

BLOCK OF THE MONTH - March Flower (Churn Dash)

Repurposing the classic churn dash block to make a flower.

Due date: Sunday March 7.

Email photo(s) of completed blocks to me by due date.

Fabric Choices:

Flower – Yellows, oranges

Center of flower – Bigger print, coordinating color

Background – White

Flower:

A – 4" x 4"

Cut 2 (will yield 4 triangles)

B – 2" x 15"

Cut 1 (this will be a bit oversized and trimmed later)

Center:

C – 3 1/2" x 3 1/2"

Cut 1

Background:

D – 4" x 4"

Cut 2 (will yield 4 triangles)

E – 2" x 15"

Cut 1 (this will be a bit oversized and trimmed later)

Assemble:

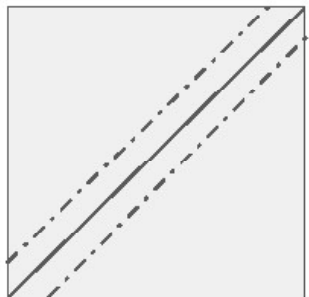
Make 1/2 triangle square: Place one A square and one D square right sides together. Draw diagonal line. Sew scant 1/4" seam on either side of diagonal line. See diagram. Cut along diagonal line. Open and press, then trim to 3 1/2" square. Repeat with remaining A squares and D squares.

Sew strips B and E together, then trim to make 4 squares, each 3 1/2" x 3 1/2".

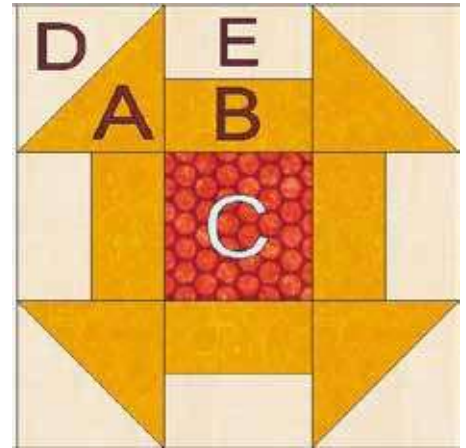
Sew remaining pieces together following block diagram.

Finished size: 9 1/2" x 9 1/2" to make 9" quilt block.

January block winner was Mary Taylor.



Quilters abbreviations:
RST = Right Sides Together
HST = Half Square Triangle



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