

## How to Make a Half Square Triangle

### What size should I cut the fabric?

When making a half square triangle, cut two fabric squares  $\frac{7}{8}$ " larger than the desired **finished** size of your half square triangle.

### Steps:

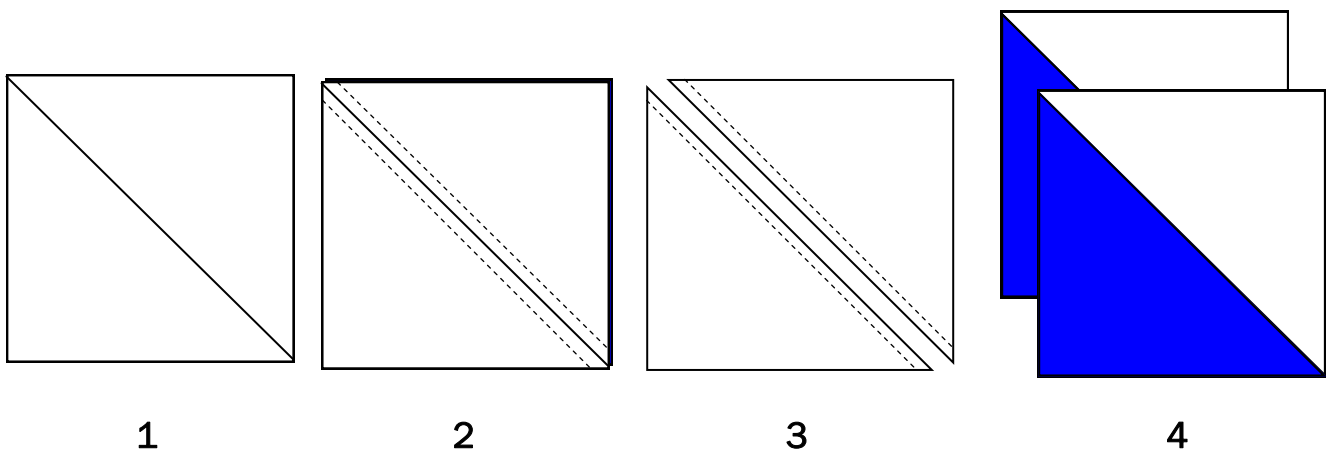
Start with two fabric squares, each  $\frac{7}{8}$ " larger than the desired **finished** size of your half square triangle.

On the wrong side of the lightest square, draw a diagonal line corner to corner. (1)

Place the two squares right side together and stitch a seam  $\frac{1}{4}$ " from the drawn line, on either side of the line. (2)

Cut apart along the drawn line and press open, pressing the seam toward the darker fabric. (3 & 4)

You should now have two identical half square triangles.



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