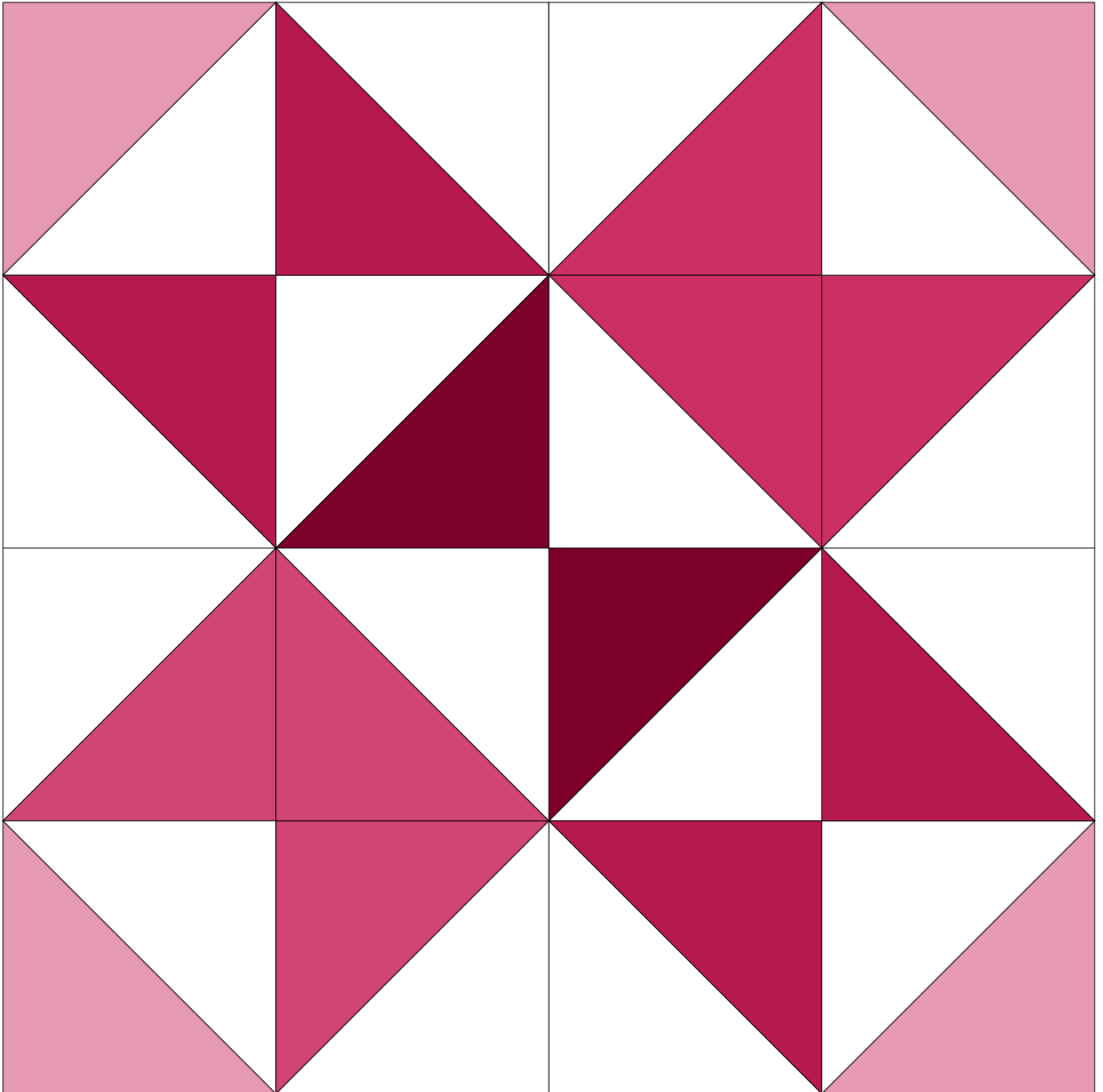


**Block 2**



KONA BOM Block #2 notes  
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I found the directions on Kona website too confusing to follow.

Below is the summary of how I made my block.  
Using two at a time method and squaring them up.

Pattern calls for one light fabric to be used as a background and 7 more for star points. I used only 6 fabrics but kept the numbering of fabrics the same as in the pattern on Kona website

Recommended

F8

F8

F8

F8

F8

F8

F8

FQ

didn't use

Main background

Fabrics

A

B

C

D

E

F

G

H

BASIC METHOD to make 2 HSTs at once:

- Layer 2 squares right sides together.
- Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on one side
- Sew a 1/4" seam on each side of the drawn line - Cut along the drawn line

Press the blocks open, typically to the dark side. However, I tend to press these seams open, as they result in less bulk when assembling the blocks. As always, pressing is your choice, and I'm just offering options!

Follow directions on the next page for cutting fabric and making units.

Use the Basic method above to make the following HSTs:

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|-------------------------------|---|--|
| Fabrics H<br>Fabric A         | Cut 2 x 5" sq<br>Cut 2 x 5" sq<br>Total 4 HSTs          | Pair fabric H & A squares together<br>– you will have 2 pairs<br>Make 4 HSTs total<br>Press as desired and trim to 4.5"                |
| Fabric H<br>Fabrics B         | Cut 2 x 5" sq<br>Cut 2 x 5" sq<br>Total 4 HSTs - use 3  | Pair fabric H & B squares together<br>– you will have 2 pairs<br>Make 4 HSTs total - only 3 used<br>Press as desired and trim to 4.5"  |
| Fabric H<br>Fabrics C         | Cut 2 x 5" sq<br>Cut 2 x 5" sq<br>Total 4 HSTs - use 3  | Pair fabric H & B squares together<br>– you will have 2 pairs<br>Make 4 HSTs total - only 3 used<br>Press as desired and trim to 4.5"  |
| Fabric H<br>Fabrics D, E, & G | Cut 3 x 5" sq<br>Cut 1 x 5" sq each Fab<br>Total 6 HSTs | Pair each square of D, E & G<br>with a square of H<br>Make 2 HSTs from each color combo<br>Make total 6 HSTs<br>Press and trim to 4.5" |

Sew all units together according to the pattern - completed block should measure 16.5".