Deluxe Shoo Fly Block

You will need a dark, a medium and a background fabric.

Cutting Instructions

From the background cut four 3 1/2 inch squares, and four 2 x 3 1/4 inch strips

From the drk fabric cut one 3 1/2 inch square and two 4 x 5 1/4 inch pieces.

From the medium fabric cut four 2 inch squares.

Assembly of the Corners:

Sew one 2 inch medium square to each $2 \ge 3 \frac{1}{4}$ strip of background fabric.

Sew two of these strips together on the long side, be very careful to sew them as pictured. Iron towards the background.

Place the dark fabric 4 x 5 1/4 inch piece right side up and then place the oddly pieced block right face down on top. With a ruler, mark a 45 degree line that goes from the top right corner through the corner of the medium fabric patch. Then mark a line from the bottom left corner through the corner of the other medium fabric patch. Stitch on the drwn line and cut between the drawn lines.

You will get two squares that look like this, from each set for a total of four. Press them open and trim to 3 1/2 inch square.

Assemble the block:

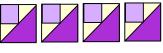
Sew as in rows as shown.

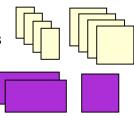
From the back ground cut four 2 1/2 inch squares, and four 1 $1/2 \ge 3/4$ inch strips From the Dark fabric cut one 2 1/2 inch square and two 2 $1/2 \ge 4 1/4$ inch pieces. From the medium fabric cut four $1 \frac{1}{2}$ inch squares.

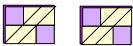
3 inch Block

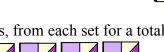
6 inch Block

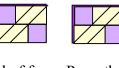
From the back ground cut four 1 1/2 inch squares, and four 1 $1/2 \ge 3/4$ inch strips From the Dark fabric cut one $1 \frac{1}{2}$ inch square and two $1 \frac{1}{2} x 4$ inch pieces. From the medium fabric cut four 1 inch squares.

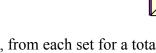














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