

Disappearing Pinwheel

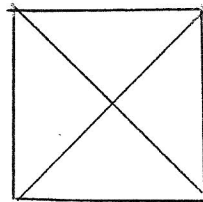
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Finished size is 12"

- 1 square 10 1/4" - colored fabric (solid, floral, batik etc)
1 square 10 1/4" - white tone on tone

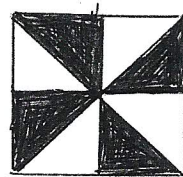
1. Lay the 2 10 1/4" squares right sides together and stitch around all four sides with a 1/4" seam
2. Press and cut diagonally from corner to corner in both directions. You should have 4 half square triangles.

Exp. 1.



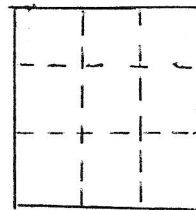
3. Open each of the 4 pieces and press – press towards the colored piece.
4. Place pieces together as a pinwheel and stitch them together as a 4 patch.

Exp. 2



5. Carefully measure your block and divide that number by 3. Then measuring from each side, cut your block into three equal columns. Turn the block carefully and measuring from the sides again, cut into 3rds as before.

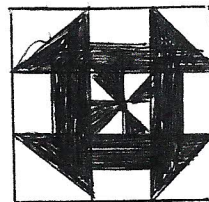
Exp. 3



6. You now have a 9 patch where all the blocks are the same size.
 - Turn the center pieces from each side so the white area faces out.
 - Turn the corner pieces so the colored fabric is towards the inside
 - Before stitching the rows and to nestle the seams, press the center row seams towards the outside and the top and bottom row seams towards the middle.

7. Now stitch your block back together as a 9 patch.

Exp 4



Your finished block is a Shoo Fly pattern with a pinwheel in the center and should measure 12".