

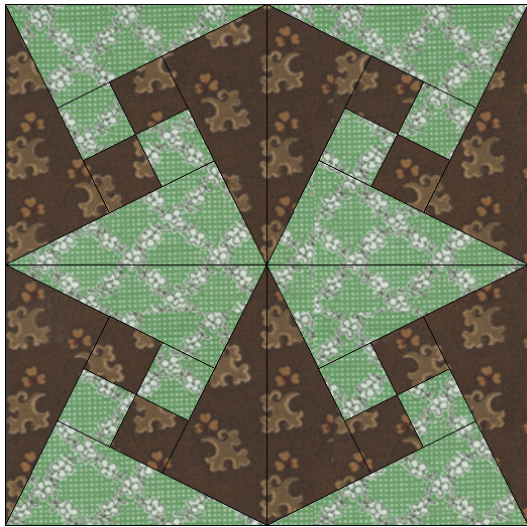
Midget Blocks—Block 49

Midget Blocks are a series of wonderful little blocks adapted from an antique sampler quilt made during the 1930s. I hope you'll enjoy making these blocks and a sampler quilt of your own.

Most of these blocks were made using just two colors. A print or solid color and the background fabric. This block in the original quilt was constructed using two fabrics; a green print fabric and a brown print fabric.

Arabic Lattice 4 1/2"

In the antique quilt this block is the first block from the left in the sixteenth row.



This block is well suited for a combination of machine and hand piecing.

Cutting:

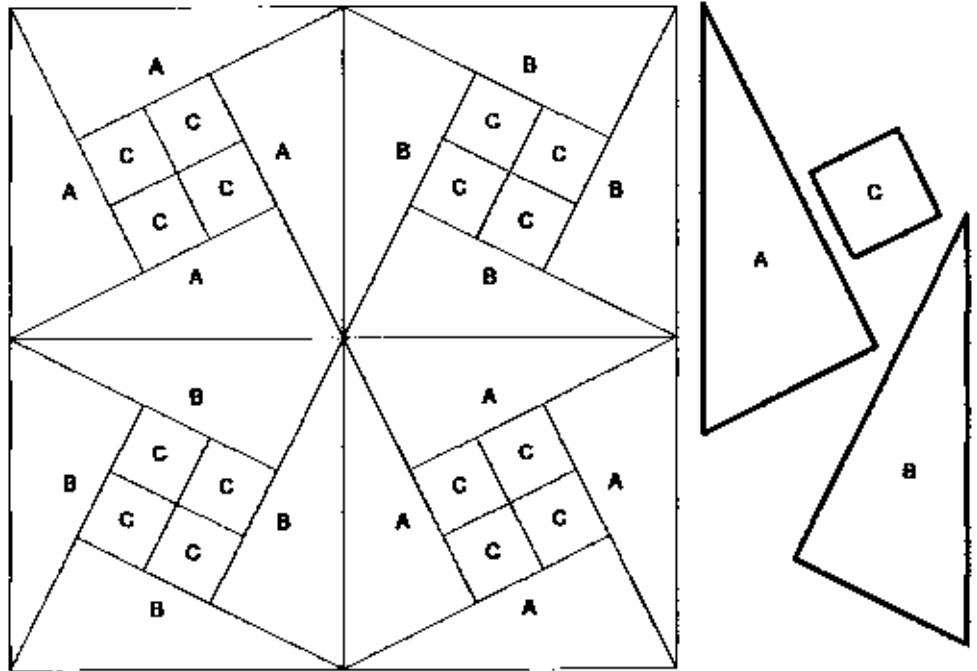
Green:

Cut 8 squares 1" x 1".
Cut 4 template "A".
Cut 4 template "B".

Brown:

Cut 8 squares 1" x 1".
Cut 4 template "A".
Cut 4 template "B".

1. Using the 1" squares, stitch together 4 little Four Patch Blocks for the center in each quarter of the block. I made these little blocks by machine but you could hand piece the entire block if desired.
2. Hand piece the outer "A" and "B" pieces around the Four Patch Blocks.
3. Complete each quarter of the block by sewing together the open edges on the "A" or "B" pieces.
4. The block quarters can be sewn together by hand or machine to complete the block.



Your unfinished block should measure 5"

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