

# Wave Block

## Materials Needed (for two 6 ½ inch blocks):

Light teal fabric: 7 ½ by 16 ½ inch piece of fabric (or equivalent)

Cut one 1 5/8 inch x 7 inch strip

Cut two 2 ½ inch squares

Cut two 3 ½ inch squares

Cut two 4 ½ inch squares

Dark teal fabric: 7 ½ x 16 ½ inch piece of fabric (or equivalent)

Cut one 1 5/8 inch x 7 inch strip

Cut two 2 ½ inch squares

Cut two 3 ½ inch squares

Cut two 4 ½ inch squares

Cut all squares on the diagonal to form triangles.

Note: All pieces are larger than required and will be trimmed down to size after each step



## Instructions:

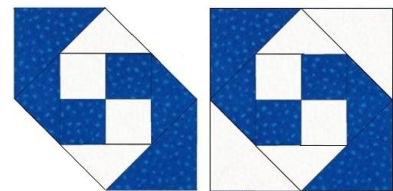
**4-patch:** Sew the two 1 5/8 inch x 7 inch strips together. Press toward the darker fabric. Sub-cut into four 1 5/8 inch segments. Sew two segments together to make a 4-patch unit. Make two 4-patch units. Press seam to either side. Trim to 2 5/8 inch square. Make sure to trim all four sides evenly so that the middle of the 4-patch remains centered.

**Triangle round 1:** Sew a 2 ½ inch dark teal triangle to opposite **sides** of the 4-patch, matching centers.

**Pay attention to the orientation of the 4-patch. The dark teal squares are on the upper right and lower left quadrants.** Press toward the triangles. Repeat with the light teal 2 ½ inch triangles on the remaining two sides. Press toward the triangles. Trim to 3 ½ inch square, making sure the center of the 4-patch is lined up with the 1 ¾ inch mark on the ruler.

**Triangle round 2:** Sew the dark teal 3 ½ inch triangles to opposite sides of the unit, making sure the orientation of the block matches the figure to the right. Press toward the triangles.

Repeat for the light teal 3 ½ inch triangles. Trim to 4 ¾ inch square, making sure the center of the 4-patch is lined up with the 2 3/8 inch mark on the ruler.



**Triangle round 3:** Sew the dark teal 4 ½ inch triangles to opposite sides of the unit, making sure the orientation of the block matches figure to the right. Press toward the triangles. Repeat for the light teal 4 ½ inch triangles. Trim the block to 6 ½ inch square, making sure the center of the 4-patch is lined up with the 3 ¼ inch mark on the ruler.

