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Dresden Plates

Types of Rulers and # of petals needed to make complete dresden

<i>Wedge Name</i>	<i>Degrees</i>	<i># needed to make dresden</i>
Missouri Star	18	20
Darlene Zimmerman	18	20
Marti Michell	22.5	16
Creative Grid	10	36
	15	24
	18	20
Marilyn Doheny	9	40
Stack'nWhack Fan Ruler	15	24

Half Hexi Wedge Borders

To begin, sew one half hexi side to the long edge of other half hexi. Keep the “V” at the bottom and add wedges to the left and the right along the top like steps.



The Binding Tool Braid



Use both side of the tool to cut fabric, if you are using cottons, unless you want to use the back side of the fabric. You may cut batiks using one side of the tool and just flip the pieces over for the opposite side.

Grandmother's Flower Garden

To begin, sew across one whole hexi side to the edge of the other hexi starting at $\frac{1}{4}$ inch. With needle down stop at $\frac{1}{4}$ inch from end and turn unit and resew the seam. Stop with needle down $\frac{1}{4}$ inch from edge, turn unit and do 3 more stitches. You have 1 petal sewn to the flower center. Add next petal to the first and stitch from outside edge towards the center flower fold. Needle down and resew as above. Now create your butterfly wings to keep the fabric out of the way. Sew petal to the flower center as before. Continue till all 6 petals are attached.



Triangle Hexi

To begin, sew one half hexi side to the short top edge of the other half hexi. You then flip and sew as you do with whole hexi's. Add short edge of 3rd half hexi to create the triangle. Sew $\frac{1}{4}$ from edge towards the center stopping at the $\frac{1}{4}$ inch mark (which is where the previous 2 have been joined). Stop with needle down and turn to sew back to the beginning. Stop with needle down and turn doing 3 more stitches. Sew triangles together by flipping them to make a long border.

