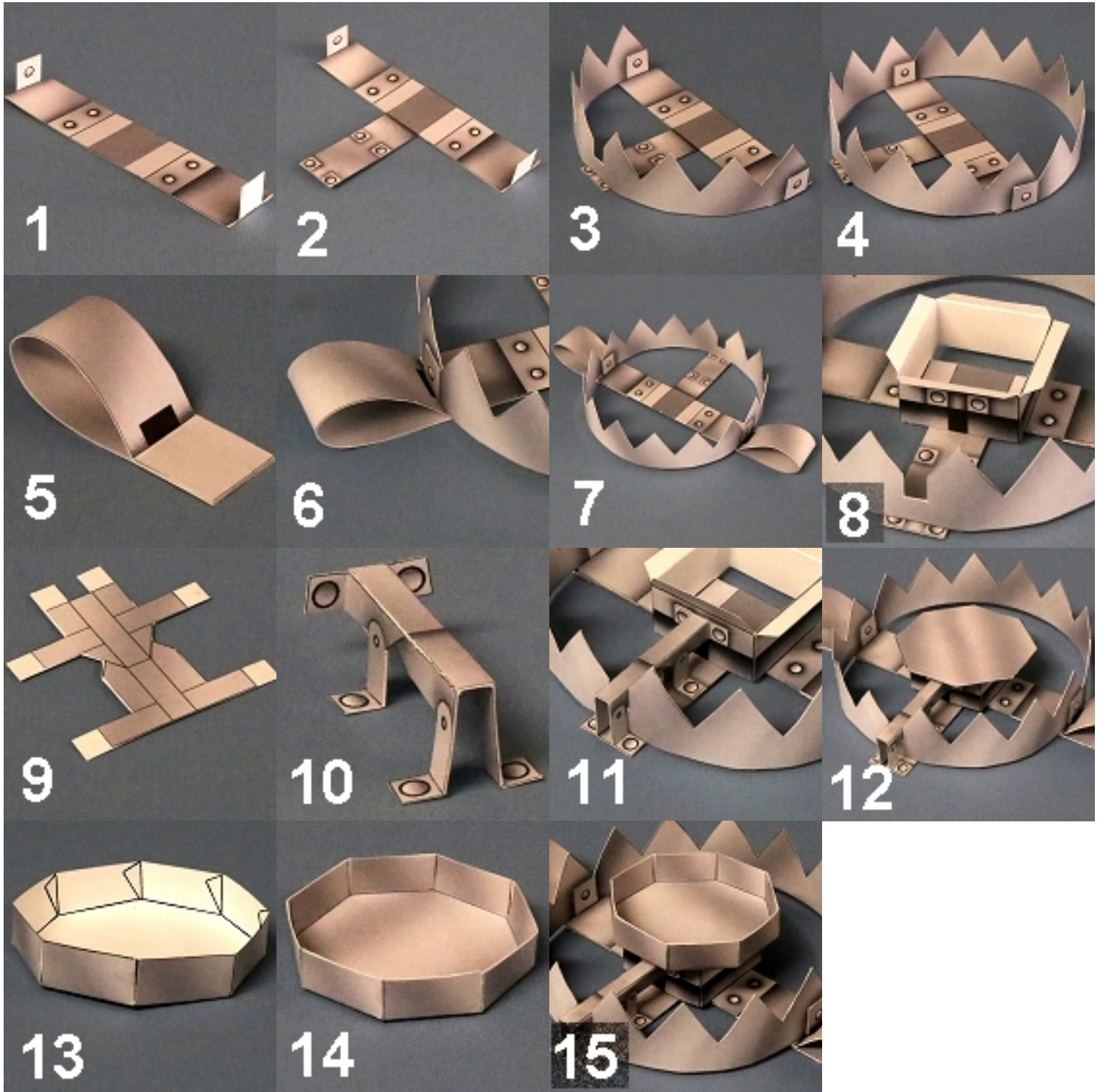


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WHAT YOU'LL NEED: Scissors, glue (or a glue stick), and a ruler.

