

# Block 1: Whirligig - Kansas Troubles Quilters, Lynne Hagmeier, Designer

Use (2) light, (1) dark, and (1) medium fabrics. Fabrics are listed in order of use.

#### **KT Layered Patchwork**

- A (6) squares, 2" x 2" □ (LIGHT #1)
- B (4) rectangles, 2" x 3 ½" (DARK)
- C (4) rectangles, 2" x 3 ½" (MEDIUM)
- D (2) squares, 2" x 2" \( \square \) (LIGHT #2)
- $\square$  = cut once diagonally from corner to corner

### Assembly

- 1. Layer (2) A triangles on (1) B rectangle with right sides up and aligning corners; glue in place. Topstitch 1/8" from bias edge of
- triangles with coordinating cotton thread. Make (4) Unit #1.
- 2. Layer (1) A triangle and (1) D triangle on (1) C rectangle with right sides up and aligning corners; glue in place. Topstitch 1/8" from bias edge of triangles with coordinating cotton thread. Make (4) Unit #2.



Unit #1



Unit #2

#### **Traditional Piecing Option**

- A (12) squares, 2" x 2" (LIGHT)
- B (4) rectangles, 2" x 3 ½" (DARK)
- C (4) rectangles, 2" x 3 ½" (MEDIUM)
- D (4) squares, 2" x 2" (LIGHT)

#### Assembly

1. Layer (1) A square on one end of (1) B rectangle; pin in place. Stitch diagonally across A square. Trim corner to a ¼" seam allowance and press toward B. Repeat for opposite end of B, as shown. Make (4) Unit #1.







2. Layer (1) A square on one end of (1) C rectangle; pin in place. Stitch diagonally across A square. Trim corner to a ¼" seam allowance and press toward C. Repeat for opposite end of C with a D square, as shown. Make (4) Unit #2.





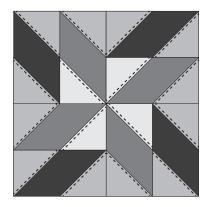


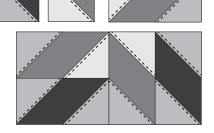
Unit #2

## 3. For Layered Patchwork & Traditional Piecing, sew Unit #1 and Unit #2 together; press toward Unit #1. Make (4) pieced units.

Lay out pieced units, as shown. Sew into rows; press rows in opposite directions. Sew rows together (press seam open), to create the Whirligig block measuring 6 ½" square.

NOTE: Block piecing and finished block images show topstitching for KT Layered Patchwork.





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