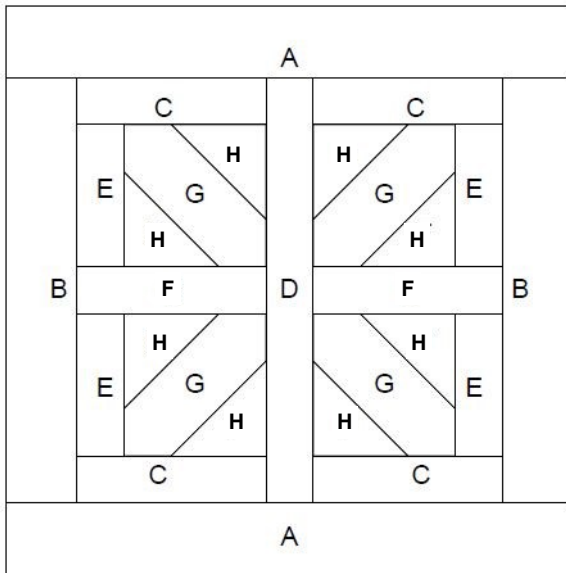
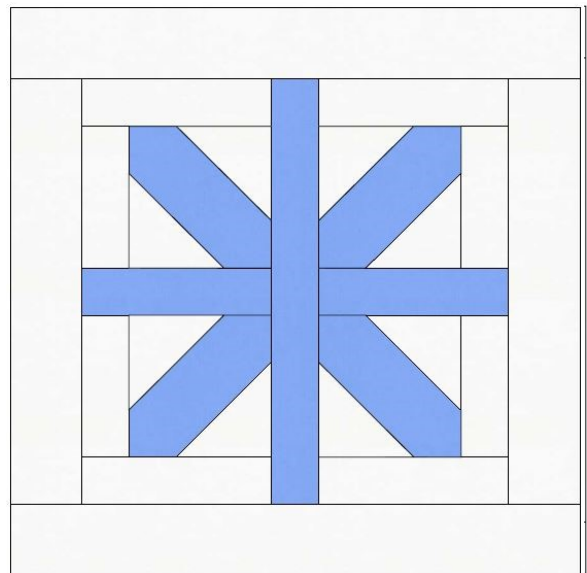


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## Snowflake Block 1



Key 12" x 12" finished (12-1/2" x 12 1/2" unfinished)



Two Color Snowflake 1 Block

### FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

This block finished is 12" x 12" (12-1/2" x 12-1/2" Unfinished). The block can be made from TWO Fat Quarters or scraps of the same two fabrics.

The color scheme for these blocks are blues, whites or metallic silver. **PLEASE NO GRAY!!!**

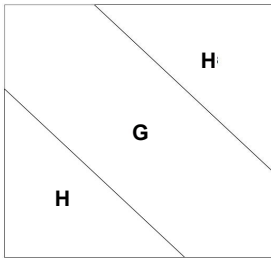
The pattern shows using a blue for the snowflake and white background. It is your choice as to which color is used for which element.

SNOWFLAKE (BLUE) CUTTING DIRECTIONS			
KEY	COUNT	SIZE	COMMENTS
D	1	9-1/2" X 1-1/2"	RECTANGLE
F	2	4-1/2" X 1-1/2"	RECTANGLES
G	4	4-1/2" X 4-1/2"	SQUARE

BACKGROUND (WHITE) CUTTING DIRECTIONS			
KEY	COUNT	SIZE	COMMENTS
A	2	12-1/2" X 2"	RECTANGLES
B	2	9-1/2" X 2"	RECTANGLES
C	4	4-1/2" X 1-1/2"	RECTANGLES
E	4	3-1/2" X 1-1/2"	RECTANGLES
H	8	3" X 3"	SQUARES

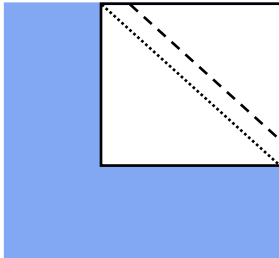
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## Snowflake Block 1 - G/H Units

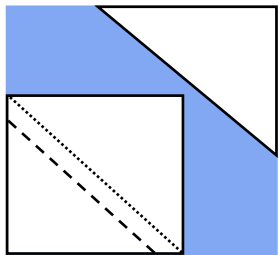


G/H Unit

### How to piece the G and H patches together to create the G/H Unit.



- With right sides together, place one square **H** at **top right** corner of **G**.
- Mark a diagonal line corner to corner (dotted line).
- Sew on the dotted line –or– hint, hint... sew just outside the dotted line (to the right) for a more accurate size unit. This slight change gives back the few threads used by the fold.
- Trim excess leaving a 1/4" seam allowance (dashed line).
- Press to the dark fabric regardless if the dark is **G** or **H**.



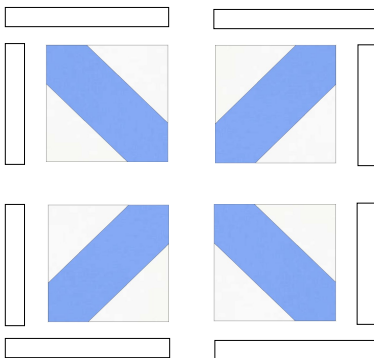
- With right sides together, place one square **H** at **bottom left** corner of **G**.
- Mark a diagonal line corner to corner (dotted line).
- Sew on the dotted line –or– hint, hint... sew just outside the dotted line (to the left) for a more accurate size unit. This slight change gives back the few threads used by the fold.
- Trim excess leaving a 1/4" seam allowance (dashed line).
- Press to the dark fabric. Trim **H/G Unit** to 3-1/2" x 3-1/2".



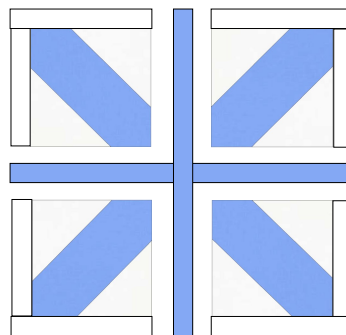
### Make 4 G/H Units.

When laying out the squares, rectangles and units to piece together the Snowflake 1 block, turn the **G/H Units** as needed to create the diagonal cross.

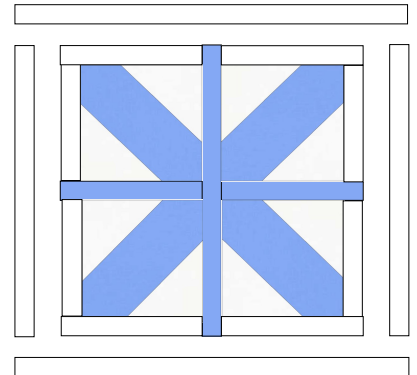
See the piecing layouts below.



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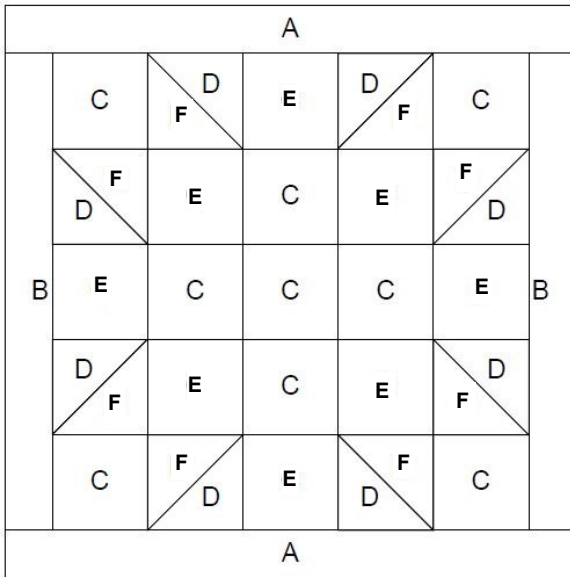


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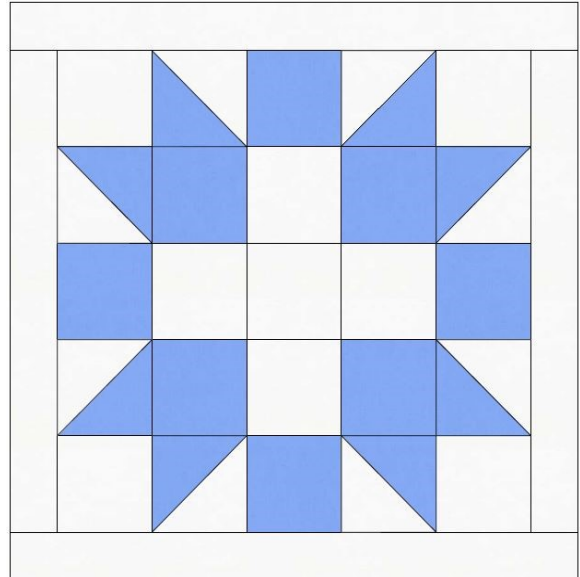


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## Blue Valley Quilters Guild December 2023 Block Exchange Snowflake Block 2



Key 12" x 12" finished (12-1/2" x 12 1/2" unfinished)



Two Color Snowflake 2 Block

### FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

This block finished is 12" x 12" (12-1/2" x 12-1/2" Unfinished). The block can be made from TWO Fat Quarters or scraps of the same two fabrics.

The color scheme for these blocks are blues, whites or metallic silver. **PLEASE NO GRAY!!!**

The pattern shows using a blue for the snowflake and white background. It is your choice as to which color is used for which element.

This pattern requires eight (8) 2" finished (2-1/2" unfinished) Half Square Triangles (HSTs). The cutting instructions show cutting for two popular methods but feel free to use whatever method you choose! If making oversize HSTs, after piecing trim the HST to 2-1/2" x 2-1/2".

SNOWFLAKE (BLUE) CUTTING DIRECTIONS			
KEY	COUNT	SIZE	COMMENTS
E	8	2-1/2" X 2-1/2"	SQUARES
F*	8	2-1/2" X 2-1/2"	TRIANGLES IF USING AN HST RULER
F*	4	3" X 3"	SQUARES IF MAKING 2 HSTs FROM ONE SQUARE

BACKGROUND (WHITE) CUTTING DIRECTIONS			
KEY	COUNT	SIZE	COMMENTS
A	2	12-1/2" X 1-1/2"	RECTANGLE
B	2	10-1/2" X 1-1/2"	RECTANGLES
C	9	2-1/2" X 2-1/2"	SQUARES
D*	8	2-1/2" X 2-1/2"	TRIANGLES IF USING AN HST RULER
D*	4	3" X 3"	SQUARES IF MAKING 2 HSTs FROM ONE SQUARE

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