

Getting Started Pattern by Rachel Rossi

Cutting

FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

All fabrics are assumed to be 45" wide, 100% quilting cotton

-Terracotta 1: 1/2 yard -Terracotta 2: 1/2 yard -Terracotta 3: 1/2 yard -Terracotta 4: 1/2 yard

TERRACOTTA

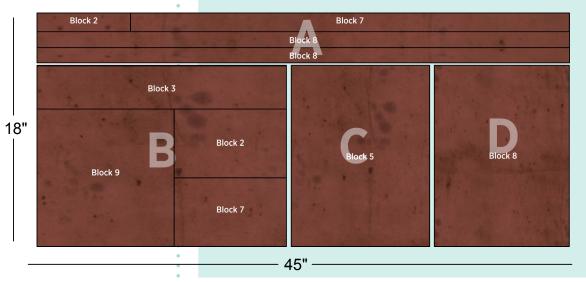
If you're using a different number of terracotta fabrics or using scraps, I suggest skipping this step and using the yardage and cutting requirements on the first page of each block

While we won't do this with other fabrics, I've found that it is much more efficient to cut your terracotta fabrics into sections before we begin the program. This might feel a little overwhelming at first, but just follow the instructions below and refer to the diagram as you go. A few notes to make this easy peasy:

-Unfold your fabric and cut in the order listed to the right. Use the diagram (below) as your reference.

-**Stack all four terracotta fabrics** together before cutting. This way you will be cutting four pieces at once, saving you time!

-Pin together and **label each cut with the block number!** These will be used throughout the year, so you will absolutely need to label these for later. Don't skip this step!



Section A

Cut a 1-1/2" H x WOF strip. From this strip, cut: **Block 2:**(1) 1-1/2" H x 7-1/2" W strip **Block 7:** Remaining strip (approx. 34-1/2" H x 1-1/2" W) Cut (2) 1-1/4"H x WOF Strips. **Block 8:** (2) 1-1/4" H x WOF strips

Section **B**

Cut (1) 20" W strip. From this strip, cut: **Block 3:** (1) 3-1/2" H x 20" W rectangle Cut (1) 11" W strip. From this strip, cut: **Block 9:** (1) 10-1/2" H x 11" W rectangle The remaining strip should be 9" W, from this cut: **Blocks 2 & 7:** (2) 5-1/2" H x 9" W rectangles

Section C

Cut (1) 11-1/2" strip. From this strip, cut: Block 5: (1) 14" H x 11-1/2" W rectangle

Section D

Block 8: remaining (approximately 14" x 11")

Note: You will have four of each block listed above, one in each of the four terracotta colors

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