

MB's QOV Split Star Block

2.25" **THANGLES** are used to make this attractive split star block. With **THANGLES** you can make every part of the block from the same strips. You do not need to do a 7/8" calculation and cut for the half square triangles.



With a block like this one, where there are many colors, you will save lots of time (and fabric) using **THANGLES**.

Block MATERIALS

1/4" seam allowances are used for all seams.

One package of 2.25" **THANGLES**.

You need four colors for the star block. Each block uses the same amount of each of the fabrics. One set of 4 strips will make 3 blocks.



Offwhite: 5/8 yd, Cut 7---2.75" x 44" strips.



Tan: 5/8 yd, Cut 7---2.75" x 44" strips.



Red: 5/8 yd, Cut 7---2.75" x 44" strips.



Blue: 5/8 yd, Cut 7---2.75" x 44" strips.

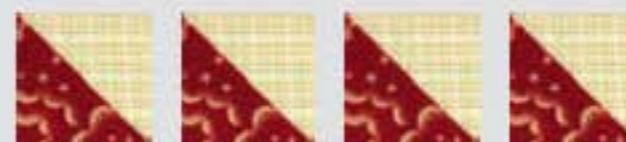
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Block DIRECTIONS

1. Cut one 2.75" square from each of the four colors.



2. Use the 2.25" **THANGLES** and the 2.75" strips to make the following half square triangles (HSTs):



Make 4 HSTs with offwhite and Red



Make 4 HSTs with Tan and Blue



Make 2 HSTs with Red and Blue



Make 2 HSTs with Offwhite and Tan

3. Layout the pieces from **Steps 1** and **2** as shown and sew the block.

It measures 9.5" square and will finish 9" square when sewn in the quilt.

Make a total of 20 of these blocks.



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Set MATERIALS

This quilt finishes about 55" wide x 66" long

Sashing: 3/4 yd

Cut 13---2" x 44" strips. From 8 of the strips, cut:
31---9.5" pieces for the inner sashes.

Cornerstone: 1/8 yd

Cut 1---2" x 44" strips. From the strip, cut:
12---2" squares

Border and Binding: 1 3/4 yd

From the lengthwise grain, Cut:

4---6.5" x 60" strips for the borders

4---2.25" x 60" strips for a double fold french binding

Blacking and batting pieces measuring 63" x 74"

Set DIRECTIONS

1/4" seam allowances are used for all seams.

1. Layout the blocks, sashing and cornerstones as shown. Sew together. The piece should measure 41" wide x 51.5" long.

PLEASE NOTE: Measure your piece, if it is not exactly these measurements you will need to make adjustments when you cut your sashings and borders in the next steps.

2. Sew 3---2" sashing strips together into one long pieces, use this piece to cut the side sashings. The top and bottom sashings can be cut from single strips. Cut the following outer sashes:

2---41" for the top and bottom

2---54.5" for the sides.

Sew the top and bottoms sashes and then the side sashes to the piece.

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3. Cut the following borders from the 6.5" strips:

2---54.5" for the sides

2---56" for the top and bottom

Sew the side borders and then the top and bottom borders to the piece. Sandwich, quilt and bind.



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