

Block of the Month

June 2025

Dakota Gold

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Dakota Gold Details

- ♦ The Dakota Gold is a vintage block. It's a five patch design that consists of squares, rectangles and half square triangles.
- ♦ The completed block measures 10 1/2".
- ♦ All seams are scant 1/4".



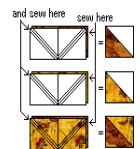
Fabric Requirements

- ♦ Light Fabric: (4) 3" squares;
(5) 2 1/2" squares.
- ♦ Dark Fabric: (4) 3" squares;
(2) 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles.
- ♦ Medium Fabric: (4) 3" squares;
(2) 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles.



Construction

1. Construct your half square triangles. Place 2 light 3" squares over 2 dark 3" squares; 2 light 3" squares over 2 medium 3" squares; 2 medium 3" squares over 2 dark 3" squares. Make your half square triangles according to the picture on the right and trim all of your half square triangle to 2 1/2". Press your seams to the dark side.



2. Now construct your corner units. Lay out your half square triangles and 2 1/2" squares according to the picture on the right. Sew your pieces together to form your corner units.



Construction Continued

5. Now, lay out all of your pieces according to the diagram on the bottom left.
6. Sew your corner units to the verticle rectangles and press towards the rectangles. Sew the horizontal rectangles to the center square and press towards the rectangles. Sew the three rows together and your block is now complete and will measure 10 1/2".
7. If you notice on the right picture, when you put the blocks together they create their own sashing and a hunter star in the middle.



Here are additional blocks I made in a dark teal colorway. If you make one of each colorway than we can have two community service quilts.



Please bring your finished blocks to the tea party on June 22nd or mail them to Kate Allen by June 13th. Another option is to bring them to Santa Fe Quilting. Any questions or suggestions for future blocks, please email me, Renee Finch, at reneeflsth@yahoo.com.