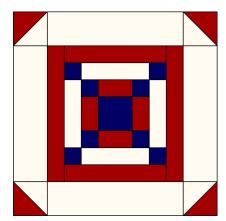
# Block of the Month for July 2021 Yankee Charm

12 x 12" Block (12.5" x 12.5" Unfinished)

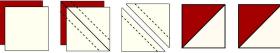


Let's make this in red white and blue for a patriotic July.

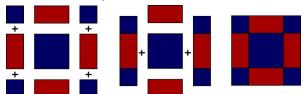
## **Assembly**

For best results, please use scant ¼" seams.

1. Start by making 4 HSTs with white and red. Put right sides together and draw a diagonal line across the white square. Sew 1/4" on each side of this line. Cut on the diagonal line and press to the dark color.



2. Next, sew a red 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangle to the top and bottom of the center 2 1/2" square. Sew a 1 1/2" blue square to the top and bottom of 2 – 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles. Sew these units on each side of the center square unit.



**3.** Next, sew 2 — 1 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles on the top and bottom of the unit you just made. Next, sew a blue 1 1/2" square to the top and bottom of two 1 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles. Sew these units to the sides of the larger unit.

### **Cutting**

#### • White:

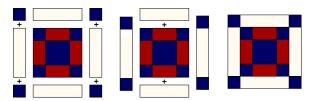
Cut 4 - 1 1/2" x 4 1/2" Rectangles Cut 4 - 2 1/2" x 8 1/2" Rectangles Cut 2 - 2 7/8" Squares

#### •Blue:

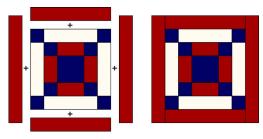
Cut 1 - 2 1/2" Square Cut 8 - 1 1/2" Squares

#### • Red:

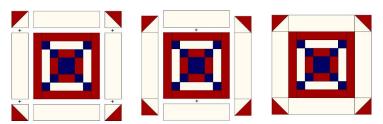
Cut 4 - 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" Rectangles Cut 2 - 1 1/2" x 6 1/2" Rectangles Cut 2 - 1 1/2" x 8 1/2" Rectangles Cut 2 - 2 7/8" Squares



**4.** Next, sew 2 red 1 1/2" x 6 1/2" rectangles to the top and bottom of the unit you just made. Next, sew two red 1 1/2" x 8 1/2" rectangles on each side of the unit you just completed.



**5.** Next, sew two white 2 1/2" x 8 1/2" rectangles on the top and bottom of the unit you just made. Now sew the HSTs to the top and bottom of two white 2 1/2" x 8 1/2" rectangles. Sew these on to the sides of the block.



**6.** Mail this to me by *July 5 th* and be sure to let me know if you want to win the blocks or not.

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