

February Block of the Month

6" Pinwheel

We will be making this block out of pastel colors with print or solid and a white on white of your choice. Use the same pastel for the block. If making multiple blocks use a different pastel for each.

The basic Pinwheel block is simply four half square triangles put together in a four patch.

To make one 6 ½" block you need two 3 7/8" squares of the white and two of the same pastel.

Draw a line corner to corner on the wrong side of the white squares. This will be the cutting line when you are done. Place the white square on top of the pastel square with right sides together. Sew a true ¼" seam on either side of the line. After sewing the ¼" lines you will cut this square in half on the drawn cutting line.

You will now have two half square triangle square which should measure 3 ½". Make a second set.

Sew the 4 pieces together to make the pinwheel.

