## The Square Red Cross Quilt Block Pattern (in 4 different sizes)



## Skill level: Confident Beginner

## A block pattern from

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## You will need a light and a dark fabric.



Use the chart to determine what size to cut your patchwork pieces. (For a 10" block, use the measurements in the highlighted column.) When only one measurement is given in the chart, that indicates that the piece is cut as a square of that size. The chart may also indicate that some of your squares may need to be subcut:

= Subcut once on the diagonal
= Subcut twice on the diagonal
Sew all pieces together using a $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ seam and a 2.0 mm stitch. Your unfinished block should measure $1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ more than your finished size. (i.e. For a 10 " finished block, your block should measure 10.5")

## Cutting Chart:



## Block Construction:

Arrange your patches as shown in the exploded diagram. This block is a 9-patch within a 9-patch.

First, make two ABA units. These will be the top and bottom rows in the central 9-patch. Use these two rows along with piece D to make the center 9-patch.

Sew a piece $C$ to each side of the center 9-patch to form the center row.

Next, make two BCB units. Sew one to the top of the center row and sew one to the bottom.


