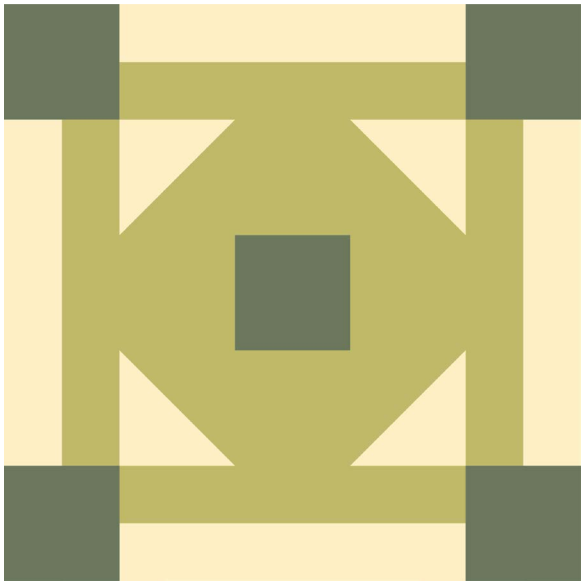
2024 Block of the Month Pattern

CHARMWOOD

BLOCK 10: OCTOBER



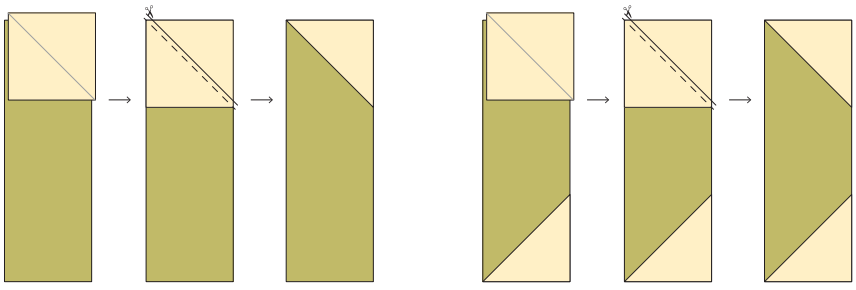
Unfinished Block: 20½" x 20½" | Finished Block: 20" x 20"

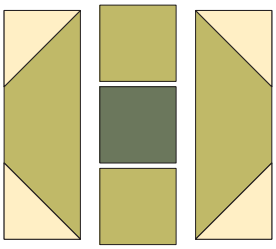
MATERIALS

- Standard Sewing Supplies
- Fabric A
  - (4) 2½" squares
  - (1) 1½" x 30" strip
- Fabric E
  - (2) 2½" squares
  - (2) 2½" x 6½" rectangles
  - (1) 1½" x 30" strip
- Fabric G
  - (5) 2½" squares

CREATE OCTOBER BLOCK

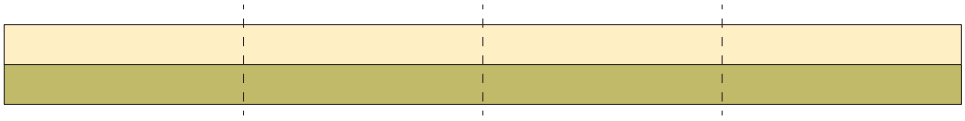
1. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side each 2½" Fabric A square.
2. Place a Fabric A square RST with a 2½" x 6½" Fabric E rectangle. The Fabric A square should be aligned with the top of the Fabric E rectangle, with the marked line running from top left to lower right. Sew on the marked line.
3. Trim the seam allowance to ¼" and discard the excess. Open and press the seam toward Fabric A.
4. Place a Fabric A square RST aligned with the bottom of the same Fabric E rectangle, with the marked line running from lower left to upper right.
5. Sew on the marked line, trim seam allowance to ¼", and press the seam toward Fabric A.
6. Repeat steps 2-5 to make a second A/E unit.

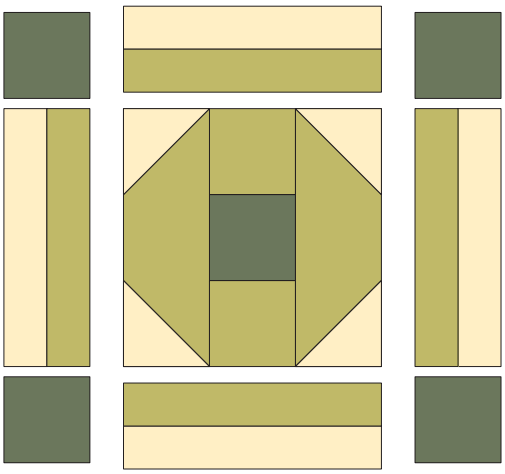




7. Sew a 2½" Fabric E square to the top and bottom of a 2½" Fabric G square.
8. Sew an A/E unit to each side of the unit from the previous step to make the 6½" square block center.

