

**Block of the Month June 2019**

**Strawflowers**

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!2 ½ X 12 ½ inches unfinished

**Materials**

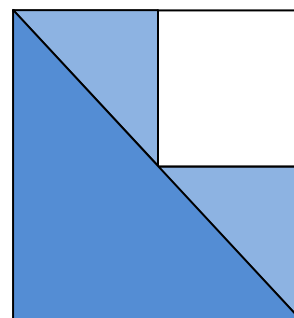
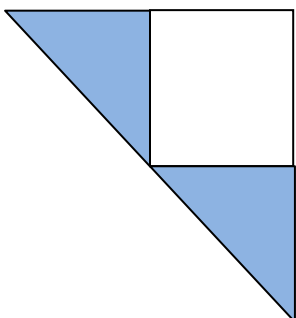
Neutral tone on tone and 2 contrasting prints.

**Cutting**

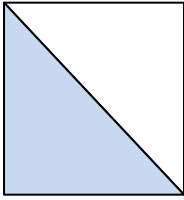
Background	Cut (1) 2 ½ inch strip by width of the fabric. Cut into (4) 4 ½ X 2 ½ inch rectangles and (4) 2 ½ inch squares. Cut (1) 2 7/8 inch strip by width of the fabric. Cut into (10) 2 7/8 inch squares. Cut once on the diagonal to yield 20 triangles.
Print #1	Cut (1) 4 7/8 X 10 inch strip Cut into (2) 4 7/8 inch squares. Cut once on the diagonal to yield 4 triangles.
Print # 2	Cut (1) 2 7/8 inch strip by the width of the fabric. Cut into (10) 2 7/8 inch squares. Cut once on the diagonal to yield 20 triangles.

**Construction**

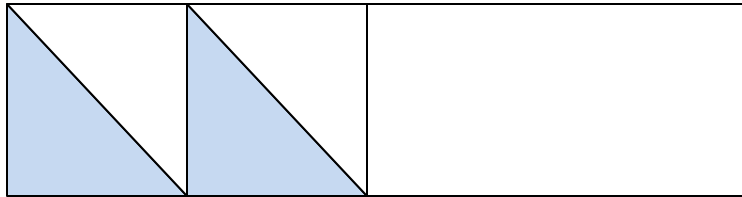
- Sew a print # 2 triangle to 2 adjacent sides of a 2 ½ inch BG square.
- Make 4.
- Sew a print # 1 triangle to the unit you just made. Make 4.



- Join 4 units just made to form a pinwheel in the center.
- Make 12 half square triangles with the remaining BG and print # 2 triangles.



- Join 2 HST units just made to a  $4\frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{1}{2}$  inch BG rectangle.
- Make 4.



- Sew 1 of these units to the top and the bottom of the pinwheel unit. WATCH ORIENTATION.
- Sew a HST unit to each end of the remaining 2 rectangle units. WATCH ORIENTATION.
- Sew to the other two sides of the pinwheel.

