

Piece By Piece Quilters Block of the Month for April, 2019

Churn Dash - 9 1/2 inch (9 inch finished size)

Use the colors of Spring wild flowers - yellow and purple, and our beautiful green hills.



Materials

Center square: a medium-light tone blender or solid. One 3 1/2" square.

Main color: a medium-dark tone floral or print. Two 4" squares and one strip 14" x 2".

Background: Light spring color - cream or pale yellow, purple or green. Two 4" squares and one strip 14" x 2".

Instructions

1. Sides: Make four bar units
 1. Sew together the two 14" main color and background strips and press.
 2. Cut the strip set into four 3 1/2' x 3 1/2" squares.
2. Corners: Make four Half Square Triangles
 1. Draw a diagonal line on the backs of the two background color 4" squares.
 2. Put the background color squares face to face with the main color squares.
 3. Sew 1/4" lines on each side of the drawn diagonal line and then cut on the diagonal line to form four half square triangle units. Trim the units to a perfect 3 1/2" square.
3. Sew together the nine units as illustrated in the sample.
4. Your completed block should measure 9 1/2" square.

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