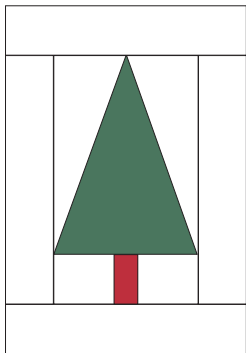


FILLER BLOCK 5:

THE PERFECT TREE

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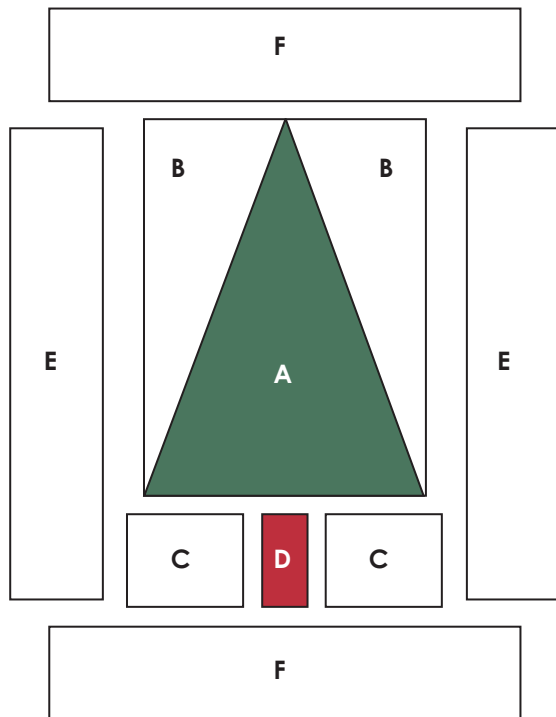
FINISH SIZE: 5" x 7"



CUT:

- A - (1) 4" x 5"
- B - (2) 2½" x 5"
- C - (2) 1½" x 1¾"
- D - (1) 1" x 1½"
- E - (2) 1½" x 5½"
- F - (2) 1½" x 5½"

TIP: For maximum accuracy, cut border pieces slightly larger and then trim block down to 5½"x7½". Cut (E) 2" x 5½" and (F) 2" x 6".



INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Use the Foundation Paper Piecing (FPP) template below to make the tree body, using Fabrics A & B. Make however many copies of this page as you'll need for the number of tree blocks desired.

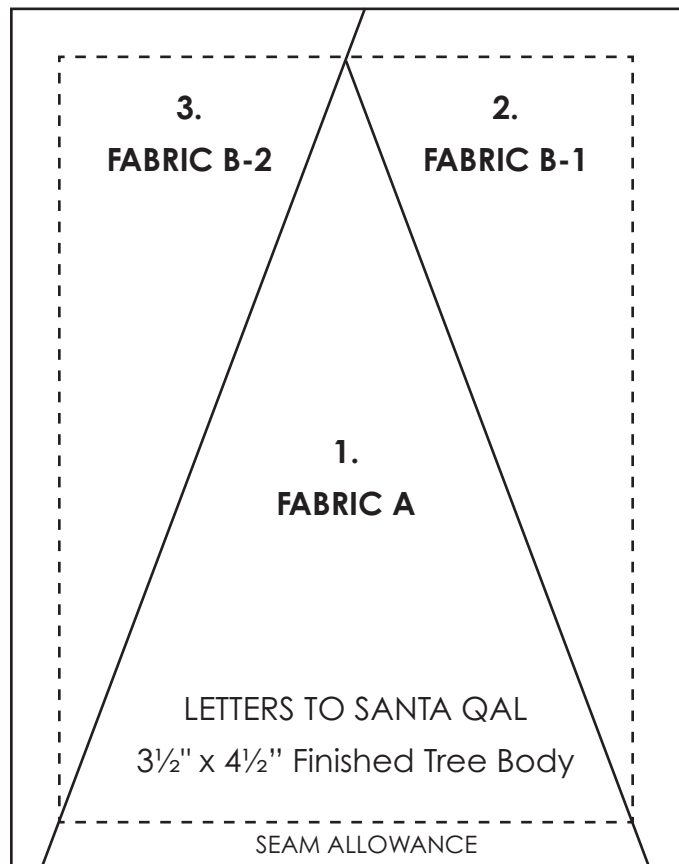
Trim finished FPP unit to 3½" x 4½".

