



“BLOCK OF THE MONTH”

JANUARY



BOM 1

Appliqué block with house and garden

Method: Needle-turn appliqué
Pattern: House with garden

Block size finished: 28,0 x 60.0 cm

Block size cut: 29.5 x 61.5 cm

Note:

The pattern for the appliqué consists of 2 halves which are put together along the dotted centre line.

Fabrics used:

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| Fabric A | background for the appliqué |
| Fabric B | central part |
| Fabric C | side parts of the house |
| Fabric D | dog kennel, weather-cock |
| Fabric E | right trunk, kennel roof |
| Fabric F | left trunk, window frame, entrance of the kennel |
| Fabric H | roof of the house |
| Fabric J | gabled roof, mini-quilt |
| Fabric M | entrance door |
| Fabric N | right tree |
| Fabric O | left tree |
| Fabric P | bushes |
| Fabric R | gable window |
| Black | laundry posts, chimney |

Method: Needle-turn appliqué

With the needle-turn appliqué, the pattern is transferred onto Totally Stable dull side up. The individual pieces of the appliqué motif are cut out from the embroidery backing without seam allowance and ironed with the shiny side on the right side of the fabric.

Cut out the fabric for the appliqué with seam allowance.

When applying, the seam allowance is pushed under the appliqué along the backing edge using the sewing needle, and the appliqué is sewn onto the background fabric with small stitches.

Therefore the name: Needle-turn appliqué

1st Step

Trace the motif onto the dull side of Totally Stable. Draw motif parts such as windows or doors that are placed upon separately.

2nd Step

Cut out the individual pieces along the drawn outlines. Iron the individual pieces onto the right side of the corresponding fabric.

3rd Step

Cut out all the pieces plus seam allowance of approx. 5mm. With curves or interior corners (such as the roof gable) snip the seam allowance almost until the edge of the backing. In case of exterior corners (e.g. weather vane) cut back the seam allowance slightly.

4th Step

Put the individual appliqué pieces onto the ground fabric. Using a transparency it is possible to check the exact placement of the pieces. For this, transfer the pattern onto the transparent folder using a permanent marker and adapt to the "coating layer" when placing the pieces. At straight lines, as i.e. the edge of the house, fold the seam allowance with your finger nail onto the reverse side and baste. Do not fold under the seam allowance at motif edges which are hidden by another motif (i.e. the upper edge of the house is hidden by the roof).

5th Step

Sew the appliqué pieces along the folded edge with small stitches (mattress stitch). Baste the edge which has not been folded down with some stitches only so that nothing can slip. Cut away the fabric under the appliqué on the reverse side except for the seam allowance.

6th Step

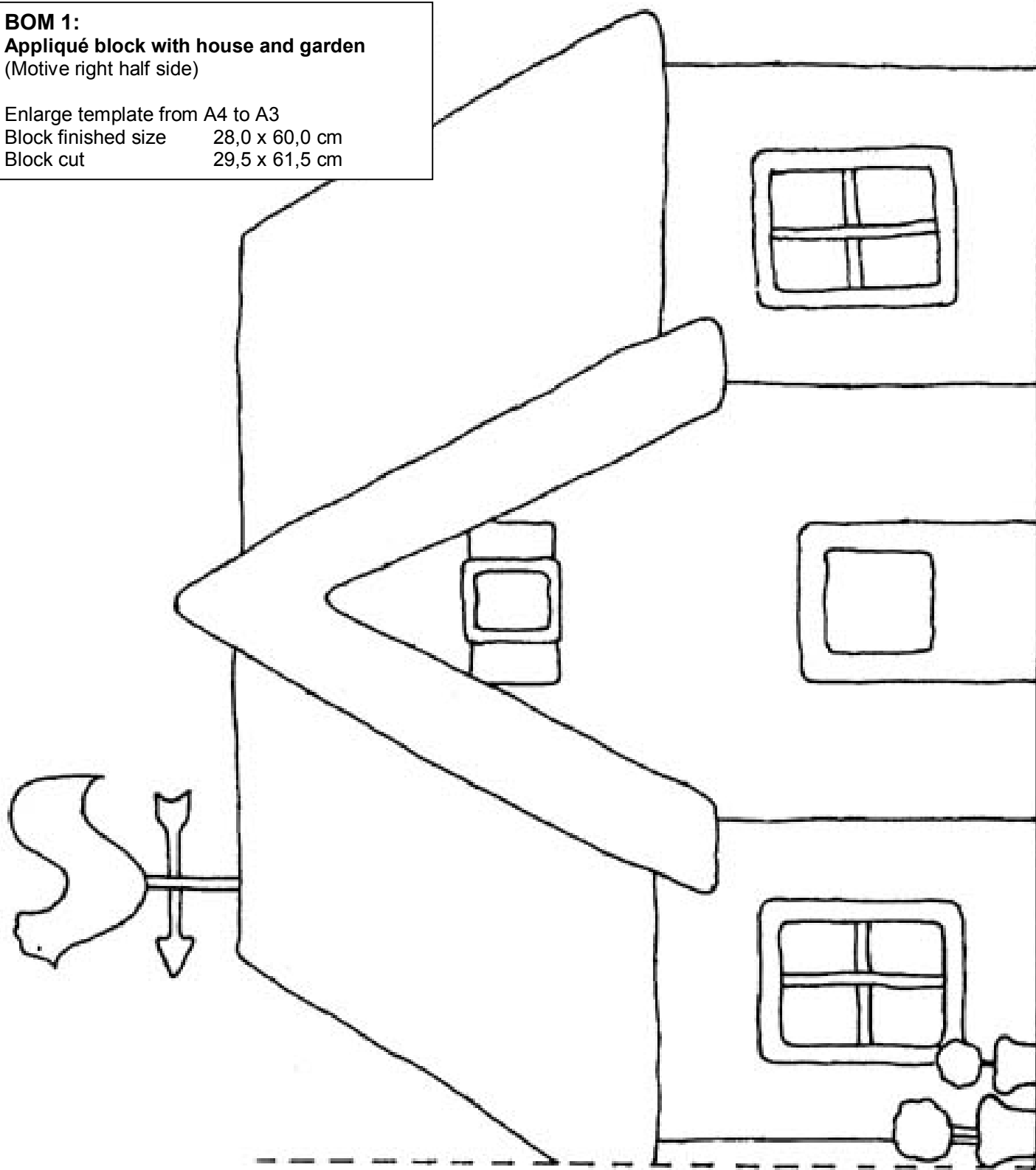
Sew on placed pieces such as windows and doors, too.

Note:

The flower pots are only appliqued after having finished the quilt top (see BOM 9).

BOM 1:
Appliqué block with house and garden
(Motive right half side)

Enlarge template from A4 to A3
Block finished size 28,0 x 60,0 cm
Block cut 29,5 x 61,5 cm



10 cm



BOM 1:

Appliqué block with house and garden

(Motive left half side)

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10 cm

