## A Quilting Life Block of the Month 2018: June: Dream

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## Cutting:

| June: Dream | 6 1/4" Block | 12 1/2" Block |
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| Contrast Fabric A (rectangles) | (4) $13 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 3^{\prime \prime}$ | (4) $3^{\prime \prime} \times 5{ }^{1 / 2 \prime}$ |
| Fabric B (for half-square triangles) | (2) $311 / 2 \times 31 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ | (2) $6^{\prime \prime} \times 6^{\prime \prime}$ |
| Background | (2) $3^{1 / 2 "} \times 3^{1 / 2 "}$ <br> (1) $13 / 4$ " $\times 13 / 4$ | (2) $6^{\prime \prime} \times 6^{\prime \prime}$ <br> (1) $3^{\prime \prime} \times 3^{\prime \prime}$ |

Note: Directions are given for the $121 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ block with $61 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ block measurement information in parenthesis.

## Make the half square triangle units:

Note: Pressing the half-square triangle seams open rather than to the darker fabric helps eliminate bulk in this block.

1. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of each background square $6^{\prime \prime} \times 6^{\prime \prime}\left(3^{1 / 2 "} \times 31 / 2^{\prime \prime}\right)$. Place background square right sides together with a $6^{\prime \prime} \times 6^{\prime \prime}\left(3^{1 / 2^{\prime \prime}} \times 3^{1 / 2^{\prime \prime}}\right)$ print square. Sew $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ away from either side of the line.
2. Cut on the drawn line to make two half square triangle units and press seams open. Trim to measure $5^{1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 5} 51 / 2^{\prime \prime}\left(3^{\prime \prime} \times 3^{\prime \prime}\right)$. Make 4 half-square triangles. For more information on making half-square


## Make the Dream Block:

1.Arrange rectangles, center square, and half-square triangles as shown in block diagram.
2. Sew the units together to make the block.


Make 4 half-square triangles