2. Make the tree base unit. Attach Fabric C pieces to either side of Fabric D. Press seams open.

3. Finish assembling block as shown, pressing seams open. Block will measure 5½" x 7½".

If you've never done Foundation Paper Piecing before and want more detail on the process, Sherri McConnell of A Quilting Life has a helpful video tutorial here:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GwoRNuuxQSQ>



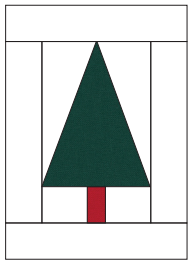
FILLER BLOCK 5:

THE PERFECT TREE

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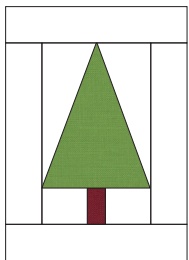
FINISH SIZE: 5" x 7"

FABRICS FOR MODA'S BELLA SOLIDS QUILT:



Make 2 blocks using:

Christmas Green (14) - A
Christmas Red (16) - D



Make 1 block using:

Fresh Grass (228) - A
Kansas Red (150) - D

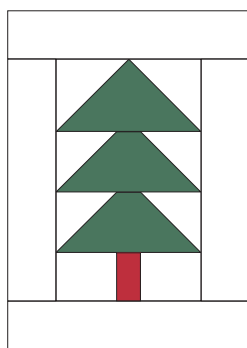


FILLER BLOCK 5:

THE PERFECT TREE

v2: TRADITIONALLY PIECED

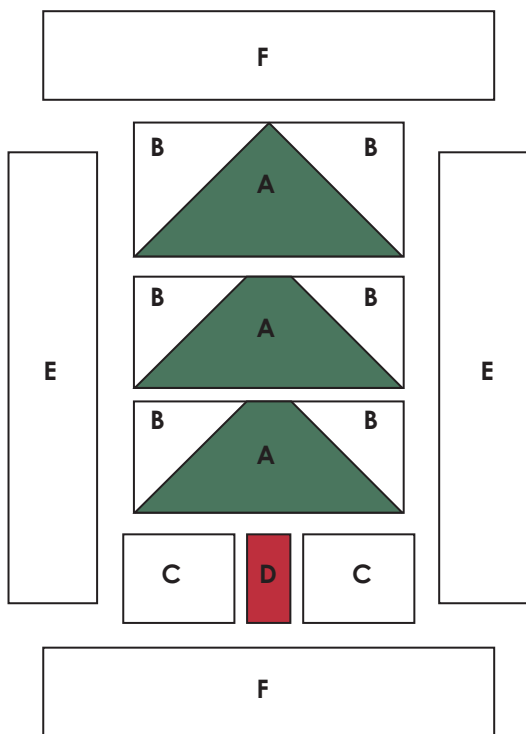
FINISH SIZE: 5" x 7"



CUT:

- A** - (3) 2" x 3½"
- B** - (6) 2" x 2"
- C** - (2) 1½" x 1¾"
- D** - (1) 1" x 1½"
- E** - (2) 1½" x 5½"
- F** - (2) 1½" x 5½"

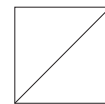
TIP: For maximum accuracy, cut border pieces slightly larger and then trim block down to 5½"x7½". Cut (E) 2" x 5½" and (F) 2" x 6".



INSTRUCTIONS:

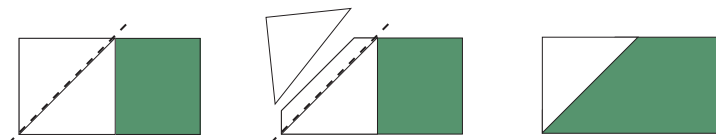
1. Use the sew & flip method to make (3) tree sections using Fabrics A & B.

On the Wrong Side of the Fabric B squares, use a fabric pencil or other marking tool to draw a diagonal line across from corner to corner.

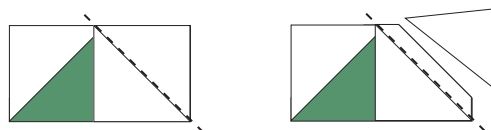


Line up (1) Fabric B square in the corner of Fabric A, Right Sides Together. Pin to secure.

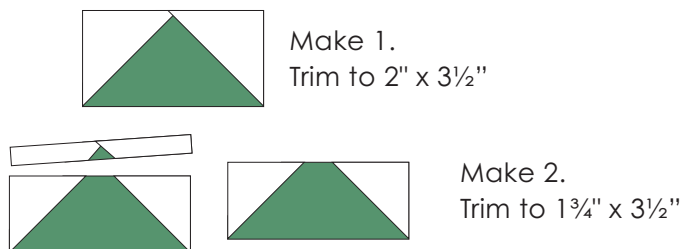
Stitch along the marked line. Trim off excess corner, leaving a scant ¼" seam allowance. Press seam open.



Repeat on opposite corner using other Fabric B square, making sure the marked seam line forms a roof point with the first seam.



Trim (1) tree section to 2" x 3½" if needed. For (2) of the tree sections, trim off the top POINT of the unit, so that they measure 1¾" x 3½".



2. Make the tree base unit. Attach Fabric C pieces to either side of Fabric D. Press seams open.

3. Finish assembling block as shown, pressing seams open. Block will measure 5½" x 7½".