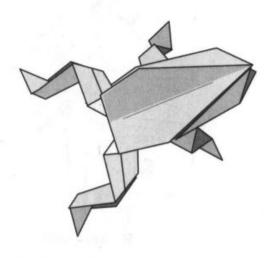
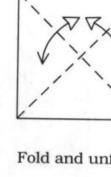
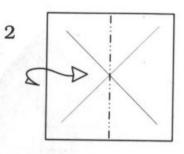
# Frog



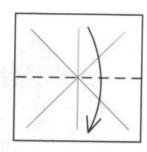
Frogs (order Anura) are found throughout the world. They range in size from half an inch to almost a foot. They feed on insects and other small animals which they catch with their long sticky tongues.

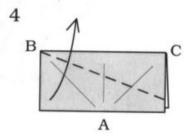


Fold and unfold.

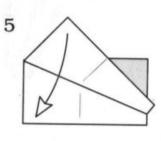


Fold behind and unfold.

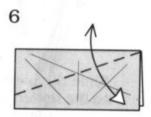




Fold up so that point A lies along line B-C.

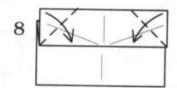


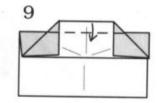
Unfold.



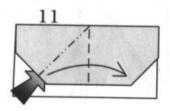
Fold and unfold.



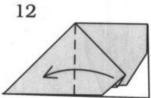


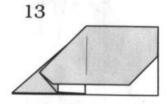


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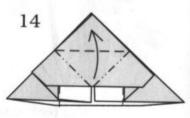


Squash-fold.

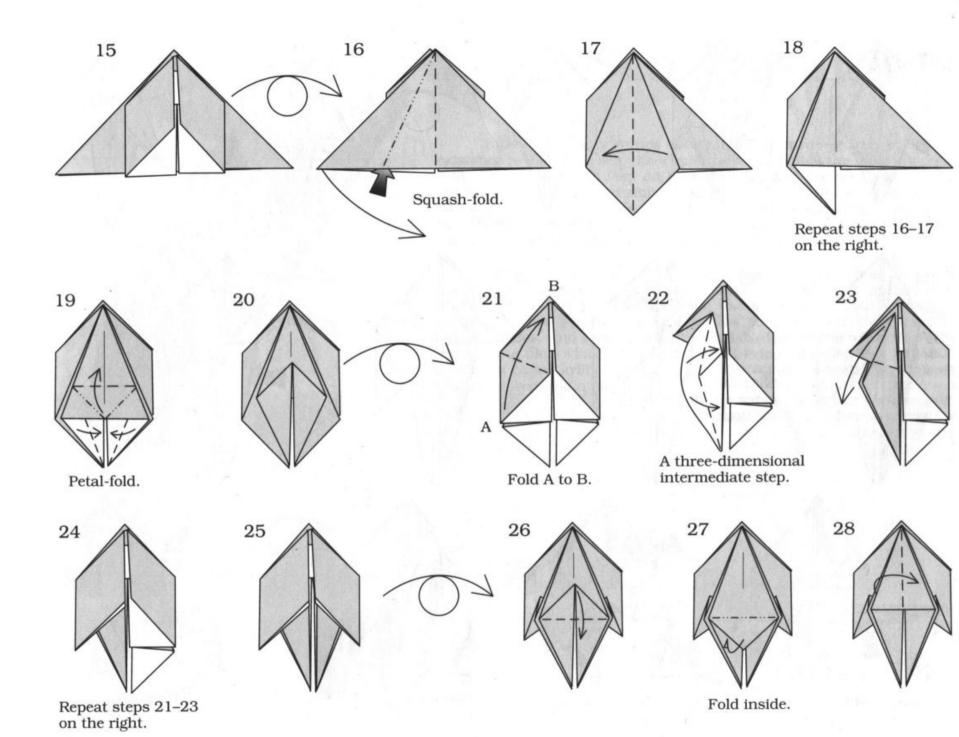




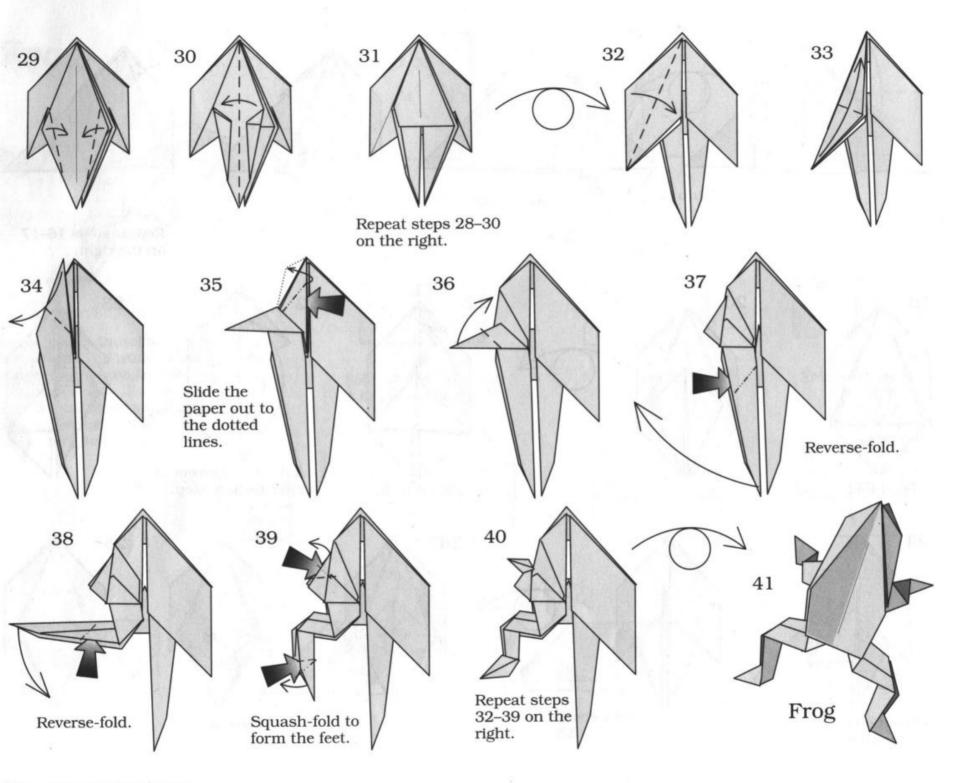
Repeat steps 11-12 on the right.



Petal-fold.

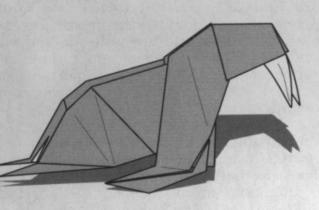


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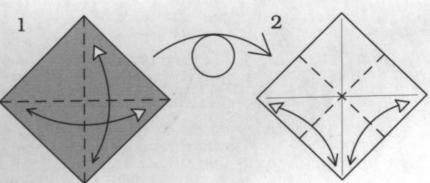


Origami Sea Life

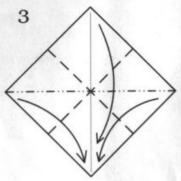
### Walrus



Crease the diagonals. Turn the paper over.

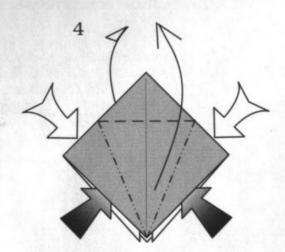


Fold and unfold.

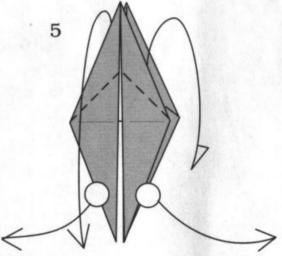


Make a Preliminary Fold.

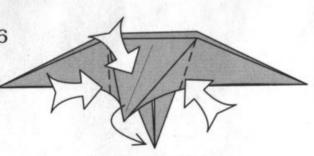
The Walrus (Odobenus rosmarus) is one of the most comical-looking animals in the world. With his oversize tusks and bushy moustache, the male walrus resembles an old sea captain. Although walruses seem very lethargic sprawled on northern beaches and iceflows, they are actually capable of great speed on land as well as in the water. They feed primarily on fish and shellfish and may grow up to 15 feet long.



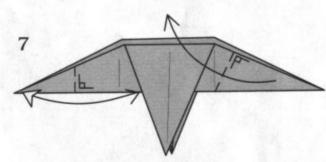
Petal-fold in front and back to make a Bird Base.



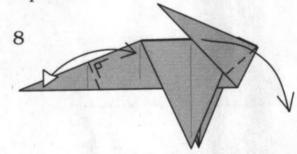
Hold each of the two bottom flaps and pull them out to the sides. Simultaneously, swing the topflap down.



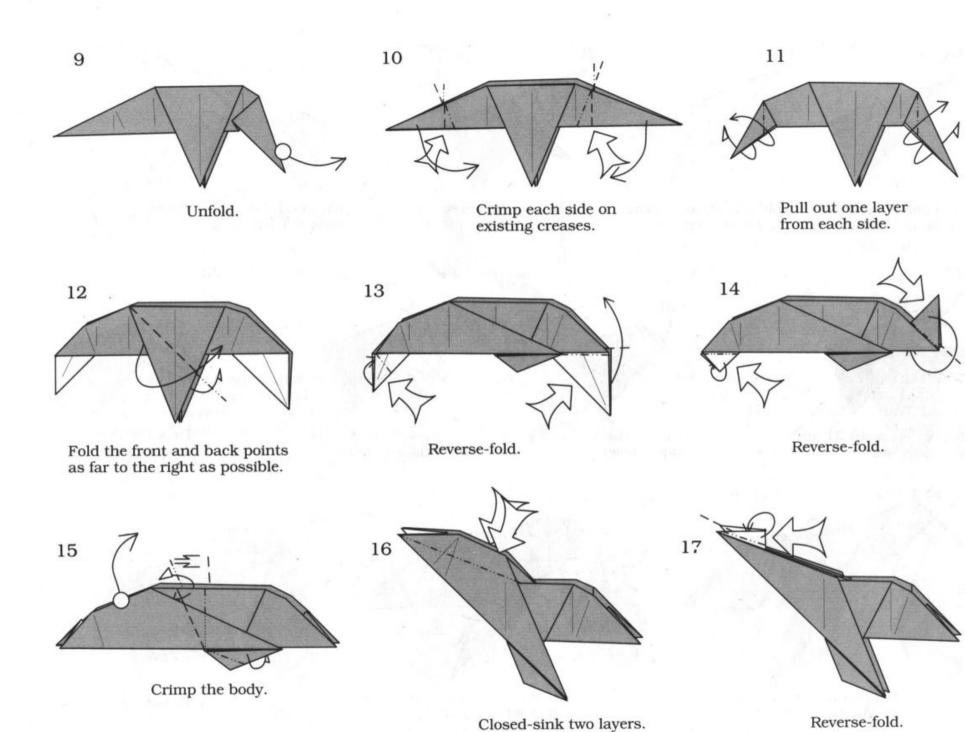
Flatten it out.

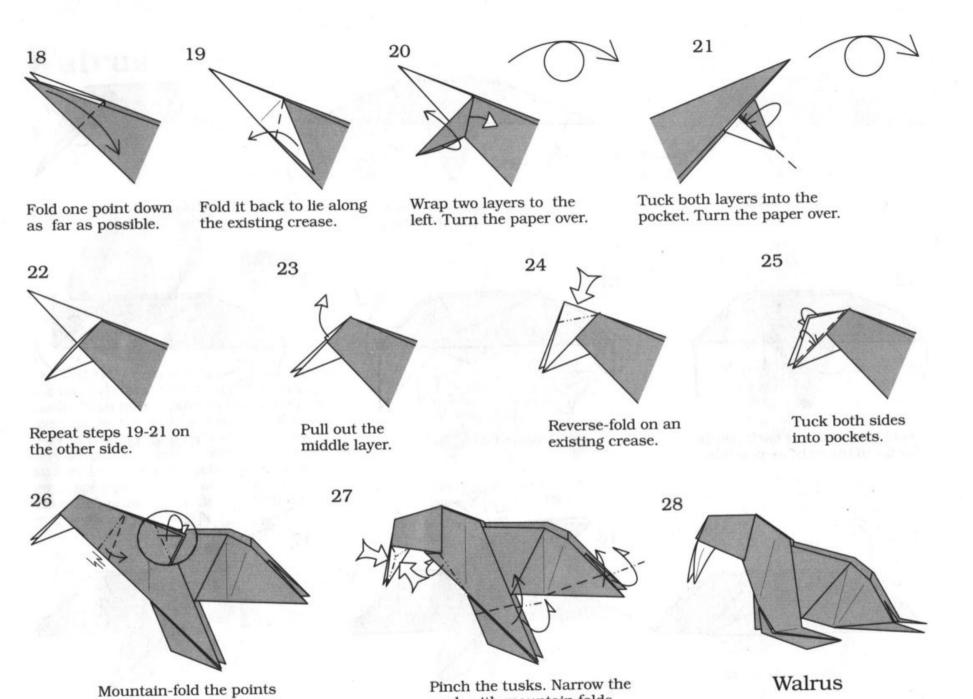


Fold and unfold.



Fold and unfold the left point; fold the right point down.





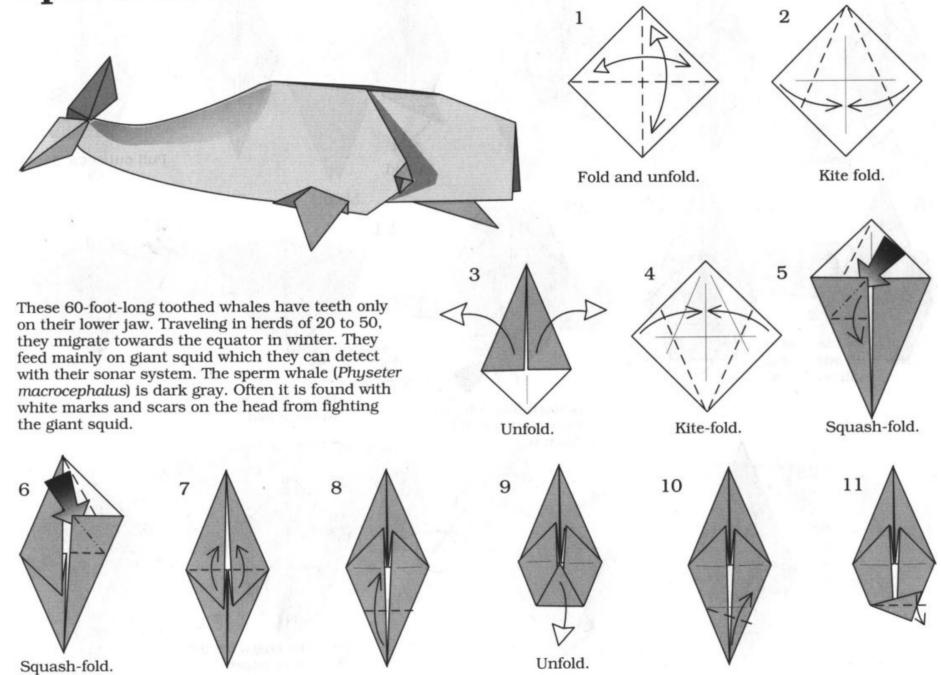
neck with mountain folds.

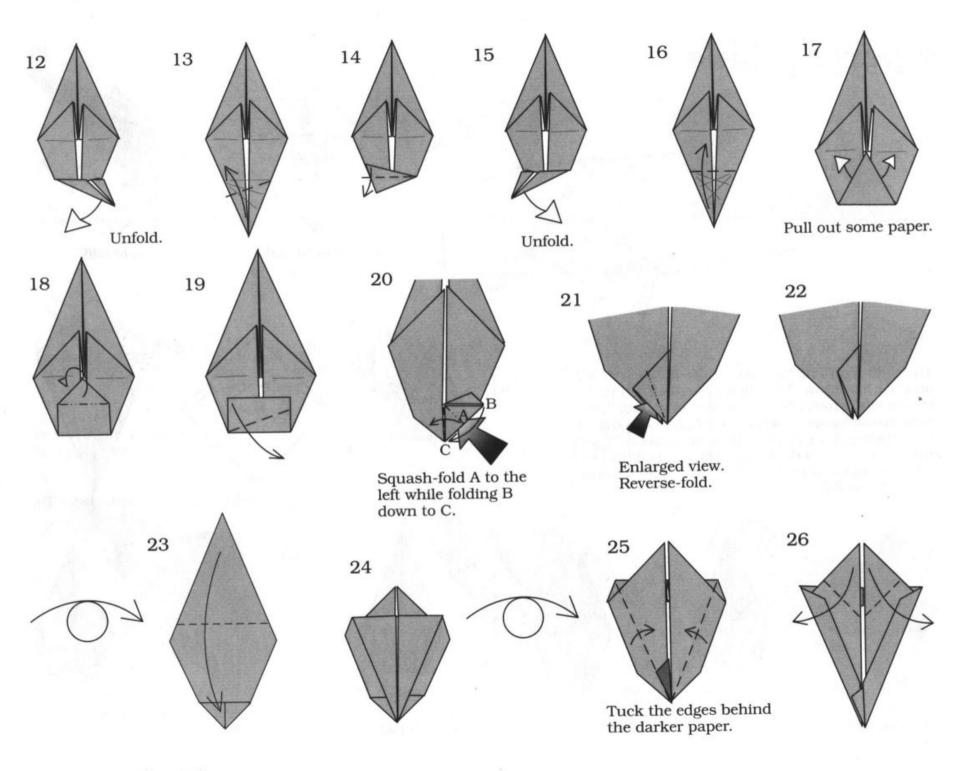
Fold the flippers outwards.

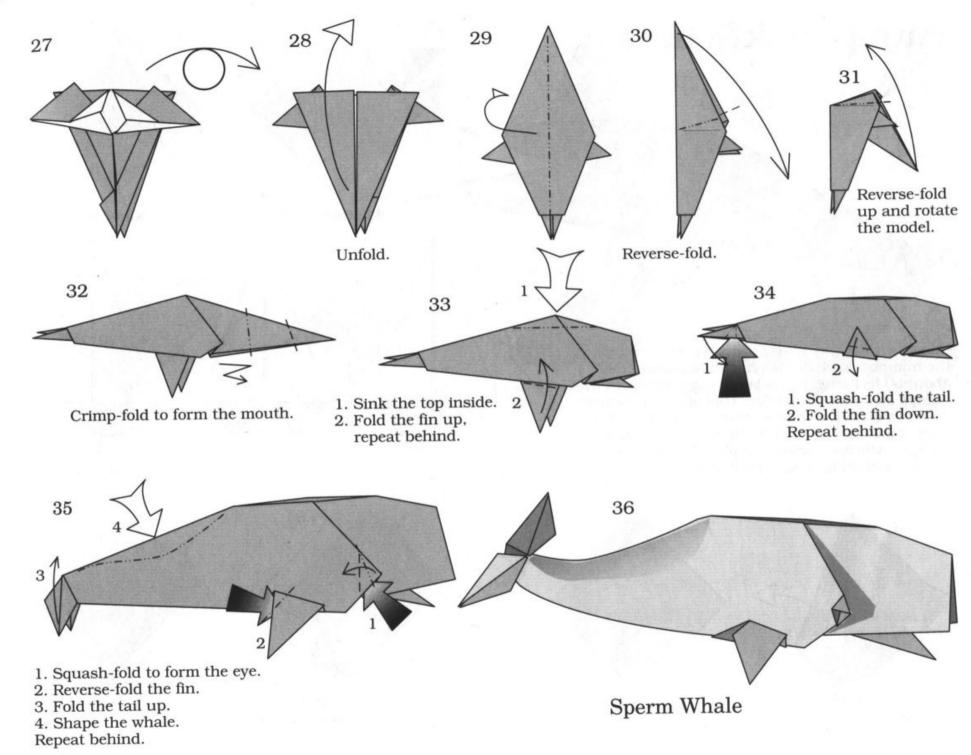
inside the back and

crimp the head down.

### **Sperm Whale**



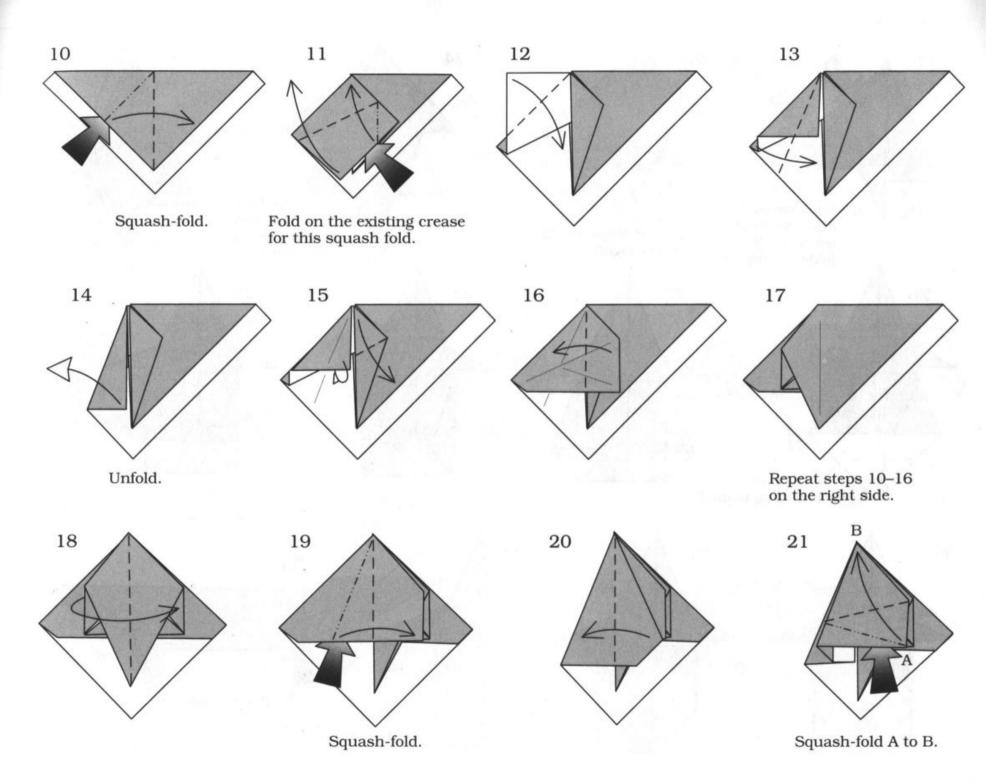


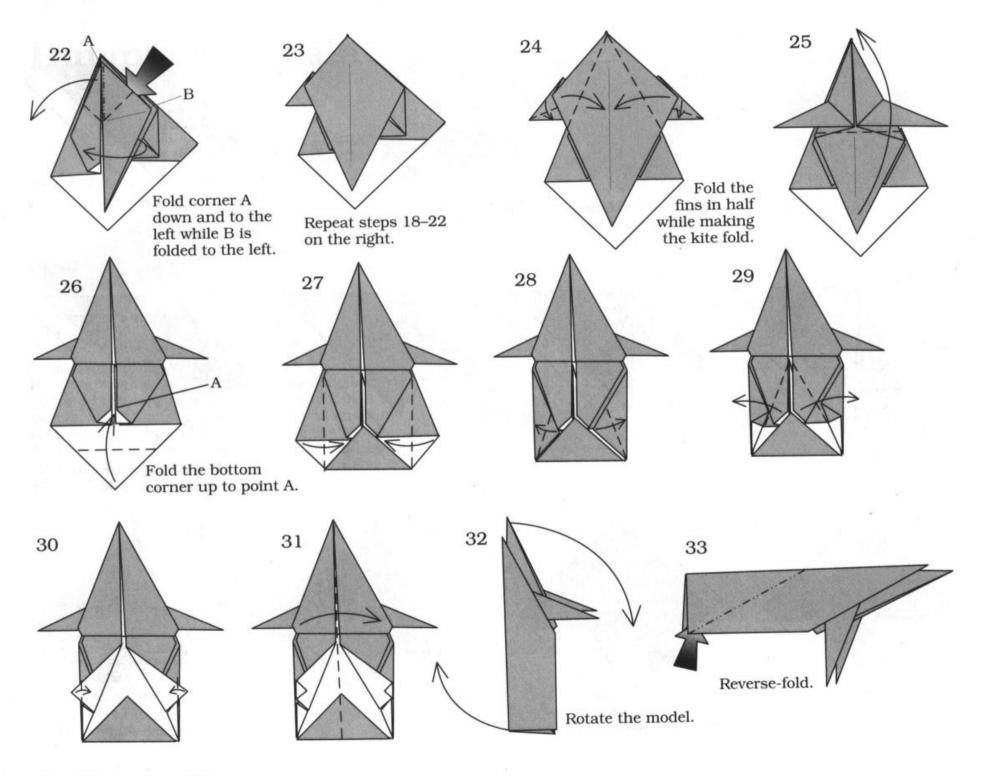


### 2 **Humpback Whale** Kite-fold. Fold and unfold. 5 3 Named for the way it humps its back when it dives, the humpback whale (Megaptera novaeangliae) is about 50 feet long. It has large, ragged flippers with bumps along the front edge. This playful creature does somersaults while leaping out of the water. Humpbacks are famous for their long, haunting "songs," which are quite complex. These baleen Fold down. whales feed on krill and small fish. Fold A to B. 6 Unfold the little flap. Fold the top

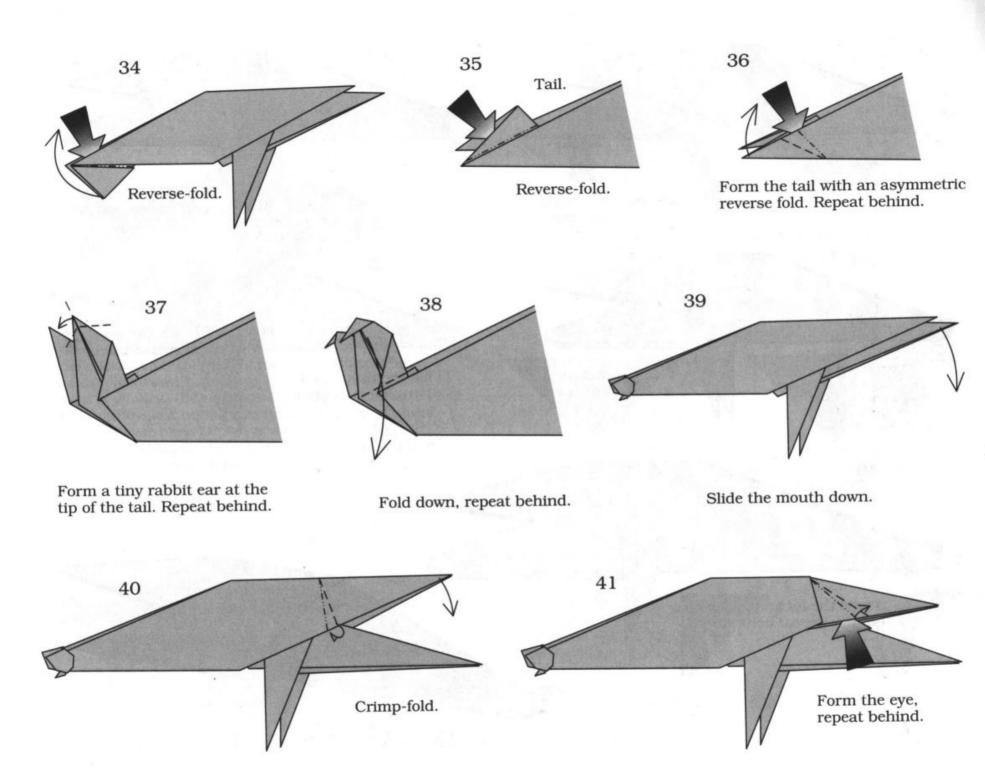
down to point C.

