

Week 23

Log Cabin Variation

6" and 12"



Welcome to our Sew a long for 2020 and thank you for joining us

Each week we will be posting a free PDF pattern and tutorial the block for the week. You can make it as a 6" block or 12" block (finished) or make both of course.

We would love to see what you are making so please feel free to post your photo's on Facebook and Instagram using the hashtag #dqc52sewalong.

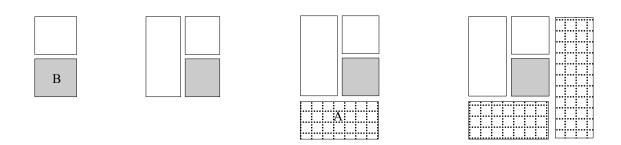
Note: all seam allowances are 1/4" unless other wise stated

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<u>Cutting Instructions</u>			6"	12"
Background	Cut	4	1 ½" squares	2 ½" squares
	Cut	4	1 ½" x 2 ½" rectangles	2 ½" x 4 ½"" rectangles
Fabric A	Cut	2	1 ½" squares	2 ½" squares
	Cut	2	1 ½" x 2 ½" rectangles	2 ½" x 4 ½"" rectangles
	Cut	2	1 ½" x 3 ½" rectangles	2 ½" x 6 ½"" rectangles
Fabric B	Cut	2	1 ½" squares	2 ½" squares
	Cut	2	1 ½" x 2 ½" rectangles	2 ½" x 4 ½"" rectangles
	Cut	2	1 ½" x 3 ½" rectangles	2 ½" x 6 ½"" rectangles

Piecing Instructions

This block is made up with four mini Log Cabin blocks – using two fabrics and a background.

Each unit of the four units that make up the block are pieced the same way and then sewn together to make the block as shown on page 2.

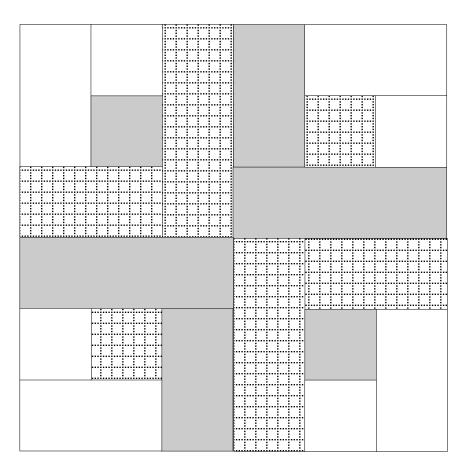


1. Sew a **Fabric B** 1 ½" (2 ½") square to a **Background** 1 ½" (2 ½") square. Press. Sew a **Background** 1 ½" x 2 ½" (2 ½" x 4 ½") rectangle to this unit. Press. Sew a **Fabric A** 1 ½" x 2 ½" (2 ½" x 4 ½") rectangle to this unit. Press. Sew a **Fabric A** 1 ½" x 3 ½" (2 ½" x 6 ½") rectangle to this unit. Press.

Check that this unit measures 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " (6 $\frac{1}{2}$ ") square and make two units like this.

2. Repeat this step with the **Fabric A** as the centre square and the **Fabric B** as the outside. Make two units like this.

Sew your block together as shown below.



Well done, another gorgeous block make. Press well and your block will measure 6 ½" (12 ½")