

September Strip = Bear Paw

8 Blocks = 84"



10 1/2" finished size

Background fabric

Cut 2 squares 4 3/4"

Cut 4 squares 2"

Cut 4 rectangles 2" x 5"

Paws fabric

Cut 4 squares 3 1/2"

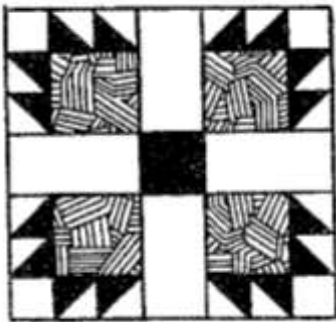
Claws fabric

Cut 2 squares 4 3/4"

Center fabric

Cut 1 square 2"

PIECING- 10 1/2" block



Using the four 4 3/4" squares (two background and two claw fabric) make sixteen half-square triangle units (Method #2). Piece four paws as shown in the sketch to the left. Arrange the paws with the remaining rectangles and center square. Stitch and press.

HALF-SQUARE TRIANGLE UNITS - METHOD #2



Place one square of each color RST. Draw diagonal lines from corner to corner in both directions, making an X on the wrong side of the lighter square. Stitch 1/4" away from the drawn lines along both sides of each diagonal. Draw the stitching lines for accuracy, if desired. Cut in half, lengthwise, and cut in half, crosswise, to make four squares. Cut on the diagonals between the stitching. Press. Yield - eight units.

