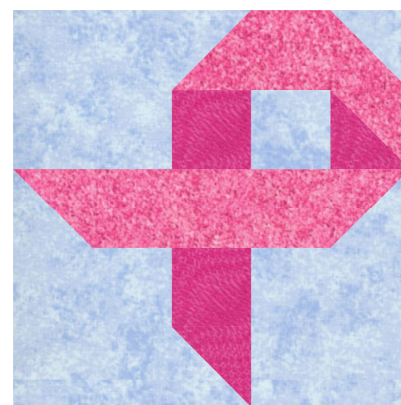# Ribbon Block

Step 1: For a 5"x5" block cut 1 ½ inch wide strips for each color fabric. For a 10"x10" block cut 2 ½ inch wide strips for each color fabric. For Multiple blocks, multiply the strip length given in the chart below by the number of desired blocks.

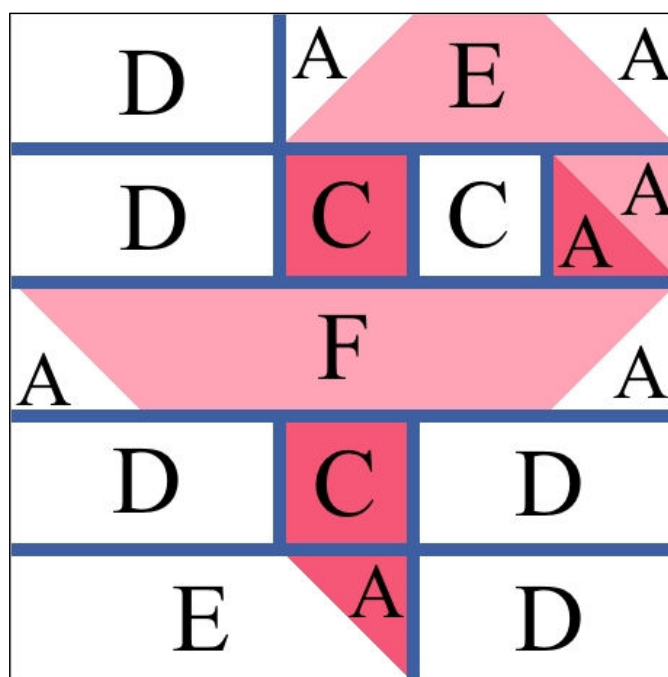|	5"x5" - 1 ½ wide	10"x10" - 2 ½ wide
	Strip length (inches)	Strip length (inches)
Background	23 ½	41 ½
Pink	10 ½	19 ½
Dark Pink	6	10

Step 2: Use the charts below to cut the strips into the appropriately sized pieces for the block size you want. When applicable you can cut multiple colors at the same time. Label these pieces with the appropriate letter and set aside.

5x5 Block- Take the 1 ½" strips and cut the pieces by letter, starting with the longest length.

Length(inch)	5 ½	3 ½	2 ½	1 ½	1 ½
	F	E	D	C	A
Background		1	5	1	4
Pink	1	1			1
Dark Pink				2	2

10x10 Block- Take the 2 ½" strips and cut the pieces by letter, starting with the longest length.
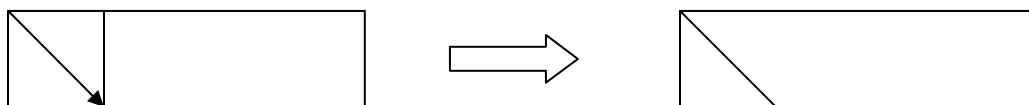
Length(inch)	10 ½	6 ½	4 ½	2 ½	2 ½
	F	E	D	C	A
Background		1	5	1	4
Pink	1	1			1
Dark Pink				2	2

Triangles:

A's are for the triangle pieces.

Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of all A pieces. This will be your sew line. Then take the appropriate color square and place it on a larger rectangle piece, or on another square of the same size, right sides together with the drawn line going the same way it does in the picture. Then sew on the diagonal line. Fold the cloth on the sew line with the point back toward the corner, if the edges of the triangle are even with edges of the rectangle then cut off extra fabric underneath a 1/4 inch from the seam. Press open and this creates the needed triangle.

Step 3: Use your labeled pieces and the picture map to sew the entire quilt top using 1/4 inch seams. I recommend that you press the seams open for a better overall appearance.

<u>***Make sure you have a true ¼ inch seam or the pieces will not line up.**</u>