Sewing Notions

PINCUSHION A series of pincushions in 12 colors representing the months.



"PINCUSHION" received Encouragement Prize of the 16th HIROSHIMA GOOD DESIGN



Cherry wood base

As the material for the pincushion base, we have selected gentle-looking cherry wood from various kinds of wood. Giving importance to maintaining a texture and appearance unique to the natural material, we have designed the base to be comfortable to the touch and provide steadiness for your needlework.

Cloth and padding

Placing the highest priority on having needles smoothly go into the pincushion, we have selected thick, high-quality cotton sheeting as cloth for the pincushion. With a very smooth and soft texture, the cloth helps you smoothly insert needles into the pincushion. We have also carefully selected the padding material to prevent your needles from rusting even during long-term use. All materials are produced in Japan.

Cellulose-Head Pins

The Cellulose-Head Pins that are included in this package are TULIP NEEDLES. The founder of Tulip, Atushi Harada, used cellulose to create the pins head so that each child's name could be written on the head of every pin. It is with this in mind that each pin is treated preciously in home economics classes in primary schools. Even today, TULIP NEEDLES are used in the sewing sets of primary schools all across Japan.

January



THP-001e

UPC: 846550016401 ART. NO.: THP-001e

ART. NAME: PINCUSHION Akabeni

Package size: 65mm×82mm×64mm

Net weight: 56g

SET CONTAINS: PINCUSHION 1pc.,

Cellulose-Head Pins Tulip Thin 1pc.

Mutsuki (January) in Japan is a time when everyone becomes excited by the beginning of a new year. Akabeni (vermilion), a red variety believed as a color that can avert evil, is as brilliant as the sunrise on New Year's Day, and makes you feel a sense of vitality.

February



THP-002e

UPC: 846550016418 ART. NO.: THP-002e

ART. NAME: PINCUSHION Shinonome-iro

Package size: 65mm×82mm×64mm

Net weight: 56g

SET CONTAINS: PINCUSHION 1pc.,

Cellulose-Head Pins Tulip Thin 1pc.

Kisaragi (February) in Japan is a time when the sunlight amid the cold weather provides a sign of the spring just around the corner.

Shinonome-iro (the color of dawn), the color of a lightening sky at dawn, enhances the joy of early

March



THP-003e

UPC: 846550016425 ART. NO.: THP-003e

ART. NAME: PINCUSHION Moegi-iro

Package size: 65mm×82mm×64mm

Net weight: 56g

SET CONTAINS: PINCUSHION 1pc.,

Cellulose-Head Pins Tulip Thin 1pc.

Yayoi (March) in Japan is a time when all trees and

grasses start to sprout.

Moegi-iro (the color of yellowish, young greenery) reminds you of growing young leaves in early spring, and makes you feel enlivened and excited.

April



THP-004e

UPC: 846550016432 ART. NO.: THP-004e

ART. NAME: PINCUSHION Nanohana-iro

Package size: 65mm×82mm×64mm

Net weight: 56g

SET CONTAINS: PINCUSHION 1pc.,

Cellulose-Head Pins Tulip Thin 1pc.

Uzuki (April) in Japan is a time when everyone is filled with the joy of spring at its peak.

Nanohana-iro (the color of rape blossoms), which dyes the spring scenery a bright yellow, is a color indispensable to the Japanese, together with the color of cherry blossoms.

May



THP-005e

UPC: 846550016449 ART. NO.: THP-005e

ART. NAME: PINCUSHION Sora-iro

Package size: 65mm×82mm×64mm

Net weight: 56g

SET CONTAINS: PINCUSHION 1pc., Cellulose-Head Pins Tulip Thin 1pc.

Satsuki (May) in Japan is a time when everyone begins feeling refreshed and comfortable. Sora-iro (the color of the sky) reminds you of a clear sky early in summer, and makes you feel cheerful and refreshed.

June



THP-006e

UPC: 846550016456 ART. NO.: THP-006e

ART. NAME: PINCUSHION Unohana-iro

Package size: 65mm×82mm×64mm

Net weight: 56g

SET CONTAINS: PINCUSHION 1pc., Cellulose-Head Pins Tulip Thin 1pc.

Minazuki (June) is a time when the rainy season begins in Japan.

Unohana-iro, named after the beautiful white deutzia flower (unohana), purges you of any dull feelings in the gray season.

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THP-007e

UPC: 846550016463 ART. NO.: THP-007e

ART. NAME: PINCUSHION Ruri-iro

Package size: 65mm×82mm×64mm

Net weight: 56g

SET CONTAINS: PINCUSHION 1pc.,

Cellulose-Head Pins Tulip Thin 1pc.

Fumizuki (July) is the time when summer begins in

Ruri-iro, the bright blue color of lapis lazuli, reminds you of the deep blue color of the ocean and sky, which look more transparent in the summer sunlight.

August



THP-008e

UPC: 846550016470

ART. NO.: THP-008e ART. NAME: PINCUSHION Akane-iro

Package size: 65mm×82mm×64mm

Net weight: 56g

SET CONTAINS: PINCUSHION 1pc.,

Cellulose-Head Pins Tulip Thin 1pc.

Hazuki (August) in Japan is a time when nature is

filled with vitality in summer.

Akane-iro (madder, or deep red), deemed as one of the oldest dved colors in the history of humanity. reminds you of the magnificent evening glow in the summer sky.

September



THP-009e

UPC: 846550016487 ART. NO.: THP-009e

ART. NAME: PINCUSHION Aokuchiba

Package size: 65mm×82mm×64mm

Net weight: 56g

SET CONTAINS: PINCUSHION 1pc., Cellulose-Head Pins Tulip Thin 1pc.

Nagatsuki (September) in Japan is a time when everyone begins feeling increasing signs of fall day

Aokuchiba, the color of green leaves that have started to wilt, makes you feel the change of nature from summer to fall

October



THP-010e

UPC: 846550016494 ART. NO.: THP-010e

ART. NAME: PINCUSHION Kuri-iro

Package size: 65mm×82mm×64mm

Net weight: 56g

SET CONTAINS: PINCUSHION 1pc., Cellulose-Head Pins Tulip Thin 1pc.

Kannazuki (October) in Japan is a time of bountiful

Kuri-iro, the color of glossy, ripe burred chestnuts, was loved by people in the Edo period, when brown was in vogue.

November



THP-011e

UPC: 846550016500 ART. NO.: THP-011e

ART. NAME: PINCUSHION Usuzumi-iro

Package size: 65mm×82mm×64mm

Net weight: 56g

SET CONTAINS: PINCUSHION 1pc., Cellulose-Head Pins Tulip Thin 1pc. Shimotsuki (November) in Japan is a time of the

Usuzumi-iro, the subtle color of thinned India ink, reminds you of winter scenery like an India-ink drawing.

December



THP-012e

UPC: 846550016517 ART. NO.: THP-012e

ART. NAME: PINCUSHION Ginhakushoku

Package size: 65mm×82mm×64mm

Net weight: 56g

SET CONTAINS: PINCUSHION 1pc.,

Cellulose-Head Pins Tulip Thin 1pc.

Shiwasu (December) in Japan is a time when everyone reflects on the year that passed and the

Ginhaku-shoku (silvery white), like the color of a shining snowfield, makes you feel a sign of new beginnings and hope for the future.