

Dynamite!
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Clue 4

Remember those triangles we didn't use in Clue 3? We will use those in this clue. We will also assemble three other blocks, making our total for Clue 4: thirteen (13). Blocks B and C are similar and use some of the same size units, we will cut them in the same chart. Let's just get busy!

Block A: snails in reverse

	<i>8" blocks</i>	<i>10" blocks</i>
<i>4-patch</i>	<i>3-1/4"</i>	<i>4"</i>
<i>Round 1</i>	<i>4-1/2"</i>	<i>5-1/2"</i>
<i>Round 2</i>	<i>6-1/4"</i>	<i>7-1/2"</i>
<i>Round 3</i>	<i>8-1/2"</i>	<i>10-1/2"</i>

Round 1:



Final round:

You will have four of these.

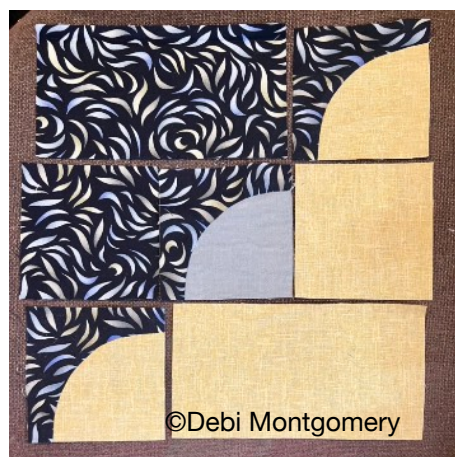


Blocks B & C: four pretty easy HST units and four with curves... OR you can create both with HSTs, your choice...watch the colour placement.

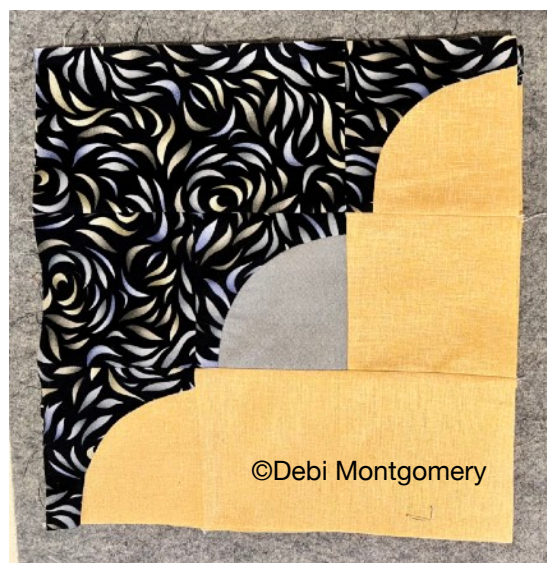
BACKGROUND	8" blocks	10" blocks
<i>3-1/2" WOF strips</i>	<i>1</i>	
<i>Sub-cut to 3-1/2" squares</i>	<i>4</i>	
<i>3-1/4" WOF strips</i>	<i>1-2</i>	
<i>Sub-cut to 3-1/4" squares</i>	<i>4</i>	
<i>AND 3-1/4" x 5-7/8" units</i>	<i>4</i>	
<i>4-1/4" WOF strips</i>		<i>1</i>
<i>Sub-cut to 4-1/4" squares</i>		<i>4</i>
<i>3-7/8" WOF strips</i>		<i>1-2</i>
<i>Sub-cut to 3-7/8" squares</i>		<i>4</i>
<i>AND 3-7/8" x 7-1/4" units</i>		<i>4</i>
BOLD	8" blocks	10" blocks
<i>3-1/4" WOF strips</i>	<i>1-2</i>	
<i>Sub-cut to 3-1/4" squares</i>	<i>8</i>	
<i>AND 3-1/4" x 5-7/8" units</i>	<i>4</i>	
<i>AND Template C</i>	<i>8</i>	
<i>3-7/8" WOF strips</i>		<i>1-2</i>
<i>Sub-cut to 3-7/8" squares</i>		<i>8</i>
<i>AND 3-7/8" x 7-1/4" units</i>		<i>4</i>
<i>AND Template C</i>		<i>8</i>
DARK	8" blocks	10" blocks
<i>3-1/2" WOF strips</i>	<i>1</i>	
<i>Sub-cut to 3-1/2" squares</i>	<i>4</i>	

