

SFVQA Block Party: "Is it Spring Yet?" Due March 2018

This is a "Double 4-Patch" block. Think spring, shabby chic, baby quilts...

Block Measurements: The finished size is 8" x 8" (unfinished size is 8 1/2" x 8 1/2").

Seam allowance: always a scant 1/4" seam.

Color plan:

White solid or looks like a solid

Pink on white floral

Blue- Kona solid "Evening". *****NOTE: Free fabric strips provided at the meeting!*****

Cutting Instructions:

White-

Big square Cut one 4 1/2" square.

Little strip Cut one 2 1/2" x 5" rectangle

Pink floral-

Big square Cut one 4 1/2" square.

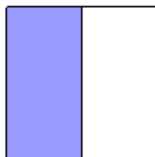
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Blue- Kona solid "Evening"-

Little strip Cut two 2 1/2" x 5" rectangles

Make the little strip units:

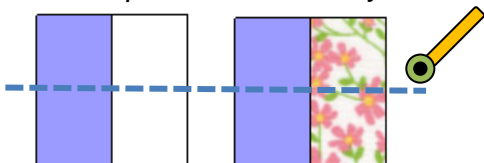
1. Sew one white strip to one blue strip with a scant 1/4" seam. Press seam allowance to the blue side.



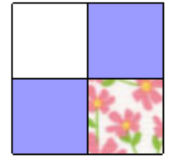
2. Sew one pink floral strip to one blue strip. Press seam allowance to the blue side.



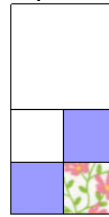
3. Cut both little strip units in half so the new strips measure 2 1/2" by 4 1/2"



4. Sew the opposing strip units into 4-patches that measure 4 1/2" square. Press towards the pink square. Like this:

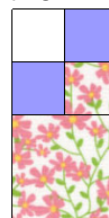


5. Sew one 4-patch to the big white square & press to the big square. Like this:



1. Large white square on top.
2. White squares touch.

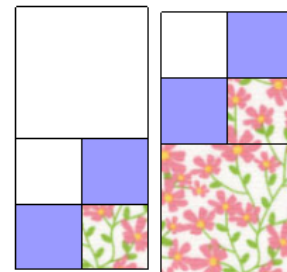
6. Sew one 4-patch to the big pink floral square & press to the big square. Like this:



1. Large pink square on bottom.
2. Pink squares touch.

Complete the block:

1. Layout as shown & sew the 2 units together. Press towards the big pink square. Like this:



Here is a sample quilt layout showing 16 blocks worth:

