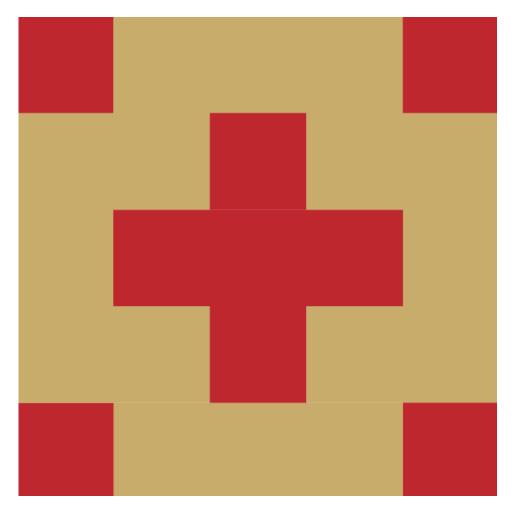


The Square Red Cross Quilt Block Pattern (in 4 different sizes)



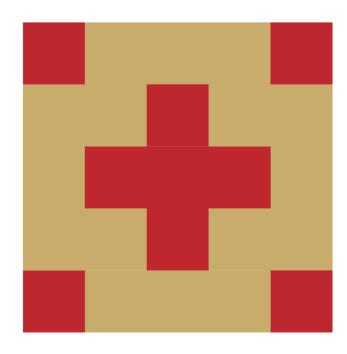
Skill level: Confident Beginner

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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" seam and a 2.0mm stitch. Your unfinished block should measure 1/2" more than your finished size. (i.e. For a 10" finished block, your block should measure 10.5")

Cutting Chart:

			FINISHED SIZE			
Pieces		Subcut?	5"	10"	15"	20"
A Cut 4		No	1 1/2"	2 1/2"	3 1/2"	4 1/2"
B Cut 6		No	1 1/2"	2 1/2"	3 1/2"	4 1/2"
C Cut 4		No	1 1/2" x 3 1/2"	2 1/2" x 6 1/2"	3 1/2" x 9 1/2"	4 1/2" x 12 1/2"
D Cut 1		No	1 1/2" x 3 1/2"	2 1/2" x 6 1/2"	3 1/2" x 9 1/2"	4 1/2" x 12 1/2"

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.

