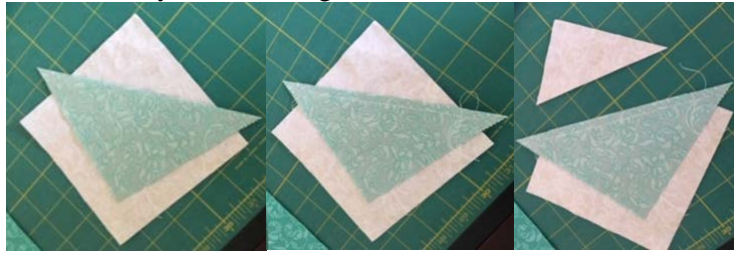


WONKY STAR TUTORIAL (based on the Swim Bike Quilt [tutorial](#))¹

This block will be 14" square unfinished. Use a quarter-inch seam.

Instructions:

1. Lay one triangle right side down across a background square at an angle, so that it will cover the corner of the background square after it has been sewn and pressed. Sew down and then trim away excess background fabric.



2. Press the seam toward the darker fabric. Trim to 5" using the background square as a guide. Add a second triangle to make the other point. Make sure the triangles overlap above the seam allowance.



3. Sew, trim, press, and trim again. You should now have a 5" square with two overlapping triangles that will make two points of your star. On the far right is a picture of using a ruler to square it up.



4. Repeat to make three more pieced units. Arrange the star points around the center square in a cross shape, with points radiating outward. Put a light square in each corner.



Requirements

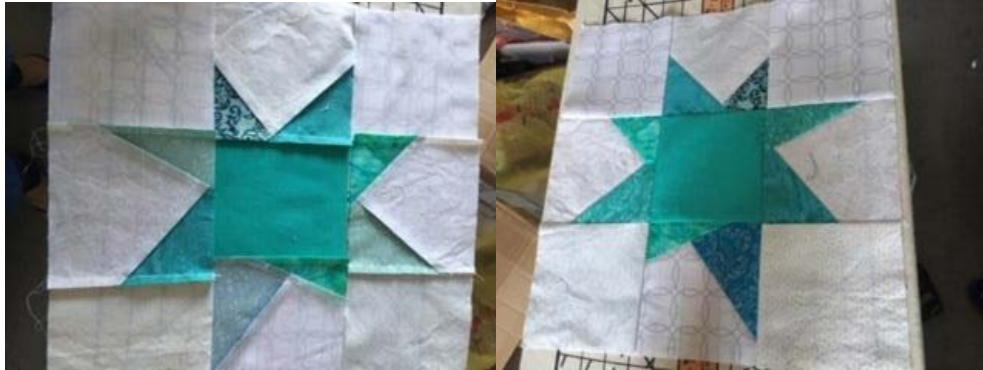
- Eight 5" background squares
- One 5" square for the star center
- Four to eight 5" squares (sliced in half diagonally) or eight large triangles for star points

Colors

- Background: White, white on white, cream, very low volume
- Star: Bright fabrics (each star should read as one color)

¹ <http://swimbikequilt.com/2016/05/wonky-star-tutorial-star-wars-galaxy-quilt-tutorials.html>

5. Sew together in rows or columns. Press seams away from the points, toward the squares without points, so that the rows or columns nest when you sew them together. Here's a view from the back (left) and the finished block (right).



Note: If you do not use a rotary cutter, create a 5" template from transparent material or use a transparent ruler that is 5" or larger. When squaring up the star points, use your template or the ruler to trace a 5" square with the background square as your guide and then cut along the lines. Follow all other steps as instructed above.