

2010 Block of the Month
PERFECTLY PURPLE
 Block 2 - Ohio Squares

REQUIREMENTS - for one Ohio Star

You need to make 5 Ohio Stars

From Blue fabric cut:

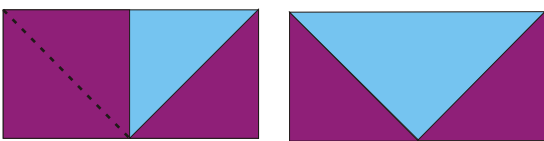
- 4 - 2½" squares
- 4 - 2½" x 4½" rectangles

From Purple fabric cut:

- 8 - 2½" squares
- 1 - 4½" square

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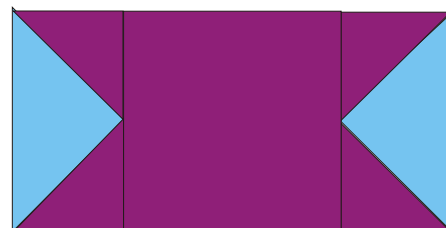
1. Position a 2½" Purple square on the corner of a 2½" x 4½" Blue rectangle and stitch diagonally from corner to corner on the purple square. Trim the seam allowance to ¼", and press towards the dark side. Repeat for the opposite corner of the rectangle. Make a total of 4 units.



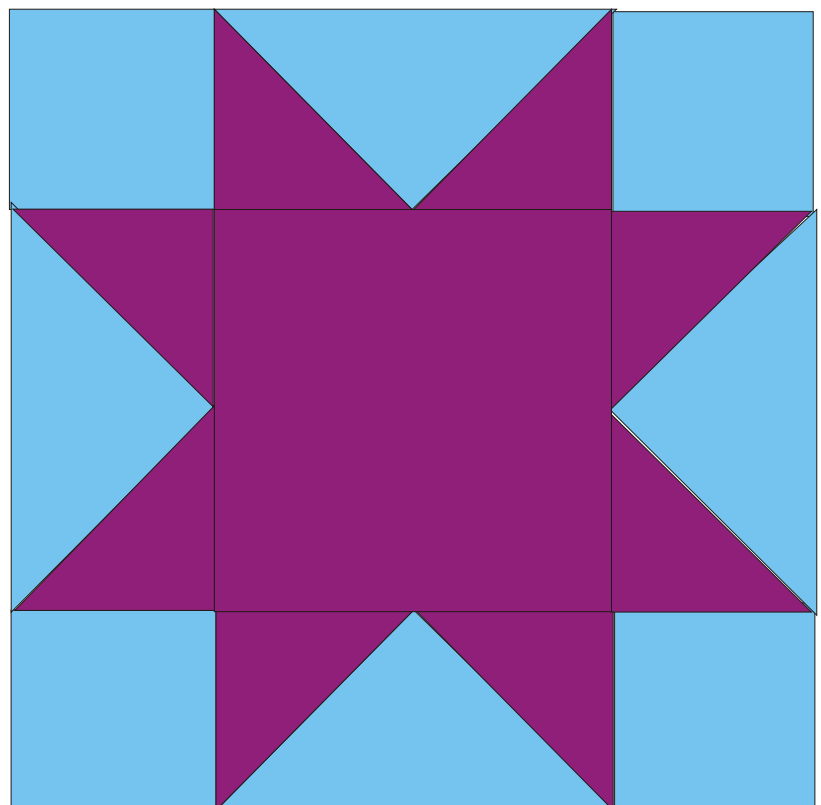
2. Sew a blue 2½" square to each side of the unit made above. Press seam towards the 2½" square. Make 2 units.



3. Sew a flying geese unit to each side of the 4½" square. Press seams towards the 4½" square. Make 1 unit.



4. Using the diagram as a guide sew these units made in steps 2 and 3 together. Press.



Remember to make another 4 of these blocks. In my original 4 of the 5 blocks are made in the same colour, and the 5th is different. If you wish to make the quilt look more scrappy you can use whatever colour combinations you wish.

Congratulations on finishing block to of Perfectly Purple.