Unfold.

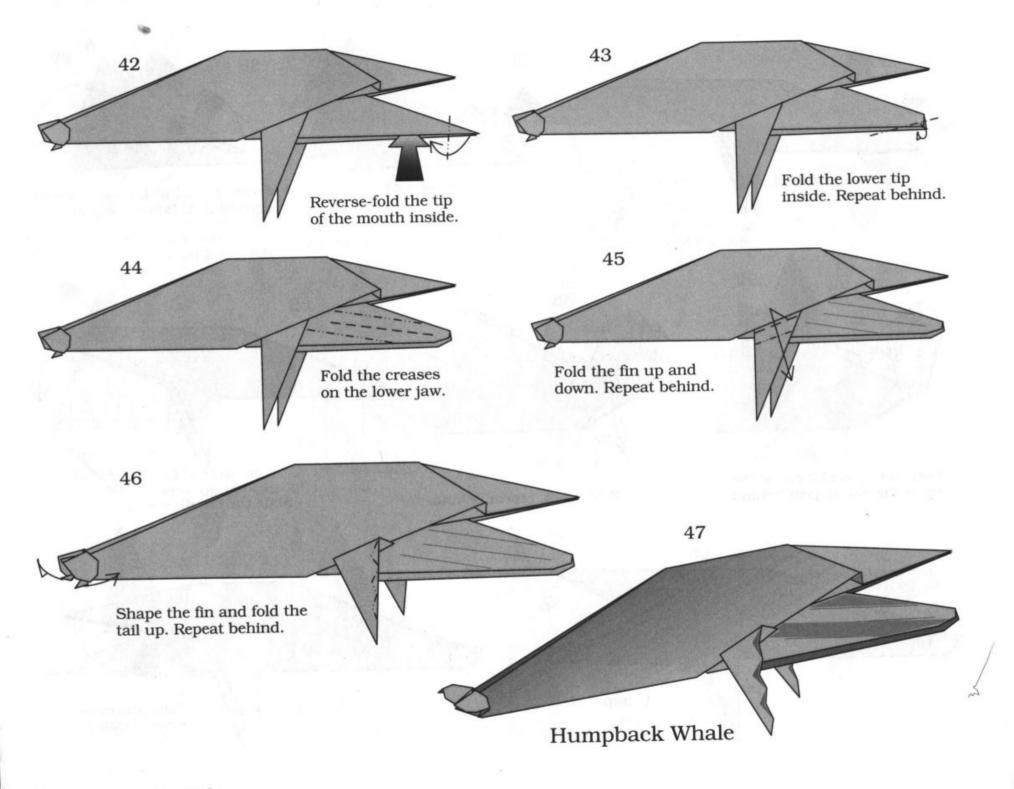




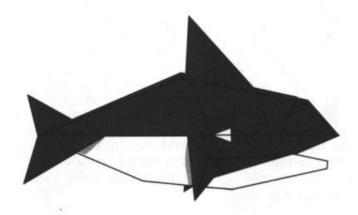
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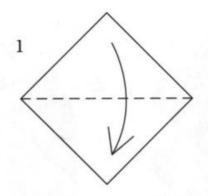
Humpback Whale 47



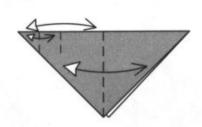
#### Killer Whale



The killer whale (*Orcinis orca*) is not a whale at all, but rather a large dolphin, growing up to 30 feet long. Widely known as "the wolf of the seas," these whales roam in packs and have been known to attack the largest of whales, the blue whale; more commonly, however, they feed on fish, penguins, seals and squid, and have never been known to attack man. They are exceedingly intelligent creatures and are easily trained, and entertain at marine parks worldwide.



Fold the square in half along the diagonal.

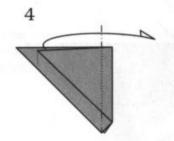


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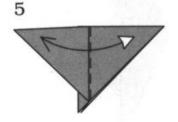
Fold and unfold three times.



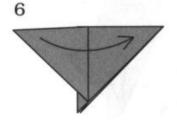
Fold the right corner over to touch the last crease you made.



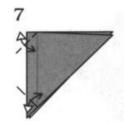
Fold the left corner behind on an existing crease.



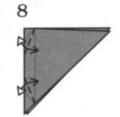
Fold and unfold.



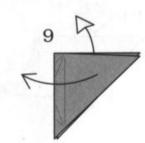
Fold the left corner over to the right.



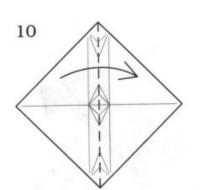
Fold and unfold.



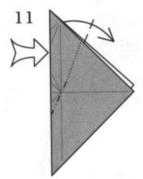
Fold and unfold.



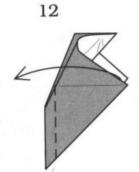
Unfold the paper completely.



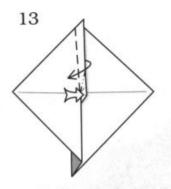
Fold the paper in half.



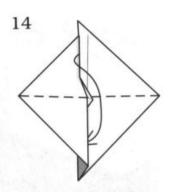
Reverse-fold, using existing creases. Don't make the crease sharp all the way.



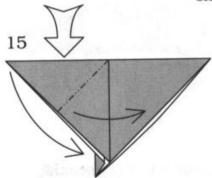
Fold one layer to the left on an existing crease.



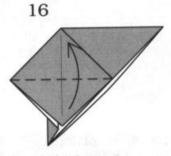
Fold the upper crease to the left, using existing creases to make the zig-zag.



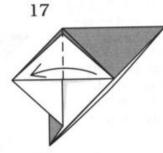
Fold the top half down and tuck the indicated flap into the lower pocket.



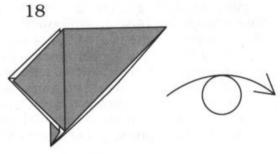
Squash-fold the left flap.



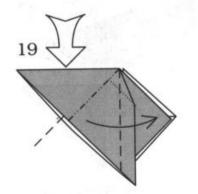
Fold the bottom point up.



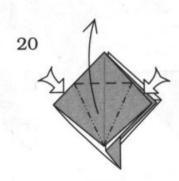
Close up.



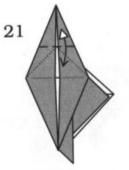
Like this. Turn the paper over.



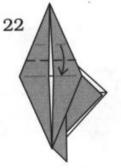
Squash-fold. The dash line shows hidden thickness.



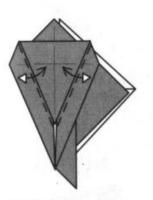
Petal-fold.

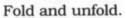


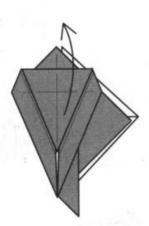
Fold and unfold.



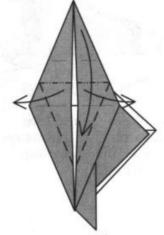
Fold the last crease down to touch the horizontal creases.



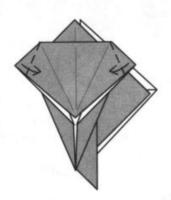




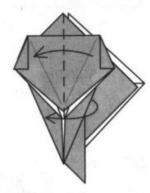
Unfold.



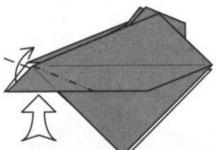
Open out the sides and fold the top down, all on existing creases.



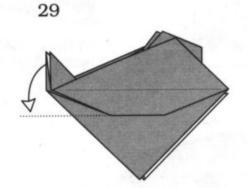
Fold the corners in so that the creases line up with the edges underneath.



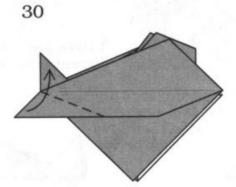
Close the model up.



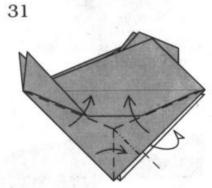
Reverse-fold both corners together as one on existing creases.



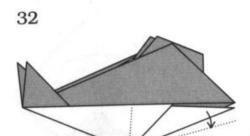
Pull out the inner layer of paper.



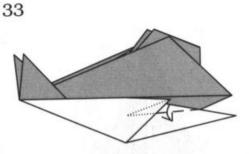
Fold the flap upward to line up with the other flap.



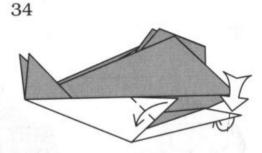
Fold a rabbit ear; repeat behind.



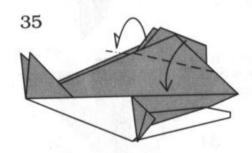
Pull the white point down slightly.



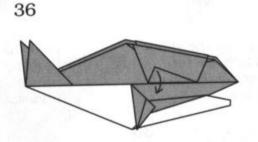
Valley-fold the white layer, forming a reverse fold where it goes under the short flap. Repeat behind.



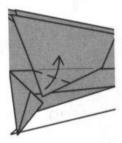
Fold the short flap down; repeat behind. Reverse-fold the tip of the white point.



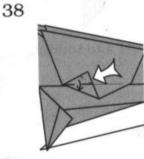
Fold the top flap down; repeat behind.



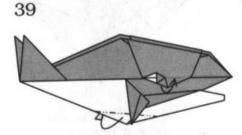
Unfold the corner. Repeat behind.



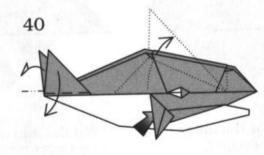
Fold the corner upward. Repeat behind.



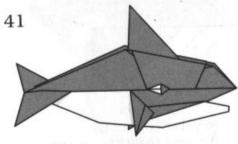
Squash-fold. Repeat behind.



Mountain-fold the belly. Tuck the corner below the white spot under the lower layers, but leave the white spot showing. Repeat behind.

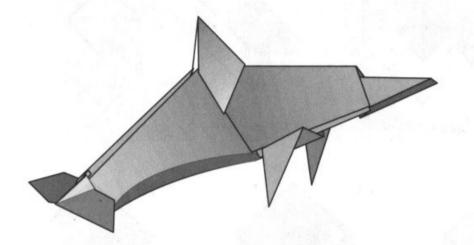


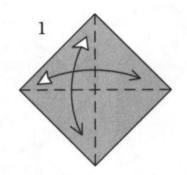
Fold the tail fins down. Open out the pectoral fins. Reverse-fold the dorsal fin up and out from the top of the body.

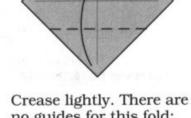


Killer Whale

**Dolphin** 







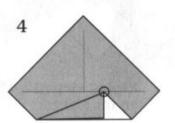
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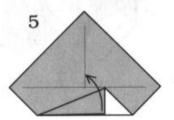
Fold and unfold along the diagonals.

no guides for this fold; in step 4 you will find out if it was correct.

About 8 to 12 feet long, dolphins (family Delphinidae) are small, toothed whales. They are very playful and are often found near ships. They are known for their intelligencedolphins can be taught many tricks-and for their ability to detect small objects with their sonar system. These noisy creatures can communicate by clicking and whistling through their blowholes.

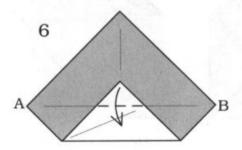




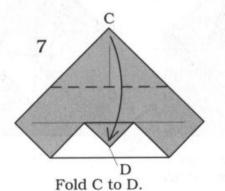


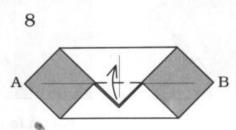
If the lines intersect where the circle is drawn then continue. Otherwise, go back to step 2 with a better guess.

Unfold.

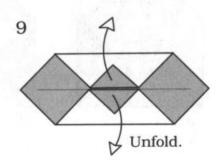


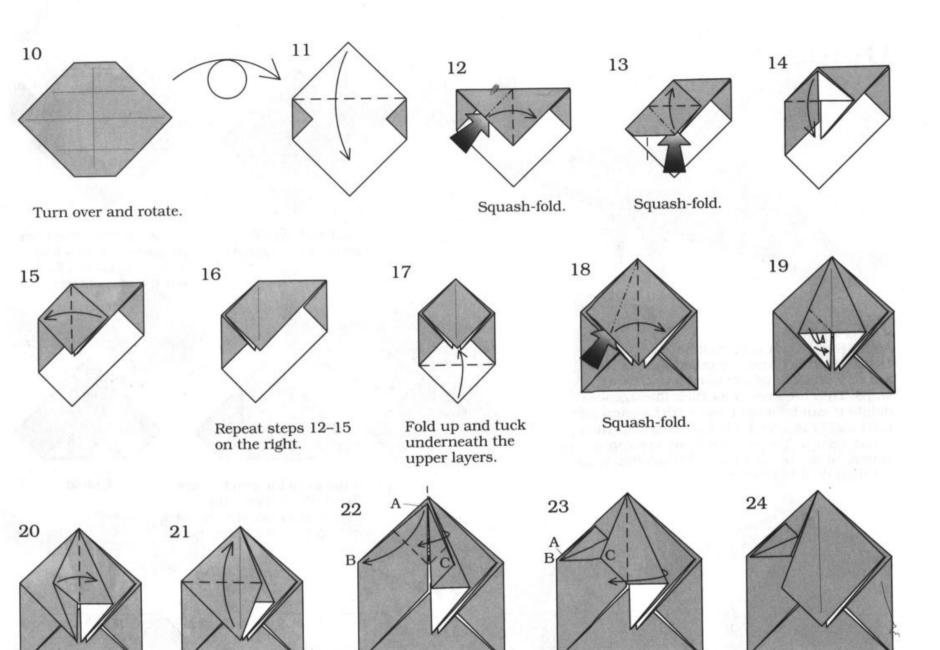
Fold down along line A-B.





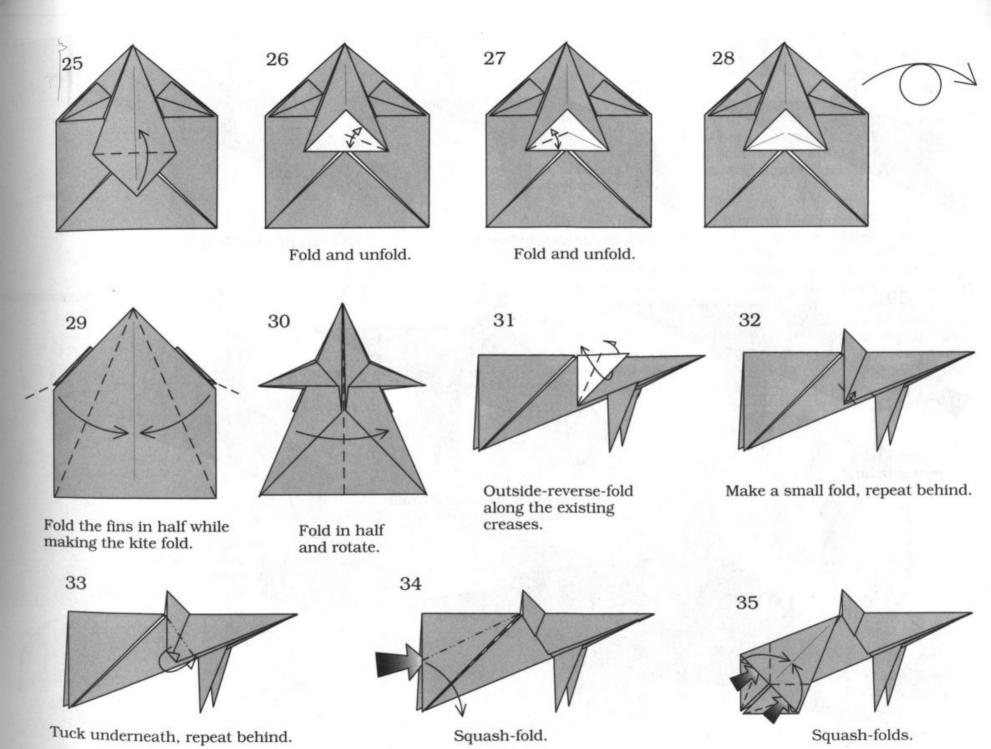
Fold up along line A-B.

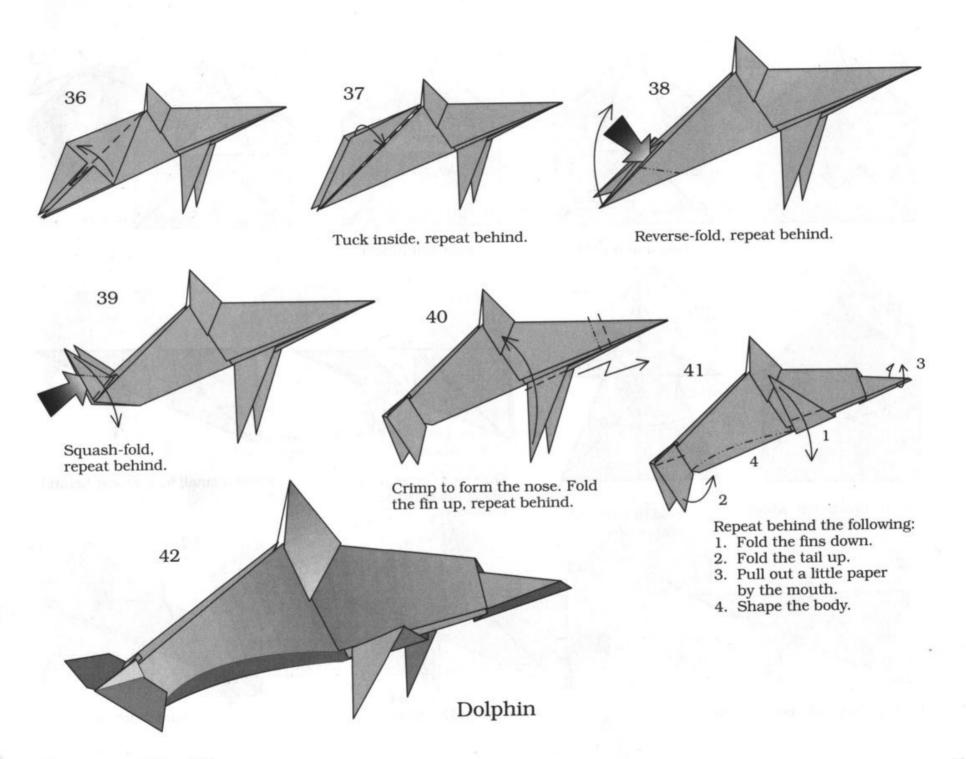




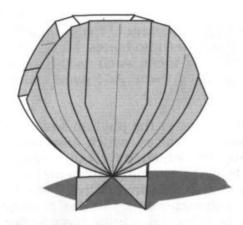
Fold A to B while folding C to the left.

Repeat steps 18–23 on the right.

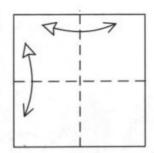




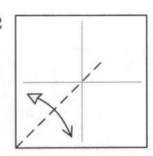
#### **Giant Clam**



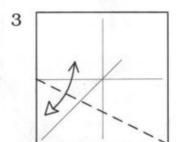
The Giant Clam (*Tridacna derasa*) produces the largest shell of any mollusk, ranging up to six feet across and weighing five hundred pounds. It anchors itself to the sea floor with its gape directed upward and its mantle protruding for maximum exposure to light. It derives its nutrition from symbiotic algae in the mantle tissue, and while it is famous from underwater B-movies in which an unwary diver, stepping into the open maw, becomes trapped and expires, the clam closes at the slightest disturbance in its vicinity, making such a scenario unlikely.



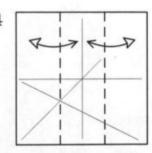
Crease the paper in half vertically and horizontally.



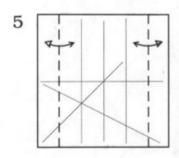
Crease the bottom left corner in half.



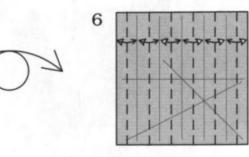
Crease connecting the two points shown.



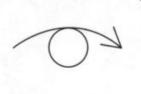
The crease from step 3 crosses the diagonal 1/3 of the way from left to right. Use this mark to divide the paper into thirds.



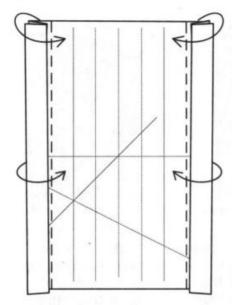
Fold the edges to the creases just made and unfold. Turn the paper over.



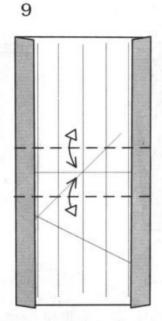
Divide the paper into 12ths with valley folds and turn the paper over.



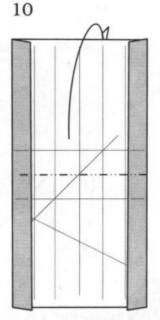
Pleat the sides.



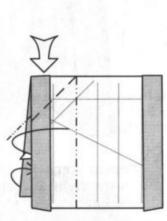
Fold all three layers together as one, on each side.



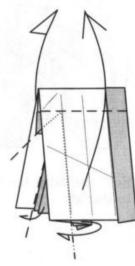
Crease through the intersections of the diagonal and vertical creases.



Mountain-fold the paper in half.

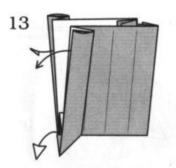


Crimp downward.

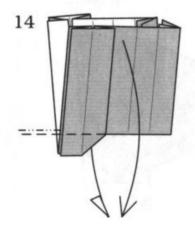


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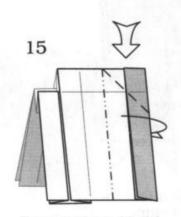
Swing the front and rear flaps upward.



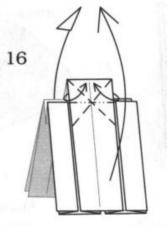
Pull out all of the hidden layers of paper.



Fold the front and rear flaps back downward.

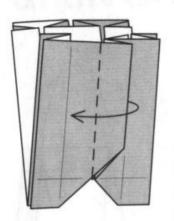


Repeat steps 11-14 on the right.

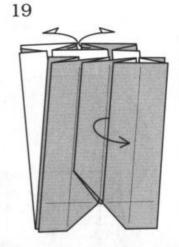


Closed-sink the edge shown to the right.

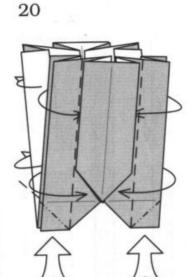
Fold the front and rear flaps back upward, incorporating the creases shown at the top.



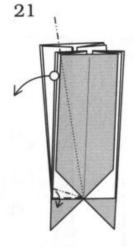
Fold the edge back to the left.



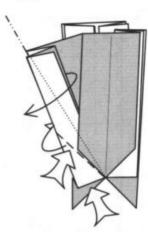
Repeat steps 17–18 on the right and on the back.



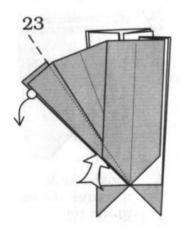
Squash-fold the bottom corners and tuck the layers symmetrically behind the middle edges.



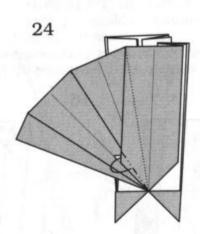
Crimp the bottom and swivel the layers of the top flap to the left as far as possible.



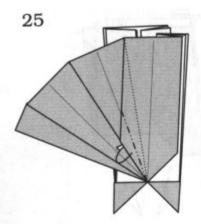
Valley-fold the remaining layers to the left and tuck the crimp underneath.



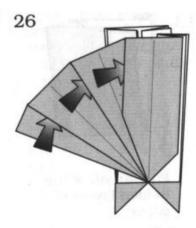
Stretch two more layers to the left.



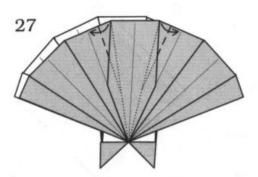
Mountain-fold the corner behind.



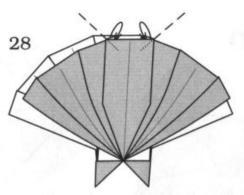
And again.



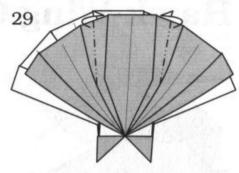
This is the direction all the pockets should be facing. Repeat steps 21–25 on the right side and behind.



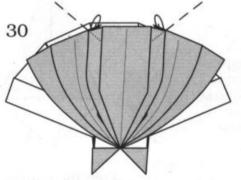
Pleat the sides in as shown; the middle of the paper will hump upward and the model will no longer lie flat.



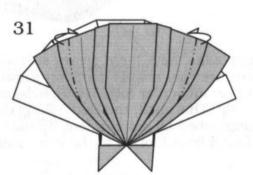
Valley-fold the pleats to lock them together.



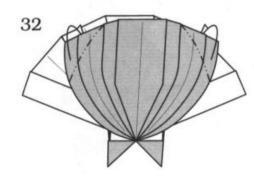
Pleat again. The middle will curve upward more and more with each set of pleats.



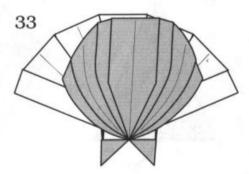
Valley-fold these pleats to lock them.



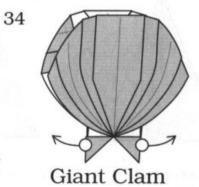
Pleat again.



Valley-fold the corners underneath.

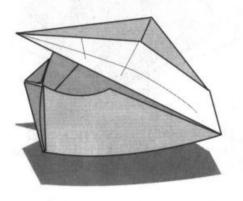


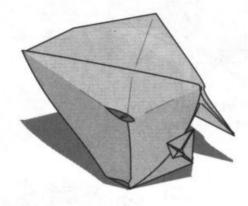
Repeat steps 27–32 on the other side of the model.

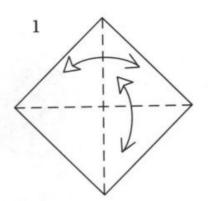


Pull the two tabs away from each other and the shell will open and close.

# **Hawk-Wing Conch**





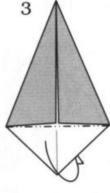


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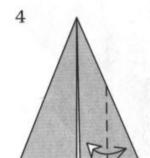
Crease the diagonals.

Fold the edges in to the center.

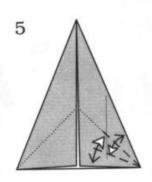
True conchs, family *Strombidae*, have large, heavy shells and inhabit tropical waters worldwide. Conchs are very mobile carnivores that move by pushing themselves along on a large, muscular foot. Their shells are large and robust, with a highly sculptured lip. This shell, the Hawk-Wing Conch (*Strombus raninus*), is further distinguished by a prominent tubular projection at the top of the mantle. It is found from Florida to the West Indies and Brazil.



