

Block of the Month, February 2021

Reminder: Sewn blocks should MEASURE 12 1/2" square to finish to 12".

Block: Wheel of Time

This is a four-color block.

Cutting Instructions:

Background:

Four 3 7/8" squares (for half-square triangles)

Four 3 1/2" squares (for the central square-in-a-square)

Color 1 (dark):

Two 3 7/8" squares (for half-square triangles)

Color 2 (medium):

Two 3 7/8" squares (for half-square triangles)

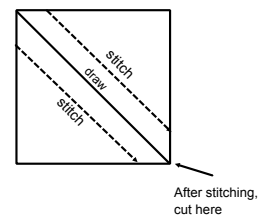
Color 3 (light):

One 6 1/2" square (for central square-in-a-square)

Four 3 1/2" squares

Half Square triangle units: The SEWN size is 3 1/2".

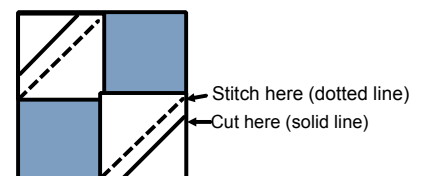
Draw a diagonal line on the back of one of the squares. Place one background square and one dark colored square right sides together. Stitch 1/4" on each side of the square. Cut on the drawn line and press. You will have two half-square triangle units of the desired size. Repeat for the other pair of squares. You will have four dark and background half-square triangle units measuring 3 1/2".



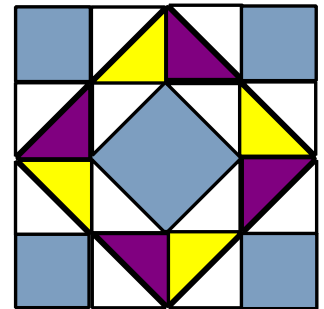
Repeat using background and medium squares. You will have four medium and background half-square triangle units measuring 3 1/2".

Square-in-a-Square unit: The SEWN size is 6 1/2"

Draw a diagonal line on the back of the four 3 1/2" background squares.



Lay two squares on opposite corners of the large central square as show. Stitch on the drawn line, then cut away as shown.



Press open. Then repeat for the remaining two corners. The final unit should measure 6 1/2" square.

Assemble the block in rows as shown.