9. Sew the 1½" x 30" Fabric A and E strips together along the long edges. Press the seam open or toward the darker fabric. Cut into (4) 2½" x 6½" A/E strip sections. Discard any remainder.





10. Sew an A/E strip section to the top and bottom of the block center from step 9. Press seams toward the center of the block.
11. Sew a 2½" Fabric G square to each end of the remaining two A/E strip sections. Press seams toward Fabric G.
12. Sew these units to each side of the unit from step 10 to complete the 10½" square block. Press all seams open.

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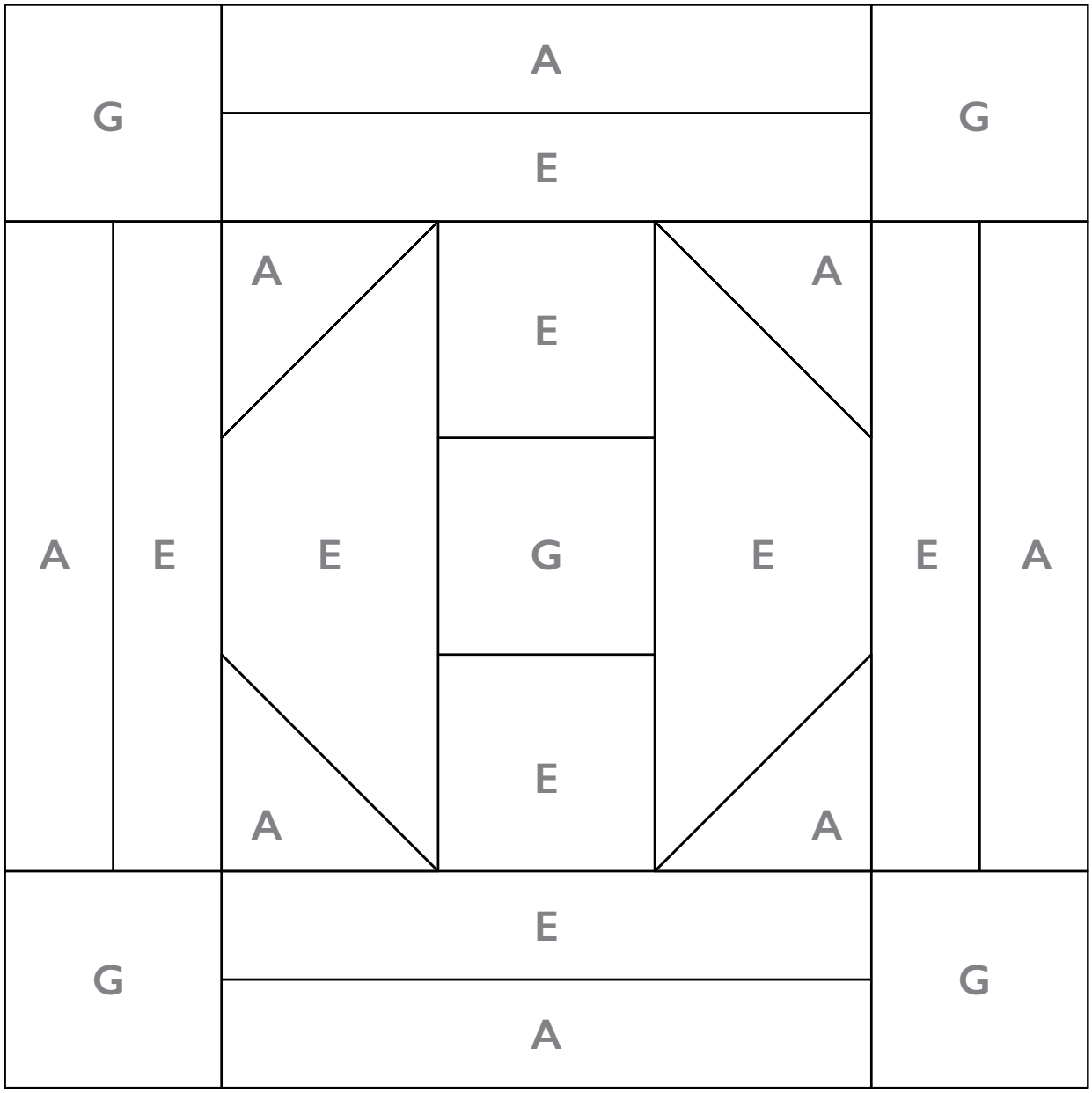
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