

# General Directions for Disappearing Nine-Patch

Finished block size = three times cut square size minus two inches

C	B	C/D
B	A	B
C/D	B	C

A - accent fabric

B - accent fabric, different from A

C - focus fabric of squares cut from panels

C/D - more of Fabric C or a coordinate of Fabric C

\* This block also works with rectangles, as long as all are the same size.

- 1) Cut squares of the required fabric types according to the diagram above. Any size square can be used, however, if using a panel let the size square that can be cut from the panel dictate what size square you use.
- 2) Sew the squares together to create the nine-patch block. Remember, the two Fabric C squares (not C/D) will eventually exchange places.
- 3) Cut the nine-patch block into quarters. Without changing the orientation of the sections, switch the upper left section with the lower right section. Stitch the block back together. You have now made one disappearing nine-patch block (there are other variations of this block, too).

C	B
B	A

B	C/D
A	B

A	B
B	C

B	C/D
A	B

B	A
C/D	B

A	B
B	C

B	A
C/D	B

C	B
B	A

\* Reminder any size block may be use for this quilt just measure your Panel block and that determines your block size for all nine- patch blocks then you may determine how many blocks are needed for your quilt size.