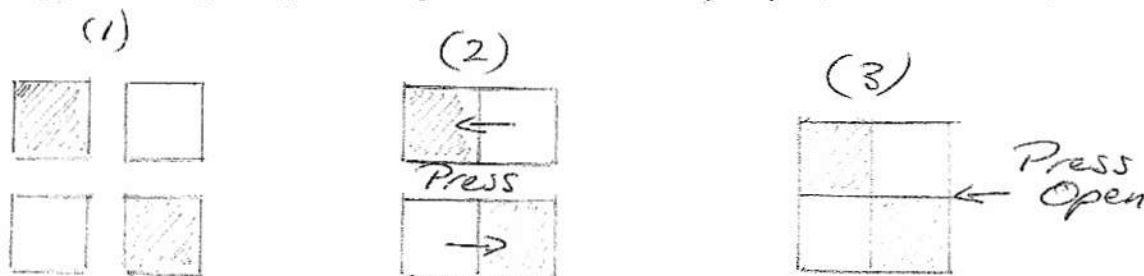


BOM BATIK with STRICT ¼" seam allowance

Your kit contains 4 x 4 ½ " patterned squares, 1 x 4 ½" plain square and 16 x 2 ½ " squares.

Make 4 x 4 patch blocks using the 2 ½ " squares . In each block place the darker/stronger colours, and the weaker colours diagonally opposite each other. (1)

Press the first seams to either side (2), then nest your seams, pin, sew, and press the final longer seam open (3). NB: you will now have 9 x 4 ½ " blocks.

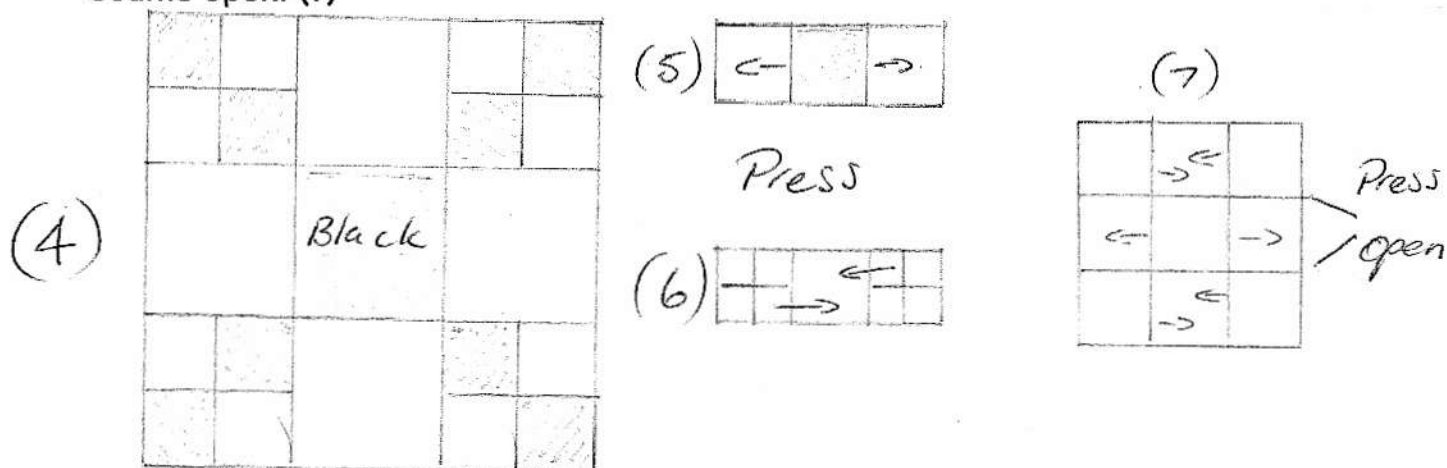


Now arrange your blocks as per diagram (4), with the plain black square in the middle, and the similar looking 4 ½ " patterned pieces opposite each other. The '4 patch' blocks make up the corner squares. Join the blocks into 3 rows. Finished block should look something like this (4) with the darker/stronger small squares radiating out (diagonally) from the plain black centre.

Press the seams of the middle row (with black square) to the outside. (5)

Press the seams of the top and bottom rows to the middle. (6)

Join the 3 rows, nesting the seams to complete the larger block. Press these 2 seams open. (7)



DO NOT TRIM THE BLOCK.

PLEASE MAINTAIN A STRICT ¼ " SEAM ALLOWANCE THROUGHOUT.

(consider using the CQ seam allowance guide )