

Rocket Quilt Guild Mystery Quilt 2018

October 2018 to April 2019

Instructions and diagrams are shown using the “Winter” color scheme (from Clue #1), but you should substitute those colors with the fabrics you’ve chosen for your quilt.

Fill in your fabric names in the grid below (“Your Fabric” column) to easily remind you which fabrics to use where.

The number of strips, squares, units for the 46” x 58” and 46” x 46” quilts are shown in brackets [] after the number for the 58” x 70” quilt.

For example, “cut 5 [or 3, or 2] @ 2” x WOF strips” means:

- “cut 5 strips of fabric to size 5” x WOF per strip for the 58” x 70” quilt”
- “cut 3 strips of fabric to size 3” x WOF per strip for the 46” x 58” quilt”
- “cut 2 strips of fabric to size 2” x WOF per strip for the 46” x 46” quilt”

Let’s get started with Clue #3!

Number of Squares / Strips to Cut (see below for details):

Fabric #	Fabric	Your Fabric	“Winter” Fabric	Quilt Size 58” x 70”	Quilt Size 46” x 58”	Quilt Size 46” x 46”
1	Fussy-Cut Fabric		Light Teal Print	10 squares	6 squares	4 squares
7	Light #2 print (background)		White	10 strips @ 3-1/2”	6 strips @ 3-1/2”	5 strips @ 3-1/2”

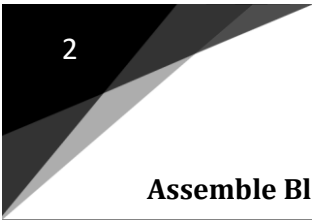
Cut Fabrics as follows:

From **Fussy-Cut Fabric**:

- Cut 10 [or 6, or 4] 8-1/2” squares, fussy-cut with desired design in center of each square

From **Light #2 print (background)** fabric:

- Cut 10 [or 6, or 5] @ 3-1/2” x WOF strips
- Re-cut into 100 [or 60, or 48] 3-1/2” squares



Assemble Block #1:

1. Sew an “A” segment (from Clue #2) to the **left** edge of each **8-1/2” Fussy-Cut Fabric** square, and a “B” segment (from Clue #2) to the **right** edge, to make **10 [or 6, or 4] 8-1/2” x 12-1/2”** center rows.



Diagram 1

2. Press seams toward the **Fussy-Cut Fabric** squares.
3. Stitch a “C” segment (from Clue #2) to the bottom of the center rows, and a “D” segment (from Clue #2) to the top, to complete **10 [or 6, or 4] 12-1/2” x 12-1/2”** block units, matching **Medium #2** to **Medium #2**, and **Medium #1** to **Medium #1**, at the corners.

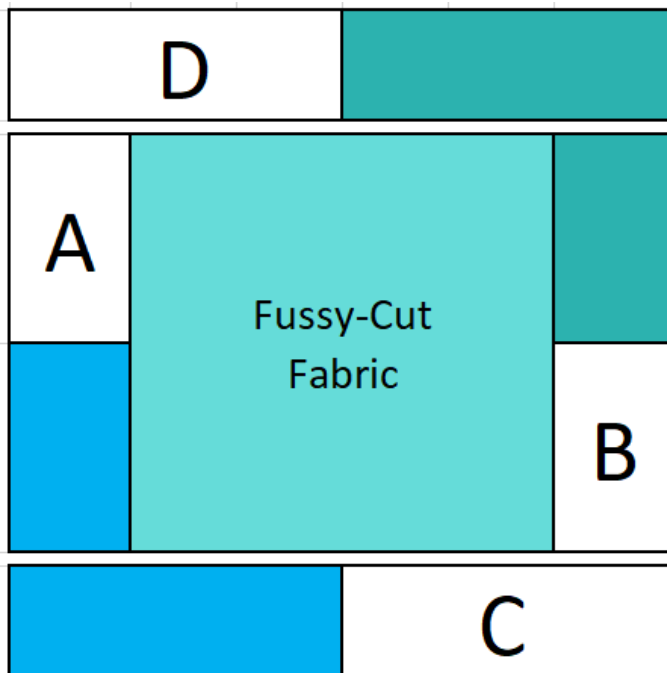
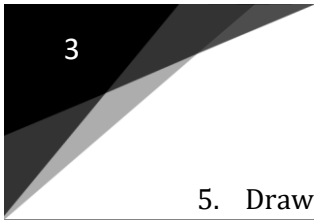


