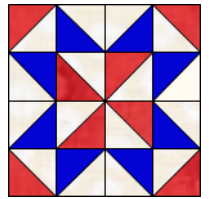


# BLOCK OF THE MONTH

## "LOVE OF TRIANGLES"

### Pinwheel Stars



May 2014

Make one 12 1/2" x 12 1/2" unfinished block

\*Mini indicated in parenthesis ( ).

(Make one 4 1/2" x 4 1/2" unfinished block)

#### Cut

4---4" (2") sq. Blue (A) or Darker fabric

4---4" (2") sq. Red (B) or Accent fabric.

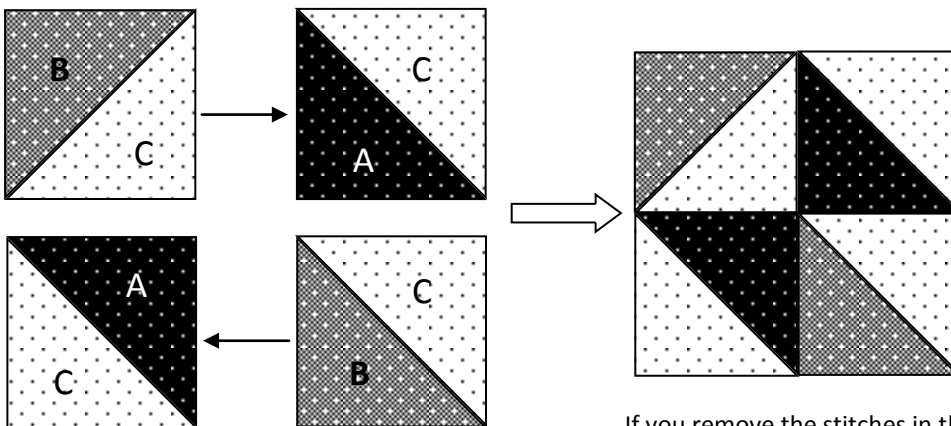
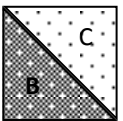
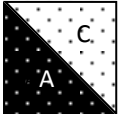
8---4" (2") sq. White (C) or Background fabric.

Using your preferred method for making half-square triangles, make the following:

8---Blue (A) /White (C) 3 1/2" (1 1/2") half-square triangles.

8---Red (B) /White (C) 3 1/2" (1 1/2") half-square triangles.

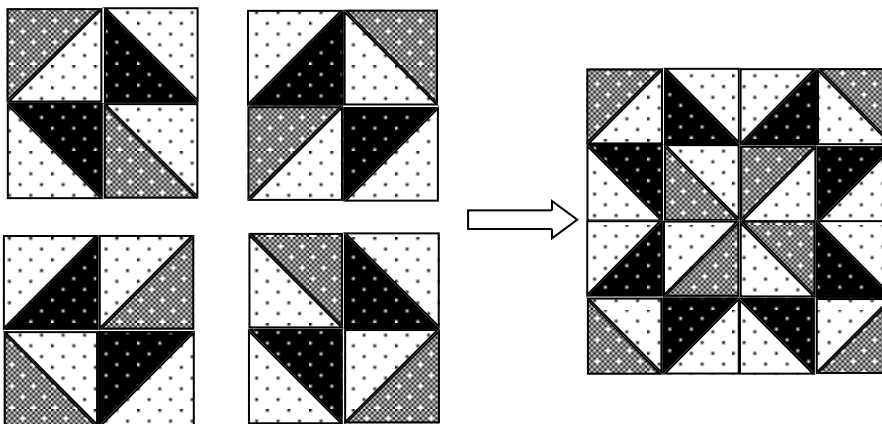
Press the triangles to the darker fabric.



Make 4 units

Sew two together, pressing in the direction of the arrows and then sew the rows together.

If you remove the stitches in the seam in the very center, the center fans out.



Following the diagram, sew the units together, **pressing seams open** and then sew the rows together.

**Press seams open.**

This block should measure 12 1/2" -- (4 1/2") square.

Questions???

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**Tutorial:** <https://picasaweb.google.com/113018276673974320246/WaysToMakeHalfSqTriangles?authuser=0&authkey=Gv1sRgCP-54oTi86-7qAE&feat=directlink>