templates provided (last month) to cut the other pieces.
Or use the foundations if you prefer.

Making the block

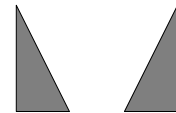
Use the templates to make the 'star' points. Or use the foundations to foundation (paper) piece the units.



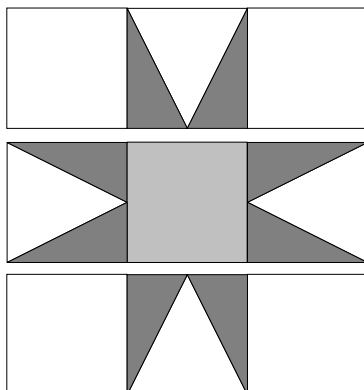
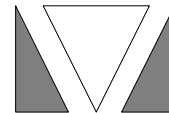
Make card or plastic templates using the paper ones provided.

Cut 4 large triangles from the 'star' fabric.

Cut 4 small 'pointy' triangles from the background and then turn the template over and cut four more so you have cut 8 in total – 4 plus 4 reversed.



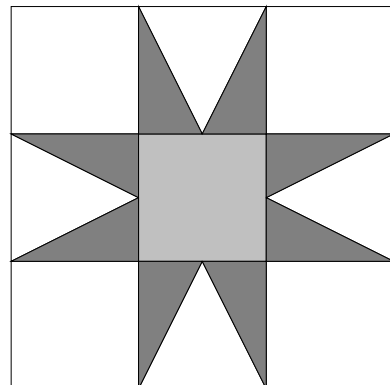
Matching the 'nubbed' ends of the triangles stitch the 'pointy' triangles to each side of the large triangles.



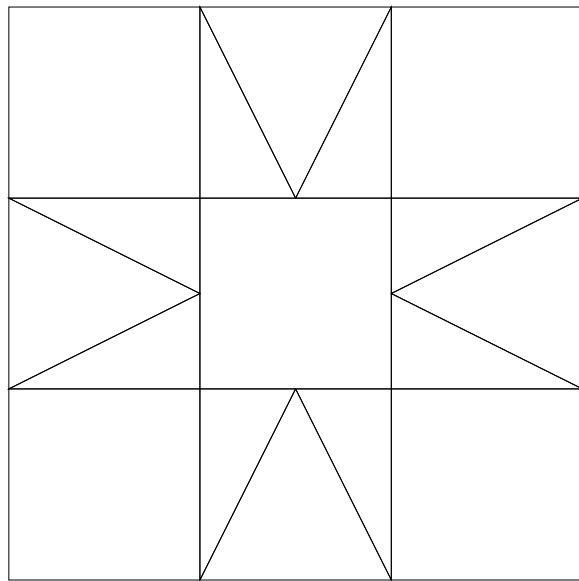
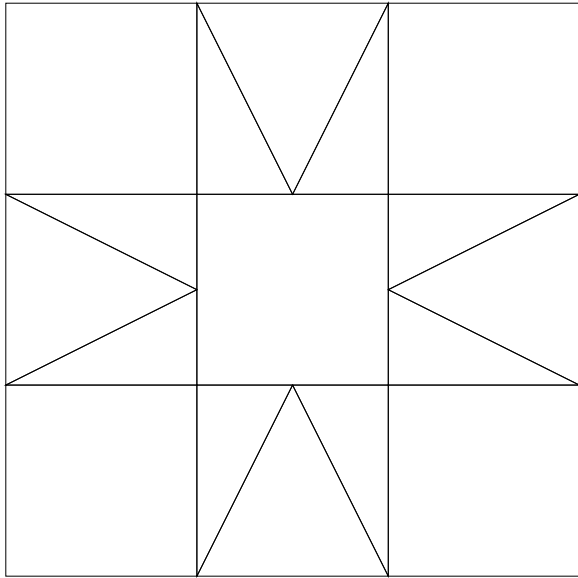
Arrange all the units as shown

Stitch units into 3 rows of 3.

Stitch rows together to complete the block.



Use these blank blocks to plan your colours.



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