

August Super Pinwheel Star

Finished size: 12" block

Materials needed:

Off white, light gold, and assorted red and blue print fabrics (or colors of your choice) in the following dimensions:

NOTE: To make the pinwheel pop, the gold fabric should be fairly light.

Off white

Cut **1** 4-1/4" square, cut on the diagonal twice - makes **4** triangles (A) for pinwheel

Cut **1** 3-1/2" x WOF (width of fabric), from this cut **4** 3-1/2" squares (C)

Cut **4** 3-1/2" x 6-1/2" rectangles (D) for flying geese

Light gold

Cut **1** 4-1/4" square, cut on the diagonal twice - makes **4** triangles (A) for pinwheel

Assorted Blues

Cut **2** 3-7/8" squares, cut on the diagonal - makes **4** triangles from the 2 squares (B) for pinwheel

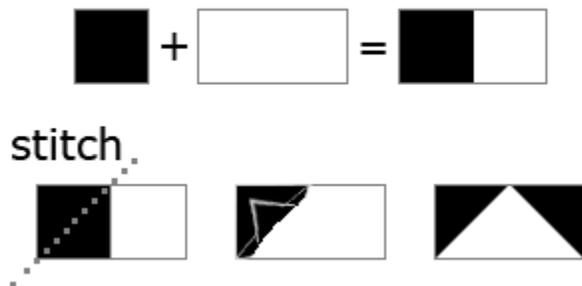
Cut **4** 3-1/2" squares (D) for flying geese

Assorted Reds

Cut **4** 3-1/2" squares (D) for flying geese

Flying Geese assembly:

Make 4 flying geese by using 1 red and 1 blue (D) square and one white (D) rectangle. On the back of the square, draw a diagonal line from bottom left corner to top right corner (see example below). Place one red square atop the left corner of the rectangle, right sides together. Sew on the diagonal line. Trim 1/4" beyond stitching, and press the remainder towards the outer triangle. Repeat with the blue square on the opposite end. Make 4.



Pinwheel assembly:

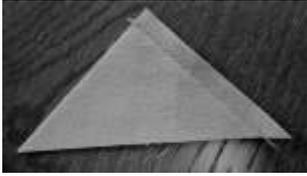
Blue fabric



Light gold fabric

White fabric

With right sides together, placing white fabric (A) on the bottom & gold (A) on top, sew together on right edge. Make 4. Press seam towards the gold fabric.



← Light gold fabric is on top. Seam is sewn on right edge.

Sew the white and light gold triangle to the bottom of the blue triangle (B). Make 4.



Sew pinwheel together as shown below, press seam towards the left on the top row & towards the right on the bottom row. This will help the seams lay flat when sewing the 2 rows together



Row 1: sew together 1 square (C) to 1 flying geese to 1 square (C). Press seams toward flying geese.

Row 2: sew 1 flying geese to pinwheel to 1 flying geese. Press seams toward flying geese.

Row 3: sew together 1 square (C) to 1 flying geese to 1 square (C). Press seams toward flying geese.

Row 1

Row 2

Row 3



Sew row 1 to 2 and 2 to 3.

