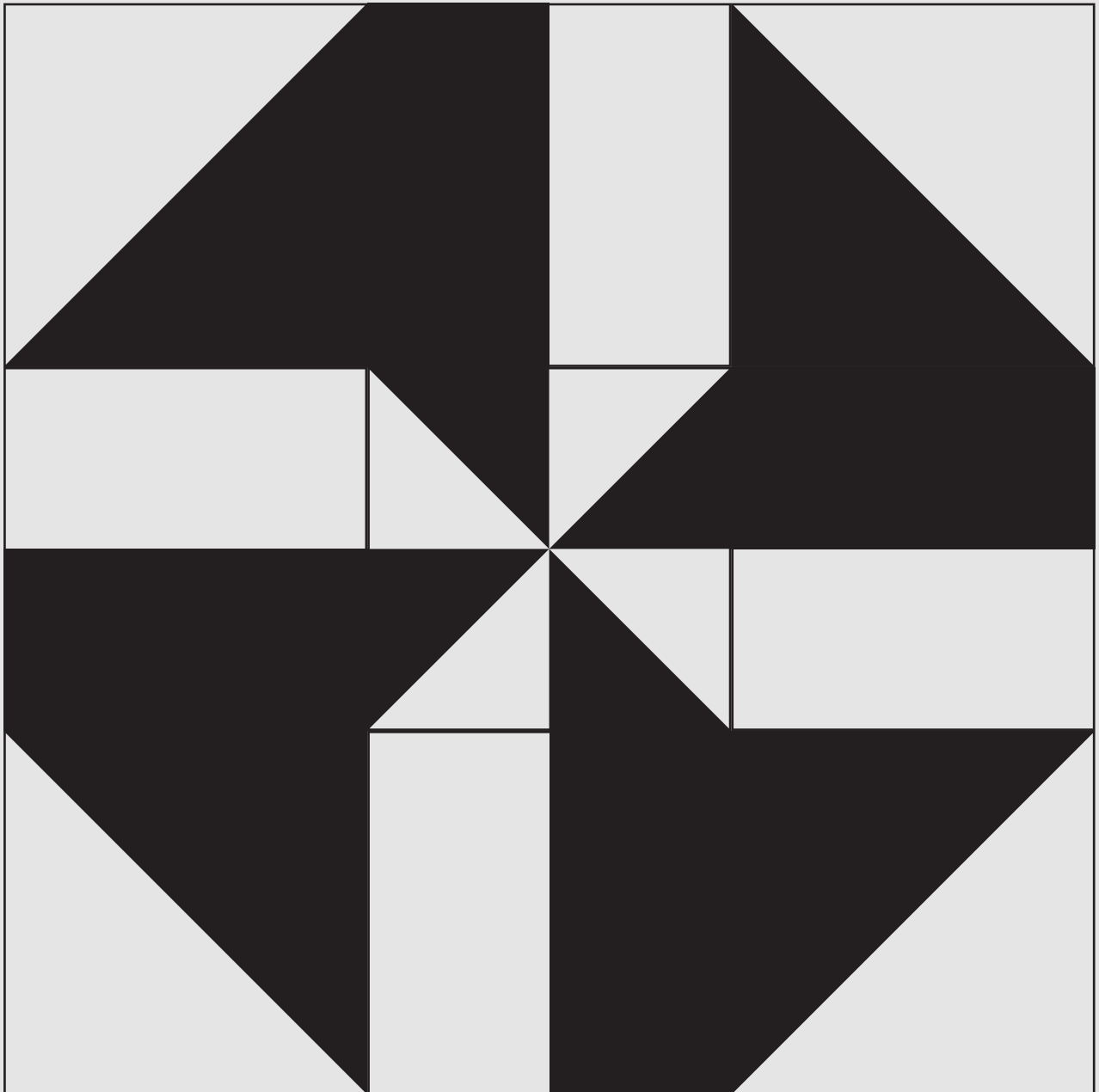


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## Block 8



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Background cut 1 - 10" Square