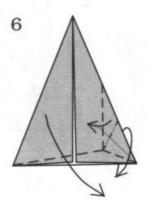
Fold the bottom corner up behind.



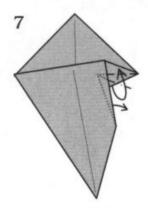
Fold the right corner in to the middle and back out again.



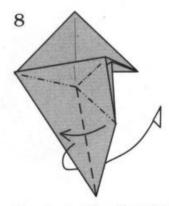
Crease the right corner into thirds. The upper crease lies on top of the hidden edge.



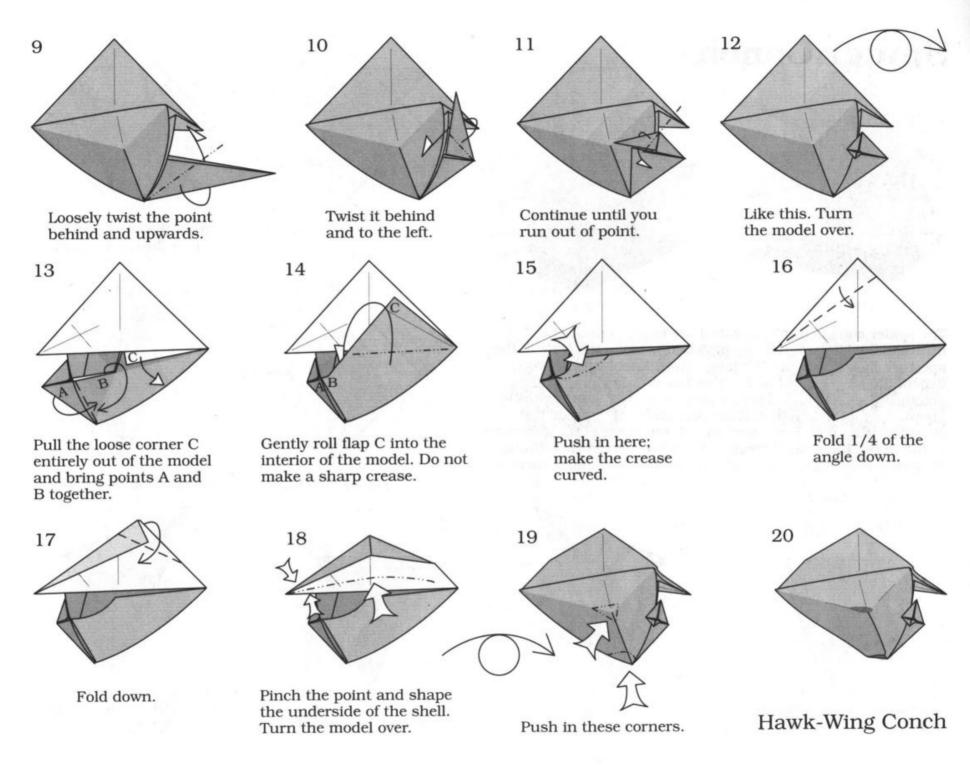
Fold a rabbit ear.



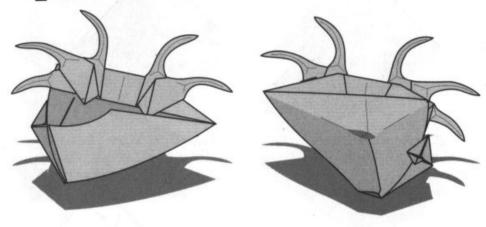
Swivel-fold.



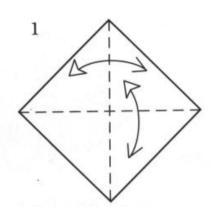
Pinch the flap in half and swing it over to the right. The model becomes three-dimensional.



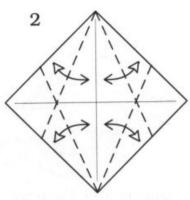
## **Spider Conch**



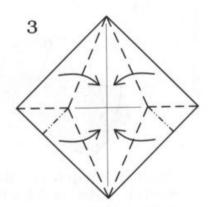
The spider conchs (genus Lambis) are large, conical shells distinguished by several long projections along the edge of their aperture lips, which may be long, short, knobby, or smooth, depending on the species. For this reason, they are popular among shell collectors. They range in size from four inches to about one foot in length and are predominantly tan on the outside with a pink inner surface. All members of the genus are found in the Indo-Pacific region, from southern Africa through Malaysia, Australia, and nearly to the coast of South America.



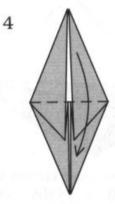
Crease the diagonals.



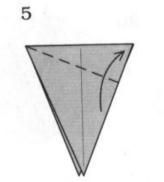
Bring the sides to the center line and unfold.



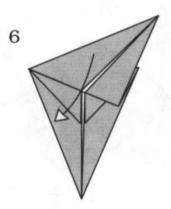
Fold a Fish Base.



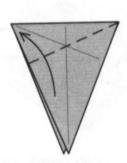
Fold the Fish Base in half.



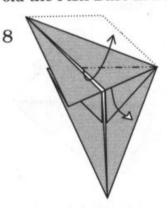
Fold one flap up so that the right edges are parallel.



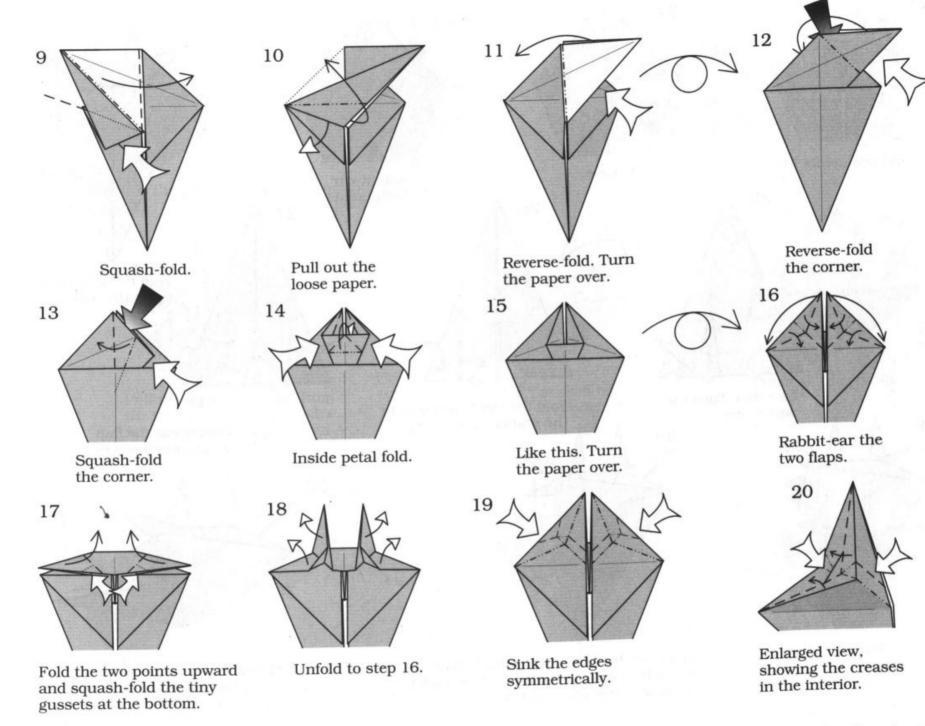
Unfold.

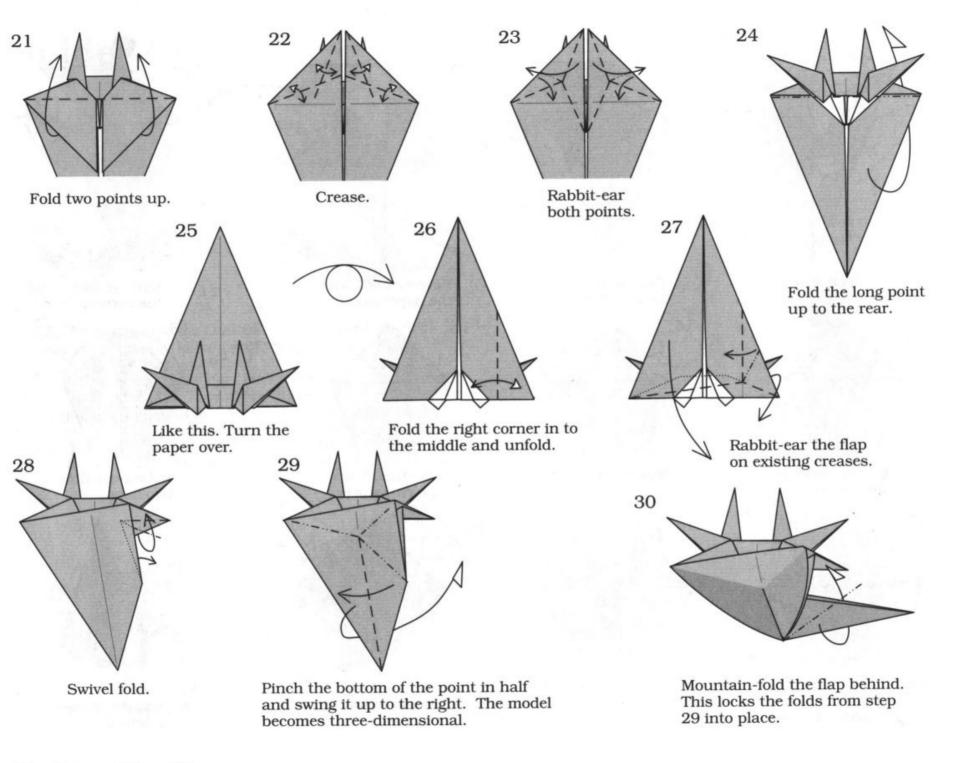


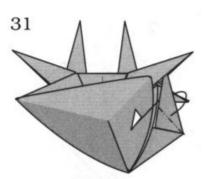
Fold the flap up so that the left edges are parallel.



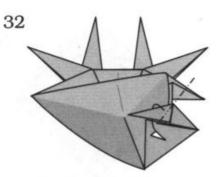
Pull out the trapped layers of paper.



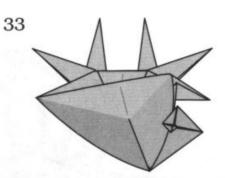




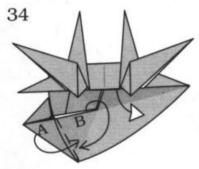
Mountain-fold the point behind again.



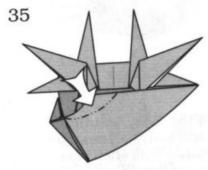
Continue until you run out of point.



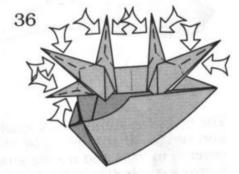
Like this. Turn the paper over.



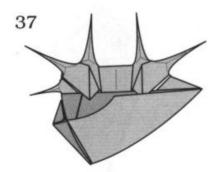
Pull the loose paper out from the interior as far as possible. Simultaneously bring points A and B together.



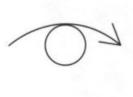
Push in the shell here to make the underside rounded.



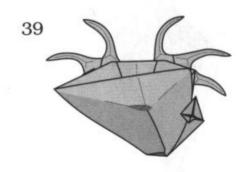
Pinch all the points.



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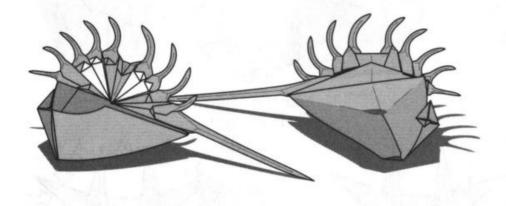


Sink the corners of the shell and curve the points.

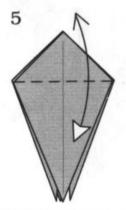


Spider Conch

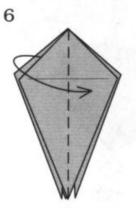
#### Murex



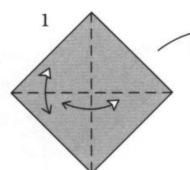
The murexes (family *Muricidae*) are one of the most beautiful and sought-after families by shell collectors. Many of them are covered in frills and needle-sharp projections. This shell, the Venus's comb, has a row of needles along the lip of the shell. Venus's combs are pure white outside and delicately pink inside, and are roughly five inches long. Murexes are found in tropical and temperate waters worldwide.



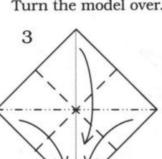
Enlarged view. Fold and unfold.



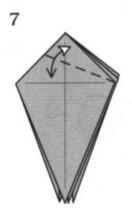
Fold one layer over from left to right.



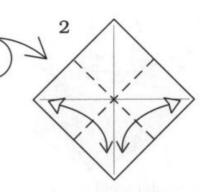
Crease the diagonals. Turn the model over.



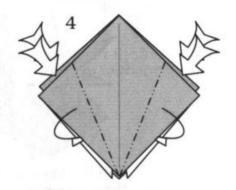
Fold a Preliminary Fold.



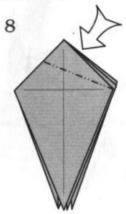
Crease.



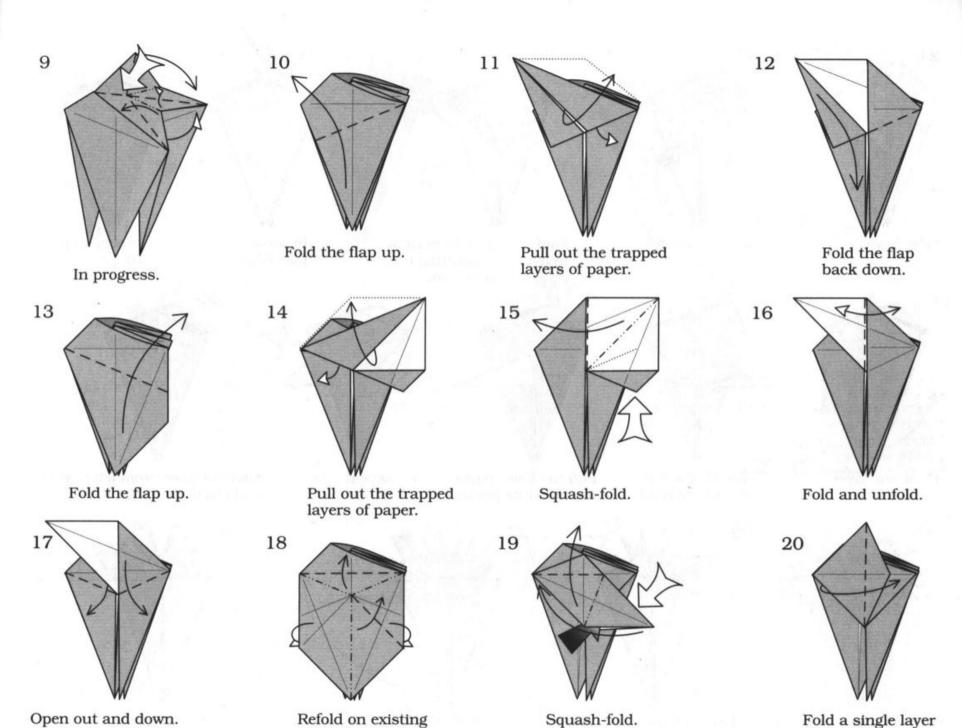
Crease in half and unfold.



Enlarged view. Reversefold four corners to make a Bird Base.

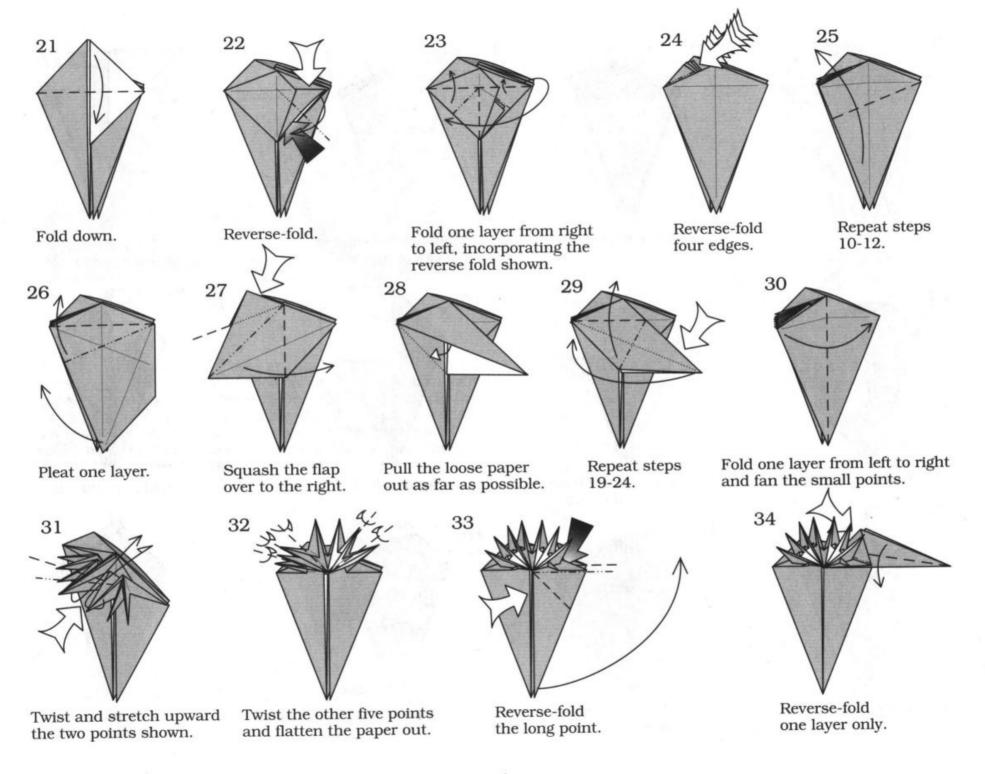


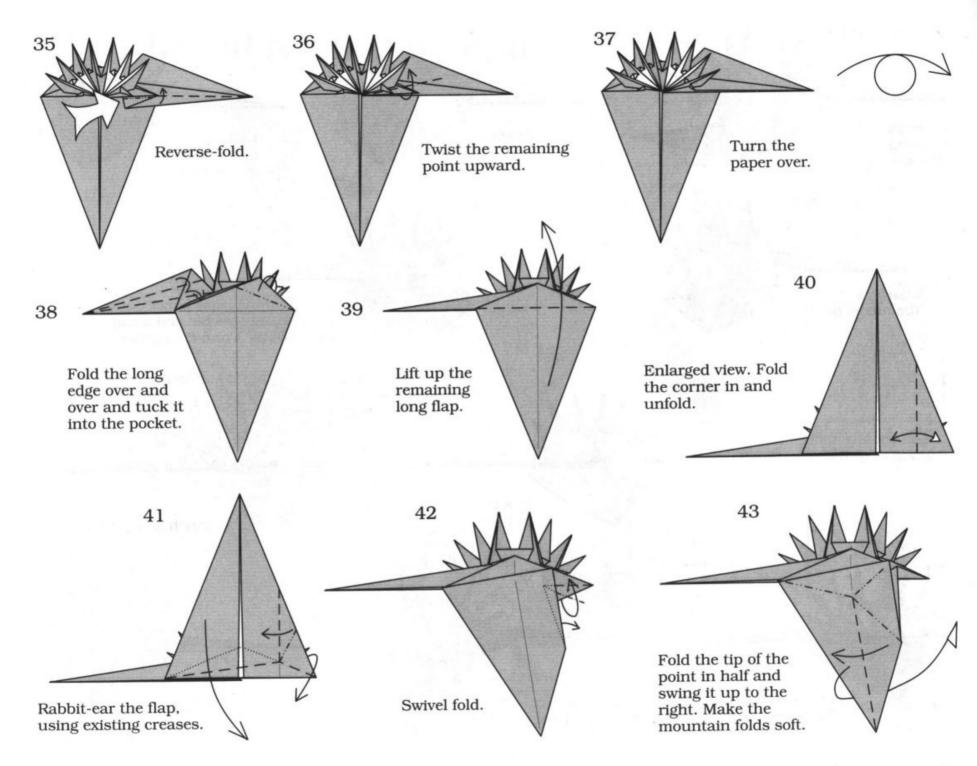
Open the top point out and sink it on the existing creases.

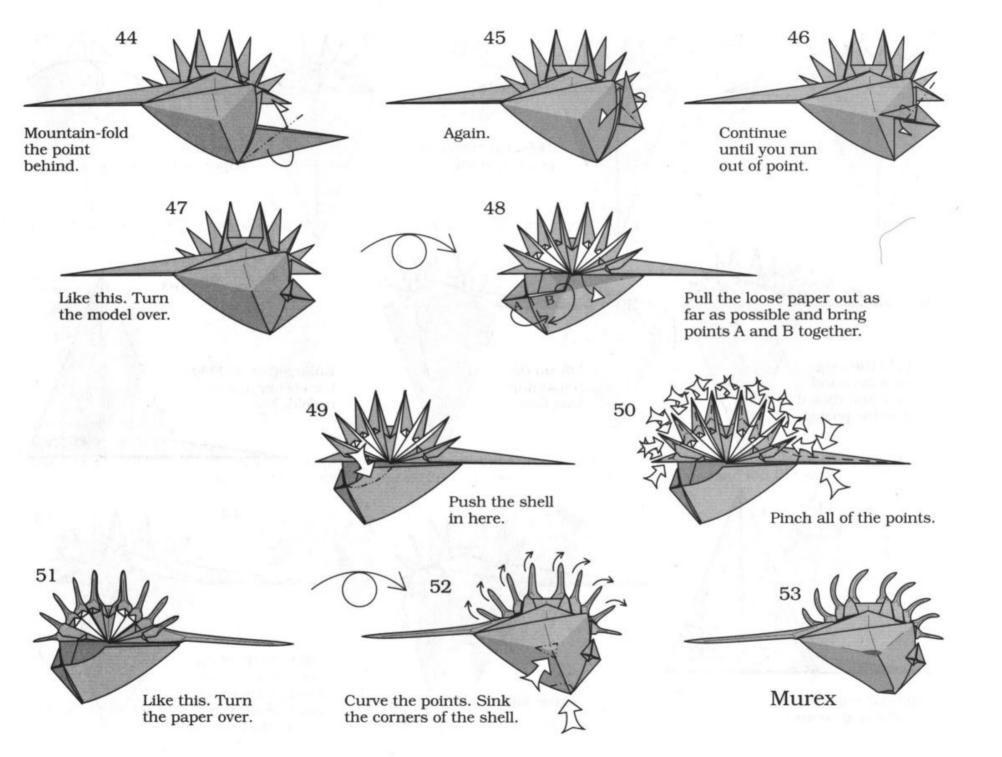


creases.

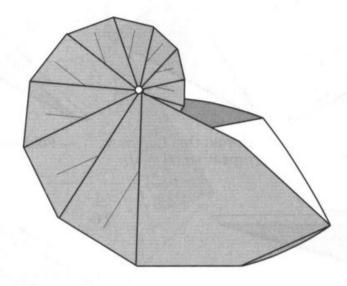
Fold a single layer from left to right.



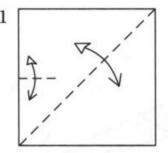




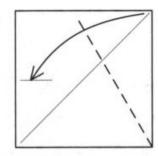
## **Chambered Nautilus Shell**



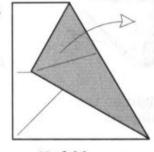
The Chambered Nautilus (Nautilus pompilius) is one of the oldest of the cephalopods, a group that includes the octopus and squid. It is highly valued for its symmetric shell, which forms a logarithmic spiral in cross section. The Nautilus is native to the Indian and Pacific Oceans.



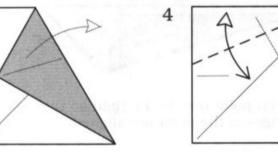
Crease the diagonal of the square and make a pinch mark along the left side halfway up.



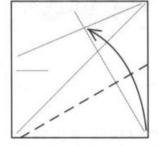
Fold the top right corner down to the pinch mark you just made.



Unfold. Fold the top edge down to lie along the diagonal.

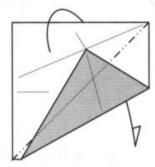


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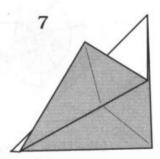


Fold the bottom right corner up to touch the intersection of the last two creases.

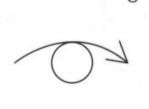




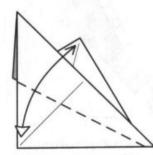
Fold the corner behind along the diagonal of the square.

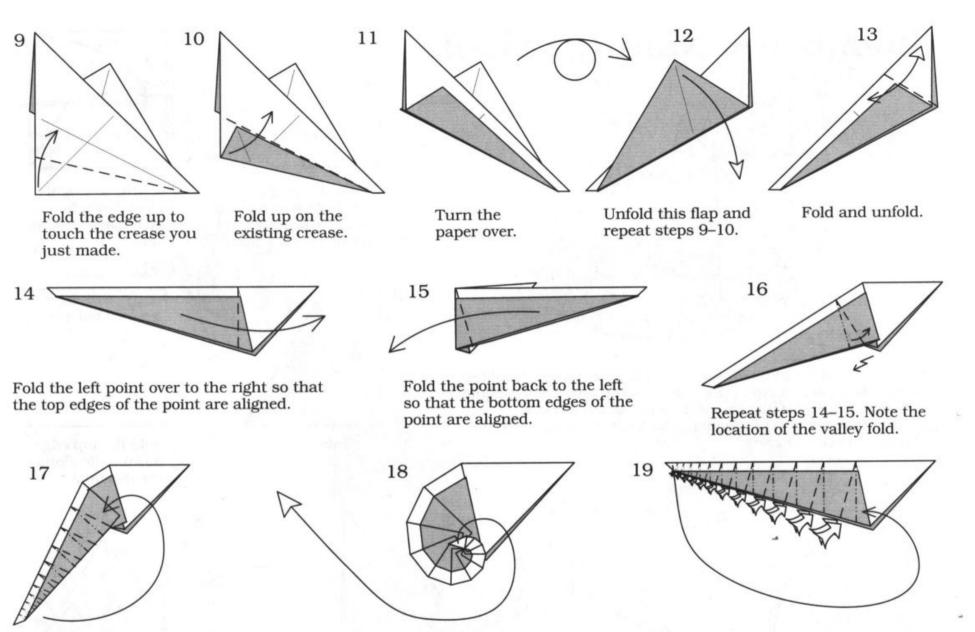


Like this. Turn the paper over.



Fold the bottom left corner up to match the one behind and unfold.

