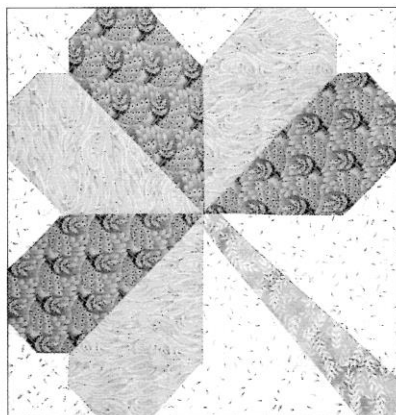


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Medium Green Print

section 1, patch 1

Light Green Print #1

section 1r, patch 1

Cream Print

sections 1 and 1r, patches 2-4

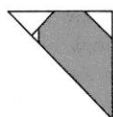
section 2, patches 2 and 3

Light Green Print #2

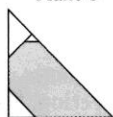
section 2, patch 1

Make 3 paper copies *each* of foundation sections 1 and 1r and 1 paper copy of section 2. Foundation piece the sections in numerical order, pressing and trimming after each patch addition.

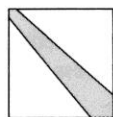
Sew the sections together as shown to complete the block. ■



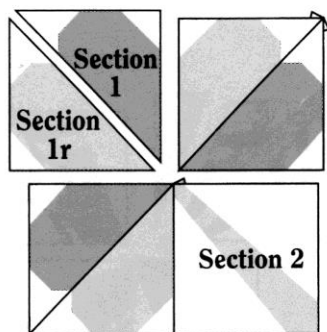
Section 1
Make 3



Section 1r
Make 3



Section 2
Make 1



Block Assembly

Foundation Piecing creates accurate points and allows blocks to be joined with precision!

Refresher Steps to Foundation Piecing:

- 1) Place the 1st piece of fabric on the undrawn side of the foundation, right side up, overlapping the drawn line by 1/4". Place the 2nd piece right side down on top of the 1st, matching cut edges. Pin (be sure to position the pin out of the stitching line).
- 2) Using a short stitch length, stitch the line, beginning and ending a stitch or two beyond the ends of the line.
- 3) Open the 2nd piece, pressing it flat against the foundation.
- 4) Turn to the marked side of the foundation paper, fold the foundation on the next sewing line, and trim excess fabric to 1/4" to form an accurate placement line for the next piece of fabric.
- 5) Continue adding pieces until foundation is covered.

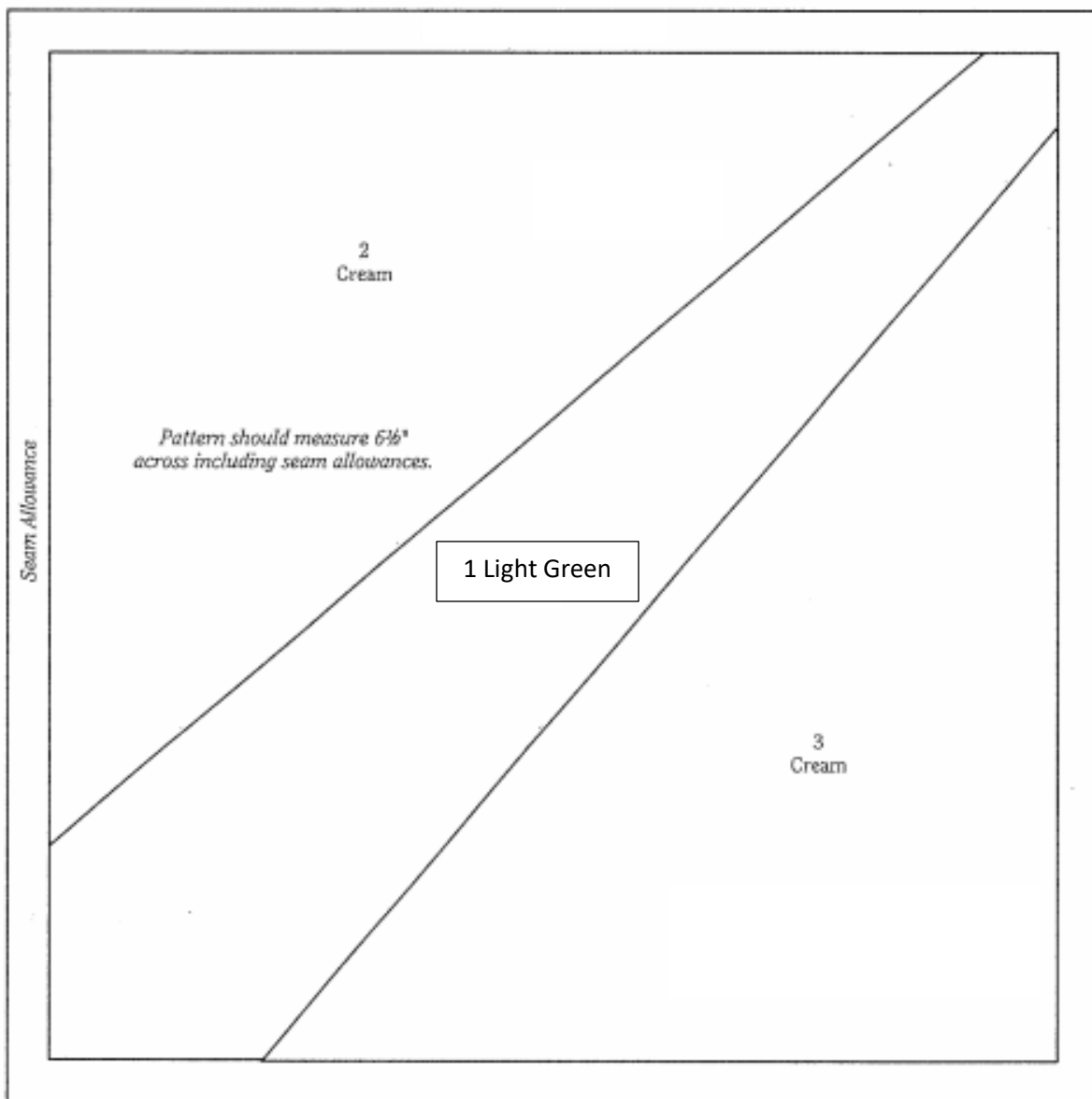
Insider tip:

