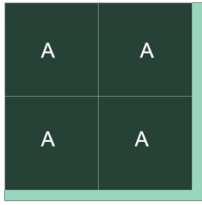


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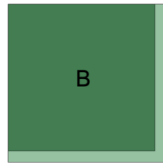
Australia – Walkabout Variation

Note: Illustrations are not necessarily to scale



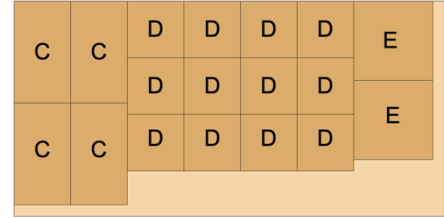
Fabric 1 cut from
1 @ 9.5" x 9.5"

A. 4 @ 4.5" x 4.5"



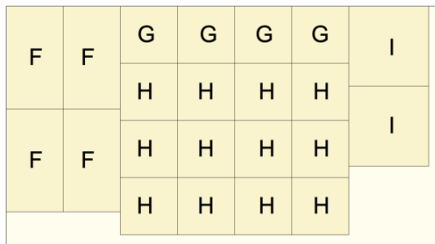
Fabric 2 cuts from
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B. 1 @ 6.5" x 6.5"



Fabric 3 cuts from
1 @ 19" x 9.5"

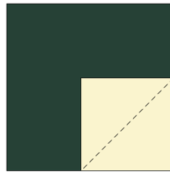
C. 4 @ 2.5" x 4.5"
D. 12 @ 2.5" x 2.5"
E. 2 @ 3.5" x 3.5"



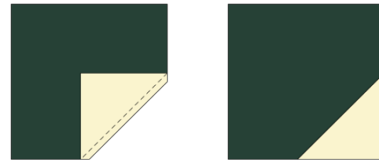
Background fabric cuts from 1 @ 19" x 10.5"

F. 4 @ 2.5" x 4.5"
G. 4 @ 2.5" x 2.5"
H. 12 @ 2.5" x 2.5"
I. 2 @ 3.5" x 3.5"

1. With right sides together, place an H square aligned with one corner of an A square. Sew a diagonal line from corner to corner across the H square.



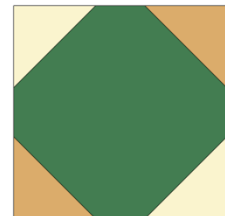
2. Trim 0.25" AWAY from the seam. Press towards the background fabric.



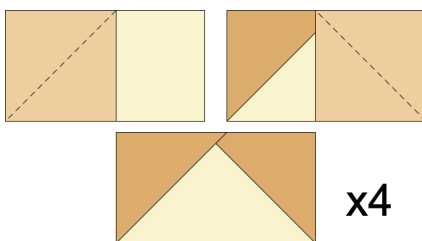
3. Make 2 units with H corners and 2 units with D corners.



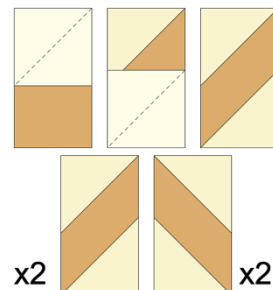
4. Using the same method, 'snowball' the 4 corners of the A square using 2 H squares and 2 D squares, EXACTLY as on the right.



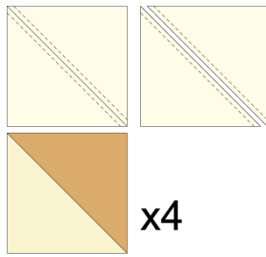
5. Use the same method to make 4 Flying Geese units, using the 4 F rectangles, and the remaining 8 D squares.



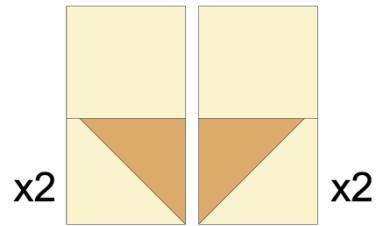
6. Use the same method to make the Diagonal Units, using the 4 C rectangles and the remaining 8 H squares. Make 2 units that are oriented bottom left to top right, and 2 units that are oriented bottom right to top left – EXACTLY as shown below.



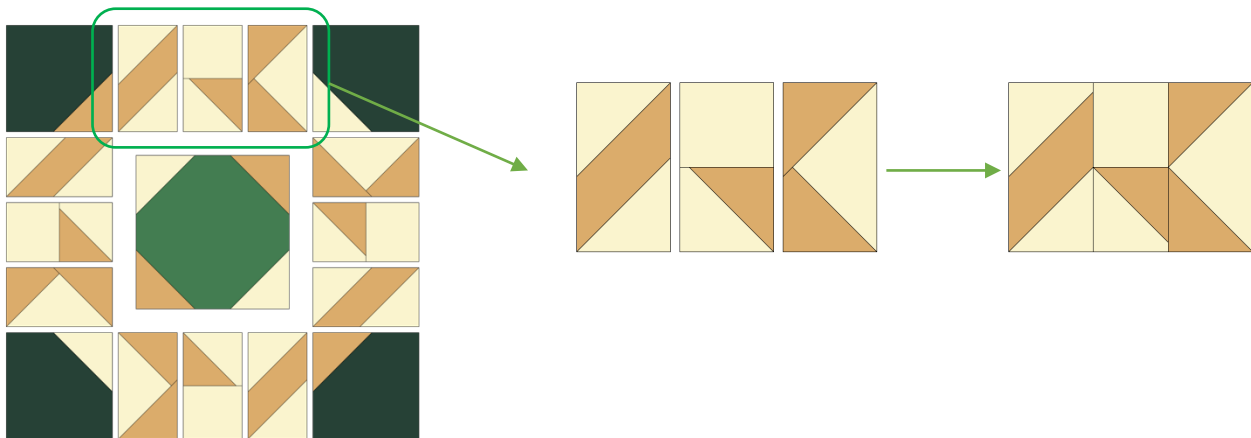
7. Place an E and an I square with right sides together. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner, and stitch 0.25" on either side of the line and parallel to it. Cut the unit apart along the drawn line. Press the seam towards the darker side. Trim each unit to 2.5" square. Make a total of 4 Half Square Triangle units.



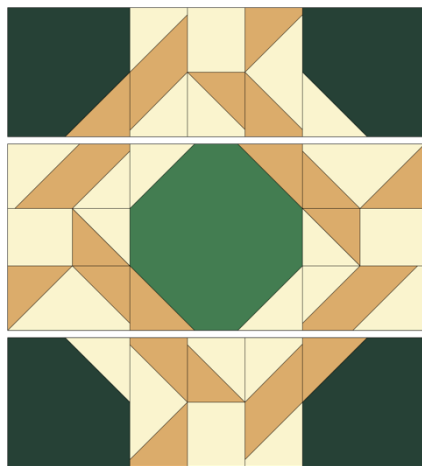
8. Sew a G square to one side of each Half Square Triangle unit, so that you have 2 of each orientation, as shown below. Press each seam away from the Half Square Triangle.



9. Lay out all of the units EXACTLY as shown below. Be VERY careful to orient each unit correctly. First, join the 3 units that make up the top center edge unit. Press these, and all remaining seams open. Join each section of the center left, center right, and bottom center edge units in the same way, making sure to keep the unit orientations as shown.



10. To complete the block, join the rows.



11. Finally join the rows together. Your Walkabout Variation block should measure 14.5" square.