FOLDING TIP: It's helpful to 'score' the fold lines before folding. You can use an old ink pen, a knitting needle, the end of a paper clip, or any metal object that will crease the paper without tearing it. (I use a pointy little tool from a manicure kit.) Scoring will help you fold much more quickly and precisely.

ASSEMBLY:

Cut out the CENTER BEAM on Parts Page 1. Fold the two end tabs UPWARD and then fold DOWNWARD along the center line and glue the two sides together, as shown in Figure 1.

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Cut out the TRIGGER BEAM on Parts Page 1. Fold DOWNWARD along the center line and glue the two sides together. Then glue the dark gray area directly over the matching area on the CENTER BEAM, as shown in Figure 2.

Cut out the INNER RING on Parts Page 1. Fold DOWNWARD along the center line and glue the two sides together. Gently curve the piece and then glue the INNER RING to the unprinted side of the two CENTER BEAM tabs, being sure the INNER RING is on the same side as the TRIGGER BEAM, as shown in Figure 3.

Cut out the OUTER RING on Parts Page 1. Fold DOWNWARD along the center line and glue the two sides together. Gently curve the piece and then glue the riveted OUTER RING tabs to the matching INNER RING tabs, as shown in Figure 4.

Cut out a SPRING from Parts Page 2. Fold DOWNWARD along the center line and glue the two sides together. Fold the blank gray tab UPWARD. Then gently curve the SPRING and glue the tab to the opposite end as shown in Figure 5.

Place the gray SPRING tab under the CENTER BEAM, as shown in Figure 6, and glue the SPRING to the CENTER BEAM.

Cut out the remaining SPRING on Parts Page 2, assemble in the same manner as before, and attach to the opposite side of the CENTER BEAM as shown in Figure 7.

Cut out the SPRING BOX on Parts Page 2. Fold the four upper metal tabs and the two bottom tabs (with rivets) UPWARD. Then fold the blank gray panel DOWNWARD and fold DOWNWARD between all four side panels. Glue the gray panel to the unprinted side of the opposite panel.

Place the SPRING BOX onto the CENTER BEAM, being sure the black notch on the SPRING BOX is facing towards the TRIGGER BEAM as shown in Figure 8. Glue the two bottom tabs to the matching areas on the CENTER BEAM.

Cut out the TRIGGER and TRIGGER LINER on Parts Page 2. Glue the TRIGGER LINER to the unprinted side of the TRIGGER as shown in Figure 9. Let the glue dry and then trim as needed. Turn the piece so the TRIGGER (with rivets) is facing up. Fold the six tabs with large rivets UPWARD. Then fold DOWNWARD in either side of the center panel to form a piece like the one shown in Figure 10.

Position the TRIGGER onto the TRIGGER BEAM as shown in Figure 11. Glue the six TRIGGER tabs to the matching areas on the SPRING BOX and TRIGGER BEAM.

Now all that's left is to decide if you prefer a flat bait tray or a dish with sides...

For a FLAT PLATE: Cut out the FLAT PLATE on Parts Page 3. Fold DOWNWARD between the two sides and then glue the two sides together. Glue the four upper tabs on the SPRING BOX to the dark gray areas on the bottom of the tray. The finished trap should resemble Figure 12.

For a DISH WITH SIDES: Cut out the DISH on Parts Page 3. Fold the eight black triangular tabs DOWNWARD and then fold the eight rectangular side panels DOWNWARD. Glue each black tab to the unprinted side of the adjacent side panel. The DISH should now resemble Figure 13

Cut out the DISH LINER on Parts Page 3. Fold the eight side panels UPWARD and then glue the DISH LINER to the inside of the DISH as shown in Figure 14. Glue the four upper tabs on the SPRING BOX to the dark gray areas on the bottom of the DISH. The finished trap should resemble Figure 15.

