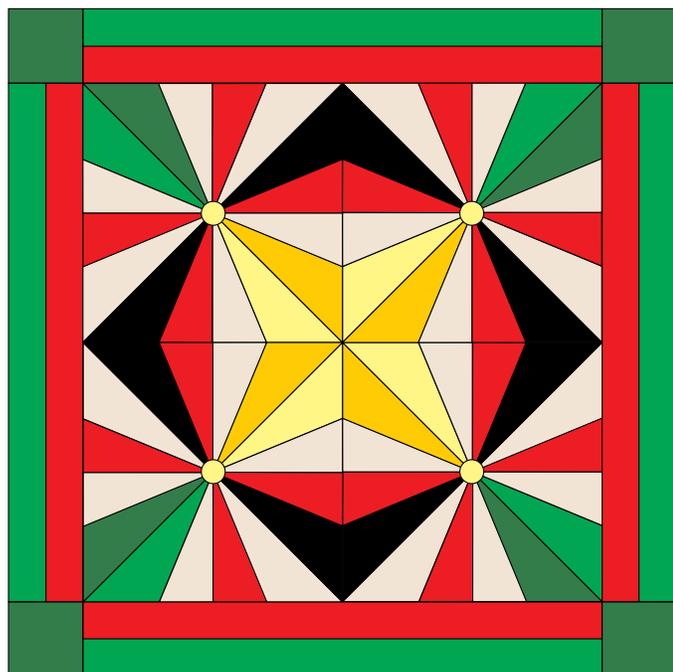


**Welcome to the 2013  
Squedge 22.5  
Adventure!**

Our first pattern simply uses the 22.5 Squedge to cut block pieces from a single fabric piece.

Here are a few tips before getting started:

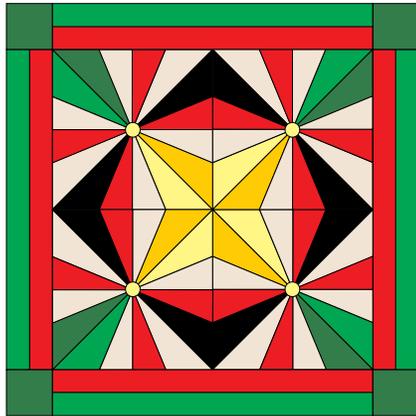
1. Prepare the Squedge tool by applying disks or strips of non-slip adhesive product or loops of transparent tape, sticky side out. This step is crucial to keep your Squedge tool from slipping as you cut around it.
2. Yardage Charts give both the amount suggested for purchasing and the actual amount used. This is helpful when you're pulling from your stash so you can use leftovers and scraps.
3. The yardage charts assume your fabric is a two way design allowing you to cut Squedge pieces in both directions. See the general cutting diagram. If your fabric is directional or a one way design, allow more fabric.
4. When cutting the Squedge pieces for this project, align the bottom edge to the edge of your strip. This gives you a block with straight grain, rather than bias edges.



**Finished Size: 44" Square**

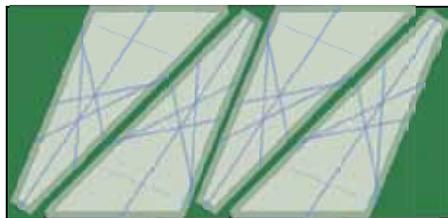


	Color shown in graphic	Amount used (Squedge ONLY)	Suggested yardage including border
A	gold	8 ¼" x 17"	¼ yd
B	yellow	8 ¼" x 17"	¼ yd
C	tan	8 ¼" x 34" + 8" x 41"	½ yd
D	black	8 ¼" x 34"	¼ yd
E	light green	8 ¼" x 17"	¾ yd
F	dark green	8 ¼" x 17"	½ yd
G	red	8" x 22"	⅝ yd

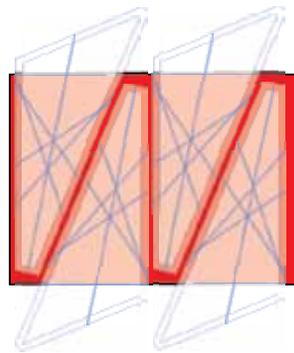


	Color shown in graphic	Number of strips	Strip width	Full Squedge pieces	Partial Squedge pieces
A	gold	one	8 ¼"	4	
B	yellow	one	8 ¼"	4 R*	
C	tan	one	8 ¼"	4 + 4 R*	
		one	8"		8 + 8 R*
D	black	one	8 ¼"	4 + 4 R*	
E	green	one	8 ¼"	4	
		four	3"	border 2	
F	dark green	one	8 ¼"	4 R*	
		four	5" squares	Cornerstones	
G	red	one	8"		4 + 4 R*
		four	2 ½"	border 1	

