

Slab Block – The Missing U

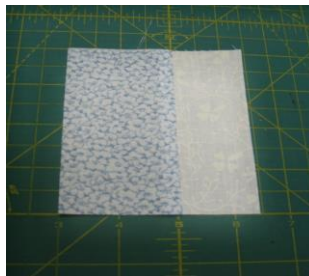
Required Items

- One scrap of white fabric – size of your hand or so
- Light, Medium & Dark scraps in One Colour

Instructions

- ✓ Select scraps in light, medium and dark from the same colour...blue for example!
- ✓ Arrange from light to dark and press scraps...placing on the ironing board gives lots of space to sort
- ✓ Stitch white fabric scrap to a coloured scrap, press seam to one side
- ✓ Select another scrap and sew to one side, press
- ✓ Continue to sew scraps around the original 2 pieces
- ✓ If strips are not long enough, sew several smaller scraps together to form strips
- ✓ The idea is to use up scraps and not to create more scraps...so all small scraps are useful!
- ✓ Make block slightly bigger than $15 \frac{1}{2} \times 15 \frac{1}{2}$ - press well – light spray starch helps
- ✓ Trim to $15 \frac{1}{2} \times 15 \frac{1}{2}$
- ✓ Stitch $\frac{1}{8}$ " around edge to secure the many seams – use either a long straight stitch, or small zig zag or narrow serge

Note – the white scrap does not need to be centred.



Finished Block $15 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $15 \frac{1}{2}$ "

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