Dresden Gem
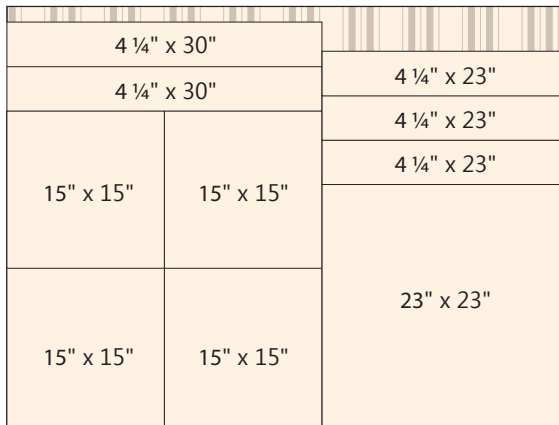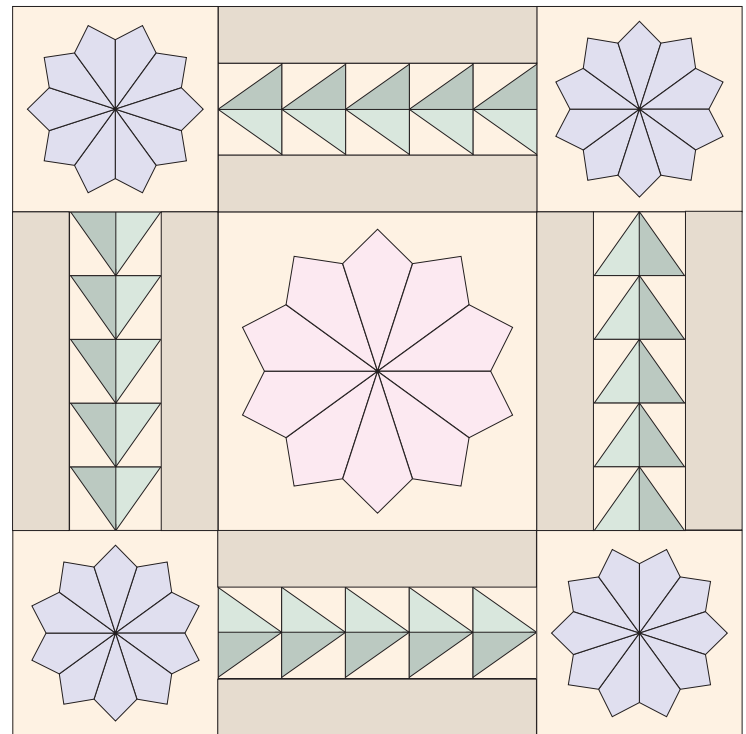
For the Dresden Ten you need the standard Gem Ten and Gem Five tools. The Gem Junior is optional.

Finish size: 52" x 52"

	Yardage	Cutting
A	1 ½ yds*	**One** 23" x 23"
		Four 15" x 15"
		**Two 4 ¼" x 30"
		**Three 4 ¼" x 23"
B	¾ yd	**Eight** 4 ½" x 23"
C	¾ yd	**Two** 10 ¾" x width
D	¾ yd	**Five** 7" x 27"
E	¼ yd	**Two** 4 ¼" x width
F	¼ yd	**Two** 4 ¼" x width

*Add additional yardage for directional fabrics
** See cutting diagram

A B C D E F

Cutting

- Cut Strips as listed.
- Cut *ten* of C using the Gem Ten tool.

C

Cut 10

- Cut *forty* of D using the Gem Ten tool on the 6 ½" line or the full sized Gem Junior tool.

