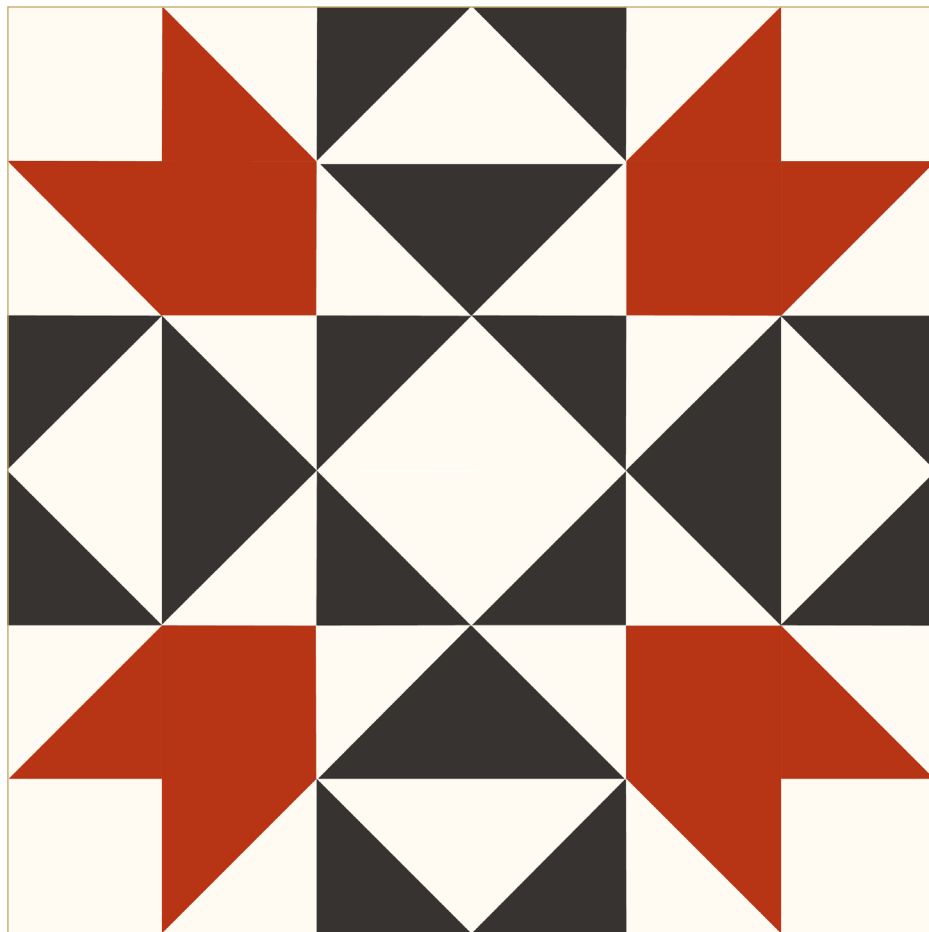


The Indian Puzzle Quilt Block Pattern

(in 6 different sizes)



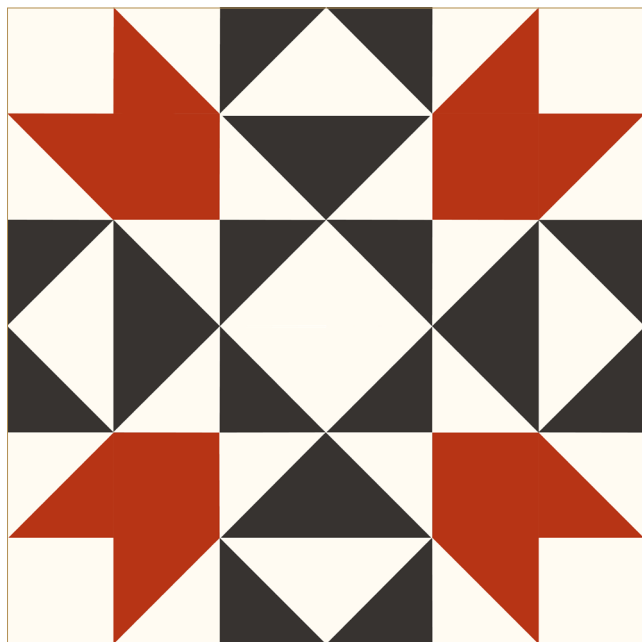
Skill level: Intermediate

A block pattern from

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You need 3 fabrics ranging from light to dark.



Use the chart to determine what size to cut your patchwork pieces. For the 6" block, use the measurements in the highlighted column. The following symbols indicate that the piece can be subcut for making triangles



= 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. If you made the 12" block, your patchwork should measure 12.5")

Cutting Chart:

		Subcut?	FINISHED SIZE					
			6	9	12"	15"	18"	21"
Cut 1		No*	2.5" x 2.5"	3.5" x 3.5"	4.5" x 4.5"	5.5" x 5.5"	6.5" x 6.5"	7.5" x 7.5"
Cut 4		No	1.5" x 1.5"	2" x 2"	2.5" x 2.5"	3" x 3"	3.5" x 3.5"	4" x 4"
Cut 4		**	2 3/8" x 2 3/8"	2 7/8" x 2 7/8"	3 3/8" x 3 3/8"	3 7/8" x 3 7/8"	4 3/8" x 4 3/8"	4 7/8" x 4 7/8"
Cut 8		No	1.5" x 1.5"	2" x 2"	2.5" x 2.5"	3" x 3"	3.5" x 3.5"	4" x 4"
Cut 4		No***	2.5" x 1.5"	3.5" x 2"	4.5" x 2.5"	5.5" x 3"	6.5" x 3.5"	7.5" x 4"
Cut 4		No	1.5" x 1.5"	2" x 2"	2.5" x 2.5"	3" x 3"	3.5" x 3.5"	4" x 4"
Cut 4		**	2 3/8" x 2 3/8"	2 7/8" x 2 7/8"	3 3/8" x 3 3/8"	3 7/8" x 3 7/8"	4 3/8" x 4 3/8"	4 7/8" x 4 7/8"
Cut 4		No***	2.5" x 1.5"	3.5" x 2"	4.5" x 2.5"	5.5" x 3"	6.5" x 3.5"	7.5" x 4"
Cut 12		No	1.5" x 1.5"	2" x 2"	2.5" x 2.5"	3" x 3"	3.5" x 3.5"	4" x 4"

* Use this piece, along with four of the black squares to make your central SNS (square-in-a-square) Unit. Instructions can be found on this page of the website: <https://scissortailquilting.com/quilt-block-library/square-in-a-square/>

** You may subcut these and sew the HST units individually, or choose not to subcut and use the Quick Sew Method. Instructions for the quick sew method are found here: <https://scissortailquilting.com/quilt-block-library/half-square-triangle/>

*** These pieces along with the other unused squares are used to make your flying geese units with the Sew/Flip/Cut method. Instructions can be found here: <https://scissortailquilting.com/quilt-block-library/flying-geese-units/>

Block Assembly:

Note the layout in the exploded block below. You will assemble this block as a nine patch.

First make the following units:

- Central Square-in-a-square
- Flying Geese Units. Note that you make four with a cream base and four with a black base.
- Half-square Triangle (HST) units.

Pay careful attention to the way your geese and HST units are turned.

If you are making the 6" or 8" version, your block might lay flatter if you press your seams open.