Place the tool on fabric as shown



Align the bottom of the tool with fabric edge



Align the tool slots with fabric edge

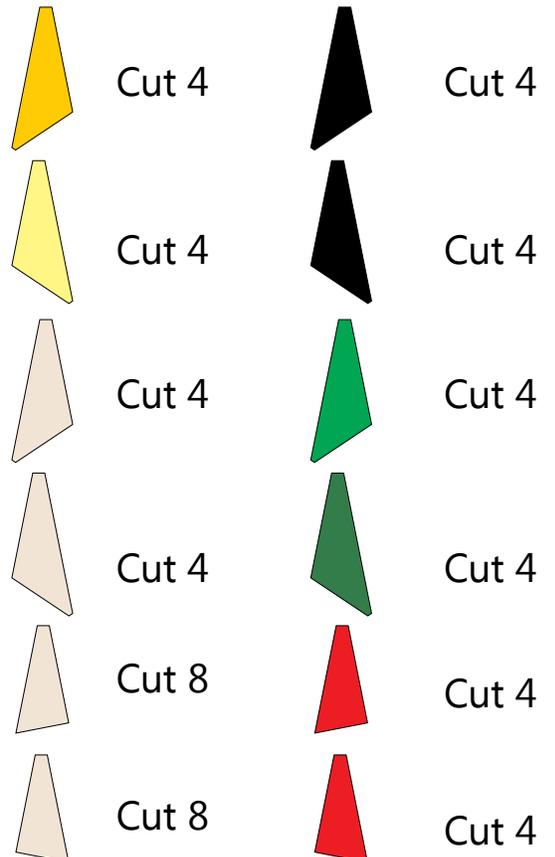
\* 'R' refers to the reverse image  
See instructions below

**Cutting**

1. Cut the fabric Squedge pieces as listed.
2. For the Reverse Squedge pieces, cut from the wrong side of the fabric to give a mirror image.  
For pairs of mirror image Squedges, fold the strip of fabric in half with wrong sides together.

*This is similar to garment sewing where you cut the two front pieces of a blouse to get a left and right side.*

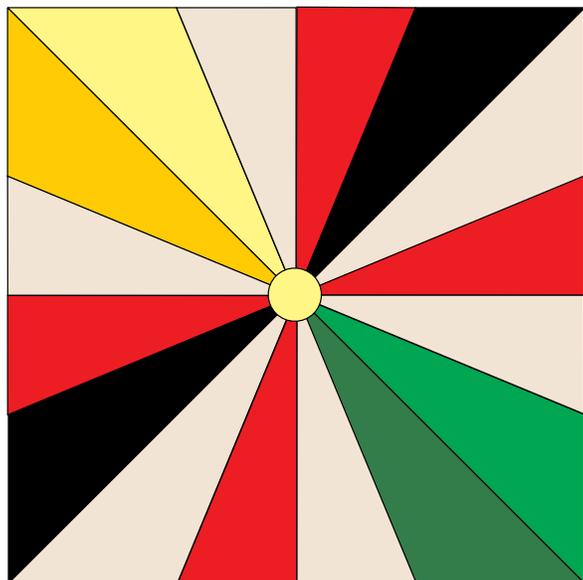
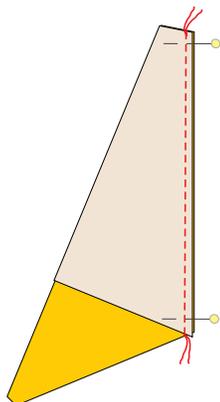
The third option is to turn the squedge tool over to get the mirror image.



This pattern is NOT for resale

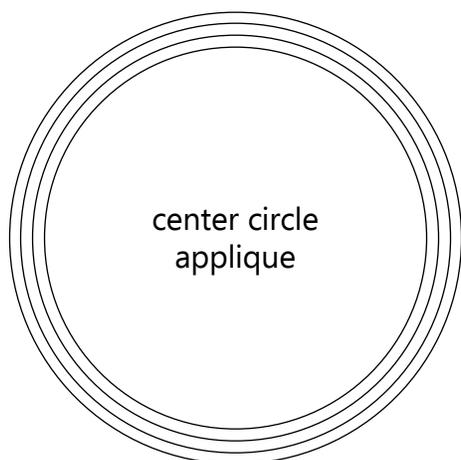
### Making Blocks

1. Lay out the Squedge pieces to make the block shown.
2. Pin the Squedge pieces together matching top and bottom edges.
3. Sew the pieces together using full 1/4" seams to make the block shown.



