

September 2015 Block of the Month: This 'n That

Block finishes at 12" (unfinished at 12 1/2").

Materials:

White fabric: 1 - 2 1/2" x 21" strip

Red fabric: 1 - 2 1/2" x 21" strip

Blue fabric: 4 - 4 1/2" squares



BLUE	R E D	W H I T E	BLUE
RED	WHITE	RED	WHITE
WHITE	RED	WHITE	RED
BLUE	W H I T E	R E D	BLUE

Construction:

Sew together red and white strips and press seam to red side. Cut 4 - 4 1/2" squares and 2 - 2 1/2" units. Sew together the 2 - 2 1/2" units, reversing one so that red matches to white. Press all units and check measurement. Each should be 4 1/2" square.

Sew the units and blue squares together into a 3 x 3 block, matching position to the sample pictured. Press and check measurement. Block should be 12 1/2" square.

Bonus:

A white star can be appliquéd by your favorite method onto each of the blue squares.

Remember your 1/4" seam allowance.

You can choose to make a complete quilt top by repeating these instructions or you can set this block aside and make a sampler quilt. We look forward to seeing everyone's blocks.