



Scrappy Leaf Block

Includes 3 sizes: 5", 7.5" and 10" (finished)

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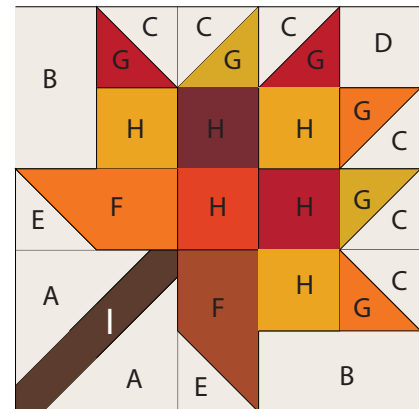
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Cutting Chart for one block

Finished block Size

Color	Qty	Piece	5" size	7.5" size	10" size
background	1	A	3" square	4" square	5" square
↓	2	B	1.5" x 2.5" rectangle	2" x 3.5" rectangle	2.5" x 4.5" rectangle
	3	C	2" square	2.5" square	3" square
	1	D	1.5" square	2" square	2.5" square
↓	2	E	1.5" square	2" square	2.5" square
	2	F	1.5" x 2.5" rectangle	2" x 3.5" rectangle	2.5" x 4.5" rectangle
3	G	2" square	2.5" square	3" square	
6	H	1.5" square	2" square	2.5" square	
	1	I	3/4" x 4.5" rectangle	1" x 5.5" rectangle	1" x 7" rectangle

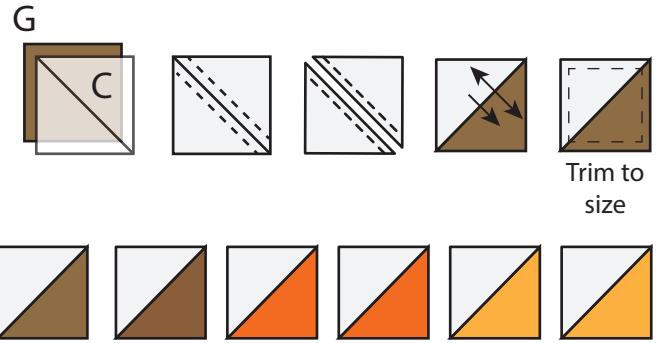


- Please read ALL instructions before starting.
- Use a scant 1/4" seam allowance.
- RST = right sides together
- HST = half square triangle
- Most seams are pressed open; follow pressing arrows when shown.

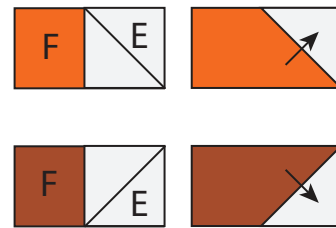
NOTE: Instructions are written for the 5" block size. Other sizes follow in (). For example, 1.5" (2", 2.5")

Piecing

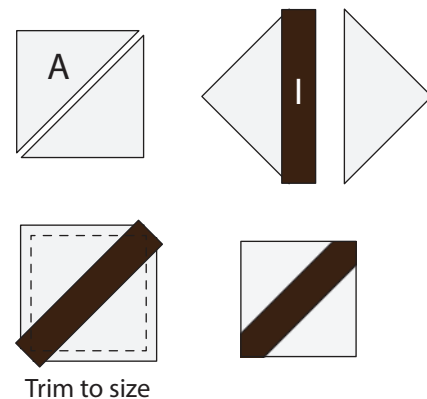
1. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of each background (C) square.
2. Place marked (C) square RST with a colored (G) square. Stitch on each side of the diagonal line.
3. Cut apart on the diagonal line and press open or towards the dark.
4. Trim HST unit to 1.5" (2", 2.5").
5. Make 6 HST units in a variety of colors.



6. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of two background (E) squares.
7. Place one marked (E) square RST on one end of a colored (F) rectangle. Stitch on the line.
8. Trim seam allowance and press towards the background fabric.
9. Make a MIRROR image of the pieced rectangle from above by repeating steps 6-8, making sure the diagonal line is going in the opposite direction.

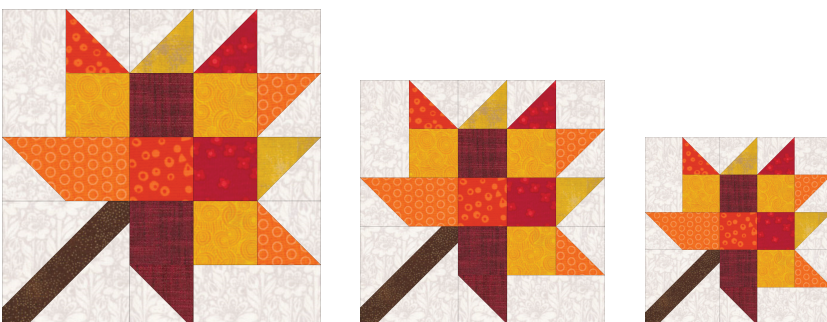
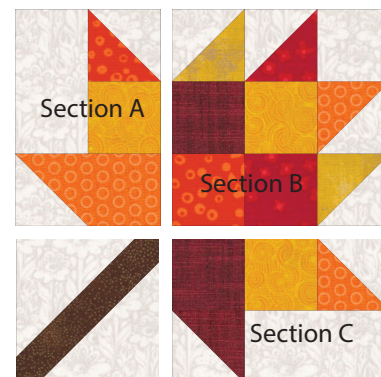


10. Cut the background (A) square in half diagonally to create two triangles.
11. With RST, place the (I) rectangle on the long side of one triangle, matching centers. Stitch.
12. Repeat using the other triangle.
13. Press seams open OR toward the background fabric.
14. Trim Stem Unit to 2.5" (3.5", 4.5") square.



Assembly

15. Arrange the B rectangles, HST's, pieced rectangles, H squares and stem unit as shown on the cover image.
16. Assemble the pieces into sections as shown. Press all seams open.
17. Use the table below-right to see what each section should measure.
18. Sew the sections together to create a leaf block.



Finished block sz.	5"	7.5"	10"
Section A	2.5" x 3.5"	3.5" x 5"	4.5" x 6.5"
Section B	3.5" x 3.5"	5" x 5"	6.5" x 6.5"
Section C	3.5" x 2.5"	5" x 3.5"	6.5" x 4.5"