

# No-Waste Flying Geese (makes 4 flying geese units)

The width of finished flying geese units is always twice the height (see Figure 1). It's like two half-square triangle units put together.

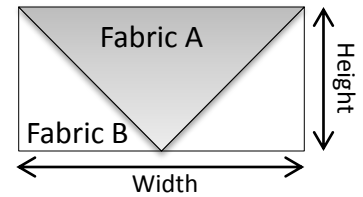


Figure 1

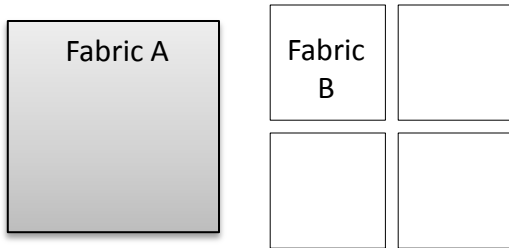


Figure 2

Size to cut fabric (see Figure 2):

- Fabric A – Cut 1 square finished width + 1 ½"
- Fabric B – Cut 4 squares finished height + 1"

Mark cutting line diagonally from corner to corner on the wrong side of the 4 small squares. Mark stitching lines a scant ¼" on each side of the cutting line (see Figure 3).

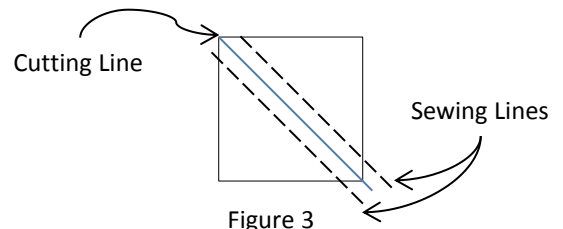


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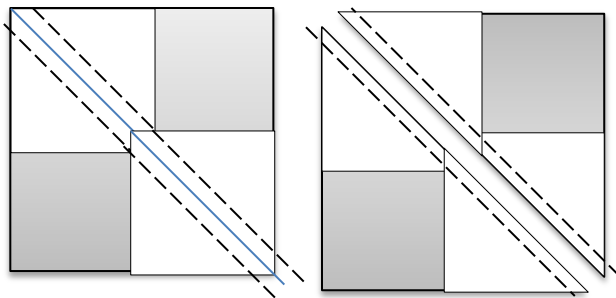


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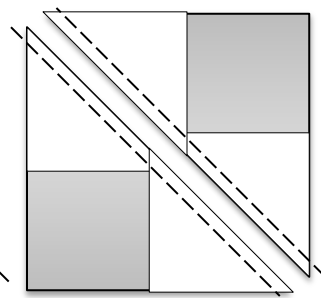


Figure 5

With right sides together, place two small squares on opposite corners of the large square. Match up outer corners & marked lines. Inner corners will overlap (see Figure 4).

Stitch on the marked stitching lines & cut apart (see Figure 5).

Press toward Fabric B (Figure 6).

With right sides together, place one small square on each sewn unit (Figure 7).

Stitch on the stitching lines & cut apart (Figure 8).

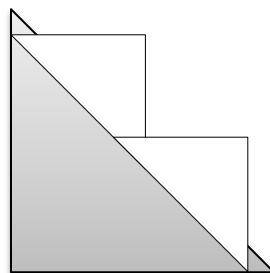


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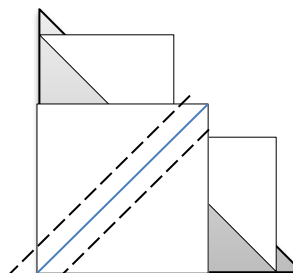


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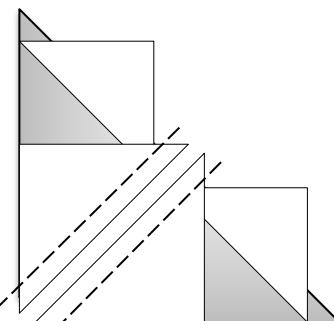


Figure 8

**Press** toward Fabric B.

**Trim** geese to finished size + ½" (see Figure 9—dotted line is the seam line when you join units)

- Trim the side with the point first, centering the point and making sure it is ¼" from edge
- Diagonal seams should be 45° and should line up with the corners.

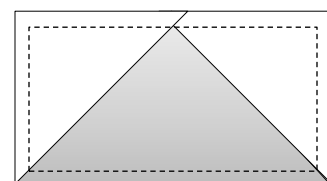


Figure 9