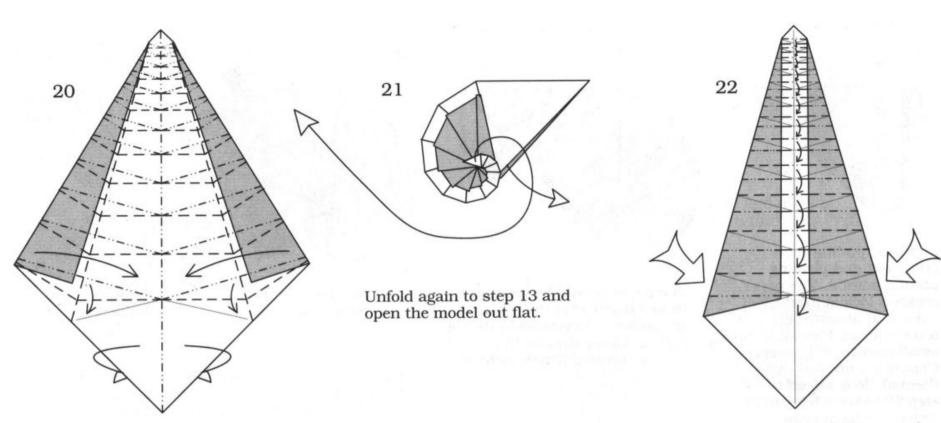




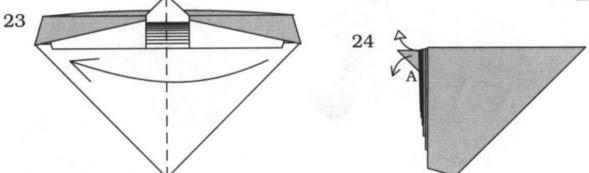
Continue pleating as in steps 14-15 until you get to the end of the colored part of the point (for a total of about 12 or 13 pleats).

Like this. Unfold to step 13.

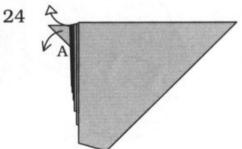
Using the existing creases, crimp both of the bottom edges so that the paper coils up again. The colored flap on the front (and the corresponding one on the back) should not be trapped in the pleats of the white layer; see step 20 for the crease pattern.



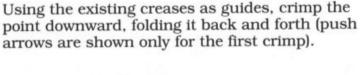
This shows the crease pattern for step 19.

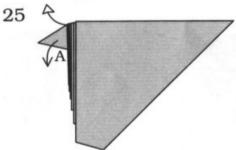


Like this. Fold the paper in half carefully (because of the many layers the model is quite thick). Rotate the model 90 degrees counterclockwise.

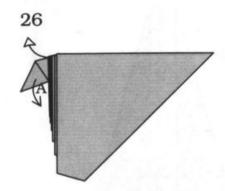


Carefully pull out the top of the protruding point and pivot it downward, taking point A as the axis of rotation. This has the effect of restoring a crimp we made in step 20.

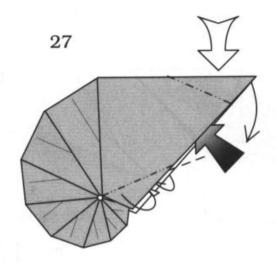




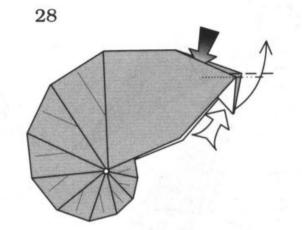
Like this. Now, carefully grasp that crimp and pull it out, again pivoting around point A; the result is to restore the next crimp.



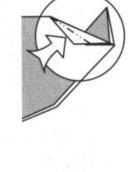
Continue pulling each crimp out and pivoting around point A. The paper remains locked together at point A at all crimps (except for an inevitable small amount of slippage). Continue until you've done them all (look ahead to step 27 to see what you're trying to accomplish).



The paper should be securely locked together at the center of the rotation. Reverse-fold the top corner. Mountain-fold the corners shown. Repeat behind.

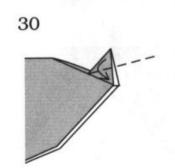


Reverse-fold the corner back up.

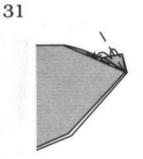


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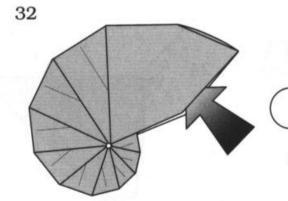
Sink the hidden corner.



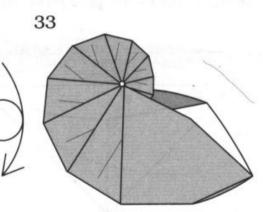
Fold the tip down.



Fold the point over and over and tuck it into the pocket.

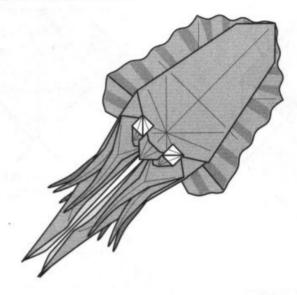


Open out the shell and turn it over.

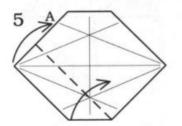


Chambered Nautilus Shell

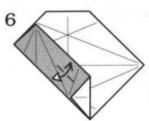
## Cuttlefish



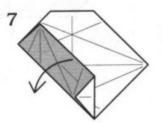
The Cuttlefish (Sepia officinalis), like other octopi and squid, possesses a reservoir of ink. When threatened by a predator, it ejects a blob of the ink and speeds away, leaving the predator to attack the squid-shaped globule. The ink of the cuttlefish is the original source of the dye sepia. The shell of the cuttlefish is an internal plate, which is harvested and sold as the "cuttlebone" often found in bird cages. It is found widely throughout the Atlantic Ocean and Mediterranean Sea.



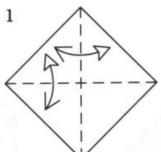
Fold the lower left edge up to point A.



Fold and unfold, making a crease only where shown.



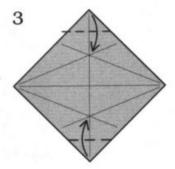
Unfold.



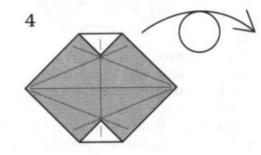
Fold and unfold.



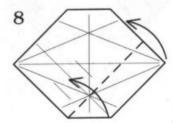
Fold and unfold. Turn the paper over.



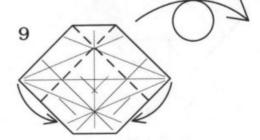
Fold the top and bottom corners to the intersections of the creases.



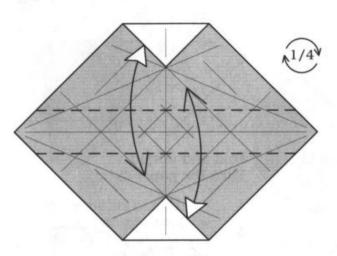
Like this. Turn the paper over.



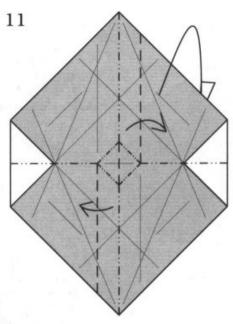
Repeat steps 5–7 on the right.



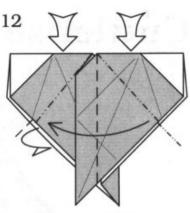
Repeat steps 5–7 on both sides of the top. Turn the paper over.



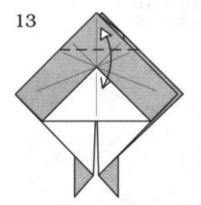
Fold and unfold through the creases, then rotate 1/4 turn.



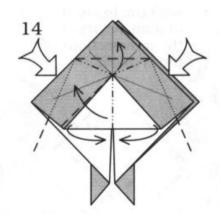
Fold, using the existing creases.



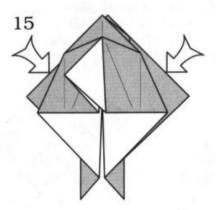
Squash-fold in front and back.



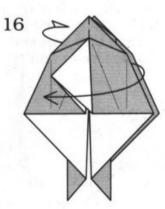
Fold and unfold.



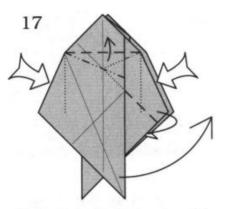
Swivel the sides in, bring the bottom corners of the white triangle together, and swing it over to one side.



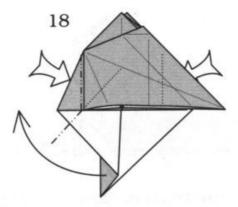
Repeat behind.



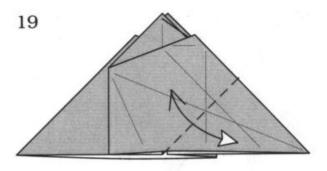
Fold one layer to the left in front and one to the right in back.



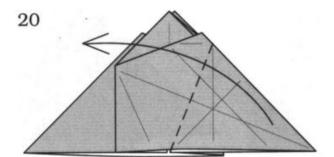
Swivel similarly to step 14.



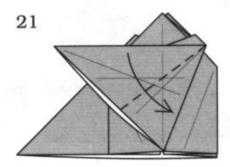
Repeat behind.



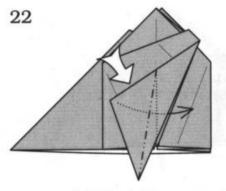
Fold and unfold.



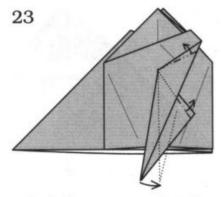
Fold the corner up to the left.



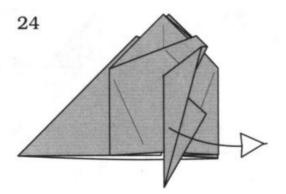
Fold the corner down to lie along the crease you just made.



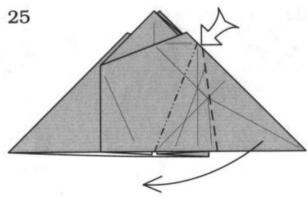
Reverse-fold both layers together.



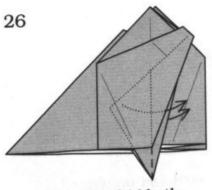
Shift the point so that its left edge becomes vertical.



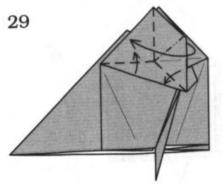
Unfold the flap.



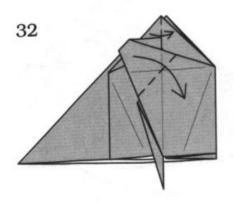
Crimp the flap symmetrically on the creases made in step 23.



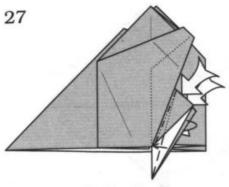
Reverse-fold both layers separately.



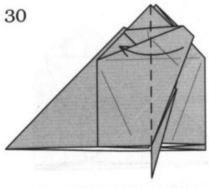
Fold it back up, incorporating the reverse fold shown.



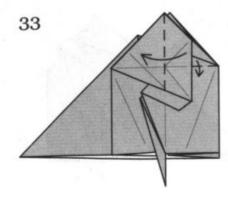
Fold the flap down to the right.



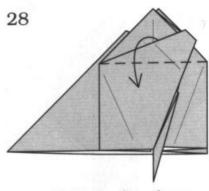
Reverse-fold both edges.



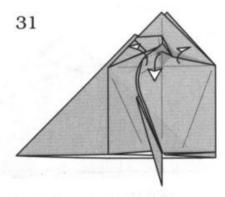
Fold the flap over to the left; it will not go all the way.



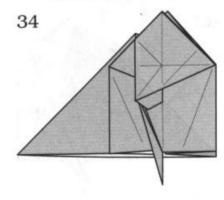
Fold the flap over to the left and swing down one layer behind.



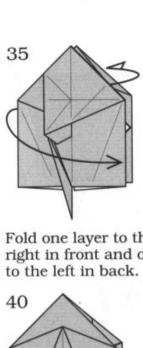
Fold the flap down as far as it will go.

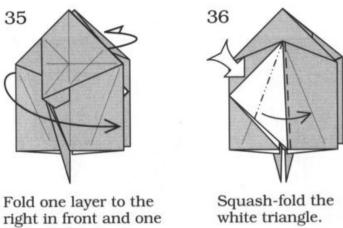


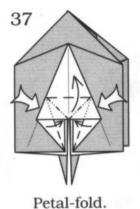
Pull the trapped paper out of the pocket and flatten the model.

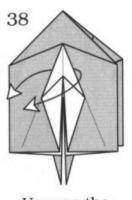


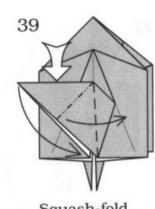
Repeat steps 19–33 on the back.







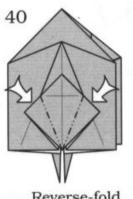


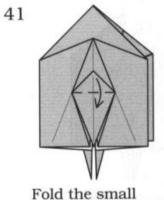




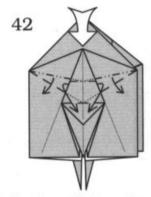
Unwrap the loose paper.

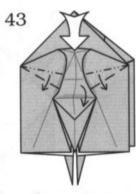
Squash-fold.

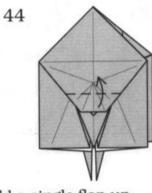




point down.





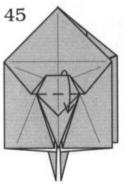


Reverse-fold the edges.

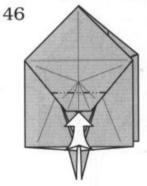
Pull the front layers down and spread-squash the point.

In progress.

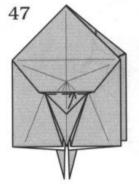
Fold a single flap upward as far as possible.



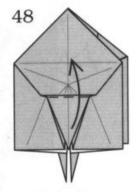
Fold the flap down again.



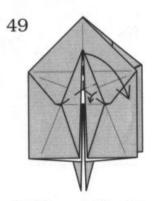
Sink the flap inside the model.



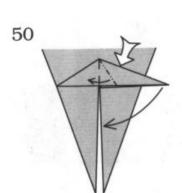
Tuck the flap up inside the pocket.



Fold the flap up.

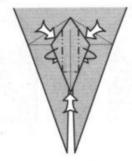


Fold a rabbit ear.



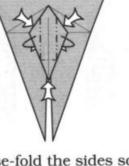
Enlarged view. Squash-fold the point.

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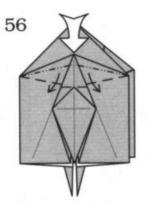
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Reverse-fold the sides so they are parallel, and sink the tip of the point.



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Repeat steps 36-40 on this side.

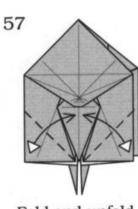


Tuck the top of the point

into the pocket behind it.

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Spread-squash the point similarly to step 42 (note that the valley fold is higher here).

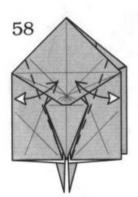


Squeeze the sides of

the funnel to round it.

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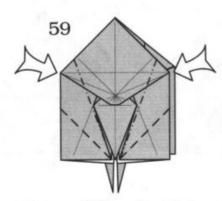
Fold and unfold.



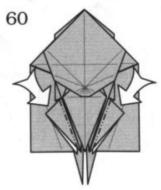
Like this. Turn

the paper over.

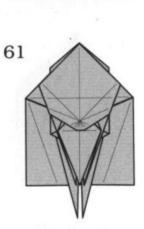
Fold and unfold.



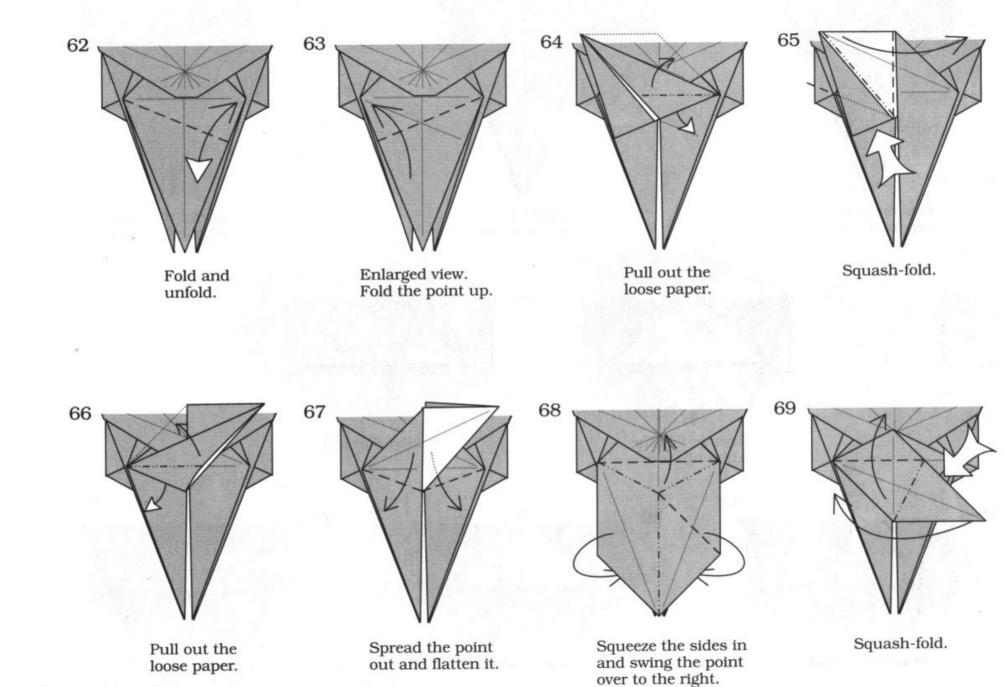
Reverse-fold each side in and out, using the existing creases.

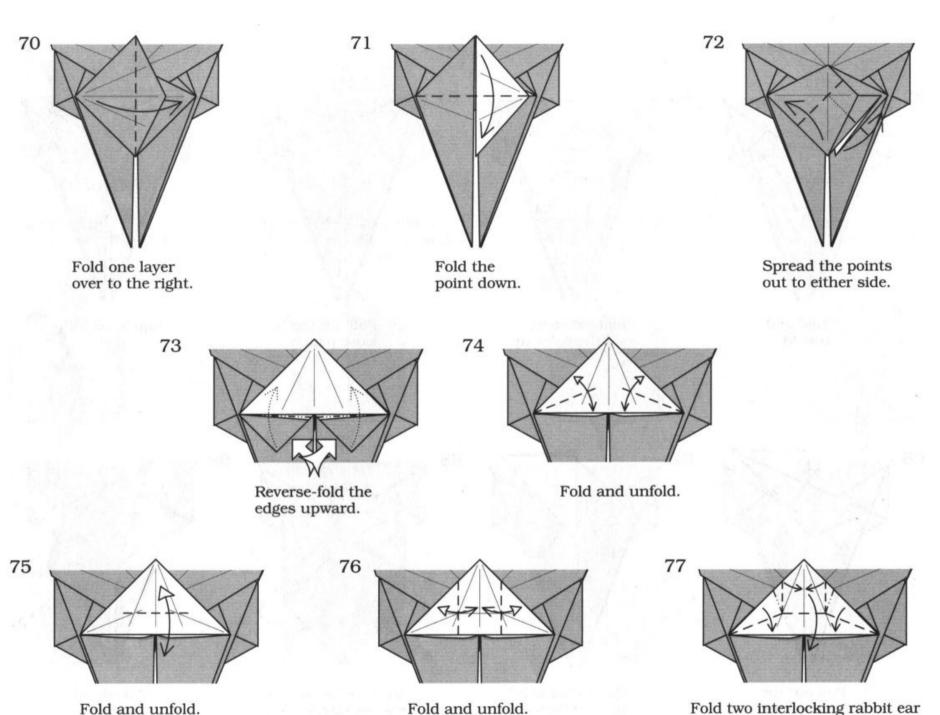


Reverse-fold the edges.

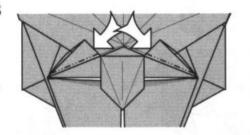


Repeat steps 57-60 behind.



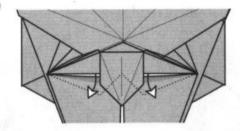


Fold two interlocking rabbit ear folds using the existing creases.

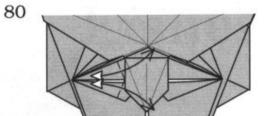


Reverse-fold the two edges.



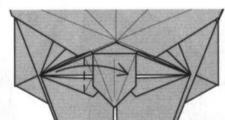


Pull out a single layer of paper on each side.



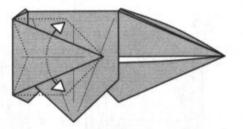
Fold and unfold.





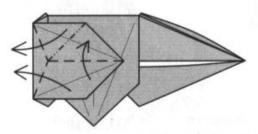
Fold over to the right.

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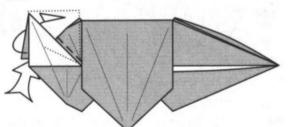
Enlarged view. Pull out the loose paper.





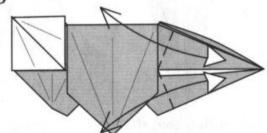
Fold a rabbit ear.

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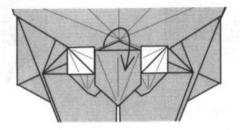


Reverse-fold.

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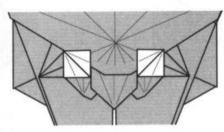


Repeat steps 80–84 on the right.

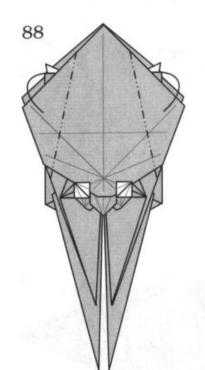


Bring the blunt point forward, but keep it behind the white eyes.

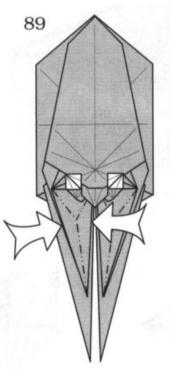
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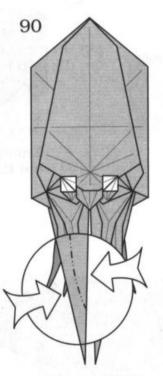
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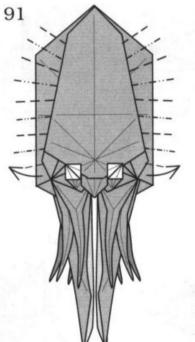
Mountain-fold the edges into the model; repeat behind.



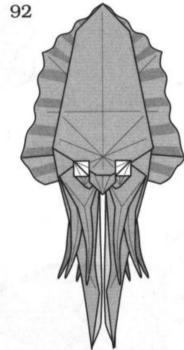
Pinch each of the eight short legs using rabbit ears.



Flatten slightly the the two longer legs.

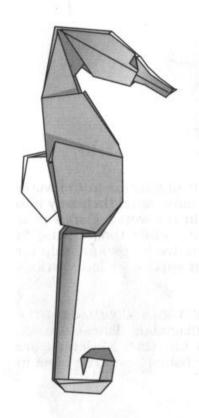


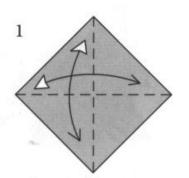
Pull the paper at the sides outward and upward a bit and curve it back and forth to make the edge ripple.



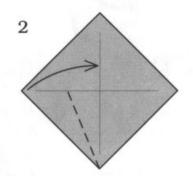
Cuttlefish

## Seahorse

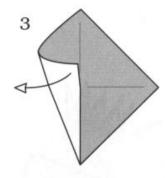




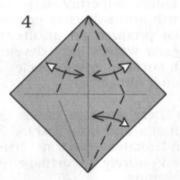
Fold and unfold along the diagonals.



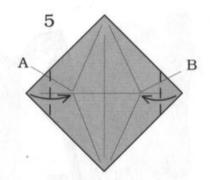
Kite-fold but only crease below the center line.



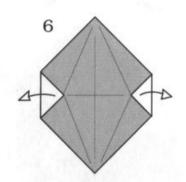
Unfold.



Fold and unfold three other sides.

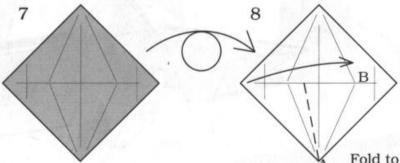


Fold the corners to A and B.



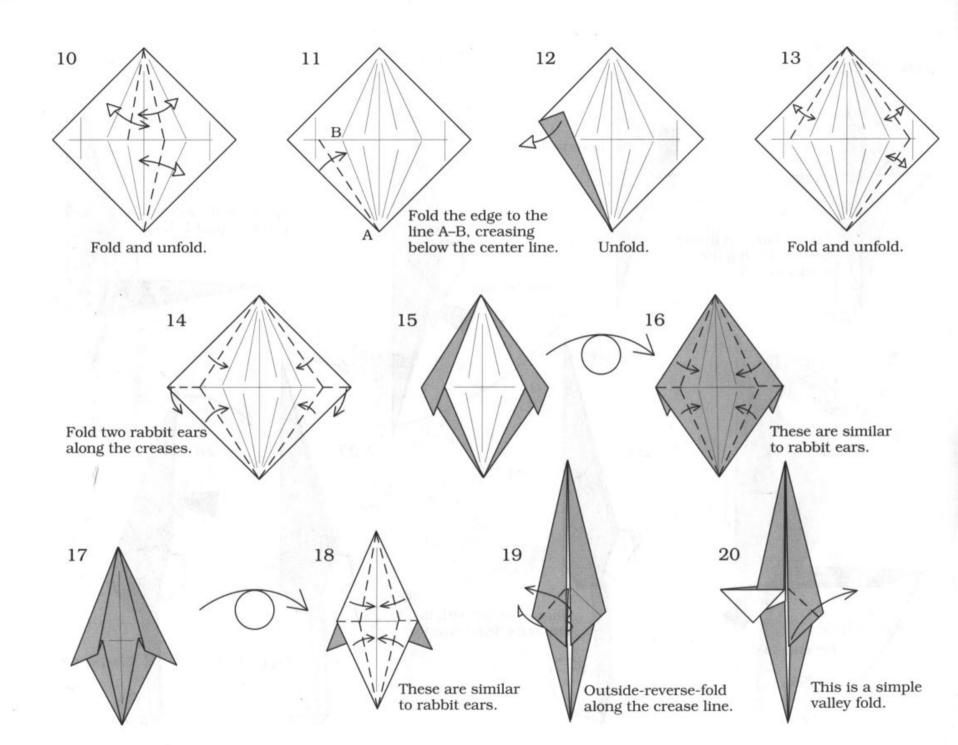
Unfold.

