

## Crossroads

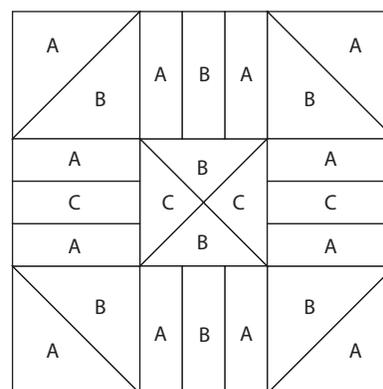
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The Crossroads Block combines half-square triangles, quarter-square triangles, and pieced units to create a structured yet flowing design. The intersecting shapes evoke the feeling of well-worn paths meeting at a crossroads, blending symmetry and movement.

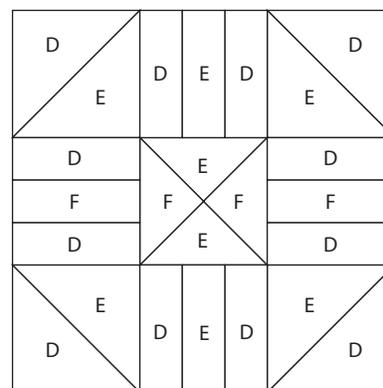


### Cutting Instructions

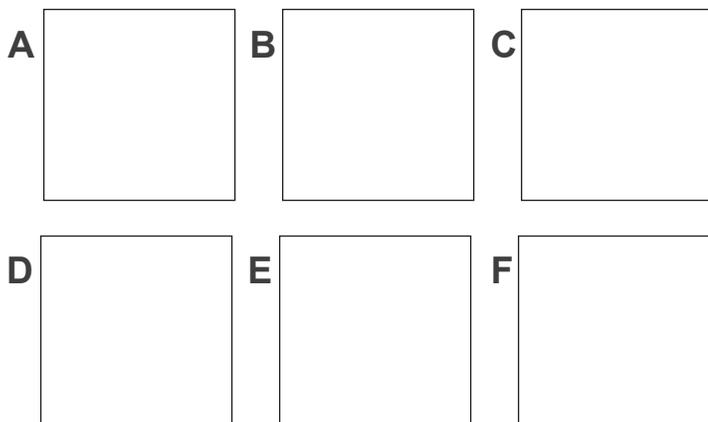
Qty	9" finished block 2A	9" finished block 2B
2	4" squares (A)	4" squares (D)
8	3½" x 1½" rectangles (A)	3½" x 1½" rectangles (D)
1	5½" square, cut in half diagonally <b>twice</b> (B)	5½" square, cut in half diagonally <b>twice</b> (E)
2	4" squares (B)	4" squares (E)
2	3½" x 1½" rectangles (B)	3½" x 1½" rectangles (E)
1	5½" square, cut in half diagonally <b>twice</b> (C)	5½" square, cut in half diagonally <b>twice</b> (F)
2	3½" x 1½" rectangles (C)	3½" x 1½" rectangles (F)



Use these blocks to plan color and fabric placement!



### My Swatches



➤ Depending on your planned layout, Fabric A and D may be the same 'Background' fabric.



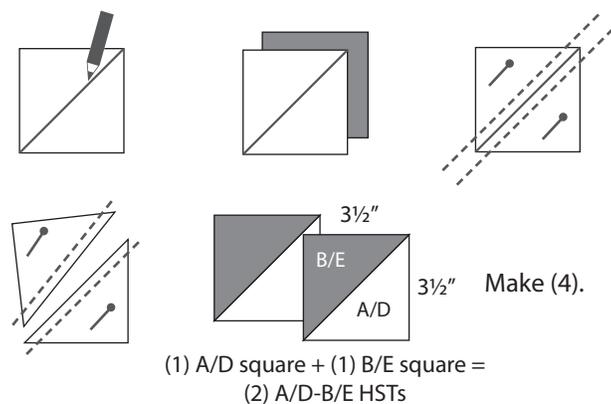
## Piecing Instructions

### Step 1

On the wrong side of each 4" A/D square, draw a line from one corner to the opposing corner as shown.

Place 4" A/D and B/E squares right sides together. Stitch a scant  $\frac{1}{4}$ " on both sides of the drawn line. Cut the square apart on the line to yield two HSTs, and press the seams to the darker triangles.

Repeat to make (4) A/D-B/E HSTs. Trim HSTs to  $3\frac{1}{2}$ ".

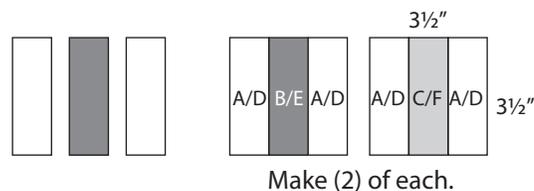


### Step 2

Lay out (2) A/D rectangles and (1) B/E rectangle as shown.

Join to make A/D-B/E-A/D Sandwich unit, and trim to  $3\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Repeat to make (2) A/D-B/E-A/D and (2) A/D-C/F-A/D Sandwich units.

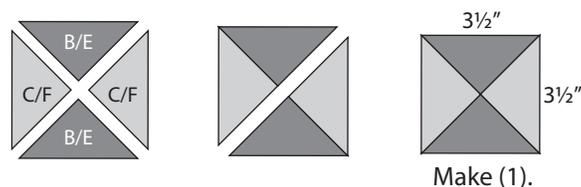


### Step 3

Lay out (2) B/E and (2) C/F quarter triangles as shown.

Join triangles into pairs, pressing seams to B/E triangles.

Join pairs to form QST unit. Trim to  $3\frac{1}{2}$ ".

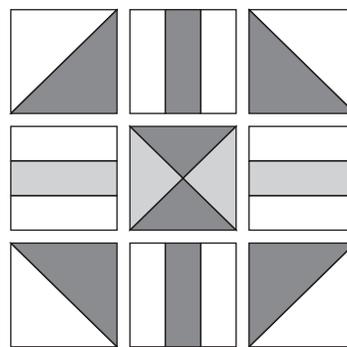


### Step 4

Lay out HSTs, Sandwich units, and QST as shown.

Join units to make the full block.

Trim block to  $9\frac{1}{2}$ ".



## Don't want to wait for more blocks?

See your local quilt shop to purchase the My Favorite Color is Still Moda pattern, which we are drawing from for BH6!

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IS STILL *moda*



**Additional Coloring Blocks**

