

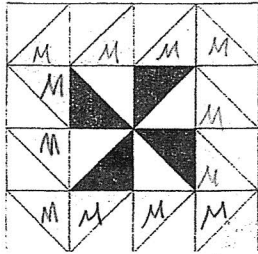
# Stash Party Pinwheel

## Block 7

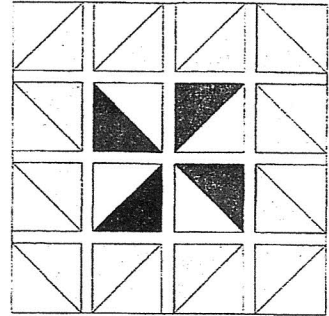
(12 ½ Inches Unfinished)

Fabrics: Light, Medium, Dark

Optional Specialty Ruler: Nifty Notions Half-Square



Gray Scale



### Traditional Method:

Light Fabric - Cut (8) 4" squares. Cut each once on the diagonal. (16 half square triangles)

Medium Fabric - Cut (6) 4" squares. Cut each once on the diagonal. (12 half square triangles)

Dark Fabric - Cut (2) 4" squares. Cut each once on the diagonal. ( 4 half square triangles)

Place a Dark half square triangle over a Light half square triangle with right sides together.

Sew along the diagonal to give the unit shown and press towards the Dark fabric.

Repeat to make a total of (4) Dark-Light square units.



Place a Medium half square triangle over a Light half square triangle with right sides together.

Sew along the diagonal to give the unit shown.

Repeat to make a total of (12) Medium-Light square units.

Press (2) units towards the Light fabric and (10) units towards the Medium fabric.



Note: All of these squares will all have to be squared up to 3 ½" squares.

Continue to directions for both methods.

### Using Nifty Notions Rulers:

Light Fabric - Cut (1) 3 ½" x WOF (width of fabric) strip.

Medium Fabric - Cut (1) 3 ½" x WOF (width of fabric) strip.

Dark Fabric - Cut (1) 3 ½" strip (at least 12" long).

Place the Medium and Light fabric strips together with right-sides together.

Using the Half Square ruler, make (12) cuts. Sew each cut along the diagonal to make 12 Medium-Light units.

Press (2) units towards the Light fabric and (10) units towards the Medium fabric.

Place the Dark strip and the rest of the Light strip together with right-sides together.

Using the Half Square ruler, make (4) cuts. Sew each cut along the diagonal to make 4 Dark-Light units.

Press towards the Dark fabric.

### Both Methods:

#### Complete the block:

Lay out all the square units as shown above. NOTE: The 2 Medium-Light units that are pressed towards the Light fabric should be placed in the upper right corner and the lower left corner. This will insure locking the seams.

Sew the 4 units in the first row together, pressing towards the right.

Sew the 4 units in the second row together, pressing towards the left.

Sew the 4 units in the third row together, pressing towards the right.

Sew the 4 units in the fourth row together, pressing towards the left.

Sew the first and second rows together and then sew the third and fourth rows together.

Sew rows 1 and 2 to rows 3 and 4 to complete the block. Press all rows in the same direction, either up or down.