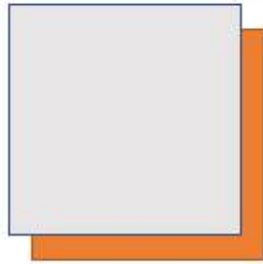
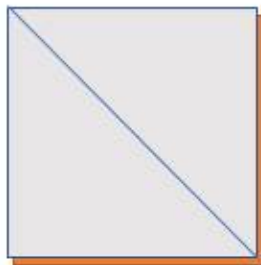


Construction of Half-Square Triangles

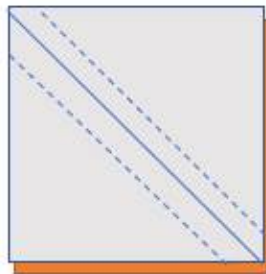
When using this technique to make half-square triangles, cut the squares 1" larger than your finished square. This will slightly oversize the half-square triangle.



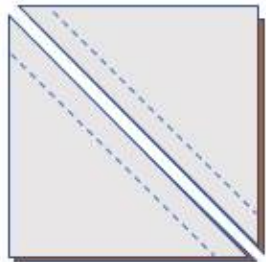
Layer two squares right sides together.



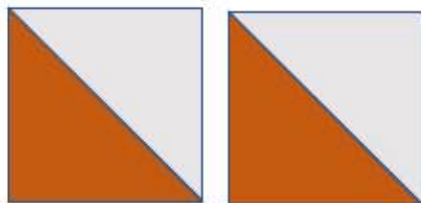
Draw a line, diagonally on the lighter square. Pin together.



Sew $\frac{1}{4}$ " on both sides of drawn line.



Cut on the drawn line, open and press seam to the darker triangle.



Trim each triangle to desired size. These are referred to as triangle sets.

Oversized Half Square Triangles Size Chart

The following measurements may be used when creating half square triangles for blocks made for the Herring Run Quilt Guild block of the month, 2019-2020. The half square triangles will be slightly oversized, allowing for discrepancies in seam allowance. Trim to size indicated below.

Square Size indicated in BOM instructions	Trim To	Finished Half Square Triangle Size
2"	1 1/2"	1"
2 1/2"	2"	1 1/2"
3"	2 1/2"	2"
3 1/2"	3"	2 1/2"
4"	3 1/2"	3"
4 1/2"	4"	3 1/2"
5"	4 1/2"	4"
5 1/2"	5"	4 1/2"
6"	5 1/2"	5"