Scrappy Leaf Block

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

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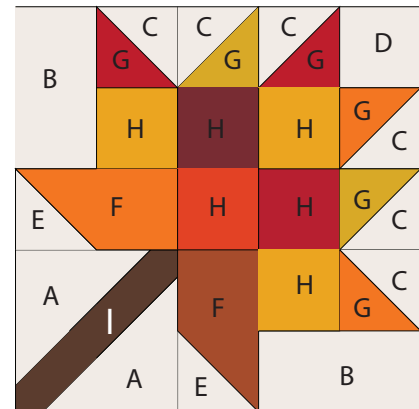*Now includes instructions for a table runner!*

See page 3 for table runner supplies & instructions.

Cutting Chart for ONE block

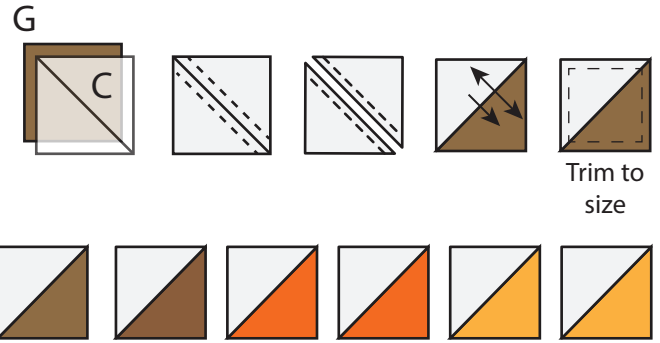| Color	Qty	Piece	5" size	7.5" size	10" size
background	1	A	3" square	4" square	5" square
	2	B	1.5" x 2.5" rectangle	2" x 3.5" rectangle	2.5" x 4.5" rectangle
	3	C	2" square	2.5" square	3" square
	1	D	1.5" square	2" square	2.5" square
	2	E	1.5" square	2" square	2.5" square
	2	F	1.5" x 2.5" rectangle	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

Finished block Size

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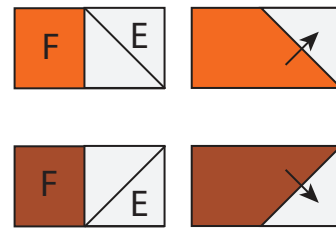- Most seams are pressed open; follow pressing arrows when shown.

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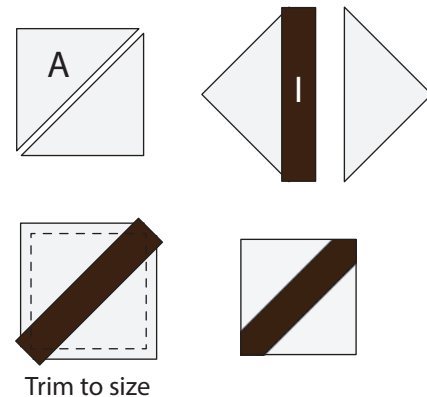
Piecing

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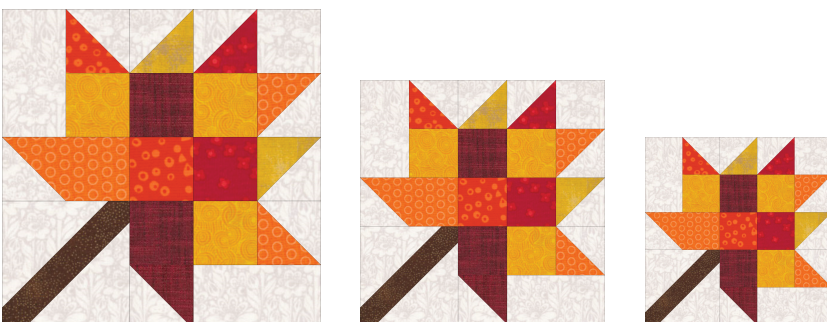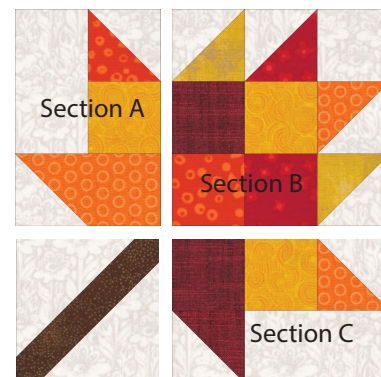
10. Cut the background (A) square in half diagonally to create two triangles.
11. With RST, place the (I) rectangle on the long side of one triangle, matching centers. Stitch.
12. Repeat using the other triangle.
13. Press seams open OR toward the background fabric.
14. Trim Stem Unit to 2.5" (3.5",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

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Scrappy Leaf Table Runner

Size: 10.5" x 40.5"

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This table runner uses five blocks from the Scrappy Leaf Block Tutorial. I've used all three sizes to give the illusion of leaves floating across the runner. You'll need to make one 10" block, two 7.5" blocks and two 5" blocks.

Supplies

- Background fabric: 1/2 yard (includes blocks and table runner)
- Leaf blocks: various scraps in fall colors

- Binding fabric: 1/4 yard
- Backing fabric: 1/2 yard
- Batting: 15" x 45"

Cutting

> Make your table runner bigger by changing the width of the sashing rectangles and by adding a top and bottom border!

Background fabric
Use the Scrappy Leaf Block cutting instructions to make five blocks: (1) 10", (2) 7.5" and (2) 5" blocks. In addition, cut the following:
- (2) 5.5" squares
- (2) 3" x 8" rectangles
- (6) 1.5" x 10.5" rectangles (sashing)

Assembly

1. Arrange the blocks, 5.5" squares, 3" x 8" rectangles and 1.5" x 10.5" sashing rectangles as shown. (Figure A)

2. Join the smaller blocks and background pieces to form sections. Then sew the sections, sashing, and large block together to create the table runner. Press all seams toward the background pieces.

3. Baste the quilt top, batting and backing together. Quilt and bind using your favorite method.

Figure A

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