

Omnigrd On-Point Ruler developed by Donna Lynn Thomas

Book: On-Point Patchwork: Fuss-Free Diagonals using the Omnigrd On-Point Ruler, by Donna Lynn Thomas, That Patchwork Place, Martingale, 2013

"The On-Point Ruler was developed to solve the mathematical problems of any square unit set on point, whether in a block, sashing or border. The math is built into the ruler. It's designed to measure the diagonal of a unit, not the side-to-side length. It enables the ability to make old blocks and design new quilts and borders we wouldn't have tackled with rotary cutters before now.

The On-Point Ruler is an innovative new cutting tool that allows quilters to cut any square, rectangle, or half-square triangle so that it measures evenly across the diagonal instead of along its side. The ruler can only be used for shapes with 90° corners.

It looks like a regular ruler even though it measure differently. Additionally, the 1/2" needed for seam allowances is accommodated by the 1/2" margin on all four sides of the ruler. It is equally handy for both left-handed and right-handed quilters.

The numbers on the ruler are referred to as cutting 'marks' in order to distinguish them from width measurements on a regular rotary ruler."

On Point blocks that using the **Omnigrd On-Point Ruler** will save your sanity!