D

Cut 40

Cutting Diagram Fabric A

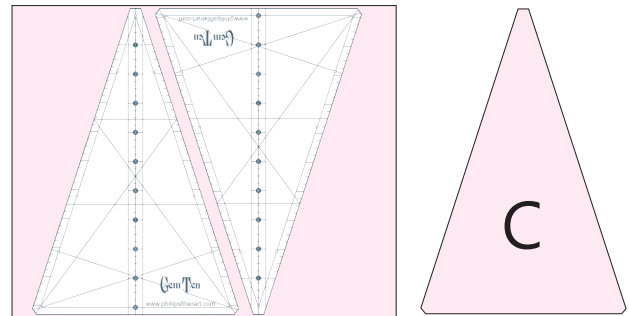| 4 ¼" x 30" | | |
4 ¼" x 30"		4 ¼" x 23"
15" x 15"	15" x 15"	4 ¼" x 23"
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15" x 15"	15" x 15"	23" x 23"

Cutting Diagram Fabric A

Note: Use this cutting diagram to make the most of your fabric. For directional fabric add an additional ½ yd and cut three 4 ¼" strips.

Tool Preparation

Prepare your Gem Ten and Gem Five tools by attaching either True Grips™ adhesive rings or loops of clear packaging tape to the tools.
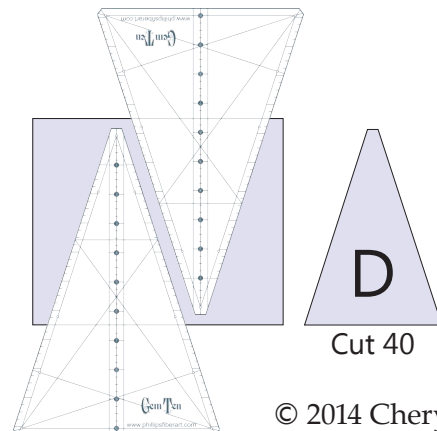
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Cutting Continued

- Place the Gem Five tool onto the A fabric, aligning the 1/4″ line to the edge of the fabric as shown. Note: this adds the necessary seam allowance.

- Cut *twenty* of A using the Gem Five tool.

- Cut twenty of A using the other side of the Gem Five tool.
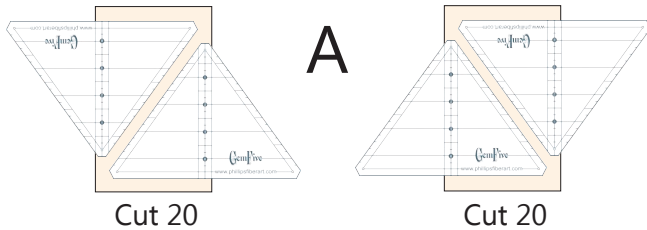
A

Cut 20   Cut 20

- Place the Gem Five tool onto the A fabric, aligning the 1/4″ line to the edge of the fabric as shown. Note: this adds the necessary seam allowance.

- Cut *twenty* of E using the Gem Five tool.

- Cut *twenty* of F using the other side of the Gem Five tool.

E   F
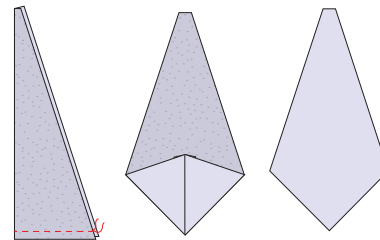
Cut 20   Cut 20
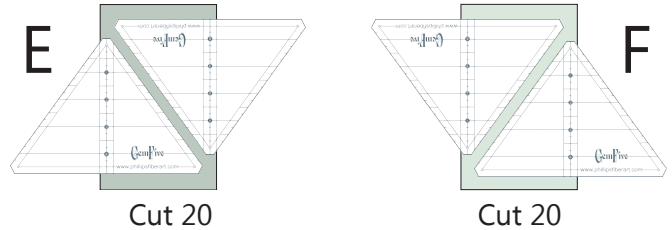
Sewing the Large Dresden