Diagram 2

4. Press seams toward the “C” and “D” segments.



Clue #3

5. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of each **3-1/2" Light #2 print (background)** square.
6. Set aside **80** [or 48, or 40] marked **3-1/2" Light #2 print (background)** squares for Block #2, Clue 4.
7. Place a marked **3-1/2" Light #2 print (background)** square right sides together on opposite **Light #1** corners of each block unit.

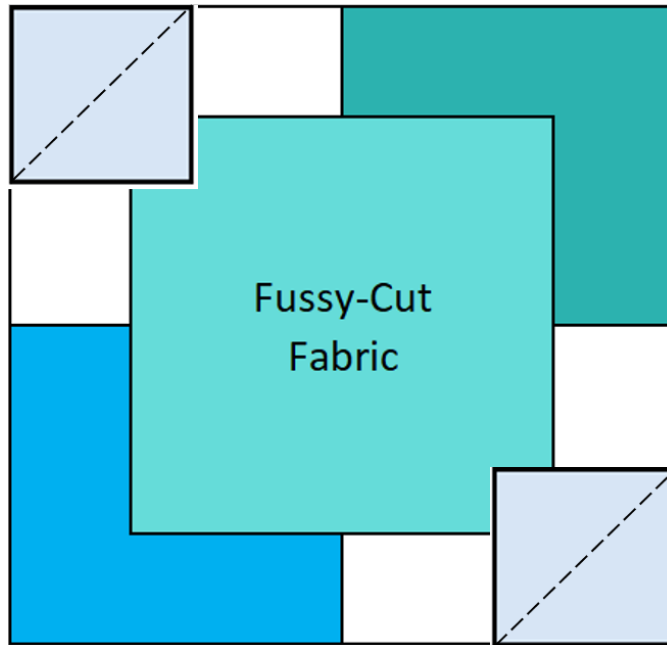
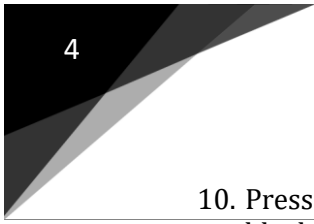


Diagram 3

8. Sew on the marked lines.
9. Trim seam allowance $\frac{1}{4}$ " from the stitching.



Clue #3

10. Press the **Light #2 print (background)** triangles open to complete **10** [or 6, or 4] **Block #1** blocks.

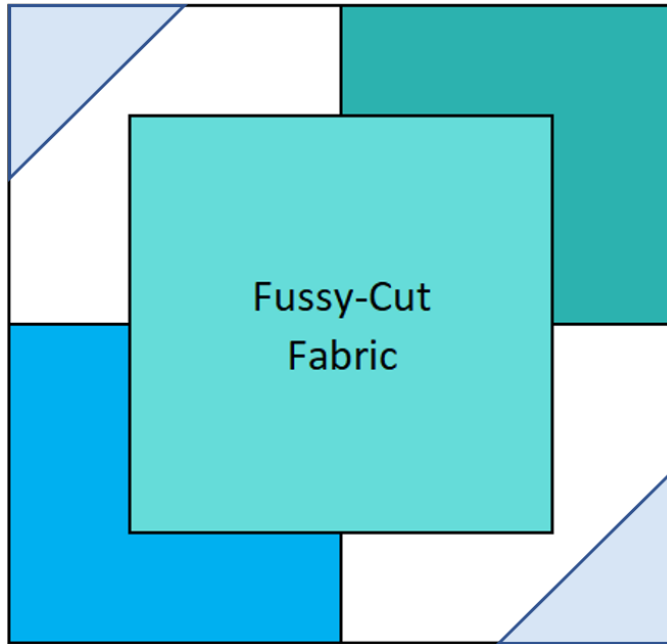


Diagram 4

Next month we'll start working on **Block #2**.

If you have any questions about these instructions, please call or email me.

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