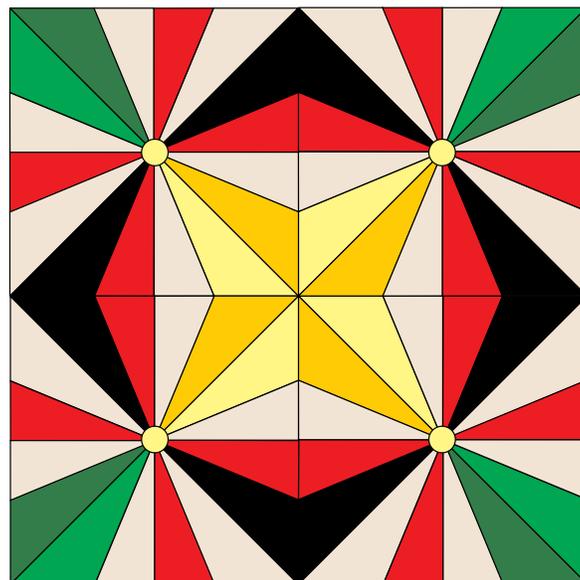
### Appliquing Block Centers

1. Stabilize the center opening by ironing a scrap of freezer paper to the back side.
2. Trace the circle onto freezer paper.
3. Create a freezer paper applique with Fabric B.
4. Applique the circle over the center opening.



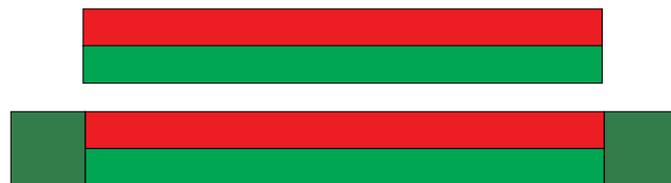
### Assembling the Wall Hanging

1. Sew the four blocks together.
2. Press the seam allowances.
3. Measure the width of the four block unit.

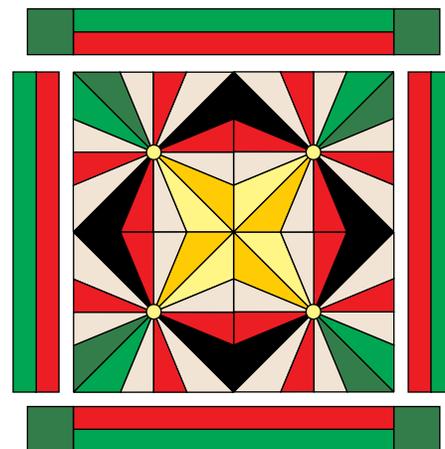


### Border

1. Trim four 2 1/2" G strips to the measurement of the four block unit.
2. Trim four 3" E strips to the measurement of the four block unit.
3. Sew four sets of G/E strips together.
4. Sew the 5" Fabric F squares onto the ends of the G/E strips to make the border strips.



Sew the borders onto the four block unit.

