

Lucky Clover Block

Skill Level CONFIDENT BEGINNER

Finished Block Size 12" x 12"

Cutting Instructions

(cut in order listed)

Light green print/texture (background)

8 squares 31/2" x 31/2"

8 squares 21/2" x 21/2"

8 squares 11/2" x 11/2"

Medium green print/texture and dark green print/texture (leaves)—cut from each:

4 rectangles 31/2" x 61/2"

Piecing the Block

① Draw diagonal line on wrong side of light green 2½″ square. Referring to **Diagram I-A**, place marked square on corner of medium green rectangle, right sides together, aligning raw edges. Stitch on drawn line; trim away and discard excess fabric. Open and press. Using light green 1½″ square, repeat on adjoining corner to make medium pieced rectangle. Make 4. In similar manner, but reversing placement of light squares, make 4 dark pieced rectangles (**Diagram I-B**).

2 Aligning as shown in **Diagram II**, stitch light 3½″ square to medium pieced rectangle to make medium pieced unit. Make 4. In same manner, but reversing placement of square, stitch light 3½″ square to dark pieced rectangle to make dark pieced unit. Make 4.

3 On wrong side of medium pieced unit, draw a line from corner of 3½" square to bottom corner of medium rectangle (Diagram III). Place marked medium pieced unit on dark pieced unit, right sides together, aligning raw edges. Stitch on drawn line; trim away and discard excess fabric. Open and press to make quarter-block. Make 4.

4 Referring to **Diagram IV** and watching orientation, stitch 2 rows of 2 quarter-blocks each. Sew rows together to make Lucky Clover Block.

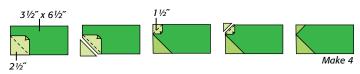


Diagram I-A

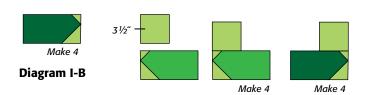


Diagram II

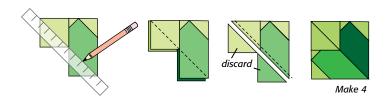


Diagram III

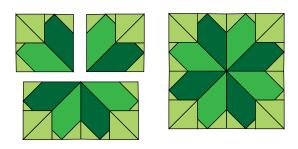


Diagram IV