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Houses from 5" Charm Squares



Fabric:

3 - 5" charm squares contrasting colors

1 - 13" square- background fabric

Cutting Instructions:

Roof: 1 - 5" charm square

Cut charm square in half = 2, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " pieces

Makes two roofs

2 - 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares (background fabric)

Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner. Set aside.

House Walls:

Cut one charm square into 3 pieces: 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ ", 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ ", 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ "

This will be used for the side and top wall of the house.

Door: 1 charm square. Cut in half. = 2- 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " pieces

Sewing instructions:

Roof: On each of the $2\frac{1}{2}$ " squares, draw a diagonal line from corner to corner. Place the marked square right side facing each other on top of the $2\frac{1}{2}$ " roof triangle. Press and trim. Set aside.

Walls/Door: Sew the $1\frac{3}{4}$ " wall side to the $2\frac{1}{2}$ " door. Repeat for the other side of the door. Press seams to outside. Sew the $1\frac{1}{2}$ " remaining wall piece to the top of the house. Press.

Roof & Walls: Sew the roof piece to the walls. Press.

Note: If you would like to make this into a 12" finished size block - From background material, cut 2, 4" x 13" pieces for the sides and 2, 3" x 5" for top and bottom of block. Sew and press.