

Patchwork Panache

2007 Block of the Month



Center Medallion

Size: 34"

January 2007 Quilt Block of the Month Free from BlockCentral.com

Printing Options:

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Cutting Instructions:

*Fabric:	Size & Shape:	# to Cut:
A (Dk. Blue)	9-3/8" Square	2
B (Red)	9-3/4" Square	1
C (Green)	9-3/4" Square	1
C (Green)	18-1/4" Square	1
D (Yellow)	9-3/8" Square	2
E (Cream)	9-3/8" Square	6

Sewing Instructions:

Step 1: Using a ruler and a rotary cutter, cut six Color E (cream) 9-3/8" squares and two Color A (dk. blue) 9-3/8" squares once diagonally.



Cut once diagonally

Step 2: With right sides together, layer a Color E (cream) Step 1 triangle on a Color A (dk. blue) Step 1 triangle. Stitch together using a 1/4" seam. Press the seam allowance toward the darker fabric and trim points. Repeat three more times for a total of four Color A/E half-square triangles.



Sew, press, trim points
Make 4

Step 3: Using a ruler and a rotary cutter, cut the Color C (green) 18-1/4" square twice diagonally as shown below:



Cut twice diagonally

Step 4: With right sides together and using a 1/4" seam allowance, sew a Color E (cream) Step 1 triangle to the right side of a Color C (green) Step 3 triangle as shown below. Press seam toward light fabric, trim points, and repeat on the left side. Press seam allowance toward the light fabric and trim points. Repeat three more times for a total of four Color C/E flying geese units.



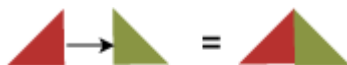
Sew, press, trim points
Make 4

Step 5: Using a ruler and rotary cutter, cut the two Color D (yellow) 9-3/8" squares once diagonally. Cut one Color C (green) 9-3/4" square twice diagonally. Cut one Color B (red) 9-3/4" square twice diagonally.



Cut once **Cut twice**

Step 6: With right sides together, sew a Color B (red) Step 5 triangle to a Color C (green) Step 5 triangle as shown below. Press the seam allowance toward the darker fabric and trim point. Repeat three more times for a total of four Color B/C triangles.

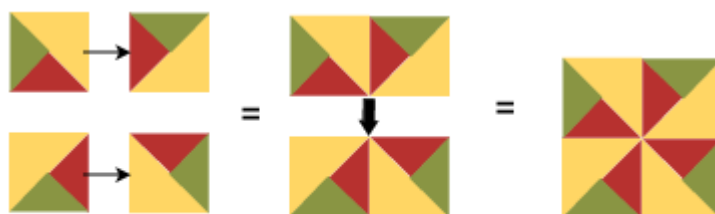


Sew, press, and trim point
Make 4

Step 7: With right sides together, sew a step 6 Color B/C triangle to a Step 5 Color D (yellow) triangle, as shown below. Press the seam allowance toward the Color D fabric and trim points. Repeat three more times for a total of four Color B/C/D units.



Step 8: Arrange the Step 7 units as shown below and sew into rows. Press the seam allowances toward the Color D (yellow) triangles. Sew the rows together to finish the center pinwheel and press seam allowance to one side.



Create center pinwheel

Step 9: Using the block image at the top of the page as your guide, arrange the nine block units. Sew them first into rows, pressing the seams of the top and bottom rows toward the center flying geese units and the seams of the middle row away from the center. Sew rows together to finish the block and press seams away from the center.

Your block should measure 34-1/2" at this point. It will measure 34" when it is sewn into the quilt.