DARK	<i>8" blocks</i>	<i>10" blocks</i>
<i>3-1/4" WOF strips</i>	<i>3-4</i>	
<i>Sub-cut to 3-1/4" squares</i>	<i>8</i>	
<i>AND 3-1/4" x 6-7/8" units</i>	<i>8</i>	
<i>AND Template B</i>	<i>12</i>	
<i>4-1/4" WOF strips</i>		<i>1</i>
<i>Sub-cut to 4-1/4" squares</i>		<i>4</i>
<i>3-7/8" WOF strips</i>		<i>3-4</i>
<i>Sub-cut to 3-7/8" squares</i>		<i>8</i>
<i>AND 3-7/8" x 7-1/4" units</i>		<i>8</i>
<i>AND Template B</i>		<i>12</i>
COMPLIMENT	<i>8" blocks</i>	<i>10" blocks</i>
<i>3-1/4" WOF strips</i>	<i>Scraps</i>	
<i>Template C</i>	<i>4</i>	
<i>3-7/8" WOF strips</i>		<i>Scraps</i>
<i>Template C</i>		<i>4</i>

Once your curves are assembled, the layout is easy for Block B.



You should have four of these 8-1/2" or 10-1/2" blocks, pressed away from your curves.



Let's grab the 3-1/2" (for the 8" blocks) or the 4-1/4" (for the 10" blocks)...BACKGROUND and DARK. We will assemble eight HSTs with these and cut them down to 3-1/4" or 3-7/8" squares. We are ready to lay out the HSTs like the curves...



You should again have four of these 8-1/2" or 10-1/2" blocks, pressed away from the HST units.

Block D: only one of these

BACKGROUND	8" blocks	10" blocks
2-1/4" WOF strips	Scraps or 1	
Sub-cut to 2-1/4" squares	6	
2-1/2" WOF strips		Scraps or 1
Sub-cut to 2-1/2" squares		6
DARK	8" blocks	10" blocks
3-1/2" WOF strips	Scraps	
Sub-cut to 3-1/2" squares	2	
Cut squares on ONE diagonal for triangles	4	
2-1/4" WOF strips	Scraps or 1	
Sub-cut to 2-1/4" squares	8	
AND 1-7/8" squares	4	

DARK	<i>8" blocks</i>	<i>10" blocks</i>
<i>4-1/4" WOF strips</i>		<i>Scraps</i>
<i>Sub-cut to 4-1/4" squares</i>		<i>2</i>
<i>Cut squares on ONE diagonal for triangles</i>		<i>4</i>
<i>2-1/2" WOF strips</i>		<i>Scraps or 1</i>
<i>Sub-cut to 2-1/2" squares</i>		<i>8</i>
<i>AND 2-1/4" squares</i>		<i>4</i>
BOLD	<i>8" blocks</i>	<i>10" blocks</i>
<i>3-7/8" WOF strips</i>	<i>Scraps</i>	
<i>Sub-cut to 3-7/8" squares</i>	<i>2</i>	
<i>AND 2-3/8" squares</i>	<i>1</i>	
<i>4-1/4" WOF strips</i>		<i>Scraps</i>
<i>Sub-cut to 4-1/4" squares</i>		<i>2</i>
<i>AND 2-7/8" squares</i>		<i>1</i>

Let's start with the smallest BOLD square and create a square in a square with the BACKGROUND. We will need to cut two (2) of those BACKGROUND squares on ONE diagonal to accomplish this.

We then need those BOLD larger squares, also cut on ONE diagonal for triangles, to make our next square in a square. Our final round will be the DARK triangles we cut. This is the centre of our block. With some HSTs and flying geese units, we will be finished with this ONE block.



We will make HSTs from the BACKGROUND and DARK squares...(the larger of the ones you have left). We will create four flying geese units from the BOLD and DARK squares we have left. We won't have touched the four smallest DARK squares.

Deconstructed:

Complete:



Since we didn't cut for Block A, why don't we cut and assemble our cornerstones for our border? Hoping you can get all these from scraps, I didn't have to cut new WOFs.

BACKGROUND	<i>8" blocks</i>	<i>10" blocks</i>
<i>3-1/4" squares</i>	4	
<i>3-7/8" squares</i>		4
DARK	<i>8" blocks</i>	<i>10" blocks</i>
<i>1-7/8" x 2-1/4" units</i>	4	
<i>1-7/8" x 4-1/2" units</i>	4	
<i>2-1/4" x 3-7/8" units</i>		4
<i>2-1/4" x 5-1/2" units</i>		4

We need four of these. Once complete, these should be 4-1/2" or 5-1/2" and pressed away from the BACKGROUND square (toward the dark).

That's it for this clue!!

