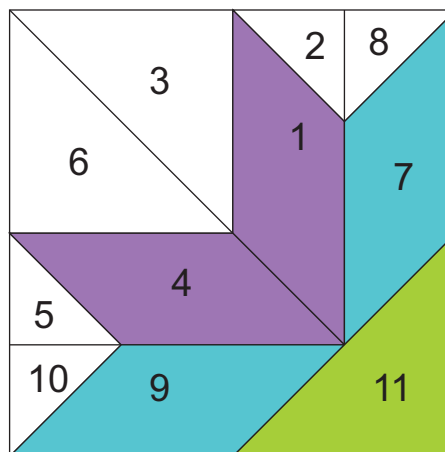


Goose Tracks Block

Goose Tracks is one of my favorite blocks. There's just one problem: I hate Y-Seams! I've done them enough in my life to know that I will die a happy woman if I never have to piece another Y-Seam.

Unfortunately, Goose Tracks is a Y-Seam lover's dream come true - everywhere you look there are Y-Seams.

But with a little modification, the Y-Seams can be eliminated, making the block quite easy to piece.



The piecing order is simple:

1. Sew piece #1 and #2 together, and then add piece #3. Press carefully.
2. Sew piece #4 and #5 together, and then add piece #6. Again, press carefully.
3. Sew the piece made in Step #1 and the piece made in Step #2 together. Press carefully.
4. Sew piece #8 to the top of piece #7. Press carefully.
5. Sew the piece made in Step #4 to the right hand side of the piece made in Step #3. Press carefully.
6. Sew piece #10 to the left hand side of piece #9. Press carefully.
7. Sew the piece made in Step #6 to the bottom of the piece made in Step #5. Press carefully.
8. Sew piece #11 to the piece made in Step #7. This completes the Goose Tracks block.