

Jacob's Ladder

72" x 84"

Fabrics (two options):

To make a 2-colour quilt *from yardage*, you will need:

3¾ yards of white

3¾ yards of blue

Cut from each colour:

Twenty-seven 2½" strips

Eleven 5" strips

Sub-cut the 5" strips into 5" squares. Make 84 squares.

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To make a scrappy quilt from *fat quarters*, you will need:

21 fat quarters of white

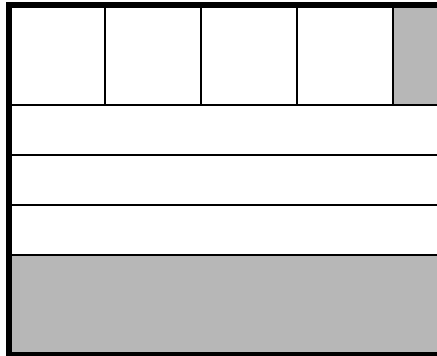
21 fat quarters of blue

Cut from each fat quarter:

One 5" strip

Three 2.5" strips

Sub-cut the 5" strip into four 5" squares.



Instructions:

Four-Patches (4Ps)

Sew each blue strip to a white strip along their longest side, and press to the dark side.

Subcut into 2½" sections. (Each "twosie" should measure 2½" x 4½".)

Sew pairs of "twosies" into 4P units, nesting the seams. (These 4P should measure 4½" x 4½".)

Make 210 4P units.

Half-Square Triangle Squares (HST squares)

Mark a diagonal line on the wrong side of each white square.

Pair each white square to a blue square, right sides together.

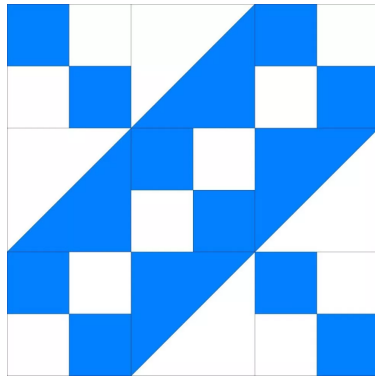
Sew ¼" from the drawn line, on both sides of the drawn line.

Cut on the diagonal line.

Open and press to the dark side. (Each HST square should measure 4½" x 4½". Trim down if necessary.)

Block Assembly

Sew together five 4P units and four HST squares in a 9-patch pattern.
Make 42 blocks.



Pay close attention to the orientation of each unit.

Quilt Top Assembly

Sew together 7 rows with 6 blocks in each.

