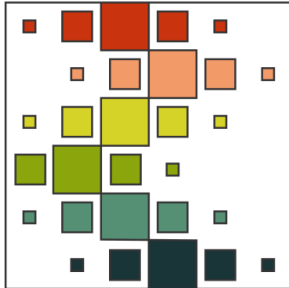




Oakville Quilters' Guild
 Modern Block of the Month 2017/2018
 January – Pixels



Block size: 12.5" unfinished

You will need:

- 6 focal fabrics
- Background fabric

This block is a lot of bordered squares; each row using one focal fabric.

Cutting Directions

Tip: Keep organized by sorting all the squares and rectangles into Block A, Block B, etc.

From the Background fabric cut:

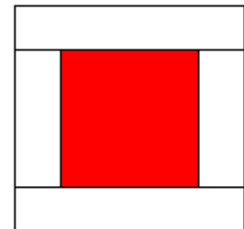
- 7 – 2 ½" squares (Block D)
- 22 – 1 1/8" x 1 ¼" rectangles (Block A)
- 22 – 1 1/8" x 2 ½" rectangles (Block A)
- 24 – 7/8" x 1 ¾" rectangles (Block B)
- 24 – 7/8" x 2 ½" rectangles (Block B)

From the Focal fabrics cut the following squares:

	1 ¼"	1 ¾"	2 ½"
	Block A	Block B	Block C
Fabric 1	2	2	1
Fabric 2	2	2	1
Fabric 3	2	2	1
Fabric 4	1	2	1
Fabric 5	2	2	1
Fabric 6	2	2	1

For Block A and B

- Sew the shorter rectangles to the opposite edge of each focal fabric square, press towards the centre
- Sew the longer rectangles to the remaining sides of the focal fabric as shown in the picture. Press to the outside.
- You should have a 2 ½" block



A	B	C	B	A	D
D	A	B	C	B	A
A	B	C	B	A	D
B	C	B	A	D	D
A	B	C	B	A	D
D	A	B	C	B	A

For Block C and D

- Do nothing they're finished!

Block Placement

- Layout the blocks as in the diagram, one colour per row. You can rotate the blocks so that the long seams on each individual block don't meet.
- Press the blocks so the seams nest nicely.