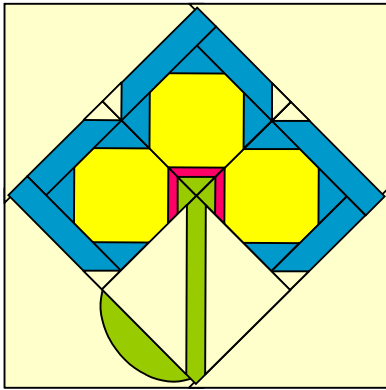


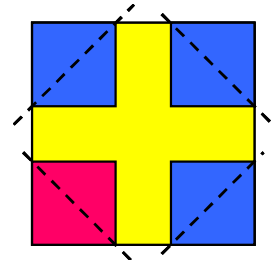
April block



Fabrics: cream, pink, green, yellow and blue
Block size (unfinished): 15 ½" x" 15 ½"

Cut:

- Cream:
 - Two 9" squares cut along the diagonal (outside corners)
 - One 5 ½" square (stem block)
 - Six 1 ½" squares (small corners of the petals)
- Yellow: three 4 ½" squares
- Blue:
 - Nine 2" squares (corners of the petals)
 - 1 ½" strip x 30", cut into three 4 ½" and three 5 ½" rectangles (the petals)
- Green: 1 ¼" x 8" and 3 squares 1 ½"
- Pink: three 2" squares



Assemble:

1. On each of the yellow squares,
 - a. add three blue 2" squares and the pink 2" square at the corners,
 - b. sew along the diagonal and
 - c. trim the seams
 2. Add on the same way the green square (to the pink corner)
- HINT: iron one of the 3 squares with the seams to the inside, the other 2 with them to the outside
3. On all the blue rectangles, add a cream square on one end (watch placement), again sewing along the diagonal.
 4. Add those blue rectangles to the yellow center as per the diagram
 5. Make the stem square by
 - a. cutting the 5 ½" triangle along the diagonal
 - b. sew the 1 ¼" strip to one side of the diagonal and then the other
 - c. trim the square to 5 ½"

6. Assemble 2 leaves pieces along the curve part, right sides together, clip and turn over
7. Sew the 4 flower pieces together
8. Add the triangle setting corners, remembering to insert the leaf on one side as your sewing the setting corner to the block

