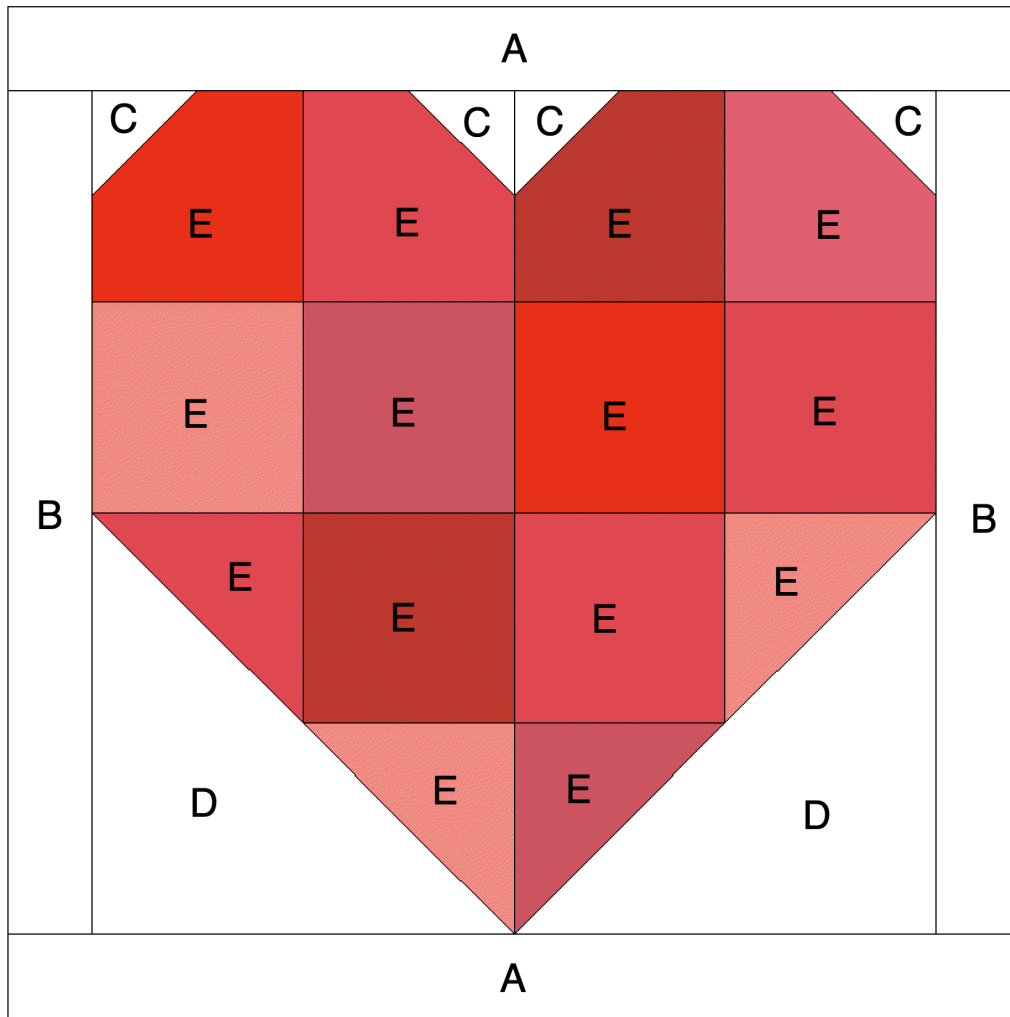


February 2023 Block of the Month - Heart



Block size:
12" finished
(12½" unfinished)

Cutting Instructions

Background (white):

- A - two 1½" x 12½" rectangles
- B - two 1½" x 10½" rectangles
- C - four 1¾" squares
- D - two 5½" squares

Heart (various red or pink prints):

- E - fourteen 3" squares

Sewing Instructions

1. Top left quadrant of heart: Sew four red squares together in a four-patch. Use two C pieces to snowball the two upper corners of the four-patch.
2. Repeat step 1 for the top right quadrant of the heart.
3. Sew the two upper quadrants of the heart together as shown.
4. Bottom left quadrant of heart: Sew three red squares together in a right-angle configuration. Place one white D square on top of the three red squares, right sides together. Sew on a diagonal line from corner to corner (across two of the red squares). Trim away the excess fabric, and press toward the background.
5. Repeat step 4 for the bottom right quadrant of the heart.
6. Sew the two bottom quadrants of the heart together as shown.
7. Sew the top and bottom halves of the heart together.
8. Sew the B pieces to both sides of the heart.
9. Sew the two A pieces to the top and bottom of the heart.