## Nine Patch on Point

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$12^{\prime \prime} \times 12^{\prime \prime}$
All seams $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$

## Cutting:

5 red squares $21 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 21 / 4^{\prime \prime}$
4 white squares $21 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 21 / 4^{\prime \prime}$
4 red squares $21 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 21 / 8^{\prime \prime}$
4 yellow rectangles $21 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 53 / 4^{\prime \prime}$
2 blue squares $7^{\prime \prime} \times 7^{\prime \prime}$


## Assembly:

Use 5 red $21 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ squares and 4 white $21 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ squares to create a basic 9 -patch block.

Sew three rows of three squares each, alternating red and white squares.

Press seams toward the red.
Sew rows together. Press seams away from the center row.

Create two rows with a red $21 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ square on either side of a yellow 2 $1 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 53 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ rectangle. Sew two remaining yellow rectangles to either side of the ninepatch block. Press seams toward the
 yellow rectangles.

Sew three rows together, pressing toward the yellow rectangles.
Cut two blue $7^{\prime \prime} \times 7^{\prime \prime}$ squares once on the diagonal to create 4 blue triangles.

Center and sew long sides of two triangles to opposite sides of pieced block. Open trangles up press seams toward triangles. Center and sew remaining triangles to remaining sides of the pieced block. Press seams toward triangles.


Square up block to $121 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 121 / 2^{\prime \prime}$.


