

DECEMBER 2024 BOM | 12/2023 REDUX

I was sitting on the leftover HSTs from December 2023, at various times since then trying to find a use for them. If you made that block, do you still have yours?? Well I decided to reconfigure them and came up with this block. It kind of reminds me of some doors that have that diamond shaped window in them, circa 1970s (?). Anyway, here it is! No more re-dos for 2025!!

Rules, using $\frac{1}{4}$ " seams:

- The 8 HSTs should be half prints (using different fabrics), with half white or white-on-white, **trimmed to 4- $\frac{1}{2}$ " using your square ruler**
- The 8 solid 4- $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares should be prints, no solids
- The final unfinished block will measure 16- $\frac{1}{2}$ "
- I do realize if you are making this for the first time or didn't save your HSTs from last year, you will have another 8 HSTs lying around...



Arrange squares configured as shown.

Sew four rows, then join the rows together to make the unfinished 16- $\frac{1}{2}$ " block.

Press seams as you wish; I pressed mine open.



VOILA!!