# COOL DIEHL – Blocks #6 & #7

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# **\*\*\*Measurements for SMALL quilt; LARGE in (parentheses)**

## Block #6 – Cut:

Eight 2" (2-1/2") **Background** squares Eight 2" (2-1/2") **Print** squares

# Block #7 – Cut for EACH block:

1-1/2" x 8-1/4" (2" x 12") strip
Subcut to 5" and 3-1/4" (7" and 5")
1-1/2"x6-3/4" (2"x 9-1/2") strip
Subcut to 5" and 1-3/4" (7" and 2-1/2")



## Block #6 – Make ONE

 Make 16 Half Square Triangles (HST's). Draw a diagonal line on the back of each 2" (2-1/2") Background square. Pair these with the 2" (2-1/2") Print squares, RST. Stitch ¼" on each side of the drawn diagonal line. Cut on the drawn line to make 8 HST units. Square to 1-1/2" (2").



2. Arrange and stitch all units together according to the **Block** picture (upper left). Block should measure 4-1/2" (6-1/2").

#### Block #7 – Nine Patches - Make TWO

Here is an easy way to strip piece a SINGLE Nine-patch block ....

- 1. Sew the long edges of the 5" (7") Print and Background strips together, RST. Press seams to the dark fabric.
- 2. Stitch the remaining strips to these and then cut 1-1/2" (2") sections as shown below. Piece the three resulting sections together as shown in far right photo.



3. Make 2 of these blocks. Unfinished blocks should measure 3-1/2" (5"). Sew the two blocks together, one on top of the other (see photo upper right).

Seams ¼" unless noted otherwise HST = Half-square Triangle RST = Right sides together