

LLQG_BOM_JULY_2022 TALL Ships

12 1/2" Unfinished 12" Finished Easy to do

All references to **STRIPS** are cut at **2 7/8**" if using a standard ruler & 2 ½" if using the "Creative grids 6" Flying Geese & 45/90 Triangle Ruler"

From Blue Fabric Cut:

1 – 4 ½ X 8 ½" rectangle 1 – 2 ½" X 10 ½" rectangle 1 – 2 ½" X 4 ½" rectangle 2 – 2 ½" squares

Cut enough strips at the above afore mentioned sizes depending on your ruler to cut 15 – half square triangles

<u>From White Fabric Cut</u> enough strips at the afore mentioned sizes depending on your ruler to cut **13** – half square triangles

From Red Fabric Cut:

1 – 2 ½" X 8 ½" rectangle

Cut enough **strips** at the afore mentioned sizes depending on your ruler to cut 2 - half square triangles. If using a regular ruler you only need 1 - 27/8'' square cut once diagonally!

DIRECTIONS:

1) Place your Blue Strip(s) and White Strip(s) right sides together and iron.

If using a regular ruler your strips should be at **2 7/8**" wide and you will cut **7 – 2 7/8**" squares and subcut them once diagonally to make your <u>13 triangles</u>. Sew one white triangle to one blue triangle, press seams open and trim to **2** ½" squares.

If using the Creative Grids ruler your strips will be 2 ½" wide and you will use your <u>CG ruler's 45 degree angle</u> turning the ruler from right side up to upside down and back while you cut **13** sets of half square triangles and sew them together. Press seams open and trim to **2** ½" squares.

- 2) Match your remaining Blue fabric Strip to your Red Strip and iron. Make 2 2 ½" finished half square triangle squares, half red and half blue. These can now be sewn one to both ends of the red rectangle making sure the red triangles are pointing to the top of both sides of the red rectangle as in the picture. Set aside.
- 3) Take one 2 ½" Blue square and sew one 2 ½" Blue/White half square triangle square to the right side of it with Blue to Blue, then sew it to the bottom of the large blue 4 ½ X 8 ½" rectangle.
- 4) Next sew 4 of the Blue/White 2 ½" half square triangle squares together in a column all facing in the same direction with blue pointing up to the left, then sew the last 2 ½" blue square on top. Now sew the column to the Right side of the finished Blue section you made in step 3, matching seams.
- 5) Now you can sew **3 more 2** ½" **Blue/White half square triangle squares** together into a column and then sew to the bottom of the **blue 2** ½" X 4 ½" rectangle.
- 6) Next, sew the last 5 2 ½" Blue/White half square triangle squares together into a column, then sew it to the right side of the column from step #5, matching seams.
- 7) Next sew the **Blue 2 ½" X 10 ½" rectangle** to the right of the finished product from **step #6**.
- 8) Now sew the finished product from step #7 to the right of the finished product from Step #4, matching seams. All Blue/White half square triangle squares should be facing in the same direction as shown above!
- 9) Lastly sew the **Red** row, with the **Red/Blue** half square triangles squares **blue** pointing down and out to the sides making the bottom of the boat smaller then the length of the top of the boat, to the bottom of the **blue** and **white** section of the block.