- Fold the C piece in half.
- Sew along the bottom using ¼" seam allowances.
- Turn the point and press open, center the seam.
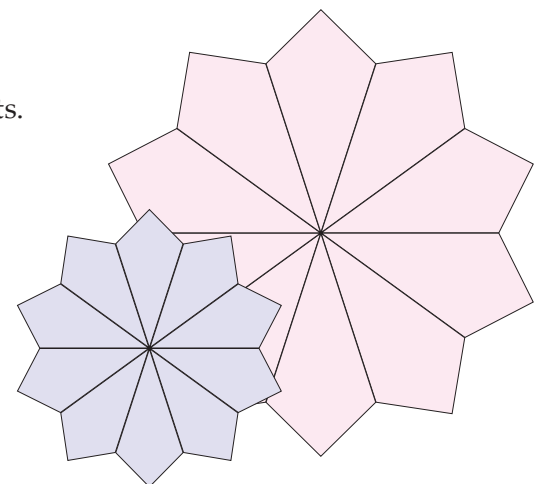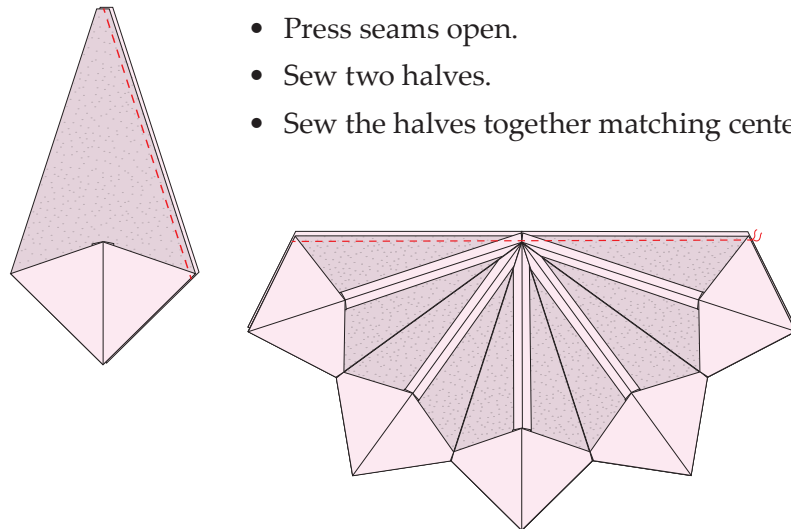- Repeat for all *ten* pieces.
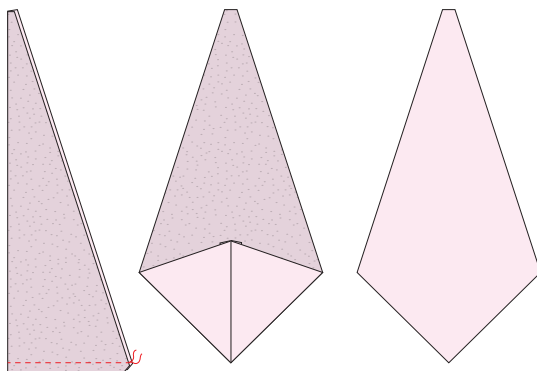
Sewing the Small Dresden

- Fold the D piece in half.
- Sew along the bottom using ¼" seam allowances.
- Turn the point and press open, center the seam. Repeat for all *forty* pieces.

Always Use ¼" Seams!

- Sew together using ¼" seam allowances.
- Press seams open.
- Sew two halves.
- Sew the halves together matching center points.

