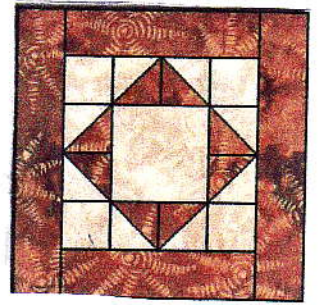


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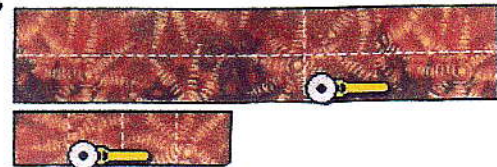
HOURLASS #4 – 12"



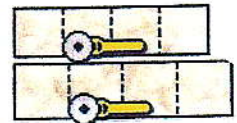
Supply list

Color one needs one 5" x 21" strip and one 2-7/8" x 11-1/2" strip – (pastel)
Color two (white muslin from Jean's Corner) needs one 4-1/2" square,
one 2-1/2" x 10" strip and one 2-7/8" x 11-1/2" strip

First cut the color one 5" x 21" strip into two 2-1/2" x 12-1/2" rectangles and two 2-1/2" x 8-1/2" rectangles. Then cut the color one 2-7/8" x 11-1/2" strip into four 2-7/8" squares.

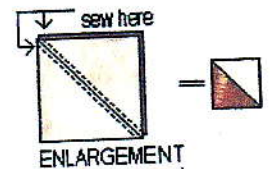


Now cut the color two 2-1/2" x 10" strip into four 2-1/2" squares.

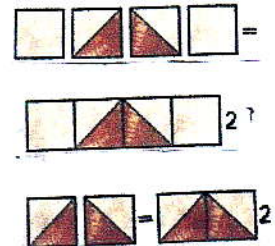


Then cut the color two 2-7/8" x 11-1/2" strip into four 2-7/8" squares.

Place pairs of color one/color two 2-7/8" squares, right sides together and all edges aligned. On the back of the top squares lightly draw in the diagonal, then sew a scant 1/4" seam on each side of the drawn line. Cut apart on the drawn line to make two half squares. Press seams to the darker sides. Trim to measure 2-1/2" if needed. Make a total of 8 half squares in the same manner.



Now piece the center of the block. Using a scant 1/4" seam, sew two of each of the units shown at right. Sew the shorter of the units made in this step to the left and right sides of the color two 4-1/2" center square. Press seams towards the outer units. Add the longer units from this step to the top and bottom, again pressing seams away from the square.



To finish the block, sew color one 2-1/2" x 8-1/2" strips to the top and bottom of the center square. Add a color one 2-1/2" x 12-1/2" strips to the left and right as the final step.