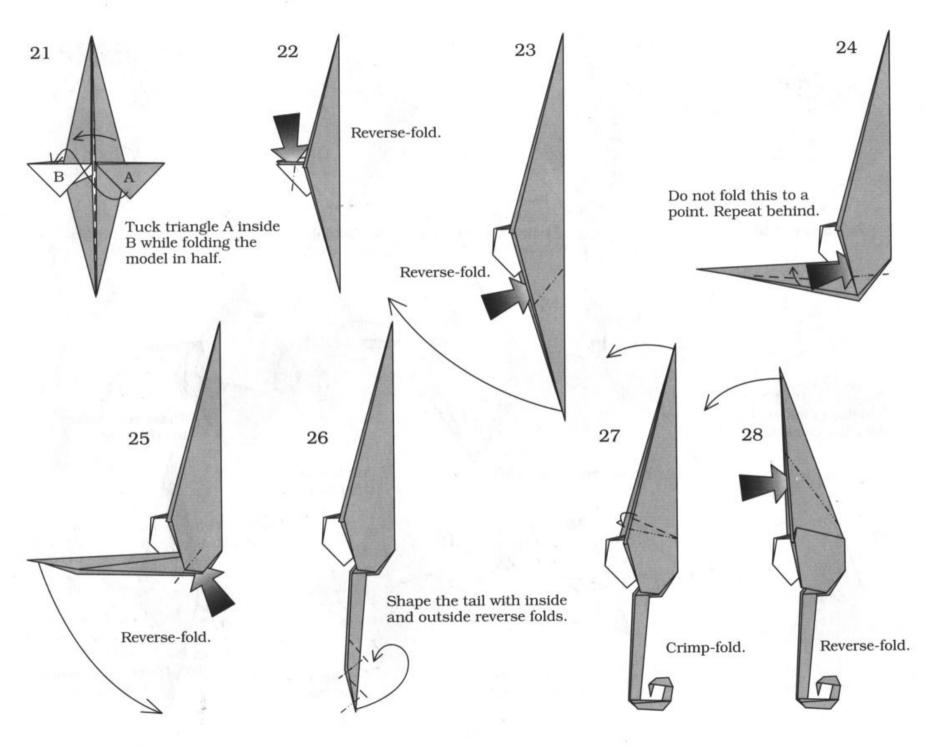
These small fish are mostly found in subtropical and tropical seas. They attach themselves to seaweed with their prehensile tails. Slowly and stiffly, they swim in an upright position. Their small scales form rings of hard protective covering around their bodies. Ranging in size from one and a half to twelve inches, seahorses (family *Hippocampus*) feed on small crustaceans and larvae.



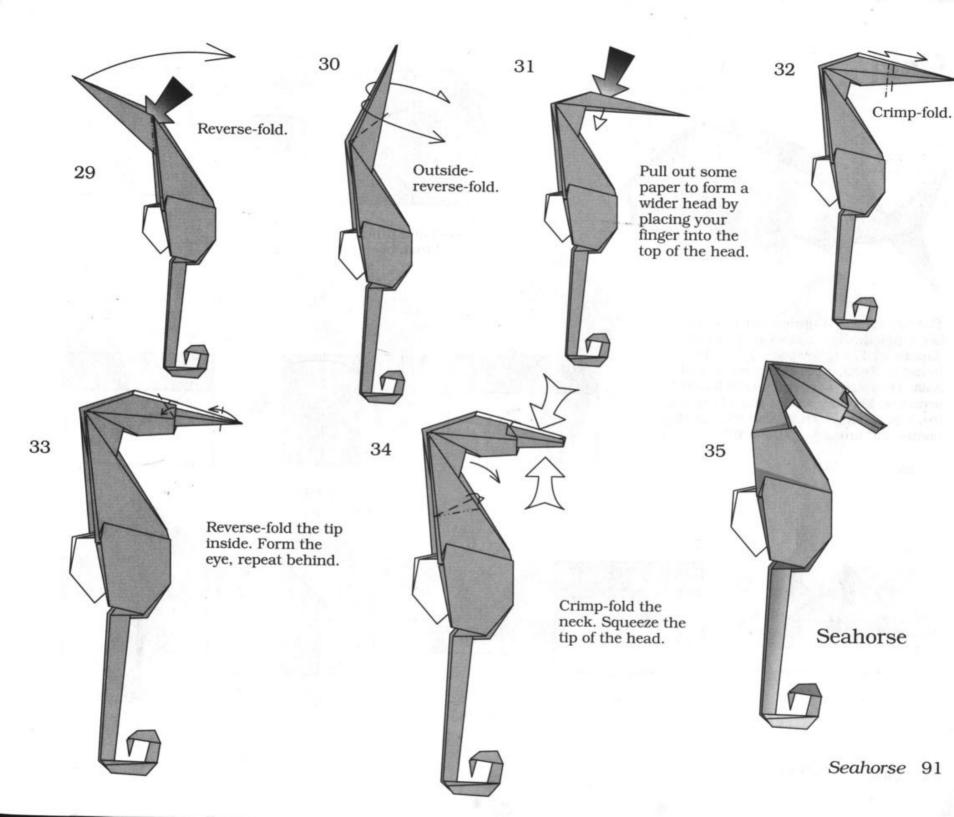
Fold to the line A-B,

creasing only below the center line.

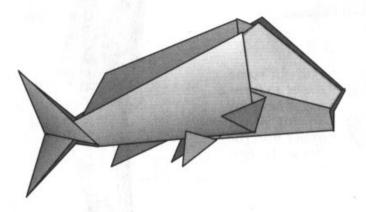


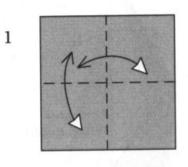


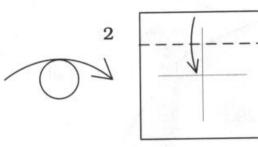
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# Carp

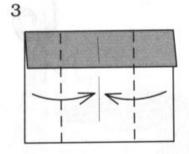


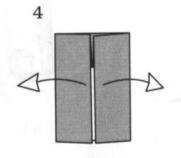


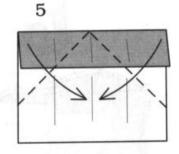


Fold and unfold and turn over.

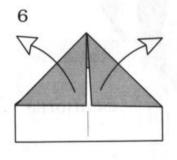
The carp or koi (*Cyprinos carpio*) has been genetically manipulated by the Japanese. These freshwater fish are found in Europe, North America, and Asia. They are most commonly found in ornamental pools and attain a length of two feet or more. These fish feed on tiny plants and animals in the mud.

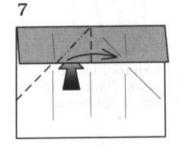


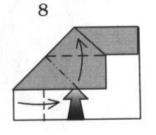


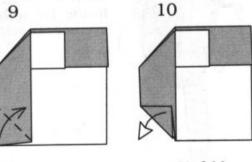


Unfold.







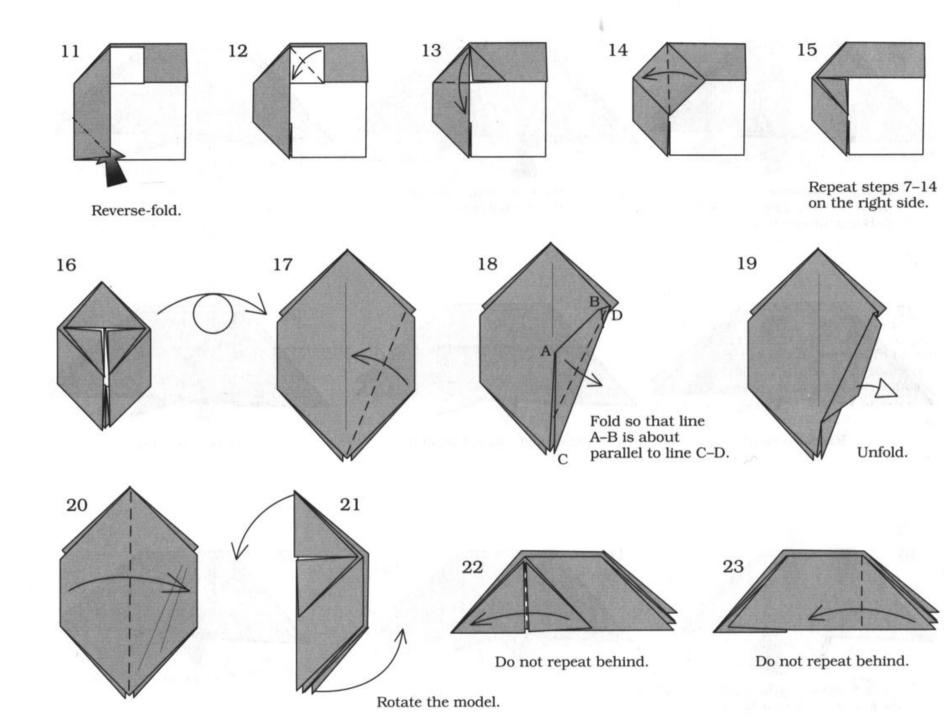


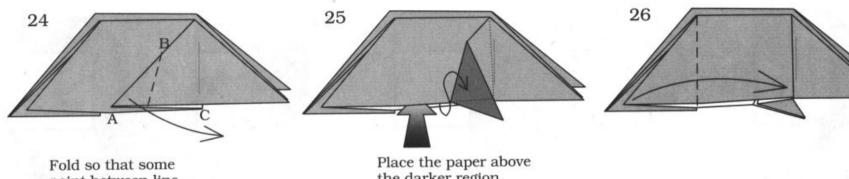
Squash-fold.

Squash-fold.

Unfold.

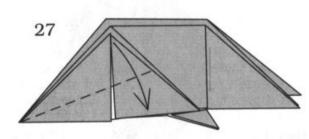
Unfold.



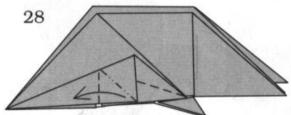


point between line A-B touches point C.

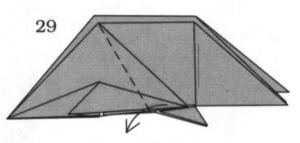
Place the paper above the darker region.



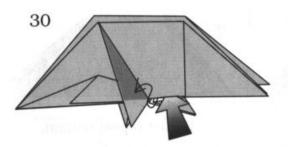
Repeat behind.



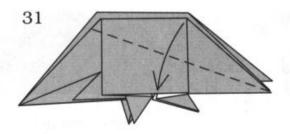
Squash-fold. Repeat behind.

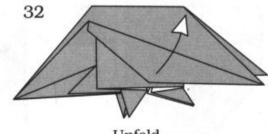


Repeat behind.

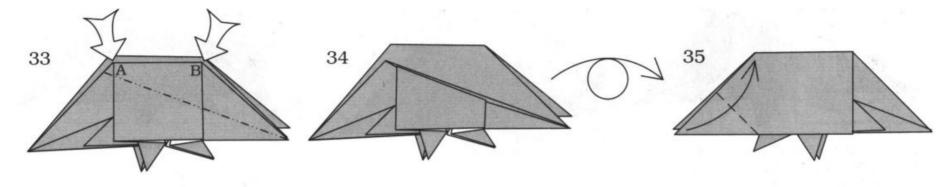


Place some paper over the darker area. Repeat behind.

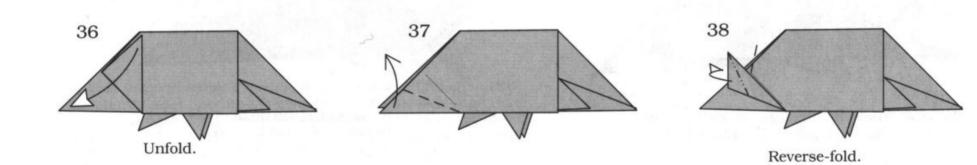


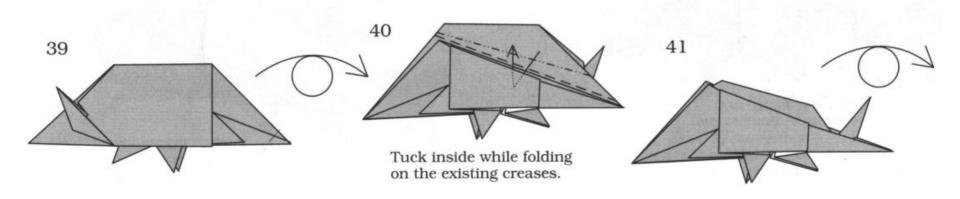


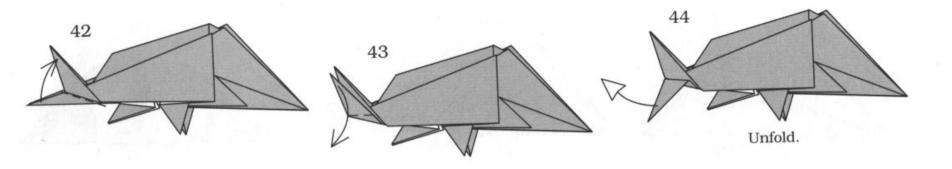
Unfold.

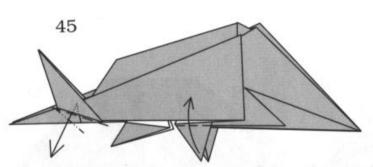


Sink. Push in corners A and B but do not unfold them.

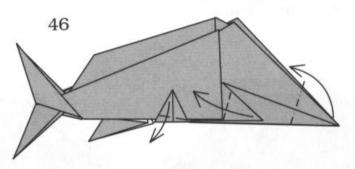




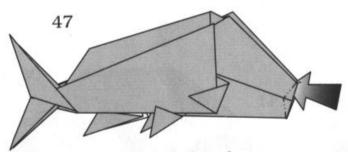




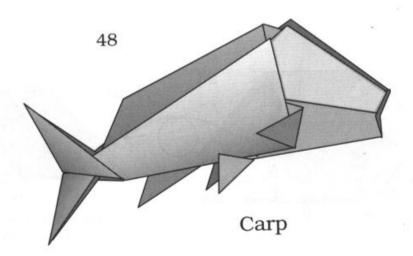
Tuck the tip of the base of the tail inside. Repeat behind for the fin.

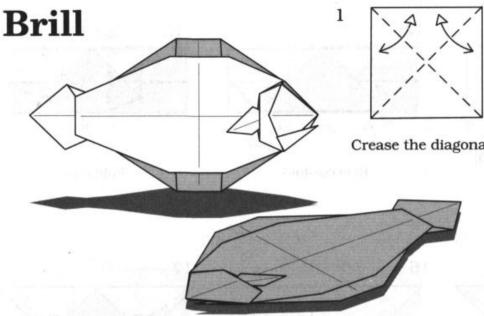


Reverse-fold the tip of the head. Repeat behind to form the other fins.

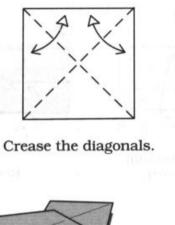


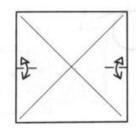
Make the mouth and body three-dimensional.



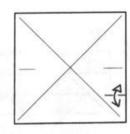


The Brill (Scophthalamus rhombus) is a variety of flatfish, a fish who, shortly after hatching, begins to lean to one side—the right side, in this case. As it leans, the right eye migrates to the upper side of the body, which assumes a dark coloration, and the fish eventually lies on the ocean's sandy bottom, its lighter side down. There are two groups of flatfishes-left-eyed and right-eyed-and by folding this model backwards, you can change this model to a fish of the opposite handedness.



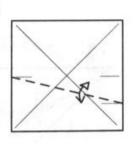


Make pinch marks halfway down the sides.

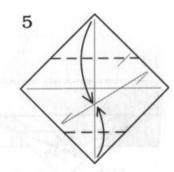


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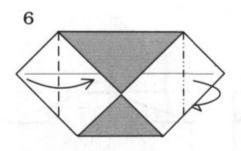
Bring the bottom right corner to the crease, pinch, and unfold.



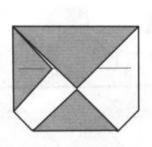
Connect the two pinch marks with a crease. Rotate the paper 1/8 turn counterclockwise.



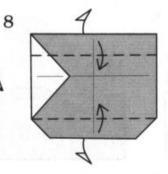
Fold the top and bottom corners to meet at the point where the crease crosses the diagonal.



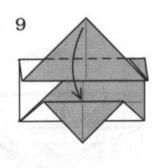
Fold the left corner in front and the right corner behind.



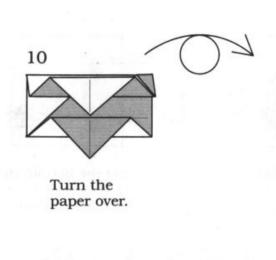
Turn the paper over.

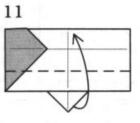


Fold the top edge down to the center line, allowing the point behind to flip up. Fold the bottom up similarly.



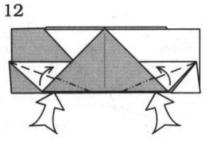
Fold down.

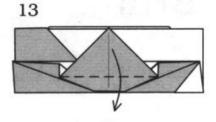




Fold the bottom

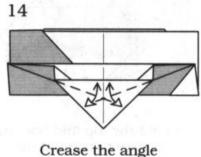
edge upward.

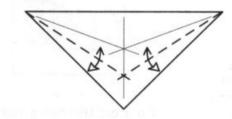




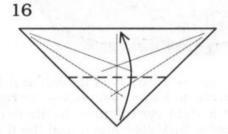
Reverse-fold.

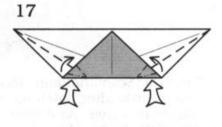






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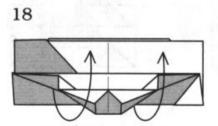


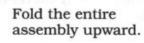
Crease the angle bisectors.

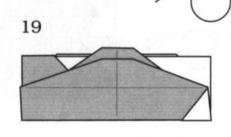
Enlarged view. Crease the angle bisectors.

Fold the point up to the top edge.

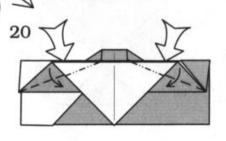
Valley-fold the edges and squash-fold the corners.



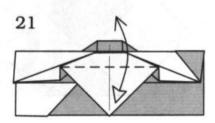




Turn the paper over.



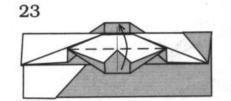
Reverse-fold the corners.



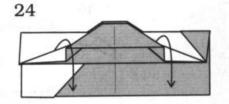
Fold and unfold.



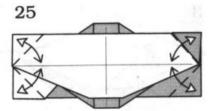
Repeat steps 14-17 on this flap.



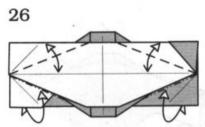
Fold upward.



Fold the entire assembly downward.

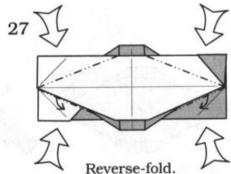


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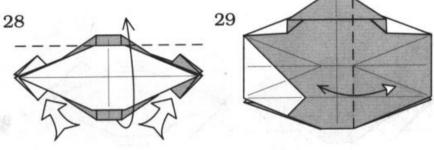
Fold and unfold.

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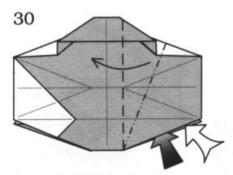




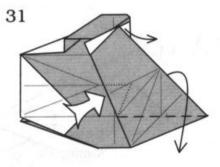
Lift up the top layers.



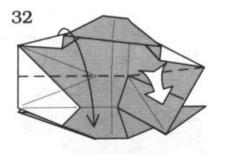
Fold and unfold.



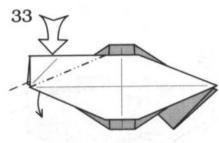
Squash-fold the top layers.



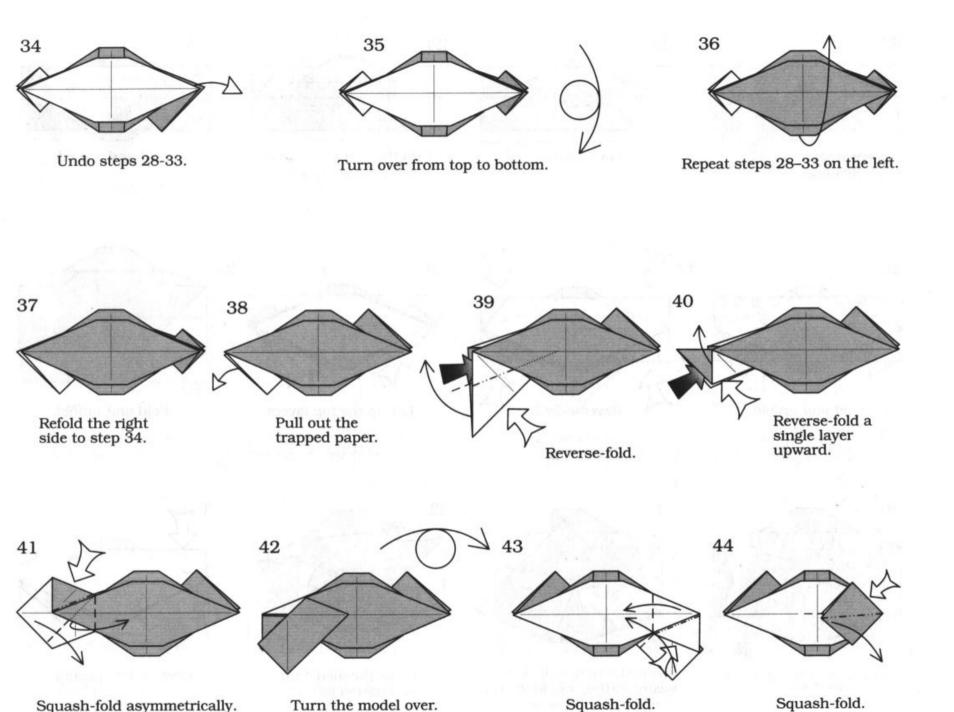
Swing the right side down, incorporating a hidden crimp. The model will not lie flat.



Close the model up and flatten it.

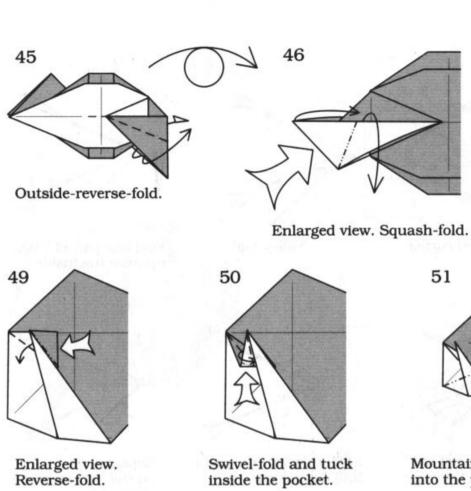


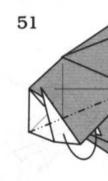
Reverse-fold (again).

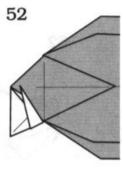


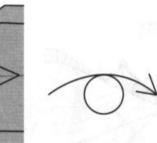
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Squash-fold asymmetrically.



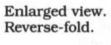




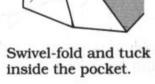


Shift the swivel fold slightly to the right.

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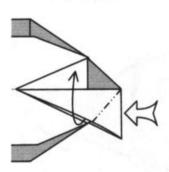


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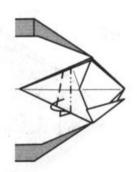
Mountain-fold the flap into the pocket behind.

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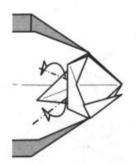
Like this. Turn the model over.



Squash-fold.



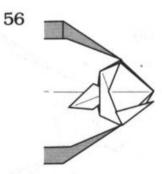
Crimp. Repeat behind.



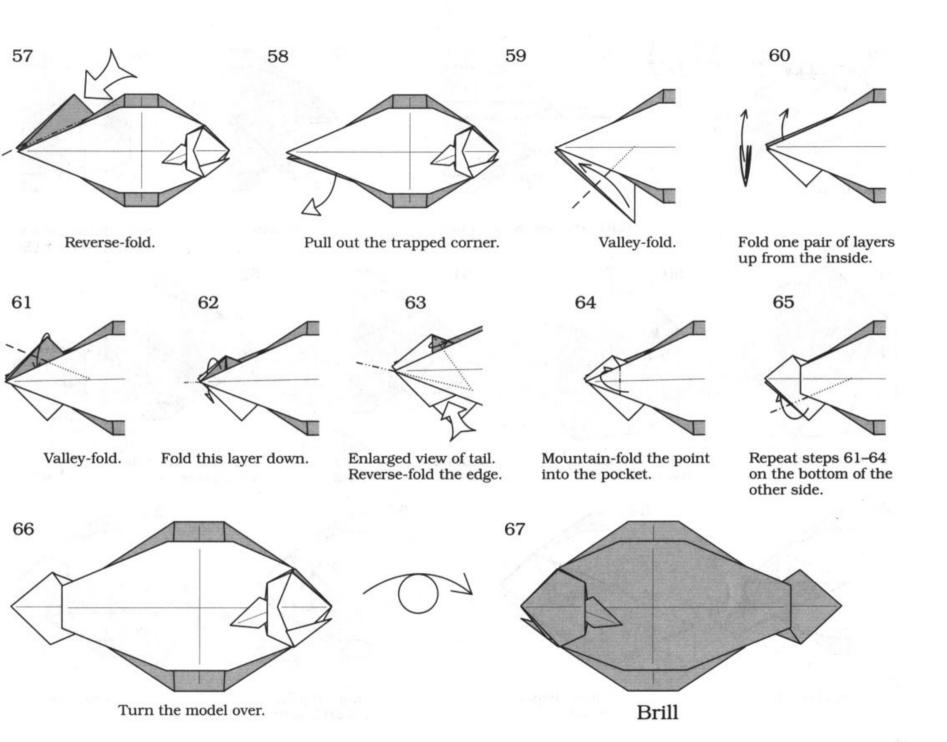
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Swivel-fold.

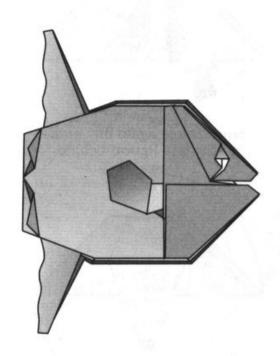
Shape the fin. Repeat behind.



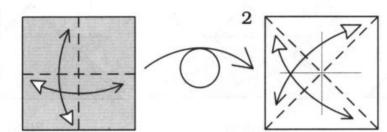
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#### Ocean Sunfish

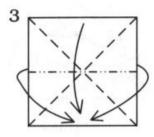


Ocean sunfishes (Mola molas) live in the open seas in temperate and tropical areas. They can grow to 13 feet and weigh 600 pounds. The young swim in a vertical position while adults often swim on their side. They feed on plankton, fish, and crustaceans.

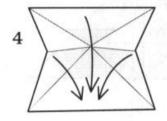


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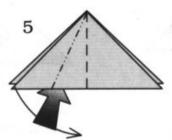
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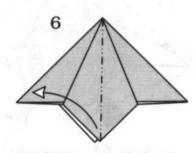
Collapse along the creases.



A three-dimensional intermediate step.



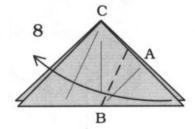
Squash-fold, repeat behind.



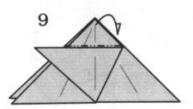
Unfold, repeat behind.