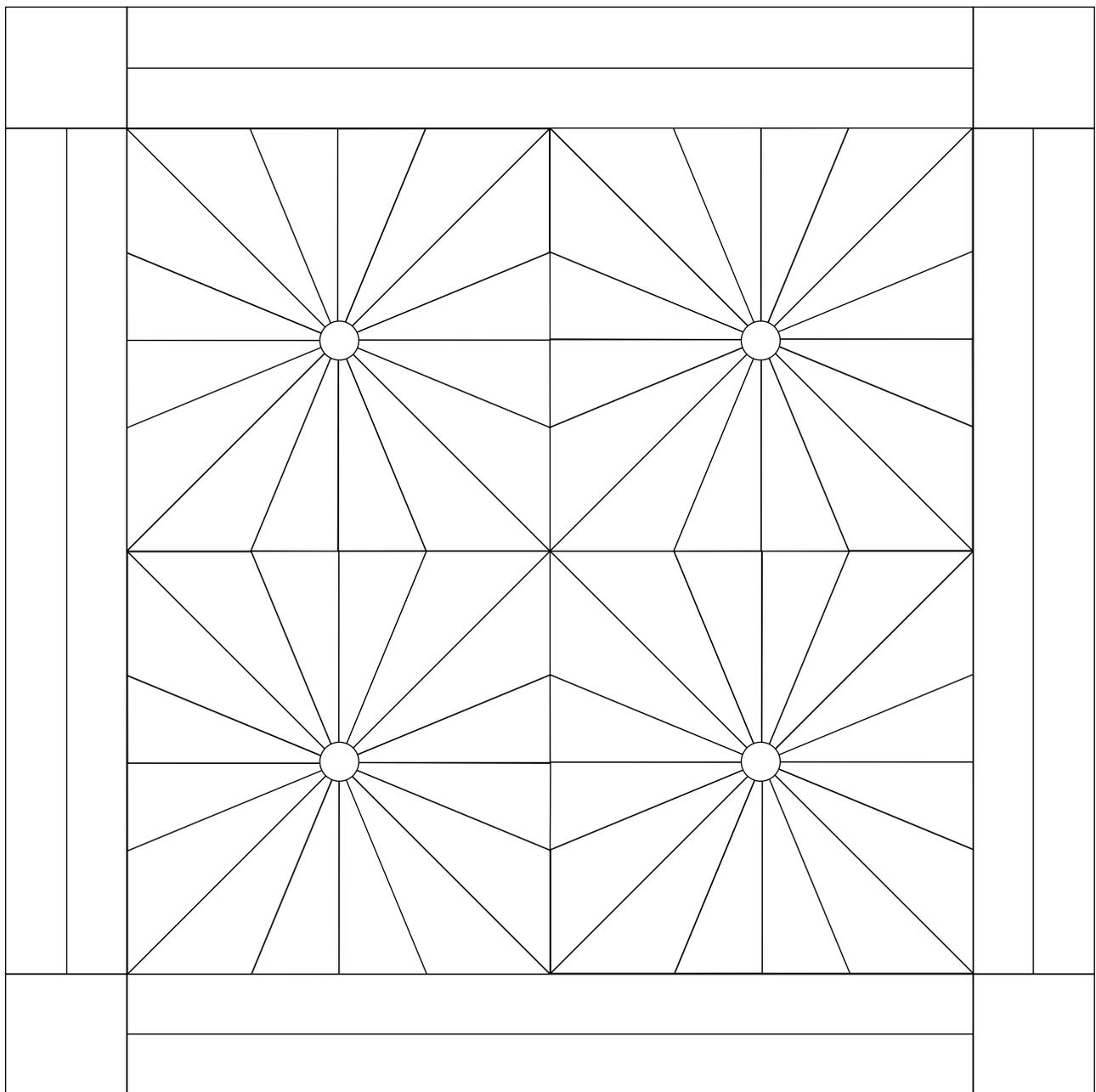
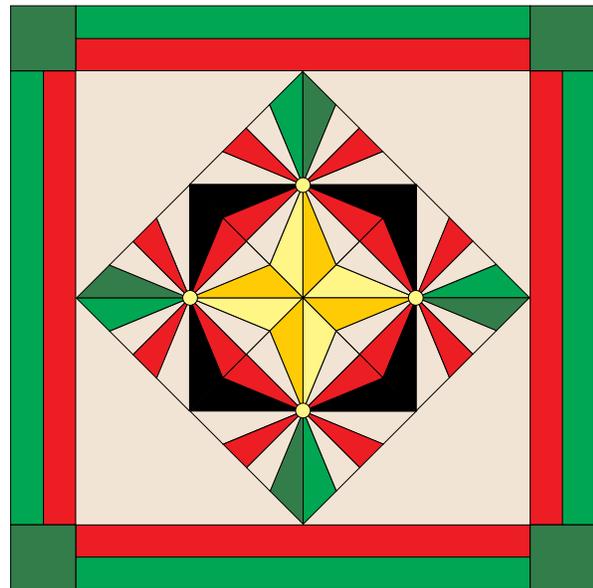


**Variation**

For a larger project, you can turn the center portion on point and finish with triangles and borders. Finished Size for this variation is 54" Square.

For the triangles you'll need two 23" squares. Cut the squares diagonally. Sew the triangles onto the four block center unit.

Strips for the border will be about 44" long, so piecing may be necessary for narrower fabric widths.



Use this grid to plan your own block colors.