Maple Leaf Quilt

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Maple Leaves

This pattern features the Maple Leaf, a traditional, easy pattern. Blocks for the Nine Block Wallhanging were made with a 6” Qube, Die #1 55701 and #3 55703. Mix and Match dies are #55006 and #55009.

Finished Maple Leaf block size is 9”.

Yardage

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Rough Cutting®

1. For minimum waste of fabric, rough cut each patch ½" larger than shape on die with a ruler and rotary cut. Fabric can also be torn into pieces. Scraps larger than given sizes can always be used.

2. Medium pieces are cut longer and folded in thirds for layer cutting.

3. Place die on cutter, foam side up. Center fabric on die, checking that fabric covers blades.

4. Place mat on top and layer cut.
Smart Stacking®

Dark points of Leaves are Triangle Pieced Squares, or light and dark Triangles sewn right sides together. Save time by organizing and pressing two fabrics right sides together.

1. Place dark fabric right sides together with light fabric.

2. Place die on cutter, foam side up. Center fabric on die, checking that fabric covers blades. Line up straight of grain with blades, overlapping edges ¼".

3. Cover die with mat and cut. Slide off mat so pairs are not "disturbed."

4. Do not open pairs.

5. Keep right sides together for sewing.
## Maple Leaf Dies 1 and 3

![Diagram of Maple Leaf block]

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<td>4 (1) 4&quot; x 9½&quot; Light Smart Stack together. (1) 4&quot; x 9½&quot; Dark Fold in half and layer cut.</td>
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<td>Cut with ruler and rotary cutter. 1 (1) 1&quot; x 5&quot;</td>
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Making Triangle Pieced Squares

Triangles are Smart Stacked and layer cut right sides together.

1. Assembly-line sew four pairs of dark and light Half Square Triangles, right sides together.

2. Set seam with dark on top, open, and press seam toward dark.

3. Clip apart.

Making Stem Patch

1. Stack light Triangles, right side up, with Stem strip.

2. Flip light triangle on right to Stem strip, and sew.

3. Set seams with Triangle on top, open and press against seam.


5. Set seam with Triangle on top, open, and press against seam.

6. Square stem patch with Square die for your size Maple Leaf, carefully centering ruler’s diagonal line on Stem.
Sewing Block Together

1. Lay out Stems, Triangle Pieced Squares, and Medium squares.

2. Flip second vertical row right sides together to first vertical row.


4. Flip third vertical row to second vertical row, and assembly-line sew.
5. Flip right row onto middle row.

6. Fingerpress and match top seams up, and underneath seams down. Assembly-line sew.

7. Flip middle row right sides together to last row. Fingerpress and match top seams down, and underneath seams up. Assembly-line sew.

8. Press seams away from Stem on the wrong side.
Cutting 1½" Strips for Lattice and Cornerstones

Use 1½" Strip Die #55024 and 10" x 24" Mat #55113 for cutting strips.

1. Fold ¾ yd dark fabric in thirds approximately 9" wide. Sliver trim fold opposite selvage edge.
2. Place on die, keeping edges within end marks.
3. Cover with mat. Place on AccuQuilt Go! or Go! Big fabric cutter.
4. Cut through six layers, making thirty 1½" half strips.
5. Fold ½ yd light in half. Sliver trim fold opposite selvage edge. Cut 1½" strips.
Making Twenty-four Lattice

1. Sew half strips together with ¼” seam. Make fourteen sets.

2. Set seams with dark on top, open, and press toward dark.


4. Cut left-over ends of fabric into 1½” pieces for Cornerstones.
Sewing Strips for Sixteen Nine-Patches

1. Sew half strips together with ¼" seam. Make four sets.

2. Set seams with dark on top, open, and press toward dark.
3. Place light/dark/light strips right side up, going cross-wise over blades in die.

4. Place dark/light/dark strips on top right sides together, locking seams. These are for Rows One and Two.

5. Place light/dark/light strips on die. This is for Row Three.

6. Fold in half.

7. Layer cut strips.

8. Carefully separate pairs for Rows One and Two, and single layer for Row Three.
Sewing Nine-Patches Together

1. Lock seams and assembly-line sew. Open.

2. Flip Row 3 to Row 2 right sides together.

3. Lock seams and assembly-line sew.

4. From wrong side, press Positive seams away from middle row.

5. From wrong side, press seams toward middle row.

6. Press from right side. Block should measure 3½” square.
Finishing Top

1. Lay out Maple Leaves in rows three across and three down, mixing fabrics.

2. Place Lattice between and around blocks. Fill in with Nine-Patch Cornerstones.

3. Flip first vertical row to left Lattice and Cornerstones row. Lock seams and assembly-line sew. Do not clip connecting threads.

4. Repeat with all vertical rows.

5. Turn and sew remaining rows, locking seams in Lattice and Cornerstones. Press seams toward Lattice.

6. Layer, quilt, and bind.
Maple Leaf Quilt
Fragrant colorful leaves!
Frost on the pumpkins!
Fog in the air!
Fresh signs to be Thankful!
Dress up your home for the holidays.

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6" x 12" Ruler
Rotary Cutter
Sew Straight
Stiletto
Seam Ripper

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Fabrics in Lattice and Nine-Patch are reversed from Fall Maple Leaf.

Yardage is based on 40” wide fabrics.

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