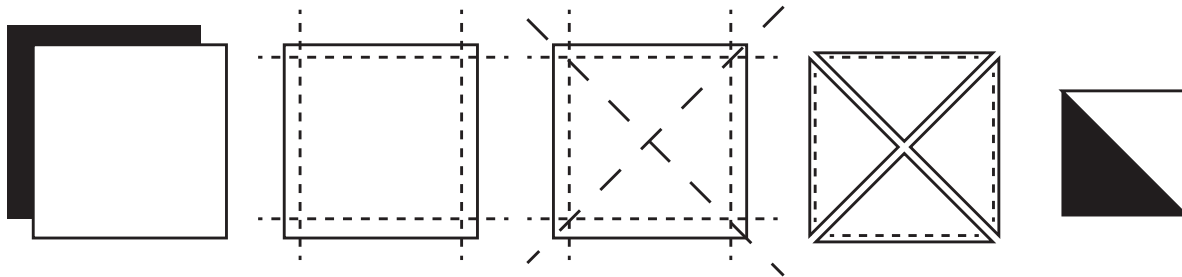
Block color cut 1 - 10" Square

Block border cut 2 - 1 1/2" x 11" and 2 - 1 1/2" x 13" rectangles.

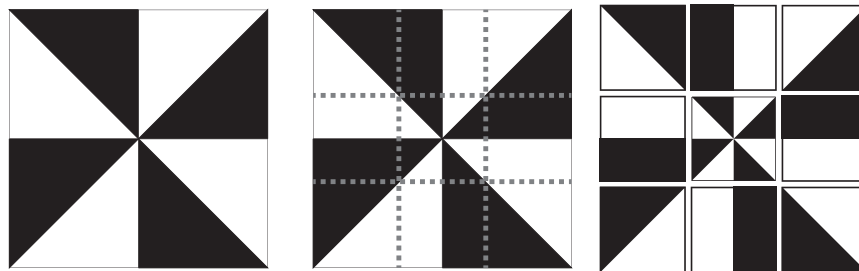
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## Directions:

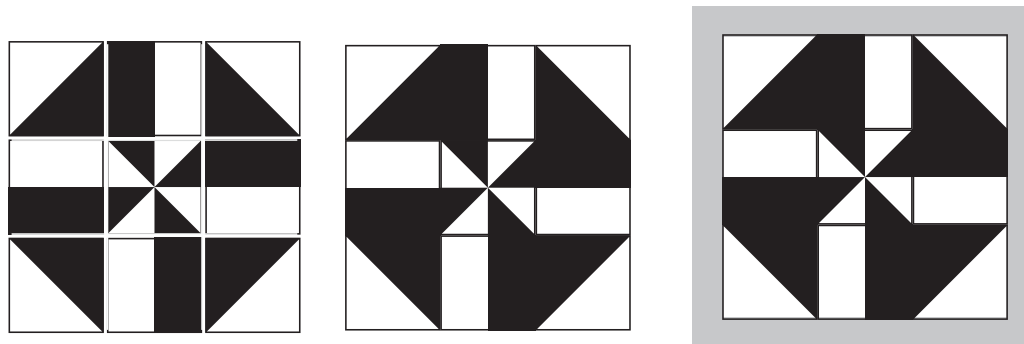
Press your 10" squares nice and flat, I would use starch when pressing as you will be cutting these on the bias and that will help with stretching. Once they are pressed place them with right sides together and sew all the way around the outside of your squares with 1/4" seam. Then cut diagonally twice, Open and press to the dark, you will have 4 half square triangles, when pressing don't push your iron set it and pick it up to press another area to keep from stretching your fabric.



Take your four half square triangles and sew together to make a pinwheel as shown, then press. Trim your block down to a 12" square. Next you are going to cut your block in 3rd's - for this block you will be cutting it into 4" sections. Place your ruler on your center seam and cut 2" on each side of the center seam, both vertically and horizontally. When you are finished cutting you will have 9 sections.



Rearrange your blocks as shown to create a new block, sew together and trim to a 11" block. Then add 1 1/2" x 11" border to each side and then sew the 1 1/2" x 13" to top and bottom, trim block to a 12 1/2" square being careful to have the same amount of border on each side of your block.



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