

WINDMILLS AND PINWHEELS BLOCK 3

This block uses Fabrics 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6.

CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS

Fabric 1 cut:

(1) 2-1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut into (16) 2-1/2" squares.

OR (Use die #5 cut (16) HST.)

Fabric 2 cut:

(1) 5-1/4" x WOF strip. Sub-cut into (4) 5-1/4" squares.

OR (Use die #4 cut (16) QST.)

Fabric 3 cut:

(1) 4-1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut into (16) 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" rectangles.

OR (Use die #7 cut (16) parallelograms with fabric right side up on the die.)

Fabric 4 cut:

(1) 2-1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut into (16) 2-1/2" squares.

(2) 2-7/8" x WOF strips. Sub-cut into (16) 2-7/8" squares.

OR (Use die #5 cut (48) HST.)

(1) 6-3/4" x WOF strip. Sub-cut into (4) 6-3/4" squares and then cut each once diagonally into (8) HST.

Fabric 6 cut:

(1) 6-3/4" x WOF strip. Sub-cut into (4) 6-3/4" squares and then cut each once diagonally into (8) HST.

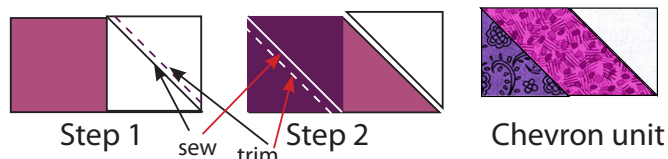
BLOCK 3 CONSTRUCTION (Without the Accuquilt dies)

Chevron unit (Option 2 in General Instructions)

1. Draw a line on the backs of the 2-1/2" **Fabric 1** and **Fabric 4** squares. Place a 2-1/2" **Fabric 1** square right sides together on one end of a 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" **Fabric 3** rectangle with the drawn line in the direction of the illustration. Sew along the drawn line and trim seam to 1/4". Press to **Fabric 3**.

2. Place a 2-1/2" **Fabric 1** square right sides together on the other end of the **Fabric 3** rectangle with the drawn line in the direction of the illustration. Sew along the drawn line and trim seam to 1/4". Make (4) Chevron units. Press two to **Fabric 3** and two to **Fabric 4**.

Unit should equal 2-1/2" x 4-1/2".



Flying Geese Units

3. Using Method 2 in the **General Piecing instructions**, use (4) 2-7/8" **Fabric 4** squares and (1) 5-1/4" **Fabric 2** square. Make a total of (4) FGU.

Unit should equal 2-1/2" x 4-1/2".



BLOCK 3 CONSTRUCTION (With the Accuquilt dies)

Chevron unit

Sew a 2-7/8" **Fabric 4** HST to the end of the **Fabric 3** parallelogram.

Sew a 2-7/8" **Fabric 1** HST to the other end of the **Fabric 3** parallelogram. Follow pressing directions in the regular piecing instructions. Make (4) Chevron units.



Flying Geese Units (FGU)

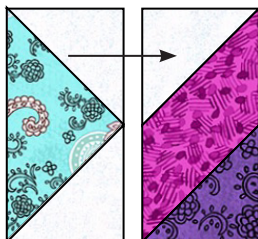
Sew a 2-7/8" **Fabric 4** HST to each side of a 5-1/4" **Fabric 2** QST. Press to HST. Make (4) FGU.



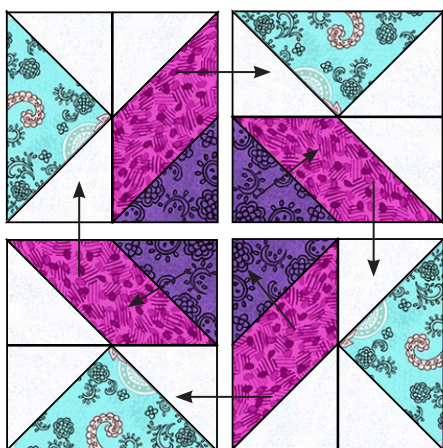
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PUTTING IT ALL TOGETHER

4. Sew a Chevron unit to a FGU as shown. Match seam on Chevron unit to point on FGU. Press to Chevron unit. Unit should measure at 4-1/2" x 4-1/2".



5. Sew the (4) pieced units together making sure that the **Fabric 1** HST is in the center of the block. Sew sections together, then match centers and sew rows together. Press seams in a clockwise or counter-clockwise manner. (Make sure you pick two with Chevron unit seams pressed to **Fabric 3** and two to **Fabric 4**. Alternate these sections so that the seams nest in the Fabric 1 section.) Square should measure 8-1/2".



6. Sew the (2) 6-3/4" **Fabric 4** and (2) **Fabric 6** HST to the finished block as illustrated. Press to large triangles. Trim to 11-7/8" square. Repeat steps 1- 6 to make (4) Block 3.

