

SPLIT NINE-PATCH

Block of the Month 2024

The following instructions will make two blocks.

Press all seams open.

FABRIC REQUIREMENTS:

You will need:

6 different reds

5 different creams and/or tans (can be mixed)

From **each of 4** of the reds cut:

2 3 1/2" squares

From **each** of the 2 remaining reds cut:

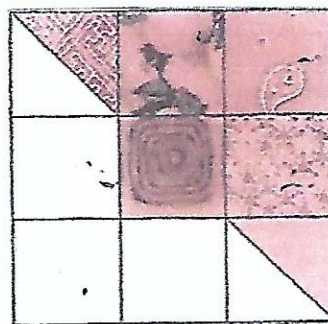
1 4 1/4" square

From **each of 3** of the creams/tans cut:

2 3 1/2" squares

From **each of the 2** remaining creams/tans cut:

1 4 1/4" square



- Draw a diagonal line on the back of two cream 4 1/4" squares. Place them right sides together with two red 4 1/4" squares. Stitch a 1/4" seam on EACH side of the drawn line. Cut apart on the drawn line. Press seams open. Trim the squares to 3 1/2". You will have eight 2-colored squares, six cream/tan squares and eight red squares. You will use only four of the 2-colored squares but this will give you enough variety so that you have no duplicate fabrics in each block.

- Assemble the red and cream/tan 3 1/2" squares and the 2-colored squares together in the arrangement shown above. Press all seams open.

- Block will measure 9 1/2" X 9 1/2" (and will measure 9" X 9" when assembled in the quilt).

WAIT TIL YOU SEE HOW THESE SIMPLE BLOCKS CAN BE ASSEMBLED TO CREATE A DYNAMIC QUILT!