Sewing the Border

- Sew piece A and F together using ¼" seam allowances.
- Sew piece A and E together.
- Sew F to E.
- Repeat for all *twenty* triangles.
- Sew 5 triangles together.
- Add a B strip to each side to make a border unit.
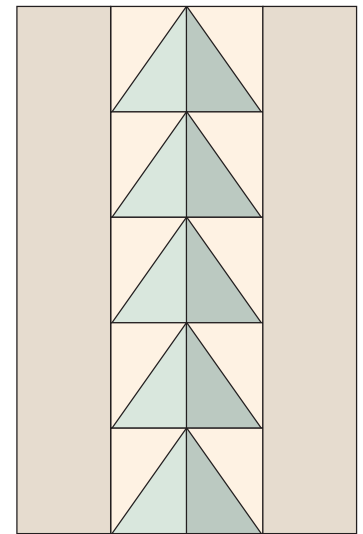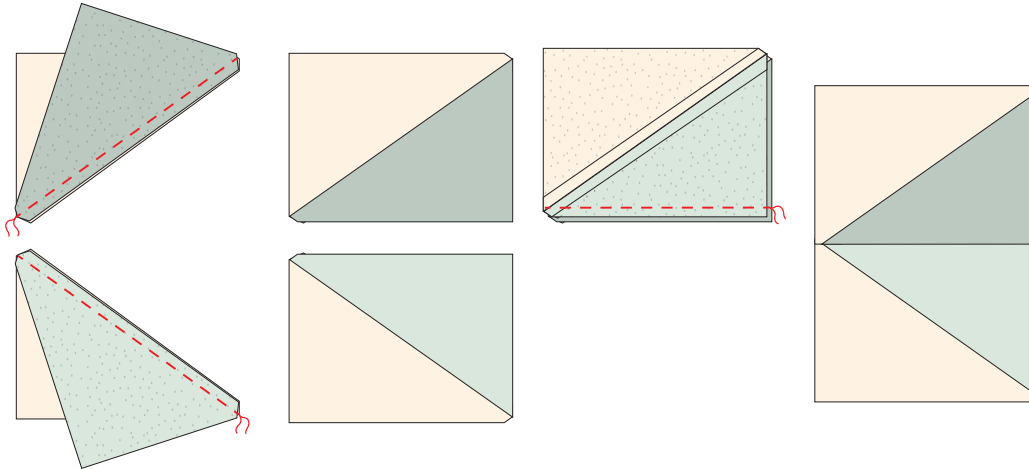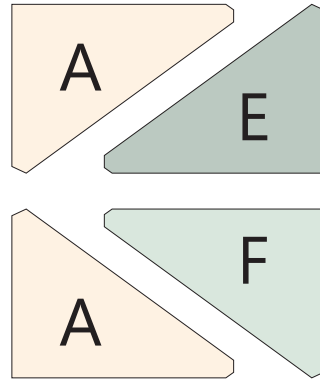
make 4 border units

