

Garden Maze
“X” Corner Templates
for 9” Garden Maze Block at About.com Quilting
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For those experienced with paper piecing. Refer to the general instructions on-site for more help.

Note that 2 and 3 side triangles should be sewn from quarter square triangles so that the edges along the unit’s perimeter are on the straight grain.

The number 4 and 1 patches will have stretchy grain edges at their tips if you use straight grain bars, as they did in the strip piecing instructions. In that case it was better NOT to deal with stretchy bias cut bars just to get straight grain at the corners, but it’s an option for foundation piecing. Do handle the bias bars carefully if you go that route.

Experiment with sizes, but the batik “starter” squares (3” in the pattern) and other patches will very likely need to be larger than called for in the general instructions. I’m putting this online quickly for anyone who wants to foundation piece, so I haven’t experimented myself. Monitor the discussion for tips.

2 & 3: batik

1 & 4: black tone on tone

