




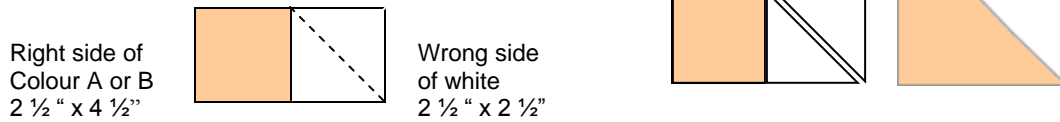
Region of York Quilters Guild  
**April 2010 BOM – Pinwheel Variation**

You will construct this block using 3 colours – 2 soft, subdued colours and a white background.

Fabrics:		Cutting Instructions	Colours
White		Four 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles Eight 2 1/2" squares	White
Colour A		Two 2 1/2" squares Two 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles	Soft subdued colours in orange, pink, lilac or yellow. Suitable for batiks, tone on tone or small prints, especially floral. Try to have some pink in one of the fabrics
Colour B		Two 2 1/2" squares Two 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles	

**Instructions:**

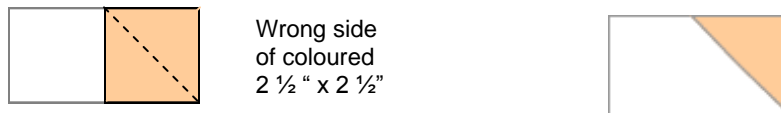
1. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of all 2 1/2" squares (all colours).
2. Place a white square on the right edge of each Colour A and Colour B 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangle, right sides together. Align the raw edges. Stitch on the drawn line. Trim, leaving a 1/4" seam allowance. Press toward the triangle. You will have 4 units in total.



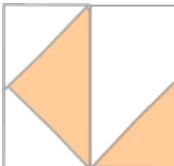
3. Repeat the above step on the other end of each of the units pieced in Step 2 by sewing a white square to the left side of the rectangle. You will have 4 flying geese units – 2 each of Colour A and Colour B.



4. Place a coloured square on the right edge of each white 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangle, right sides together. Be sure to orient the drawn diagonal line on the square as shown in the diagram below. Align the raw edges. Stitch on the drawn line. Trim, leaving a 1/4" seam allowance. Press toward the triangle. You will have 4 units in total.



5. Combine the units from Step 4 with the Flying Geese from Step 3, as outlined below, being careful of orientation. You will have 2 units of Colour A and 2 units of Colour B.



6. Assemble these units to form the completed block. Unfinished size is 8 1/2" x 8 1/2".

