

Block 50 – Cheryl Wall

General instructions :

The measurements given for cutting include seam allowances of 7 mm ($\frac{1}{4}$ "), rounded to 15 mm ($\frac{1}{4}$ ") for two seams. Make any necessary adjustments.

The measurements in the explanatory diagrams do not include seam allowances, except for those diagrams that specify "*Seam allowances included".

For those using the traditional cutting method, note that you will find:

- the templates on the pattern; add seam allowances to them
- the quantities in **bold** in the Cutting section

Cutting :

- From one dark red fabric, cut the following:
 - two 4 x 55 cm ($1\frac{1}{2}$ " x 22") strips → **twenty-six A squares**
 - eight 6.5 cm ($2\frac{1}{2}$ ") squares → **eight C triangles**
- From one red check fabric:
 - two 4 x 55 cm ($1\frac{1}{2}$ " x 22") strips → **twenty-six A squares**
- From one beige fabric with flowers:
 - four 6.5 x 11.5 cm ($2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ ") rectangles → **four B triangles**
 - four 6.5 cm ($2\frac{1}{2}$ ") D squares

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Assembly :

Diagram 1: Stitch together two red strips and two red-check strips, alternating them. Cut the unit obtained into thirteen units measuring 4 cm ($1\frac{1}{2}$ ") wide, seam allowances included.

Join four units, reversing the direction of every other strip to obtain the star centre. Set aside the remaining units for the outer border.

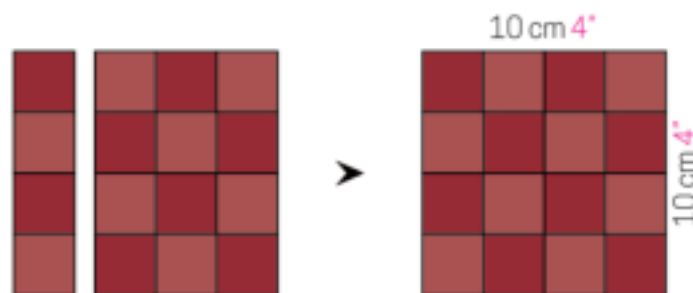
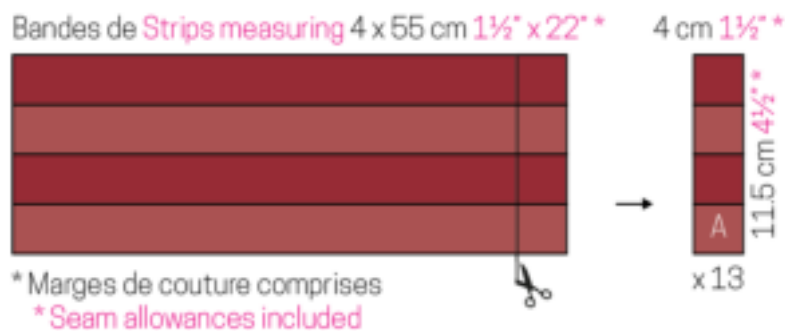
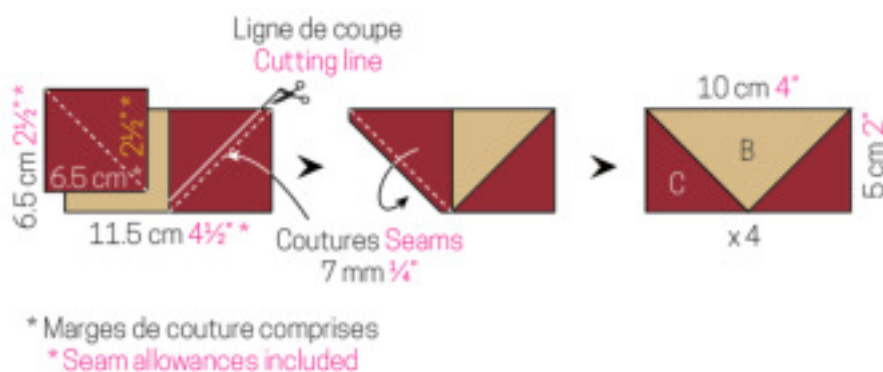


Diagram 2: Place one red 6.5 cm ($2\frac{1}{2}$ ") square with right sides together on each end of one beige rectangle. Stitch along the diagonals of each square and cut away the excess fabric at 7 mm ($\frac{1}{4}$ "). Turn and press to obtain one flying geese block. Repeat to obtain four flying geese blocks.



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Diagram 3: Stitch one flying geese block to either side of the centre. Stitch one D square to the ends of the remaining flying geese blocks and join them to the top and bottom.

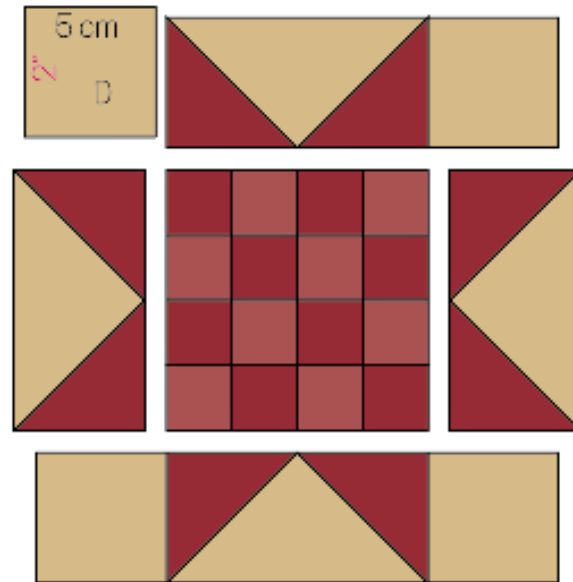


Diagram 4: Stitch together two units. Repeat and join the columns obtained to the right and left sides.

Unstitch the seam of one unit to obtain one half-unit and stitch the half-unit to two units, making sure that you alternate the fabrics.

Repeat and stitch the rows obtained to the top and bottom.