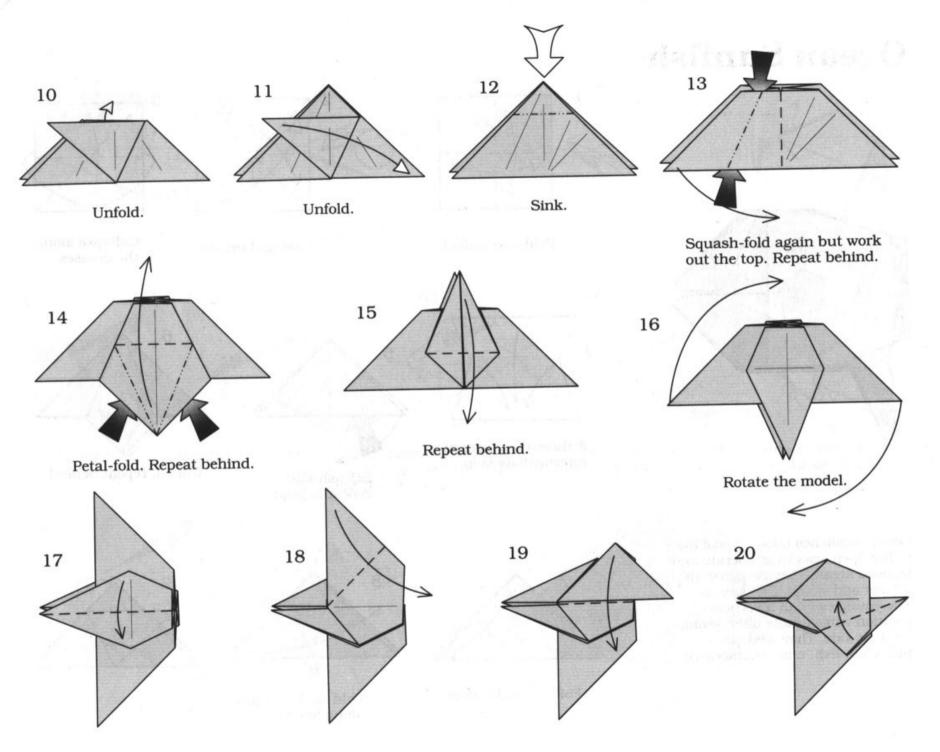


Fold up and unfold.

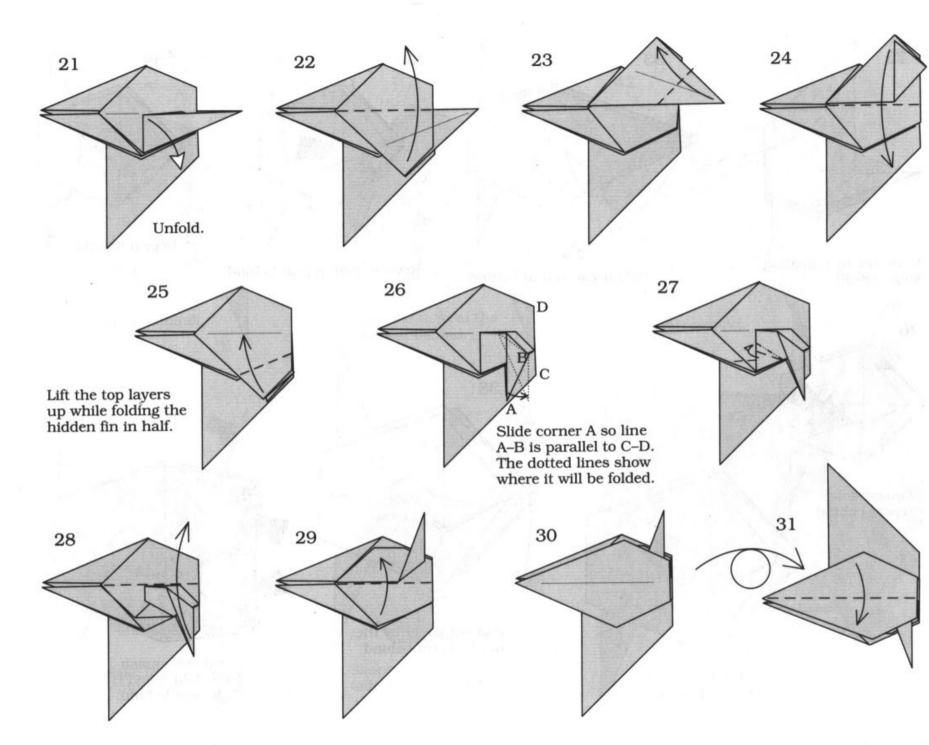


Fold so that A lies along line B-C.

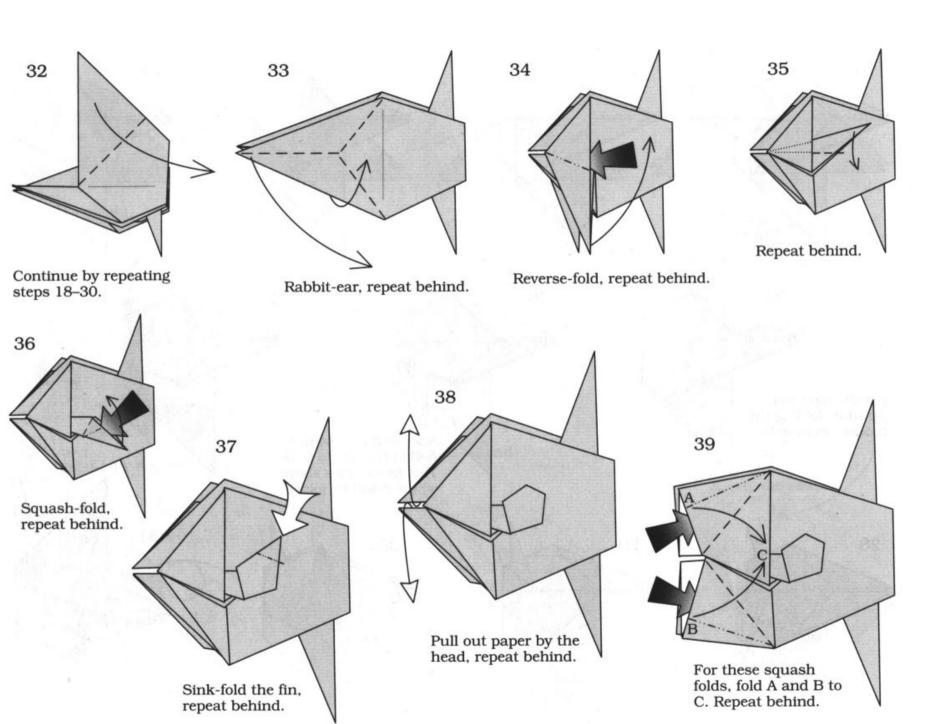




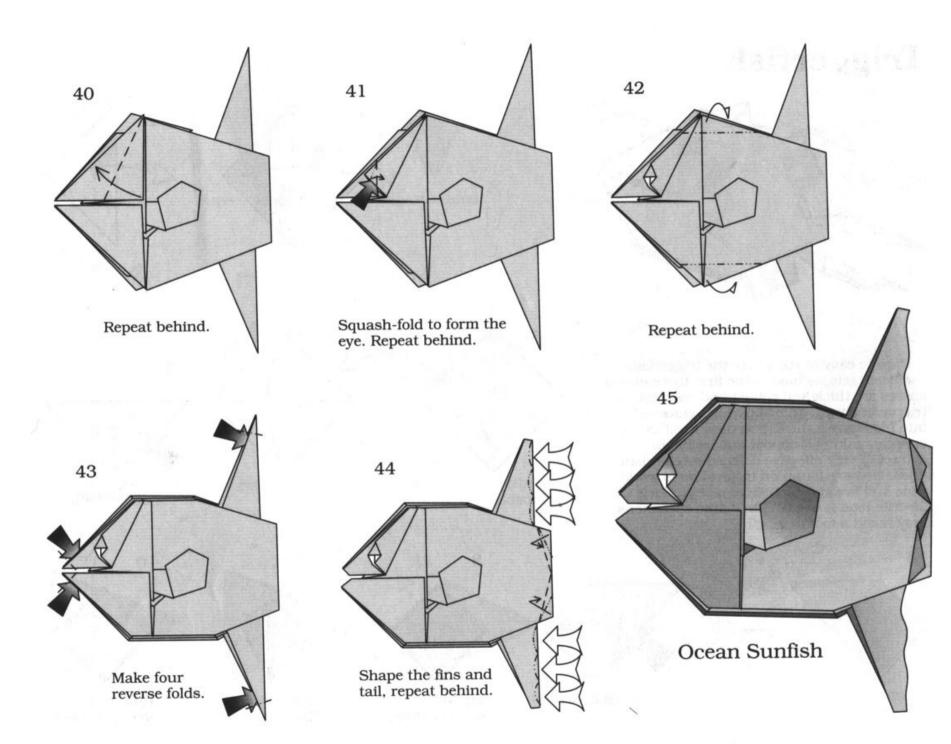
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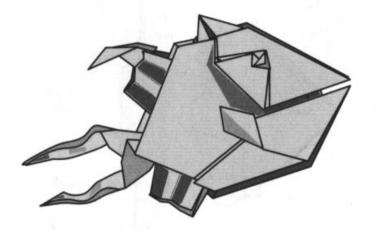
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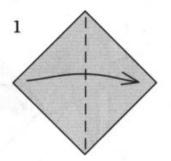


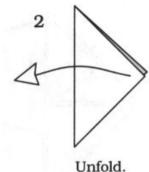
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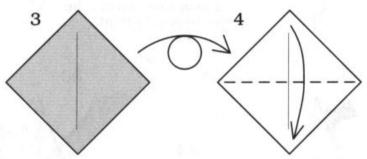


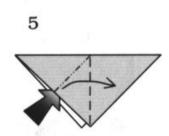




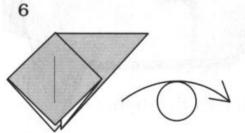
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It is quite easy to tell where the triggerfish (Balistes) gets its name—the first three dorsal spines are thick and robust and resemble a trigger in shape. This apparatus is locked into place while the fish wedges itself into a crevice, making it almost impossible to extract, a very effective defense mechanism. These fish are found on tropical reefs world wide and are spectacularly colored. Their favorite food is sea urchin. Large specimens may reach a foot in length.



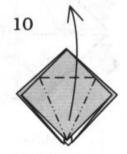


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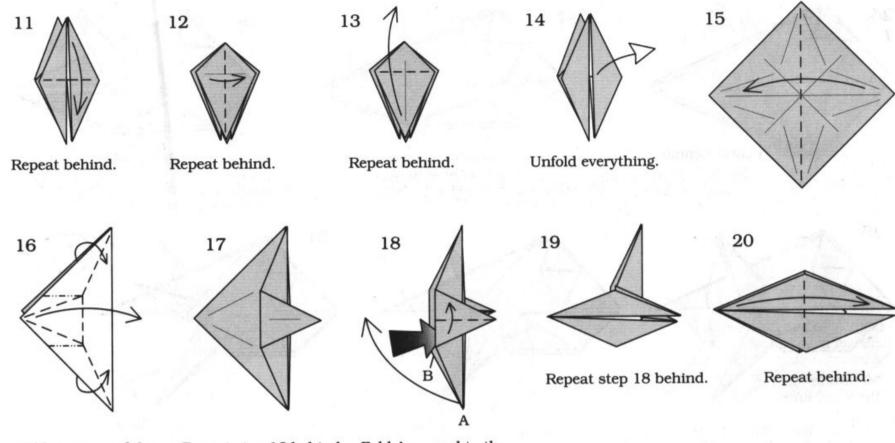


Squash-fold.

Kite-fold. Repeat behind.

Unfold. Repeat behind.

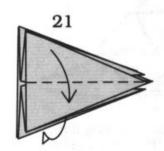
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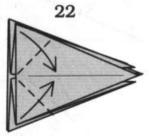


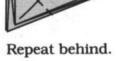
Fold on some of the exsisting creases.

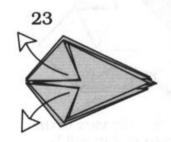
Repeat step 16 behind.

Fold A up and to the left while B is folded up.

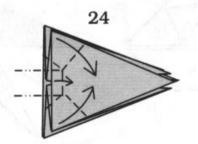








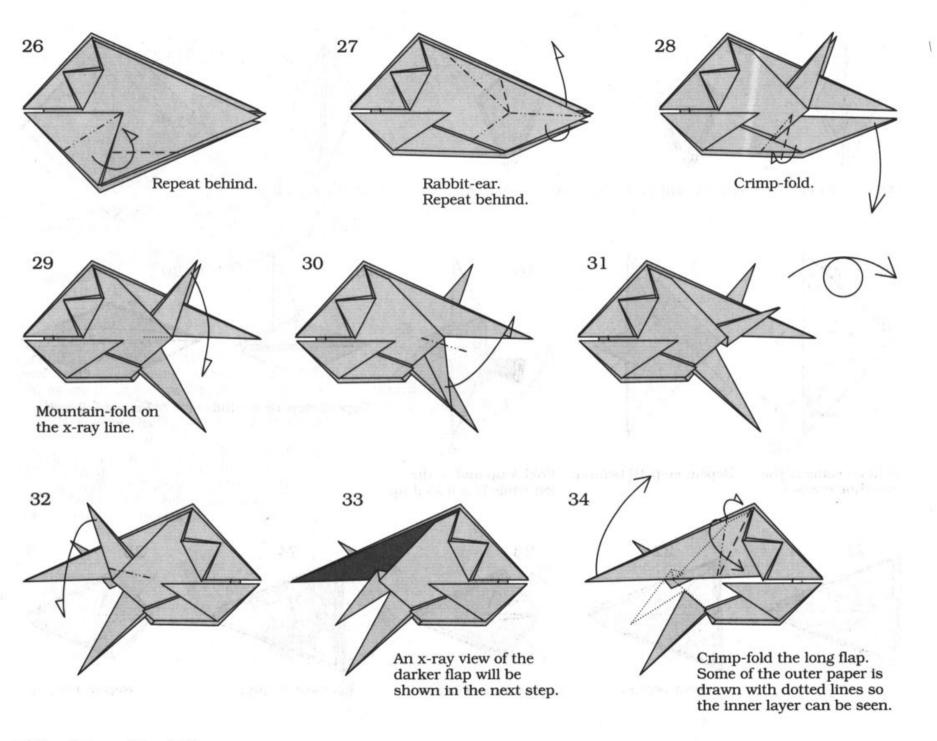
Unfold, repeat behind.

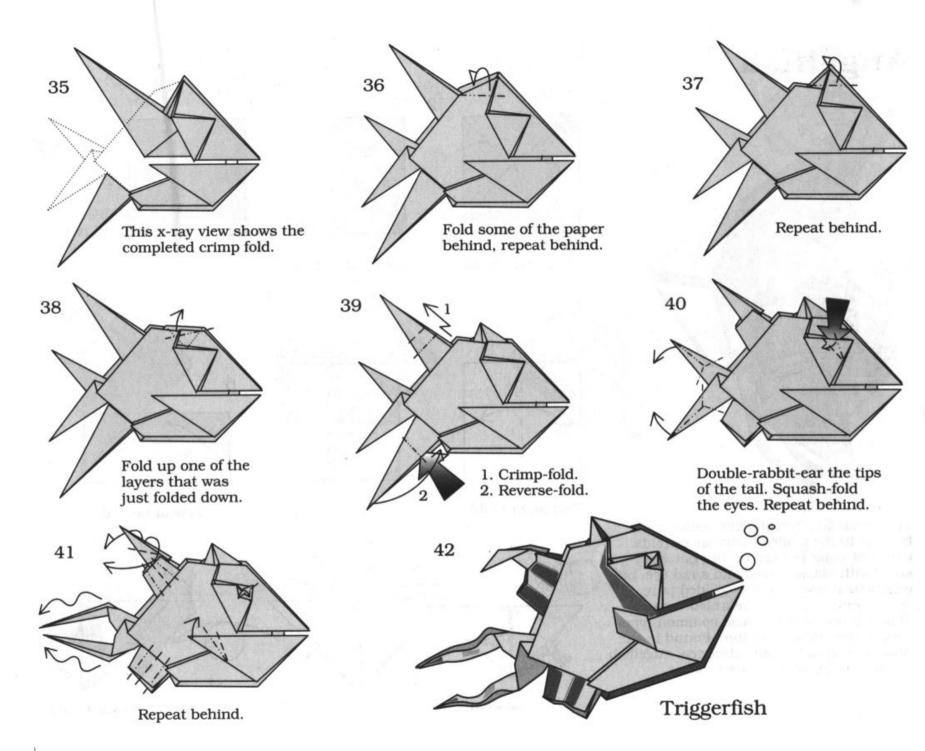


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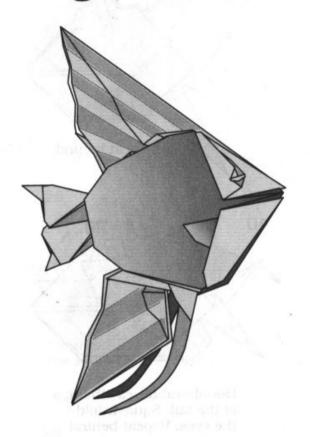


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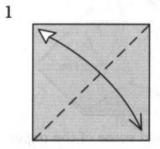




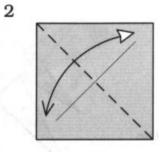
## **Angelfish**



The angelfish (Pterophyllum scalara) belongs to the family known as cichlids. Only one color pattern occurs naturallysilver with black stripes and a red eye, but genetic manipulation has yielded pure silver, gold, calico, and marbled varieties. This fish is one of the most common types kept in the home aquarium. Found in the Amazon region in South America, angelfish are seldom longer than four inches.

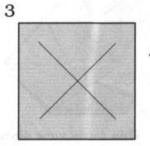


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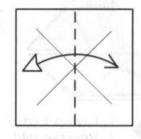


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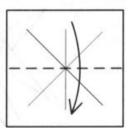
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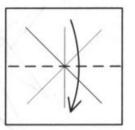


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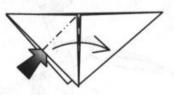


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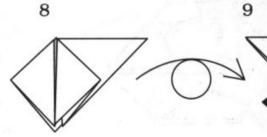




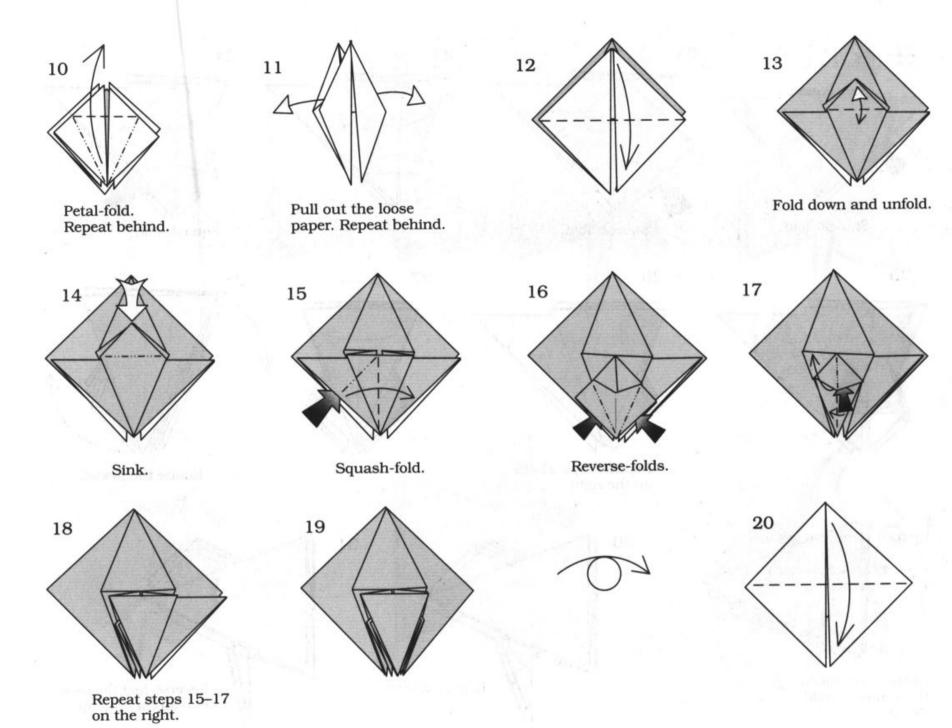
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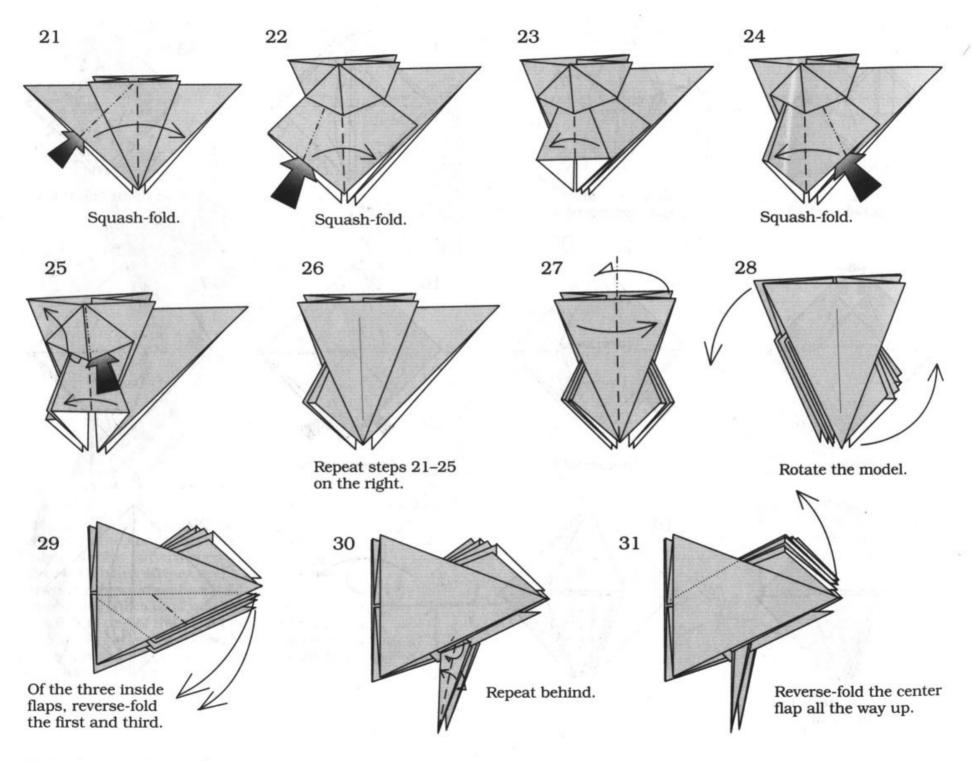


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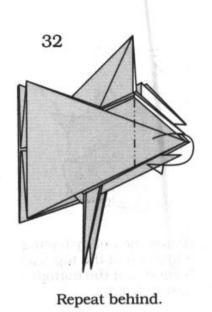


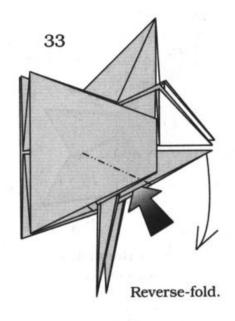
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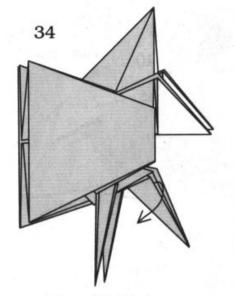


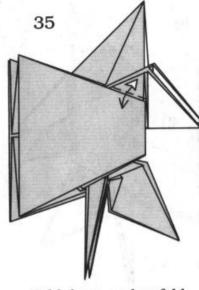


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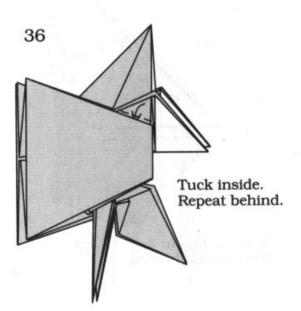


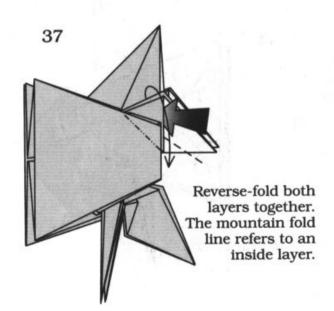


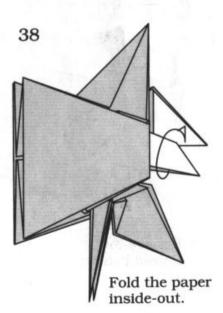


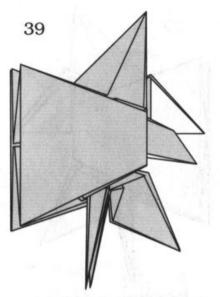
Repeat behind.

Fold down and unfold. Repeat behind.









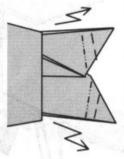
Repeat steps 37-38 behind.





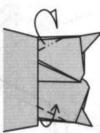


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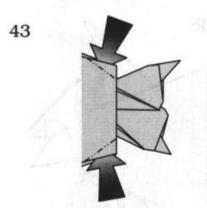


Crimp-folds.

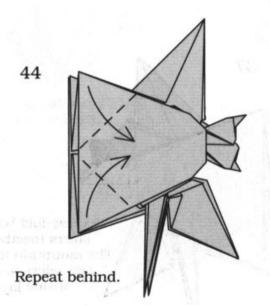




Shape the tail by folding a little bit of the top part behind and the bottom part in front.

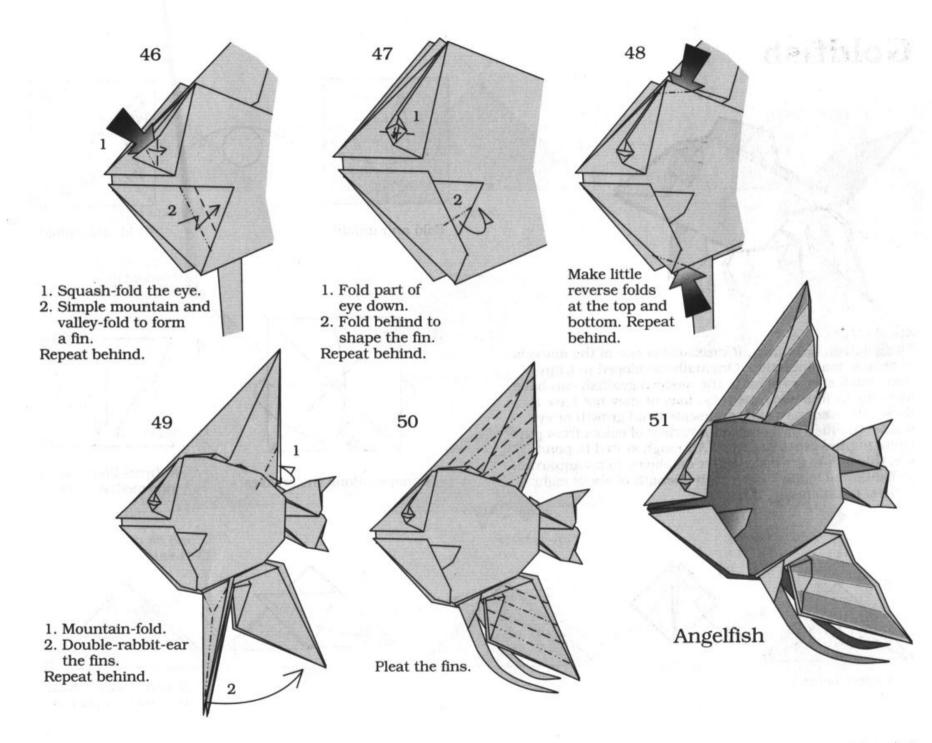


Reverse-folds. Repeat behind.

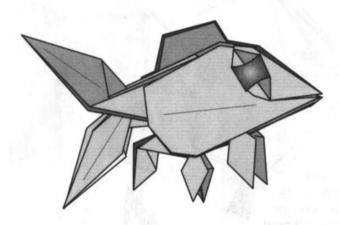


Slide the fin out a little. Repeat behind.

