

# Spring Tulips

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**Finished Quilt Size:** 45" x 45" **Finished Block Size:** 12" x 12"

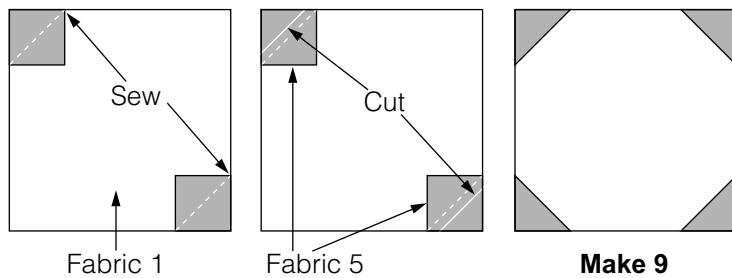
All strips are cut crosswise grain (width) of fabric. Seam allowances are 1/4". NO seam allowance is included on appliqué templates.

## Fabric Requirements and Cutting

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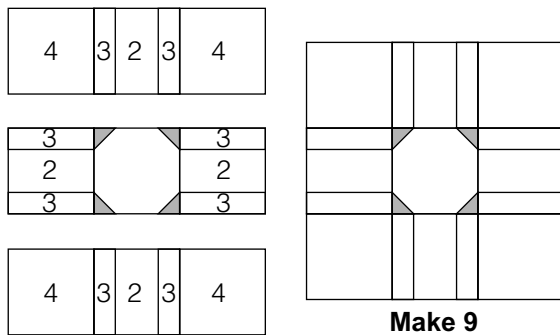
## Center Square Construction

Place a 1 3/4" square of fabric 5 (Royal) to 2 opposite corners of fabric 1 (Blue Gray). Sew across each diagonal and cut 1/4" away from the sewn line. Press the 1 3/4" square away from the center. Repeat with remaining 2 corners.



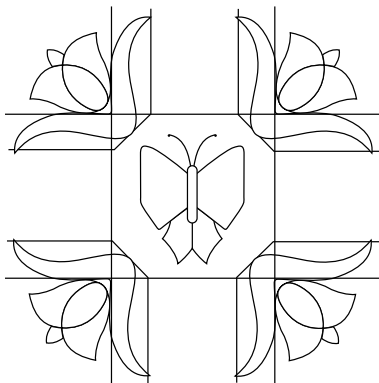
## Block Construction

Sew together as shown (numbers in diagram indicate fabric numbers).



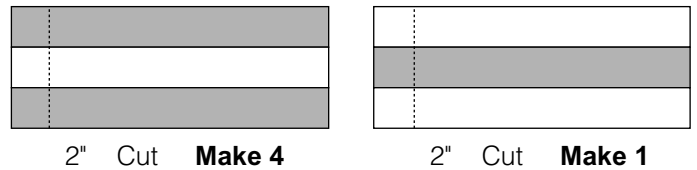
## Appliqué

Using your favorite appliqué technique, appliqué tulips and butterflies on blocks as shown in example. If using the turn under method, trace templates on top of fabric and cut out 1/4" away from the traced line. Appliqué to the background, turning seam allowance under, against the pencil line. On a sewing machine or by hand do a blanket stitch around each appliqué. Embroider the antenna and the detail on the bottom wings. Sew blocks together in 3 rows of 3 blocks each.



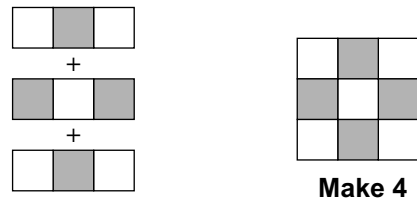
## Border Construction

Sew Royal, Blue Gray, Royal strips together lengthwise. Make 4 sets. Make 1 set of Blue Gray, Royal, Blue Gray.



From each of the Royal, Blue Gray, Royal sets cut off 1 - 2" section for use in the corner units. Cut the remainder of the Royal, Blue Gray, Royal sets down to 36 1/2" in length. There will be 4 - 5" x 36 1/2" Royal, Blue Gray, Royal sets. Cut 8 - 2" sections from the Blue Gray, Royal, Blue Gray set.

To construct the border corner units, sew 1 Blue Gray, Royal, Blue Gray section to each side of a Royal, Blue Gray, Royal section.



Sew 2 corner units to each end of 2 of the 5" x 36 1/2" Royal, Blue Gray, Royal border strips. Sew borders to quilt as illustrated below.

