

MONTH SIX – BLOCK 22 - JULY

This block is called *OLD MAID'S PUZZLE* and is 8" square finished.

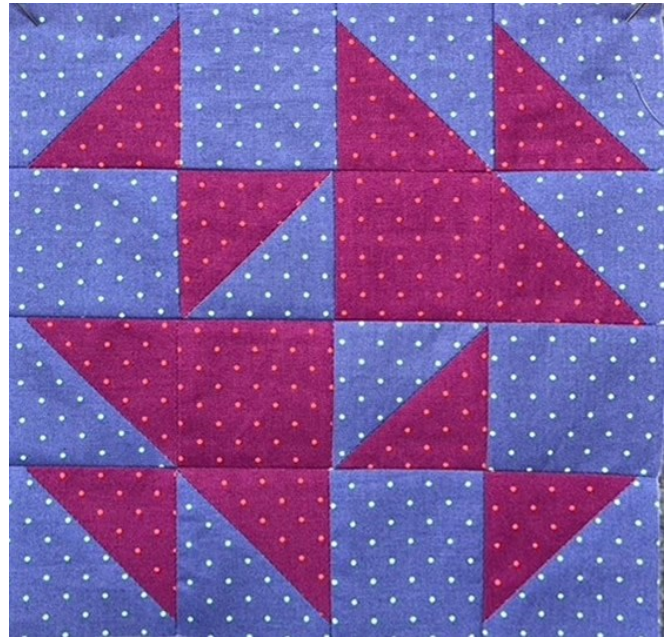
Fabric requirements for this block

This block requires two fabrics, I chose lilac spot and pink spot

- A and C are lilac spot
- B and D are pink spot

Cutting

- A – lilac spot – cut 5 x 3¼" squares
- B – pink spot – cut 5 x 3¼" squares
- C – lilac spot – cut 4 x 2½" squares
- D – pink spot – cut 2 x 2½" squares

**Construction**

- More half square triangles this time, use the 5 x A lilac spot 3¼" and the 5 x B pink spot 3¼" squares to make 10 half square triangles, cut them back to 2½" square
- Lay them out as shown above with the C lilac spot and D pink spot squares
- Join them to form rows, then the rows to form the block. I pin the seams which need to lay accurately on top of one another (or to butt if you have chosen not to press your seams open) using very fine pins as shown below. You may prefer to use fork pins.



The block is complete and measures 8½" square which will be 8" square finished.