

# Potato Chip



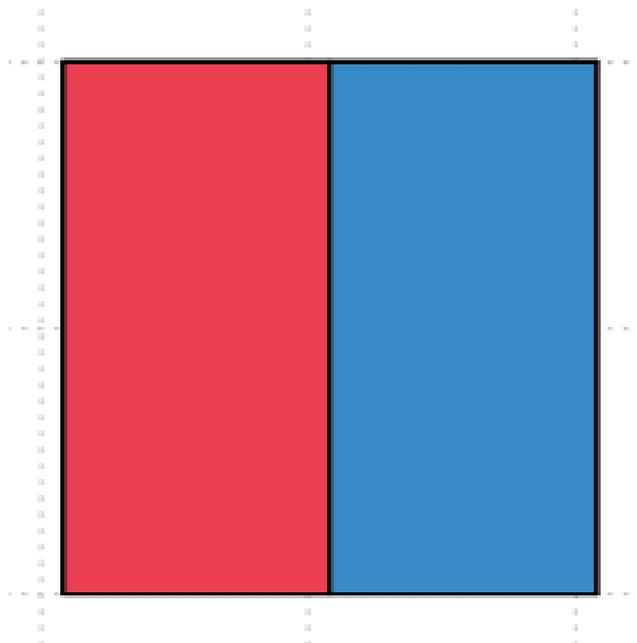
This is a great stash buster block, especially if you have some extra binding strips, or jelly roll strips just lying around waiting to be used.

## **Fabric Required:**

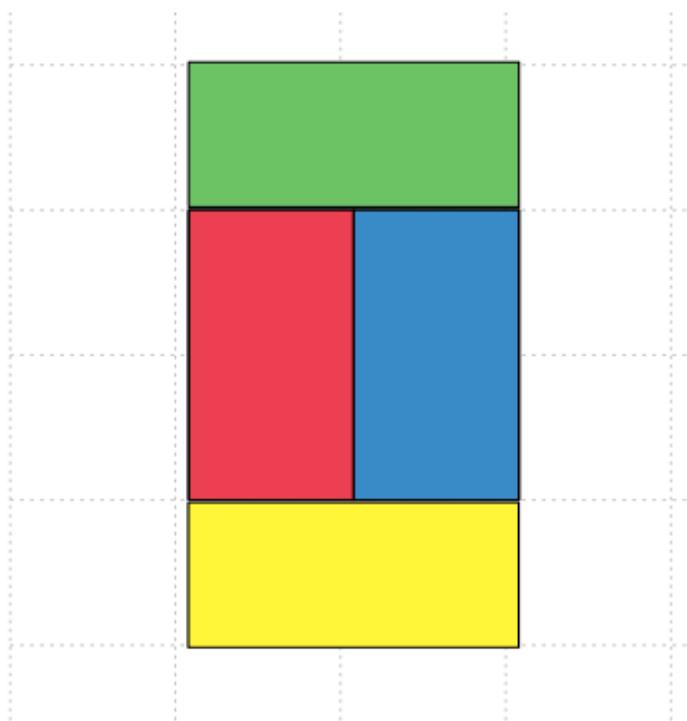
18 – 2 ½” x 4 ½” strips – A mixture of anything

## **Construction:**

Place two strips facing together and sew a ¼” seam along the long edge. Press the seam in any way you choose.

