

Modern Art Quilters

Tutor Box Number 12 Plusses and Crosses

For 1 x 7½" Block you need:

Colour A: Two x 2" squares, one 2 inch by 5 inch piece (central plus)

Colour B: Four x 2" squares (outside of the plus)

Colour C: Four x 3½" squares (these make the cross)

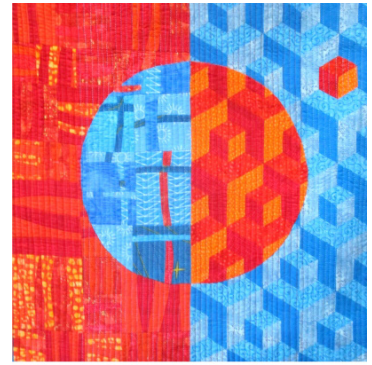
Colour D: Eight x 2-3/16" squares (background)

However they are amazing made in scraps!

Method:

1. Draw a pencil line from corner to corner on the back of your D squares. Put these Right Sides together on opposite corners of the four C squares.
2. Stitch on the line of each small square. Press outwards and trim off the excess corners.
3. You have made your four block corners.
4. Place two pairs of A and B squares together and sew along one edge with a scant ¼" seam.
5. Press towards the B squares.
6. Take two B squares and sew to the A strip, press outwards,
7. Lay out your block so that the corners make the X shape. Join Pairs of corners with the A and B units ensuring that the A square goes towards the centre of the block.
8. Press the seams towards the centre units.
9. Join these two units to the centre strip, and press outwards.

Make some more?



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