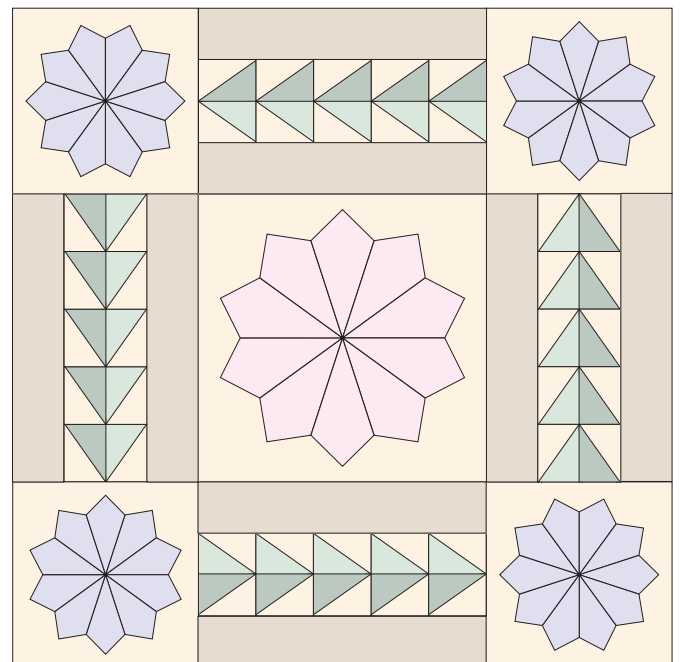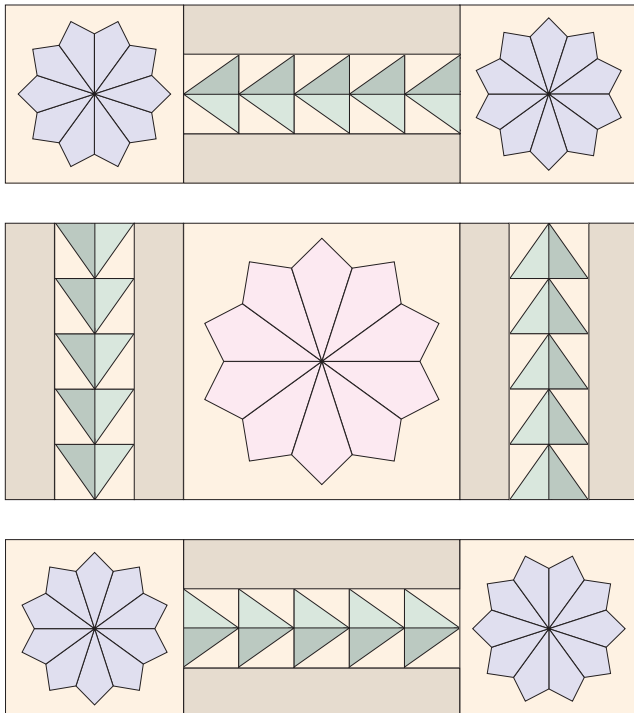Be careful not to loose the point of your EF Triangle

Assembly

- Applique the Large Dresden to the 23" A square.
- Applique the Small Dresdens to the 15" A squares.
- Sew the borders and dresdens together as shown.

Finish

- Layer
- Quilt
- Bind

Enjoy!

Dresden Gem Creative Option

Our sample of this option uses fussy cut Gem Tens. You'll need extra fabric for fussy cutting.
Be sure to add this to your yardage as indicated. See our video page for Fussy Cutting videos.

