

# Sweet Broderie Pinwheels

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Finished size approximately 58" x 58"

#### REQUIREMENTS:

36 x 2½" strips of "Sweet Broderie" fabric 60" (1.5m) of plain white fabric 16" (40cm) aqua fabric (binding) 4m (4½ yds) of backing fabric

#### **CUTTING GUIDE:**

From plain white fabric, cut:

- sixty strips, each measuring 2½" x 7½"
- six strips, each measuring 3½" by the full width of the fabric

From agua binding fabric, cut:

- six strips, each measuring 2½" by the full width of the fabric

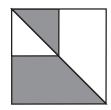
## PIECING INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Take your 36 strips of patterned fabric. Cut selvedges from each end of each strip. Cut a 2½" square from the end of each strip. Put aside (cornerstones).
- 2. Sew two strips from your sushi roll together, all along the length. Choose two fabrics for maximum contrast.
- 3. Cut the above pieced strip into eight squares each measuring 4½" x 4½".
- 4. Place two squares on top of each other, r.s.t., flipping one square to match Fabric A on top of Fabric B, and Fabric B on top of Fabric A.

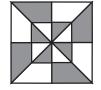
5. Rule a diagonal line from the top left corner to the bottom right corner. Sew together ¼" either side of the traced line. Cut along the traced line.



6. Open squares and press to reveal two squares.

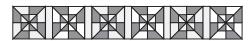


7. Repeat with remaining six squares. Re-arrange to form two complete double pinwheel blocks. Sew blocks together.



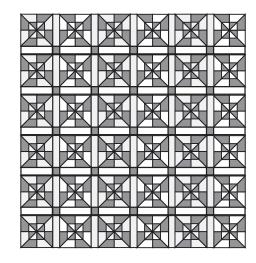


- 8. Continue to work through the pairs of sushi roll strips until you have thirty-six completed blocks, each measuring 7½" x 7½".
- 9. Sew blocks together in six rows of six, with a 2½" x 7½" strip of white fabric between each block.



10. Sew six strips of white fabric measuring 2½" x 7½" end to end, with a 2½" square of coloured fabric between each strip.

11. Sew alternate strips together to form your quilt top. Press.



## **BORDER:**

- 1. From your six 3½" border strips of white fabric, create two strips each measuring 52½" and two strips each measuring 58½".
- 2. Sew a 52½" x 3½" strip to each side of the quilt. Open and press.
- 3. Sew a 58½" x 3½" strip to both the top and bottom of the quilt. Open and press.
- 4. Layer backing, batting and quilt top together and baste.
- 5. Quilt as desired.
- 5. Sew six 2½" binding strips of aqua fabric end to end and then use this to bind the quilt.