

Southern Comforters Block of the Month
October 2006
Shooting Pinwheel

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Fabric A: Medium fabric that contrast well with Fabric D (Center Pinwheel)

- Cut two squares 4"

Fabric B: Darker fabric of the same color family as fabric A

- Cut four squares 4"

Fabric C: Medium, complimentary fabric that contrasts well with background

- Cut two squares 4"

Fabric D: Background fabric – Off white tone-on-tone.

- Cut eight squares 4"

This entire block consists of half square triangles. For each half square triangle, place two of the designated squares right sides together. Draw a line from corner to corner and sew a ¼" seam on each side of the line. Cut apart and press toward the darker fabric.

Step 1: Match 2 background squares with two Fabric A squares and make a total of 4 half square triangles. Trim each square to 3 ½" square.

Step 2: Match four background squares with four Fabric B squares and make a total of eight half square triangles. Trim each square to 3 ½" square.

Step 3: Match the two remaining background squares with the two Fabric C squares and make a total of four half square triangles. Trim each square to 3 ½" square.

Step 4: Arrange the half square triangles as indicated below. Sew the vertical rows, then join together in horizontal rows. Press the completed 12 ½" block.

