

Brilliant Enclosure

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Clue 3

This clue finds us half way through this mystery and making some 3-colour HSTs (half square triangles). This has indeed been a quick and easy project. I think I may make a few of these to have around for gifts. I love this pattern.

Let's cut first (as always):

<i>DARK 5-1/4" strip</i>	<i>1 (or scraps if you have them)</i>
<i>-cut to 5-1/4" squares</i>	<i>3</i>
<i>-cut on BOTH diagonals for triangles*</i>	<i>12</i>
<i>MEDIUM 4-7/8" strip</i>	<i>1</i>
<i>-cut to 4-7/8" squares</i>	<i>6</i>
<i>-cut on ONE diagonal for HSTs</i>	<i>12</i>
<i>LIGHT 5-1/4" strips</i>	<i>1 (or scraps if you have them)</i>
<i>-cut to 5-1/4" squares</i>	<i>3</i>
<i>-cut on BOTH diagonals for triangles*</i>	<i>12</i>

I laid my LIGHT on my DARK then I cut on **BOTH diagonals so my units were ready to sew. We will start at the 90° corner with the LIGHT on the top to make 12 larger triangles. Press these units toward the DARK. The base should meet the hypotenuse of the MEDIUM triangle. Our units today will measure 4-1/2" and you will press toward the MEDIUM.*

Let's see the process:



Lay the LIGHT on top of the DARK 5-1/4" squares, cut on BOTH diagonals.

Starting at the 90° angle (square), sew to the point. Press toward the DARK and trim off those dog ears.

Taking the MEDIUM 4-7/8" squares, cut on ONE diagonal, we will mate the MEDIUM triangle to the 2-colour triangle for (12) twelve 4-1/2" units today. Press these toward the MEDIUM and trim the dog ears one more time.



Quick and easy again!!