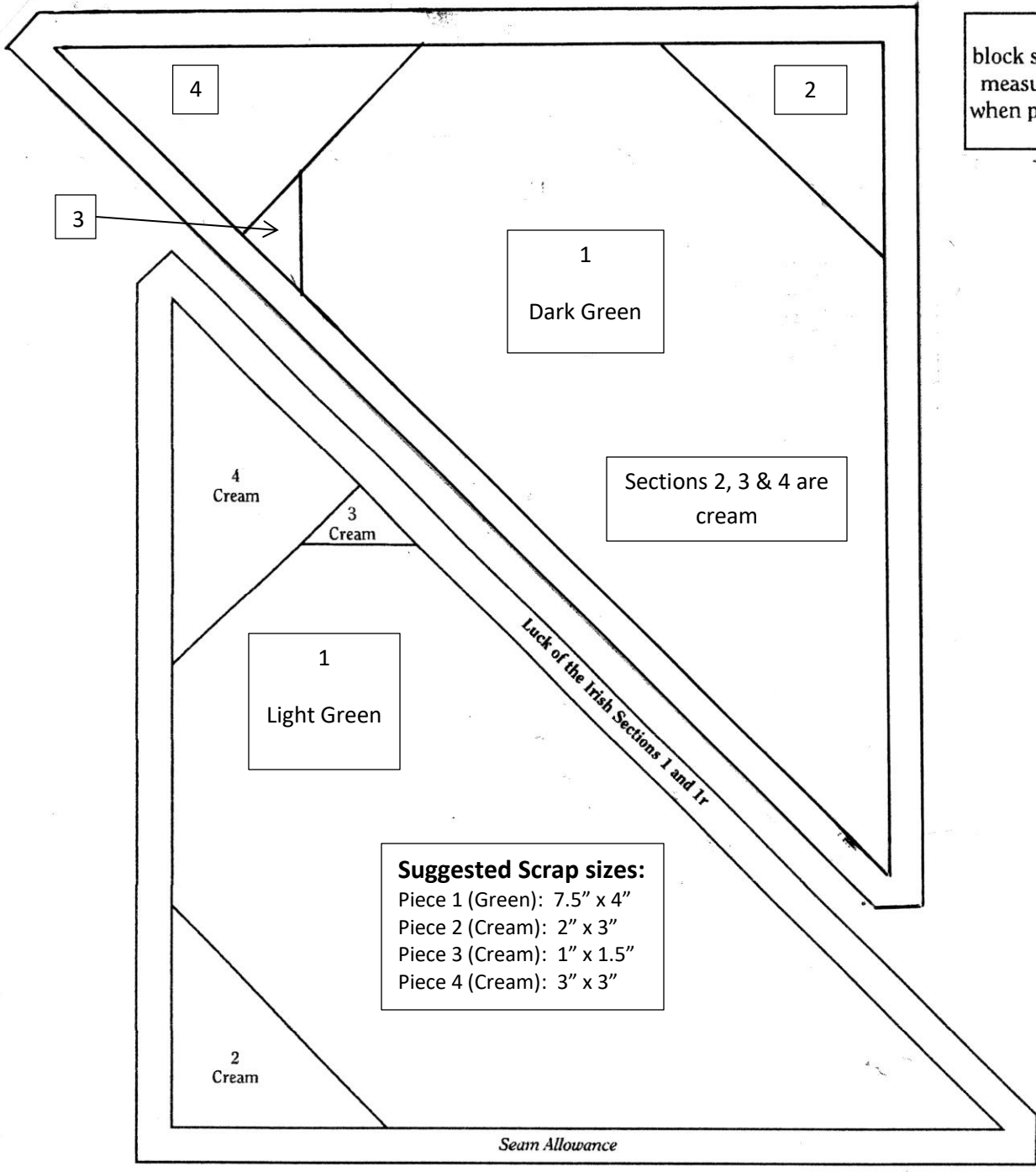
Try using 17# translucent vellum paper for your foundations

TEMPLATES

block should
measure 1"
when printed

Suggested Scrap Sizes:
Piece 1 (Green): 10.5" x 3"
Piece 2 (Cream): 8" x 4.5"
Piece 3 (Cream): 8" x 4.5"





block should
measure 1"
when printed

Sections 2, 3 & 4 are
cream

Suggested Scrap sizes:
 Piece 1 (Green): 7.5" x 4"
 Piece 2 (Cream): 2" x 3"
 Piece 3 (Cream): 1" x 1.5"
 Piece 4 (Cream): 3" x 3"

Seam Allowance