

DIMENSIONAL WHIMSY

Block# 3

A. Background (White):
 12 - 3-1/2" Squares
 1 - 2" X WOF

B. Blue:
 1 - 2" X WOF

C. Butterfly Wings:
 4 - 3-1/2" Squares

CONSTRUCTION:

1. First, construct the four 4-patch blocks. Sew the long blue and white strips right sides together, and press toward the blue. Cut these sewn strips into eight 2" increments. Arrange these blue-white sets together in four patch arrangement, as illustrated. Make four 4-patch squares, each measuring 3-1/2".
2. Fold the "butterfly" fabric squares in half diagonally. Pin or baste onto four of the white background squares, as illustrated.
3. Arrange block pieces in the order of this diagram. Sew into rows first, then sew rows together. Check to ensure block is 12-1/2" square. Embroider the butterfly's "antennae" with black DMC floss, if desired. Use a bead or french knot on the ends to finish. Or use your imagination to create a unique butterfly!

4-patch