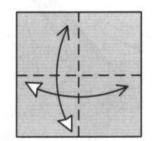
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## Goldfish

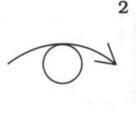


The goldfish, or oranda, (Carassuis) is one of the marvels of genetic manipulation. Originally developed in China from small species of carp, the modern goldfish can have as many as four separate tails, may or may not have a dorsal fin, and may have grotesque head growth or eye shape. Goldfish also come in a variety of colors from pure white to pure black to calico. Although suited to pond life, this fish is generally better displayed in an aquarium or fishbowl. Goldfish can reach a length of about eight inches, not including the tail.

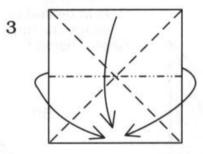


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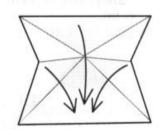
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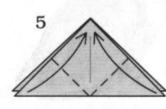
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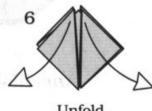
Collapse along the creases.



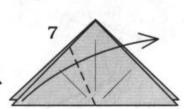
A three-dimensional intermediate step.



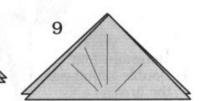
Repeat behind.



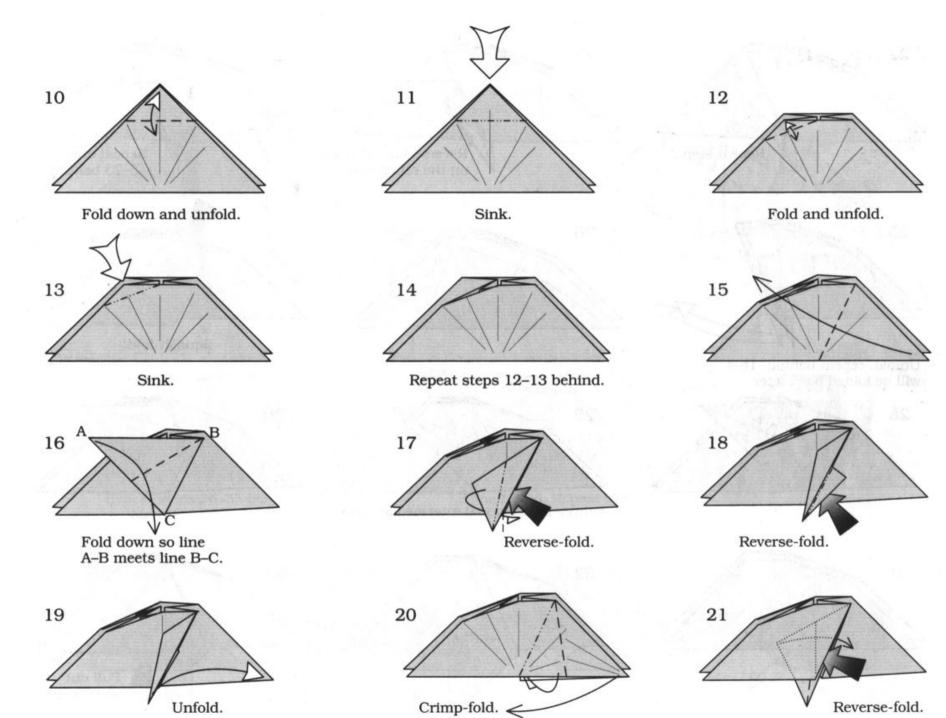
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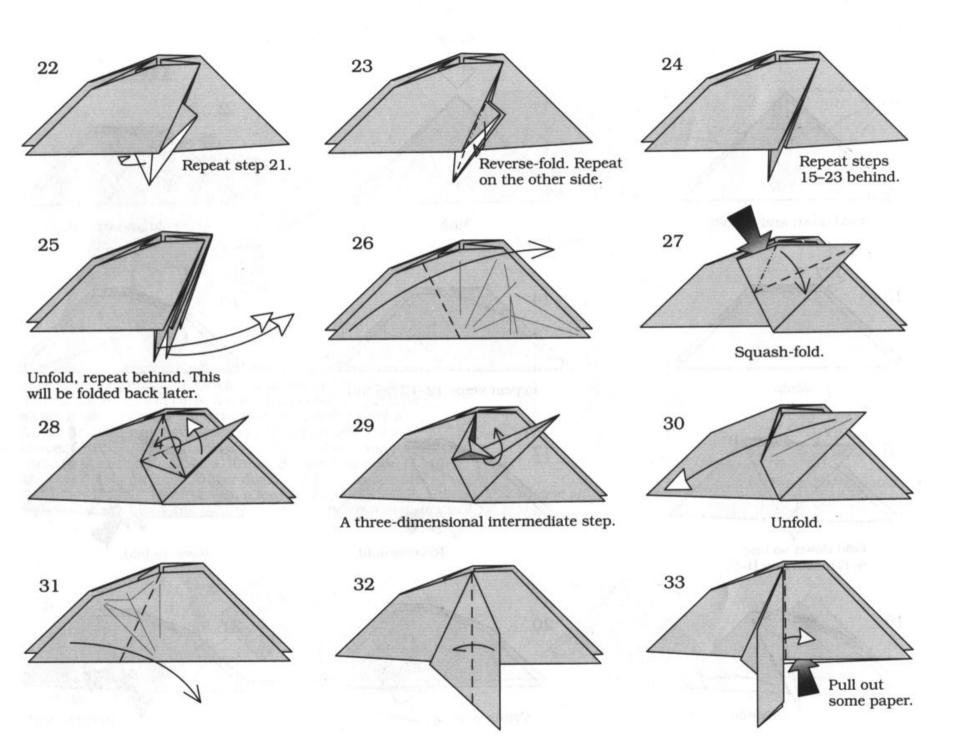


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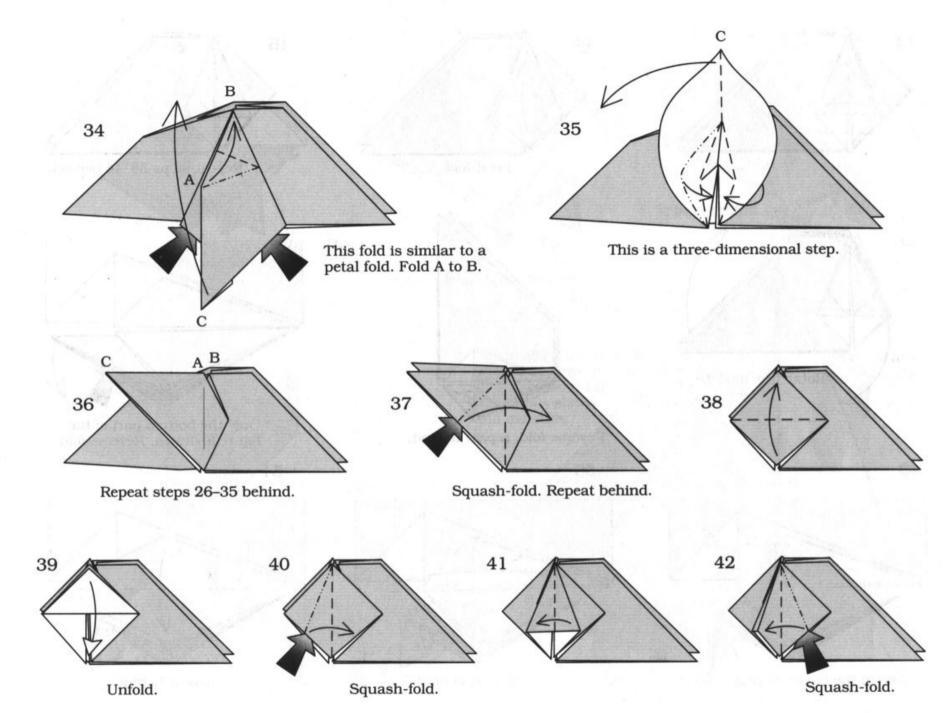
Repeat steps 7-8 on the right and behind.

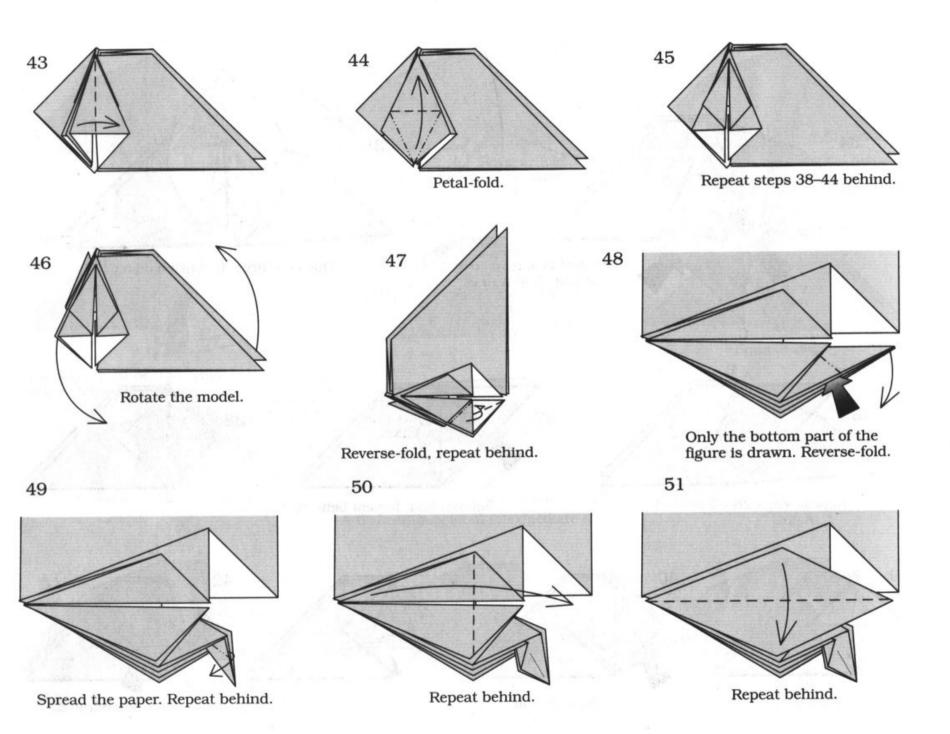


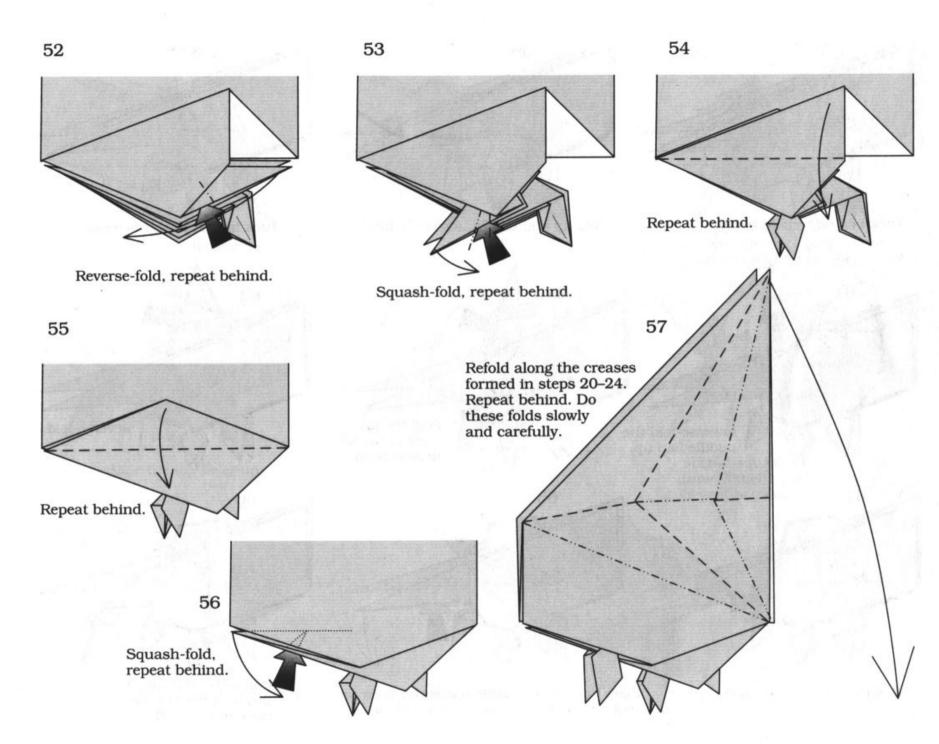


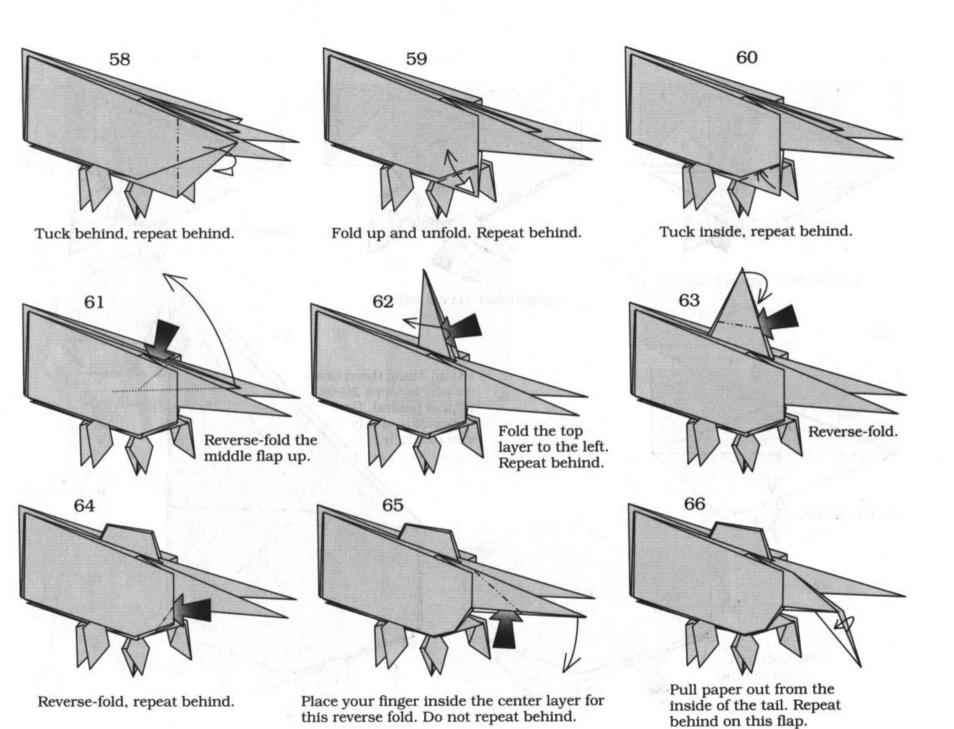
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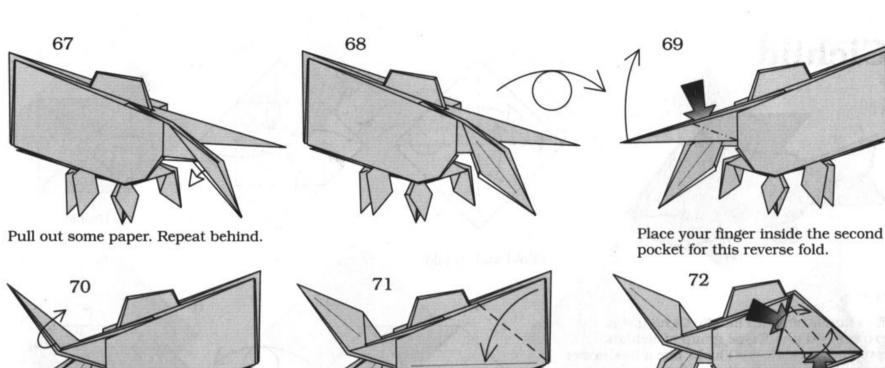


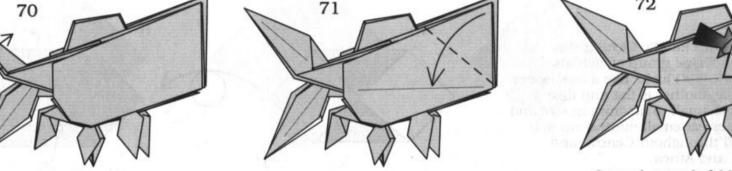


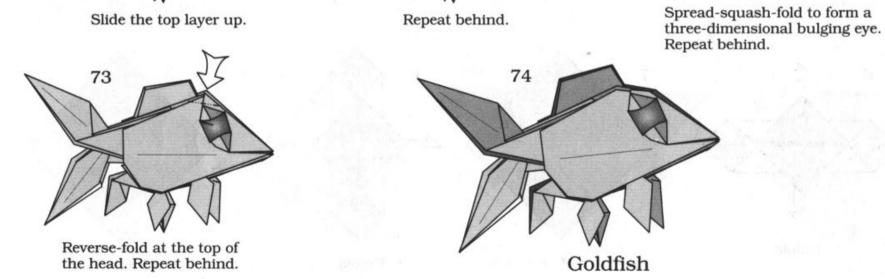




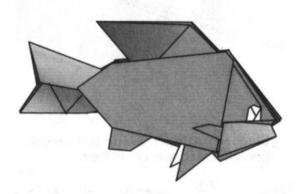
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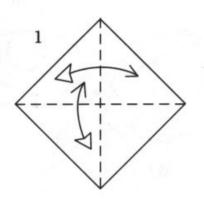


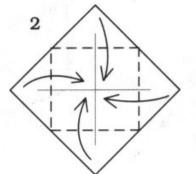


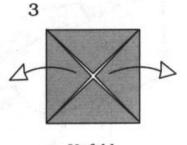


## Cichlid





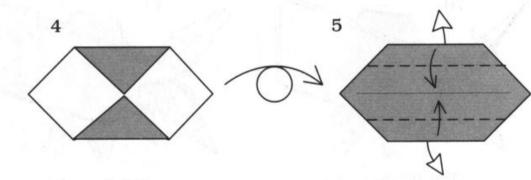


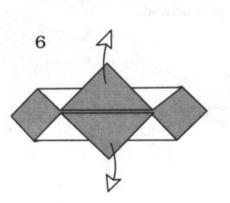


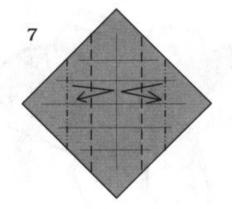
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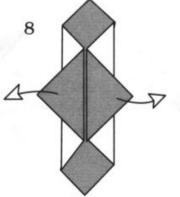
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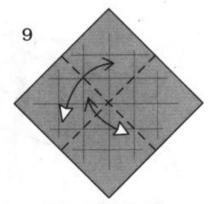
This family of fishes (family *Cichlidae*) is extremely diverse. One group of cichlids (pronounced 'SIK-lids') looks like a freshwater barracuda, while another is flat and disc shaped. They are small to medium in size and of all colors. They eat small marine animals. Many are found throughout Central and South America and Africa.









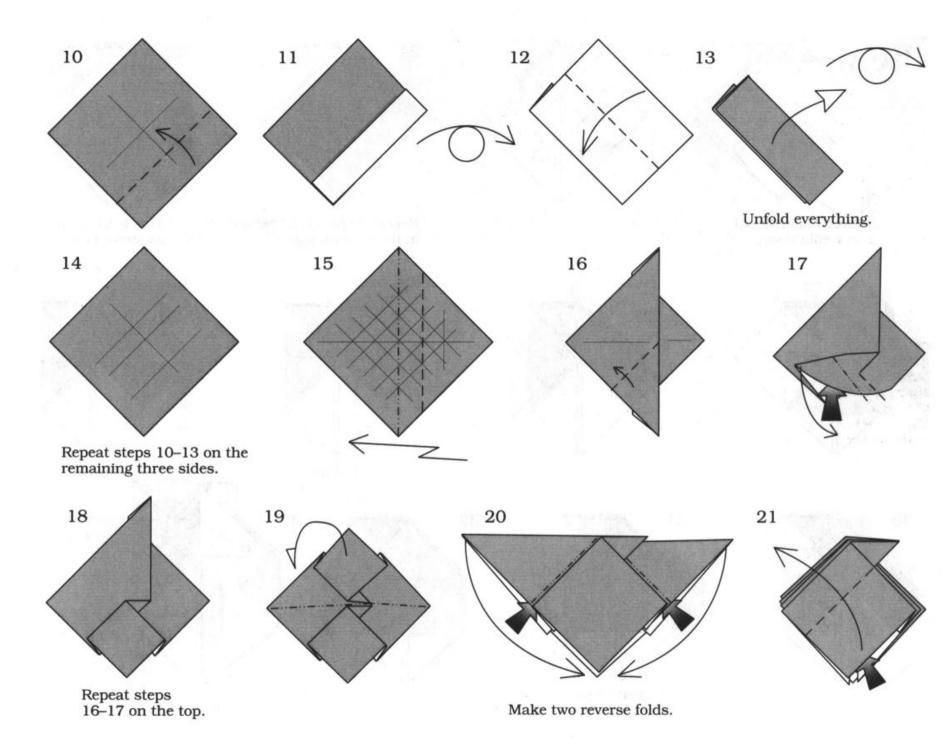


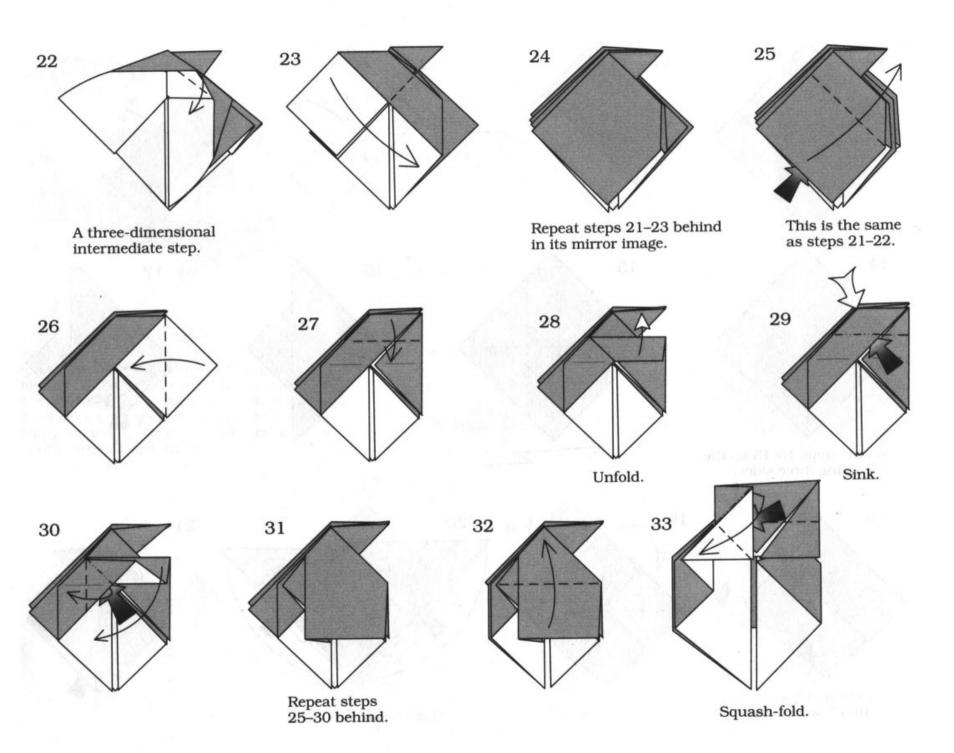
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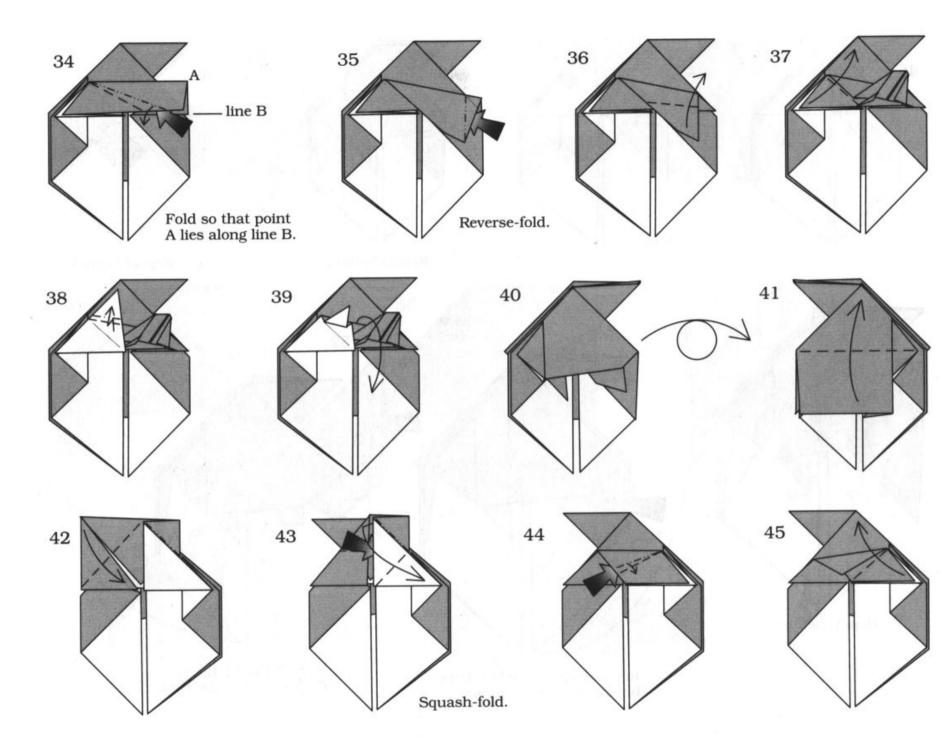
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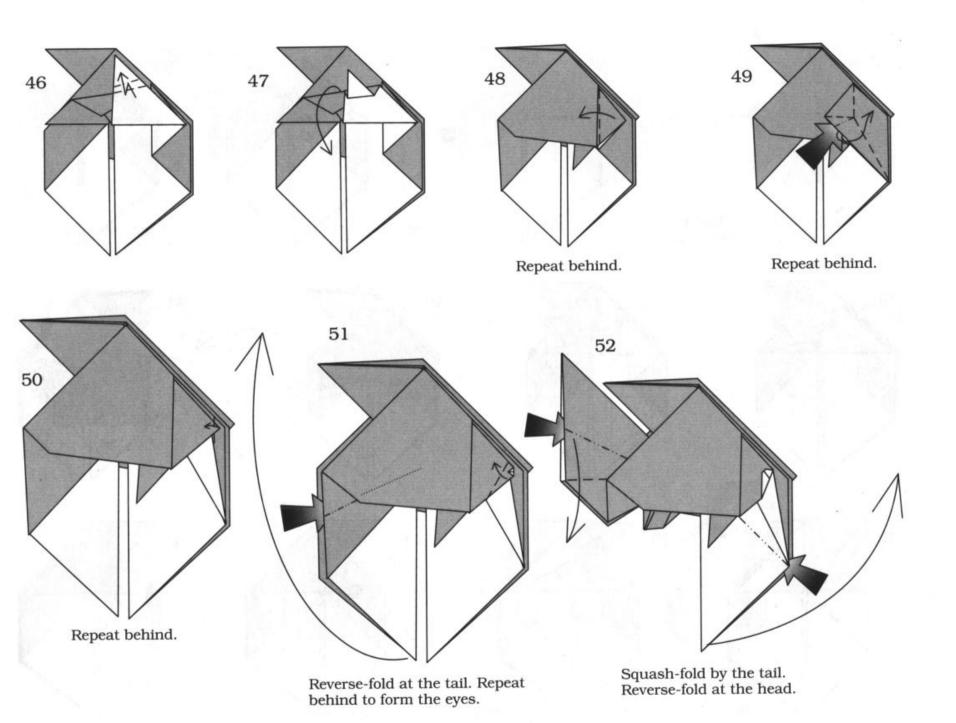