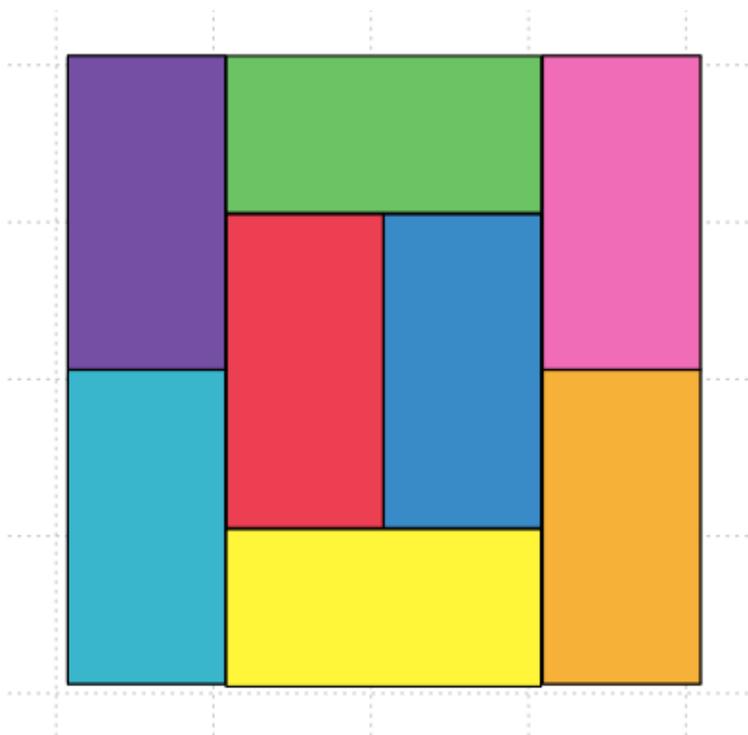


Arrange your block so that the center seam is running vertically. Then sew a single strip along the top edge, and one along the bottom edge. Press the seams.

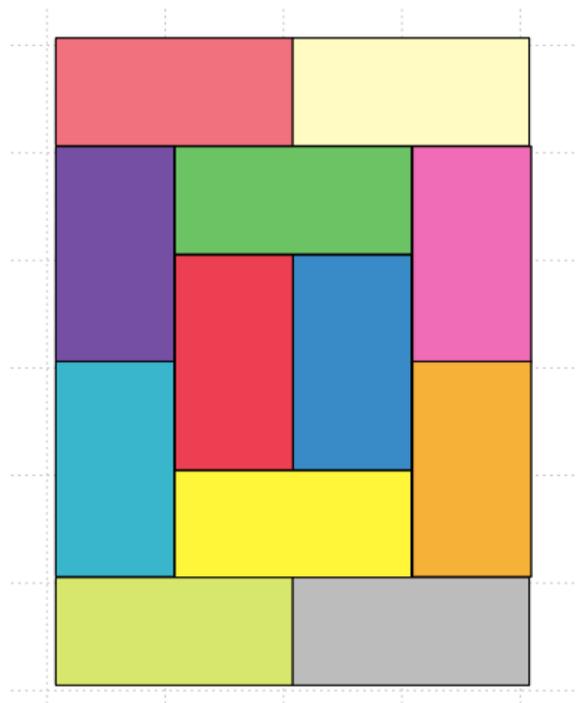


Take two strips and sew them together along the short edge of the strip to create a  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $8\frac{1}{2}$ " strip set, then press the seam. Repeat with another set of two strips three times for a total of four strips of two.

Sew the first two sets of  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $8\frac{1}{2}$ " strips along the long edge on the left and right of the block and press the seams.

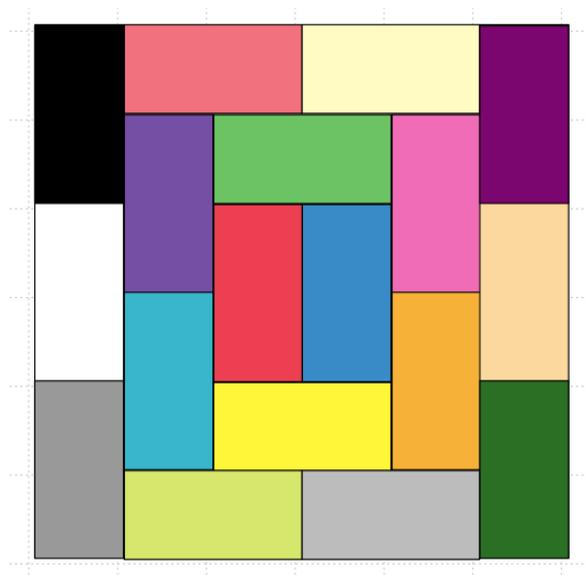


With the second two of 2 ½" x 8 ½" strip sets, sew them across the top and bottom of the block and press the seams.



Take three single strips and sew them end-to-end along the short edge for a 2 ½" x 12 ½" strip set and press the seams. Repeat with the remaining three single strips for a total of two 2 ½" x 12 ½" strip sets.

Sew the 2 ½" x 12 ½" strip sets on the long edge along the left and right sides of the block and press the seams.



Your completed block should measure approximately 12 ½" x 12 ½" square.