Patch-n-Dash Block 16 Whirligig

Block 16: Whirligig

Make 2

Block size: 6 1/2" x 6 1/2"

Technique: 8@Time HST's, and SNF



Background

- 4 (2" x 5") rectangles, label B
- 4 (2") squares, label A
- 4 (2" x 3 1/2") rectangles, label C

Dark Blue

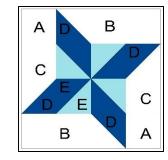
- 8 (2" squares, label D (SNF)
- 1 (5") square, label E

Light Blue

• 1 (5") square, label E

Notes:

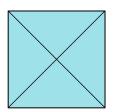
- Always sew with a ¼" seam allowance
- Always sew with RST (Right Sides Together)
- Pressing Seam Allowance Arrows are in black and orange
- WOF: Width of FabricHST: Half Square Triangle
- SNF: Stitch-n-Flip

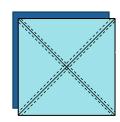


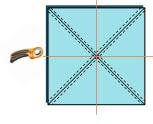
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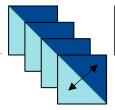
Block Construction

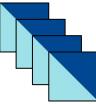
- Pinwheel Center, 8@Time HST method. Draw two diagonal lines from corner to corner creating an X on the backside of the Light Blue E square.
 - a) Match with RST the Light Blue E square to the Dark Blue E square.
 - b) Stitch ¼" away from both drawn lines on both sides of each drawn line.
 - c) Cut apart:
 - 1) From top to bottom cut apart dividing the block in half at 2 ½" orange line
 - 2) From side to side cut apart dividing the block at 2 1/2" orange line
 - 3) Cut apart on the drawn lines
 - 4) Open and press each HST
 - 5) Makes (8) HST's
 - 6) Trim each to 2" x 2"









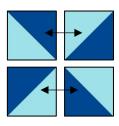




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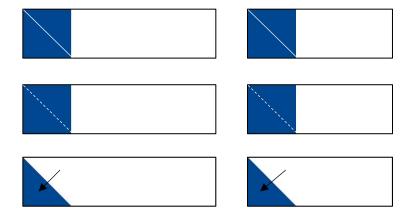
- 2. Layout as shown, Make 2
 - Match with RST the HST's in top and bottom rows. Sew each row units together, press
 - b) Match the top row to the bottom row with RST, aligning the center seam. Sew, Make 2. Size: $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ "







- 3. Using the SNF method. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the back of each Dark Blue D square.
 - a) Match with RST, (1) Dark Blue D square to each Background C rectangle and Background B rectangle. Layout as shown.
 - b) Stitch directly on the drawn line
 - c) Trim ¼ away from the stitched/drawn line to remove the excess
 - d) Flip triangle in place and press.
 - e) Make (4) B/D (Size: 2" x 5") rectangles and (4) C/D (Size 2" x 3 1/2")





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Completing the Block

- 1. Layout as shown.
- 2. With RST, sew the center sides to the center Pinwheel. Press. Size 3 1/2" x 6 1/2"
- 3. With RST, sew the Background A squares, to the sides of each B/D unit as shown.
- 4. Join with RST the A/B/D units to the top and bottom of the Center from Step 2.
- 5. Make 2 Whirligig Blocks, Size 6 1/2" x 6 1/2"