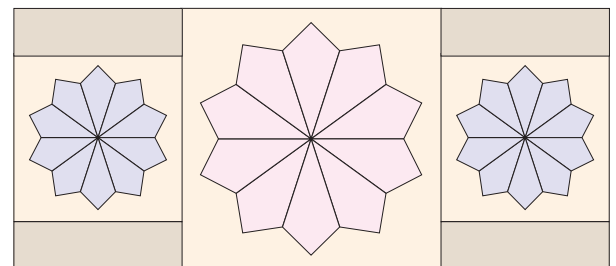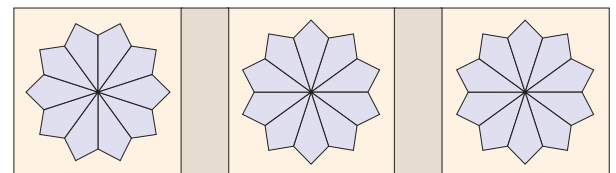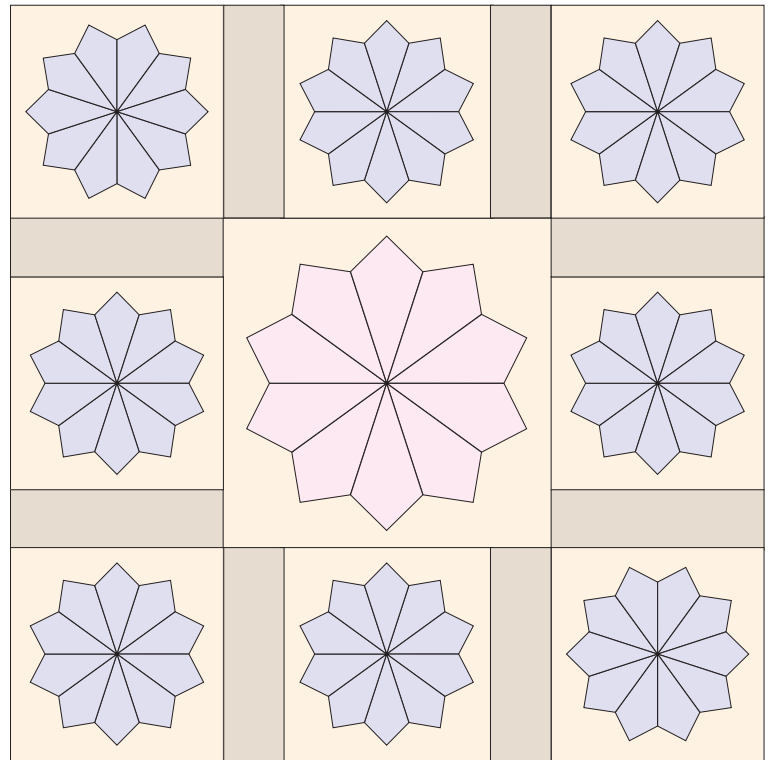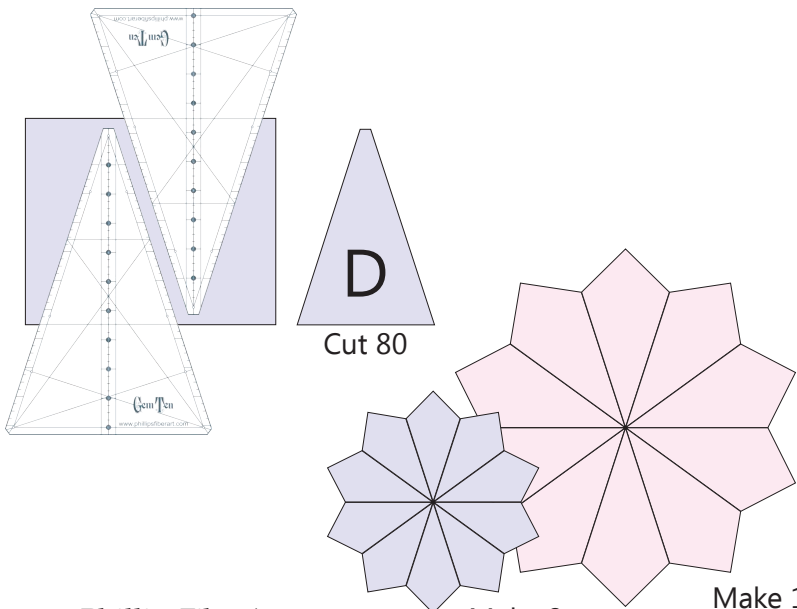|	Yardage	Cutting
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D	1 ½ yd*	**Five** 7" x 54"

*Add additional yardage for fussy cut fabrics.
** See cutting diagram on page 1.

Cutting

- Cut Strips as listed.
- Cut *ten* of C using the Gem Ten tool.

C
Cut 10
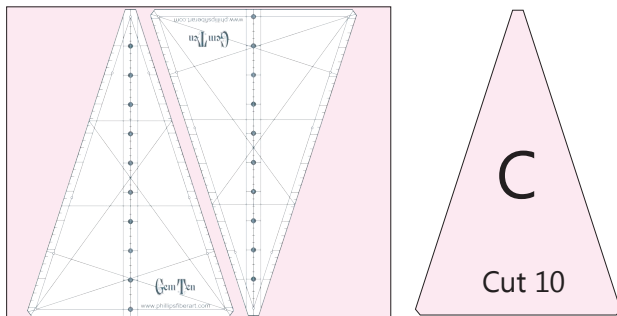
- Cut *eighty* of D using the Gem Ten tool on the 6 ½" line or the full sized Gem Junior tool.

D
Cut 80

Make 8   Make 1

A B C D

- Sew the borders and dresdens together as shown.

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