



Row By Row/Month By Month  
Block of the Month Mystery  
September

The September block in this series is the 6" *Apples* block. The instructions are given TO MAKE ALL 4 BLOCKS. You will add the two Leaves blocks left over from the Month of May on the ends of your row.

Cutting Instructions for 4 Blocks:

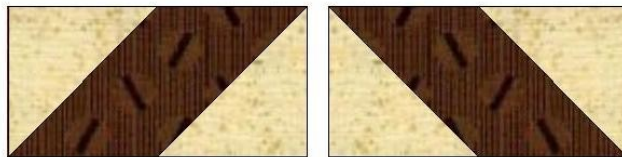
- Background:* Cut 4 – 1 1/2" x 6 1/2" Rectangles  
Cut 4 – 1 1/2" x 5 1/2" Rectangles  
Cut 4 – 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" Rectangles  
Cut 28 – 1 1/2" Squares, mark 24 of them once on the diagonal (wrong side)
- Brown:* Cut 4 – 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" Rectangles
- Red Scraps:* Cut 8 – 1 1/2" x 5 1/2" Rectangles  
Cut 4 – 1 1/2" x 4 1/2" Rectangles  
Cut 8 – 1 1/2" x 3 1/2" Rectangles

Assembly:

Using the same “quick-corner” technique as previously, make units as shown below:  
First, using a Red 1 1/2" x 3 1/2" Rectangle with 2 background squares as shown,  
Make 4 units.

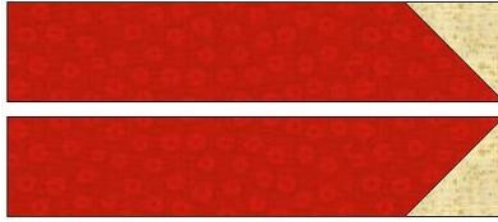


Next, in the same manner, using a Brown rectangle and 2 background squares, make 4 stem units—being sure to place background squares as shown to create 2 in one direction, and 2 in the other direction as shown:



Make 2 each

Next, using a Red 1 1/2" x 5 1/2" Rectangle and a Background square, make 2 of each unit as shown:



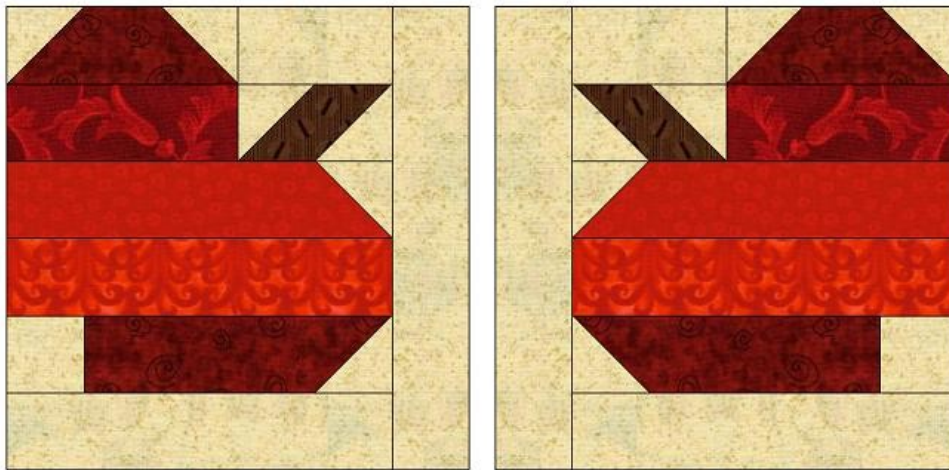
Make 2 each

Next, using a Red 1 1/2" x 4 1/2" Rectangle and a Background square, make 2 of each unit as shown:



Make 2 each

Now assemble your block as shown, adding a 2 1/2" background rectangle to the top unit, joining a 3 1/2" red rectangle to the stem unit, adding a background square to the bottom apple unit. Join a background 5 1/2" rectangle at the bottom, then add a 6 1/2" background rectangle to the side. Refer to the picture for proper placement to obtain mirror image blocks. Your blocks should measure 6 1/2" unfinished.



Make 2 and 2 Reverse

Then join the four units together, rotating as shown below. Add your "leftover" leaves blocks on the ends to form your row. Your rows should always measure 36 1/2" in length. Join to your quilt center as before.

