

Midget Blocks—Block 96

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 pink solid, blue solid and the background fabric.

I chose to use prints for my illustration.

1929 World's Fair - 4 1/2"

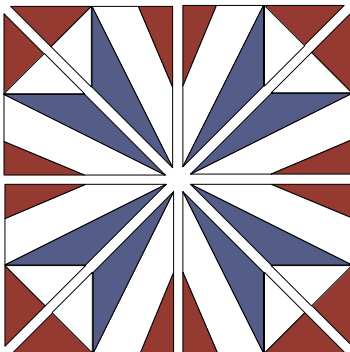
In the antique quilt this block is the tenth block from the left in the fourteenth row.

This block is well suited for foundation piecing

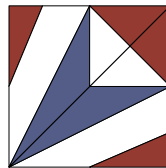
Fabrics—

If you have a fat 1/8th (9" x 22") of each color you'll have plenty for your foundation piecing

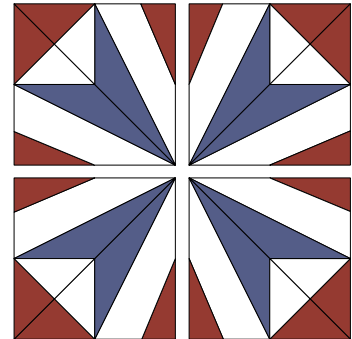
- Foundation piece the eight sections of the block **A**
- Sew the eight sections in pairs forming the four blue points **B**
- Sew the four units in pairs **C**
- Sew the square point units together to form the two halves of the block **D**
- Sew the long seam down the middle to complete the block **E**



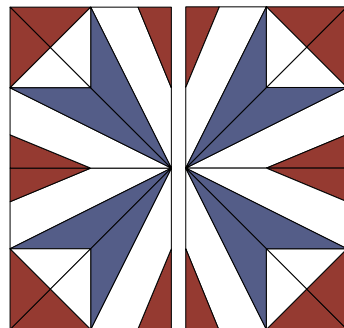
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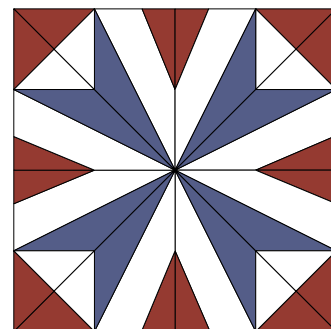
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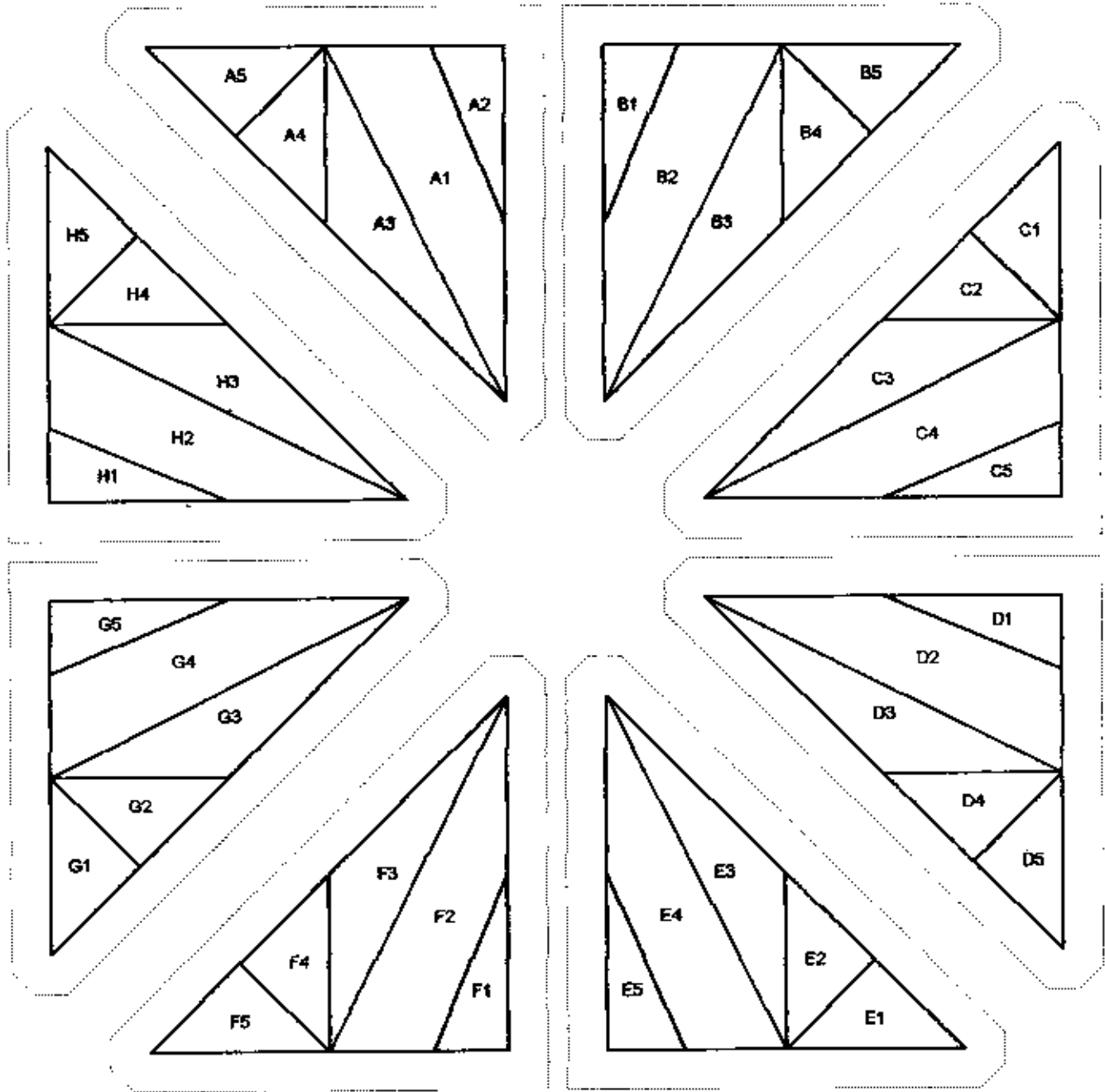
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Your unfinished block should measure 5"



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