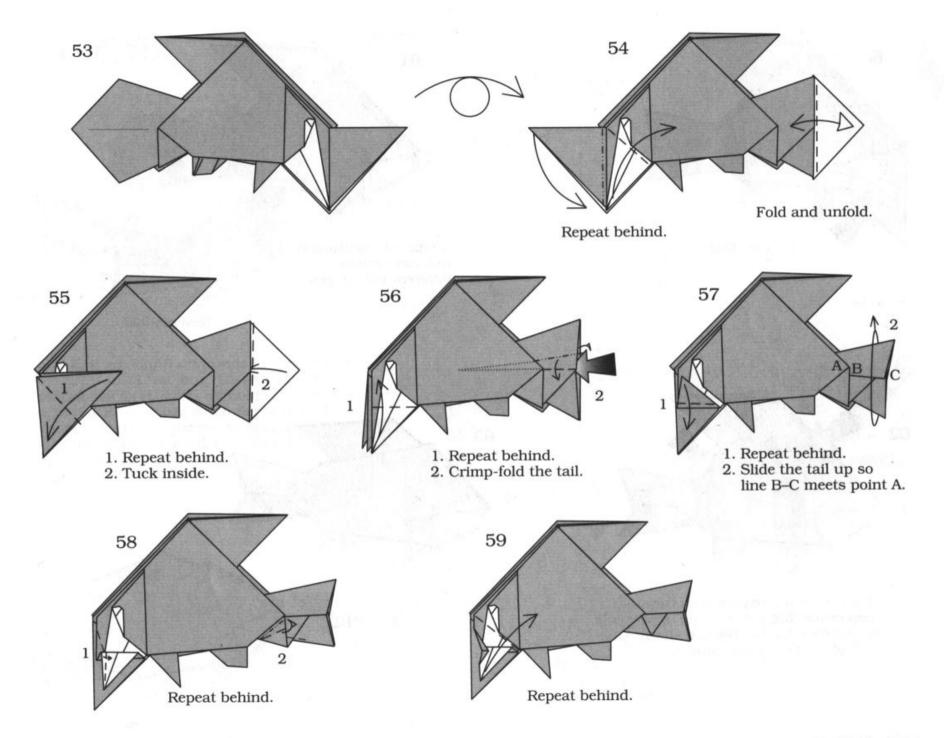


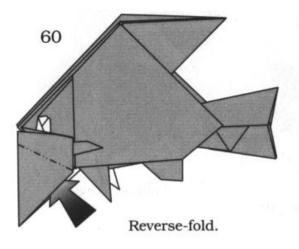
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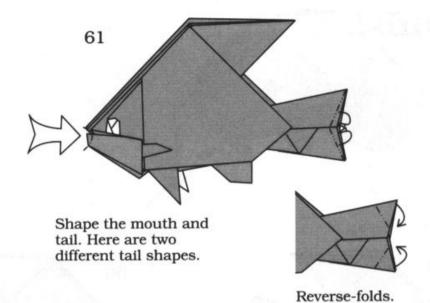


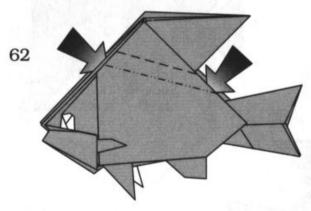
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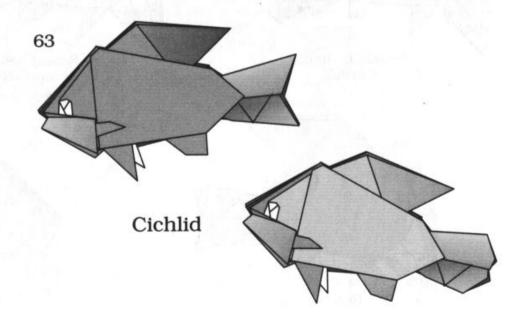




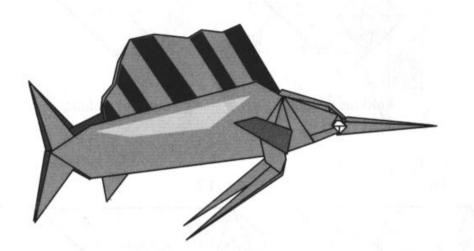


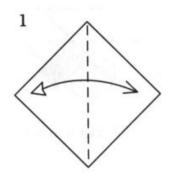


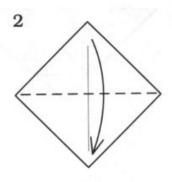
This fold is a cross between the sink and crimp fold. It forms the upper body and dorsal fin. Do this fold slowly. Only one of the two tails is drawn.



## Sailfish

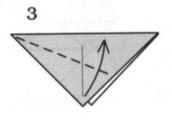


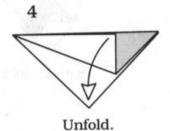


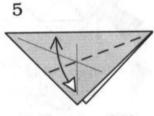


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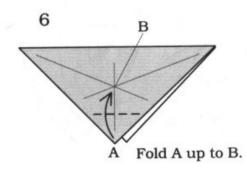
These fish are found worldwide in open oceans. They are 4 to 12 feet long. These agile fish can swim as fast as 60 miles an hour. Though they are toothless, they can catch fish with their swords. Hunting in groups, sailfish (*Istiophorus platypterus*) use their enlarged dorsal fins to trap smaller fish.

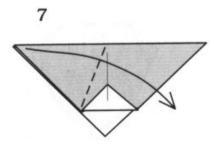


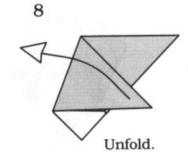


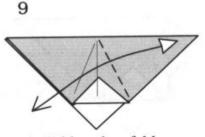


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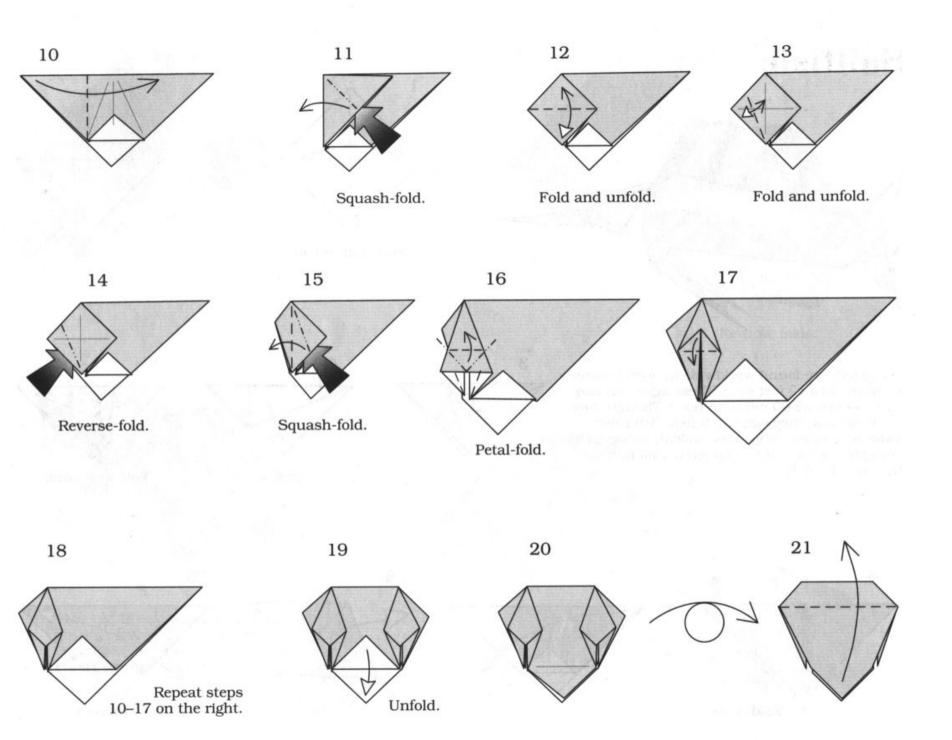




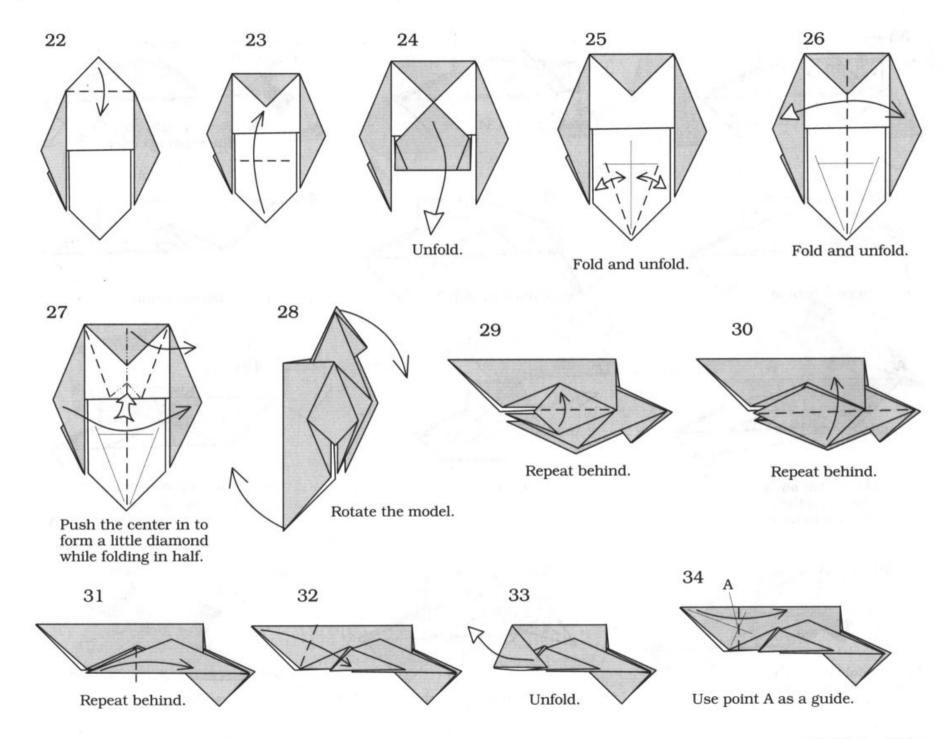


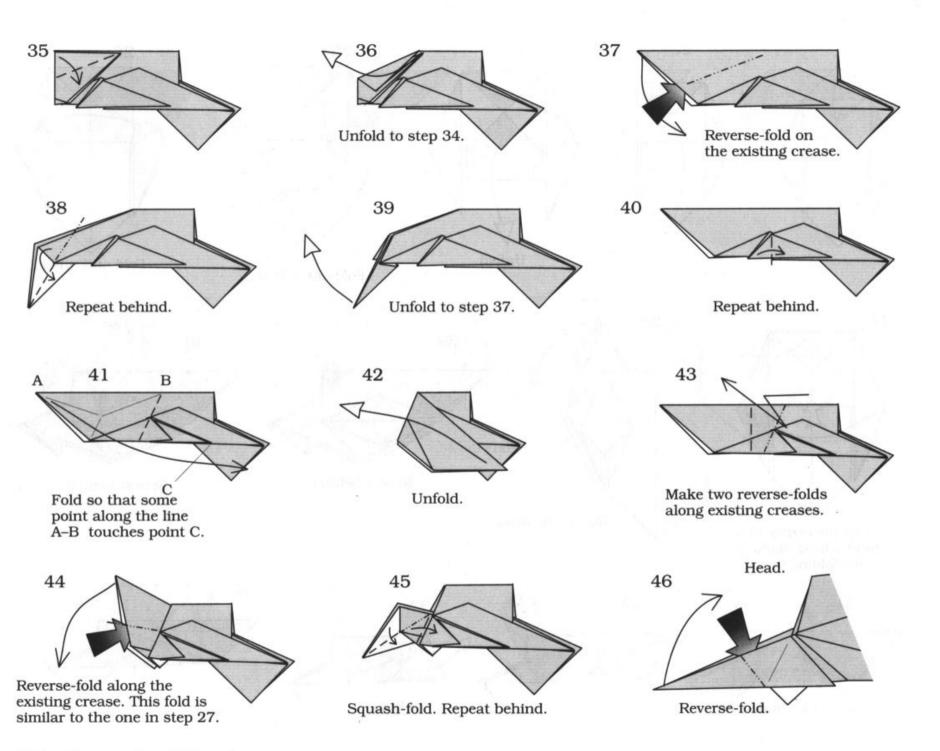


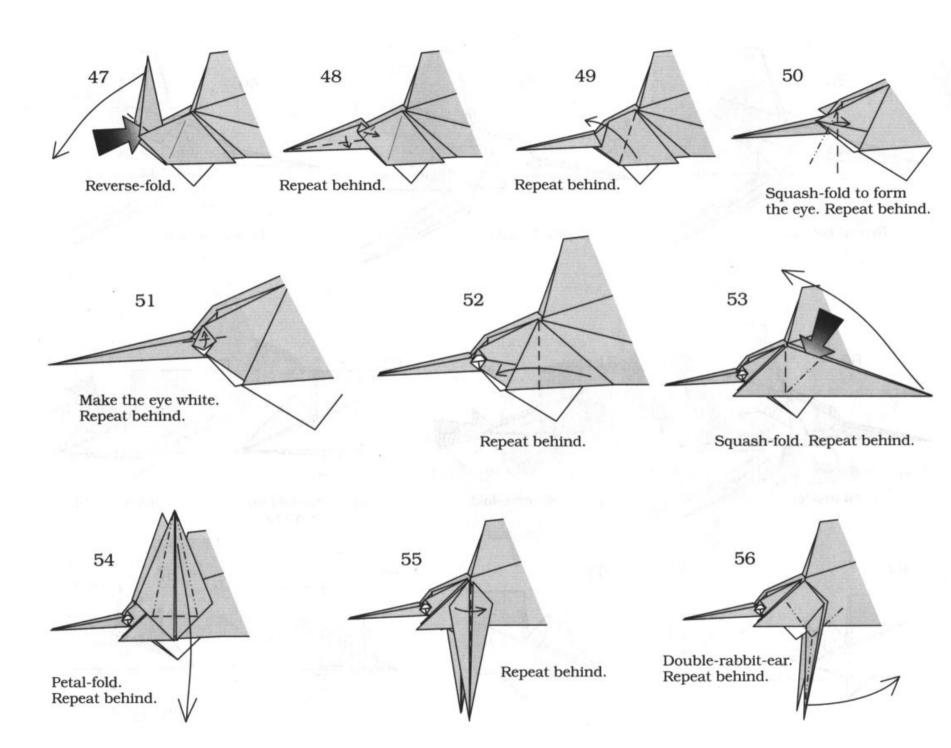
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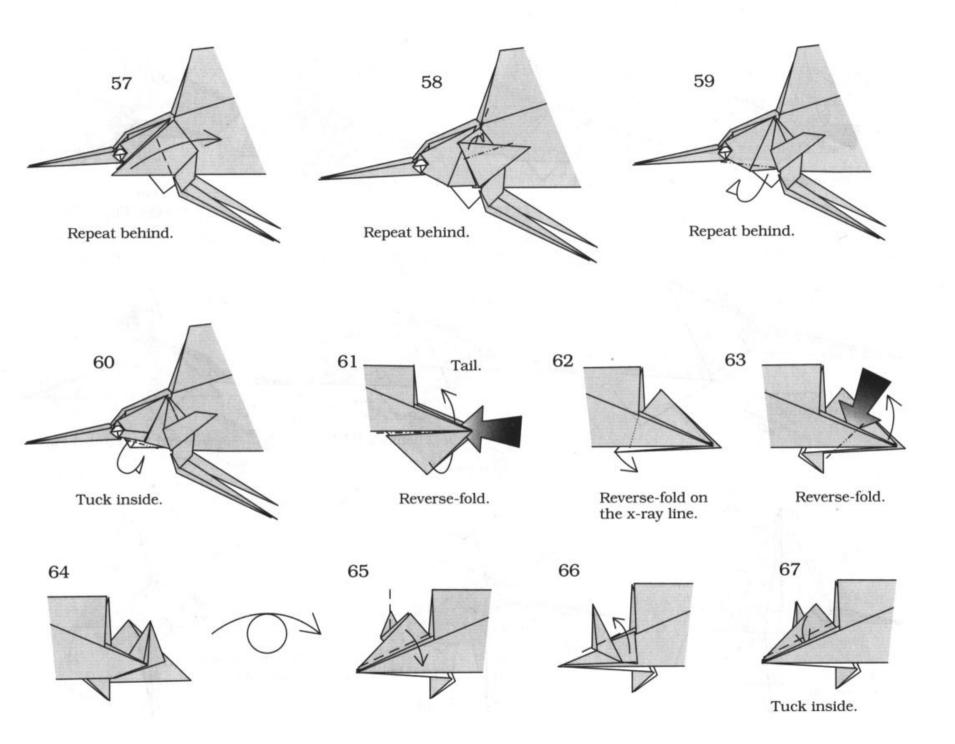


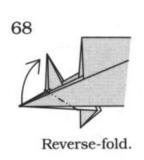
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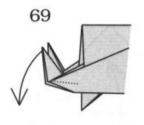






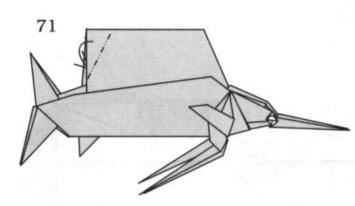




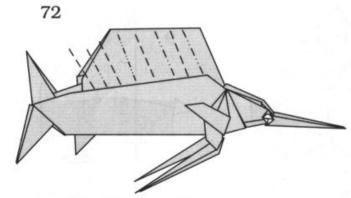


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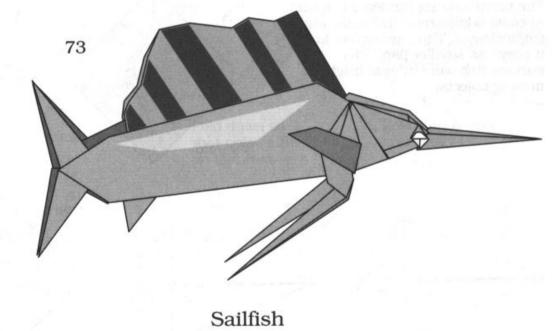
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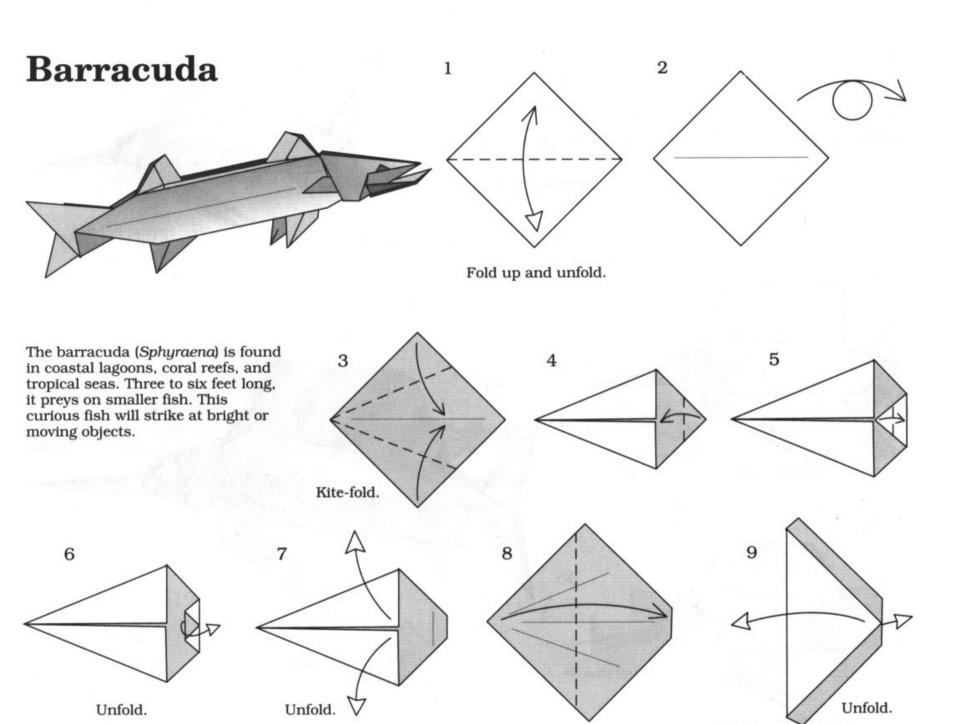


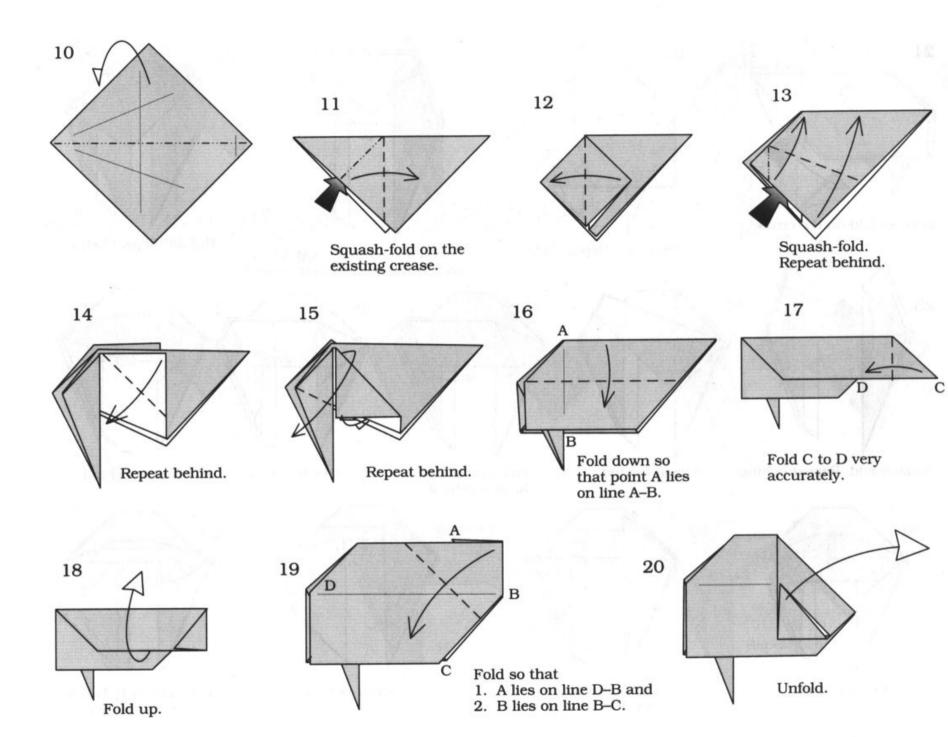
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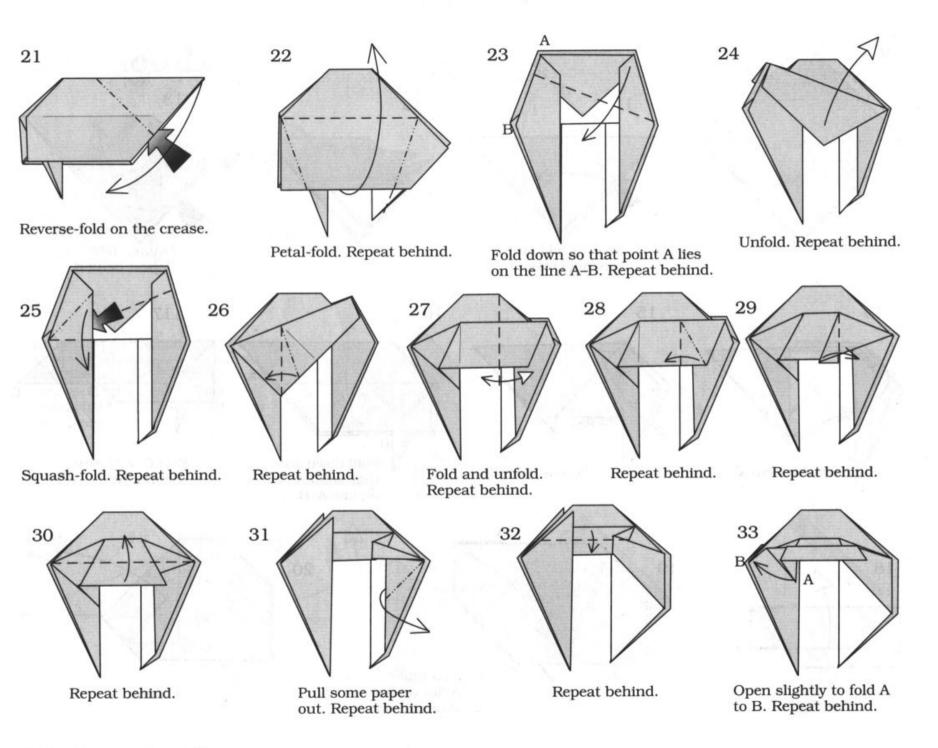
Pleat the dorsal fin.

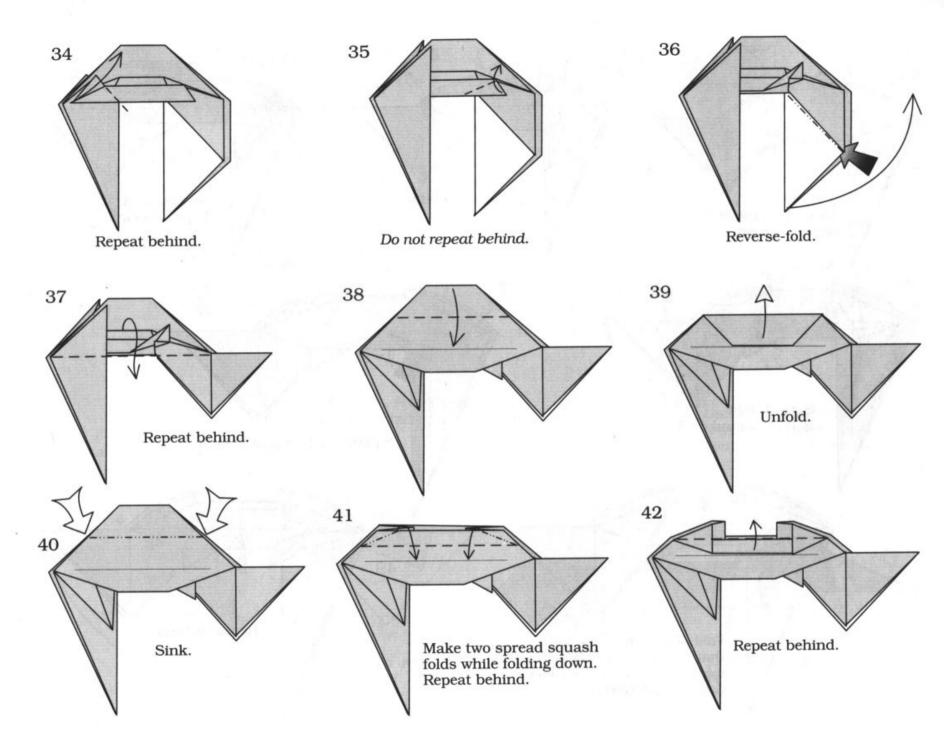


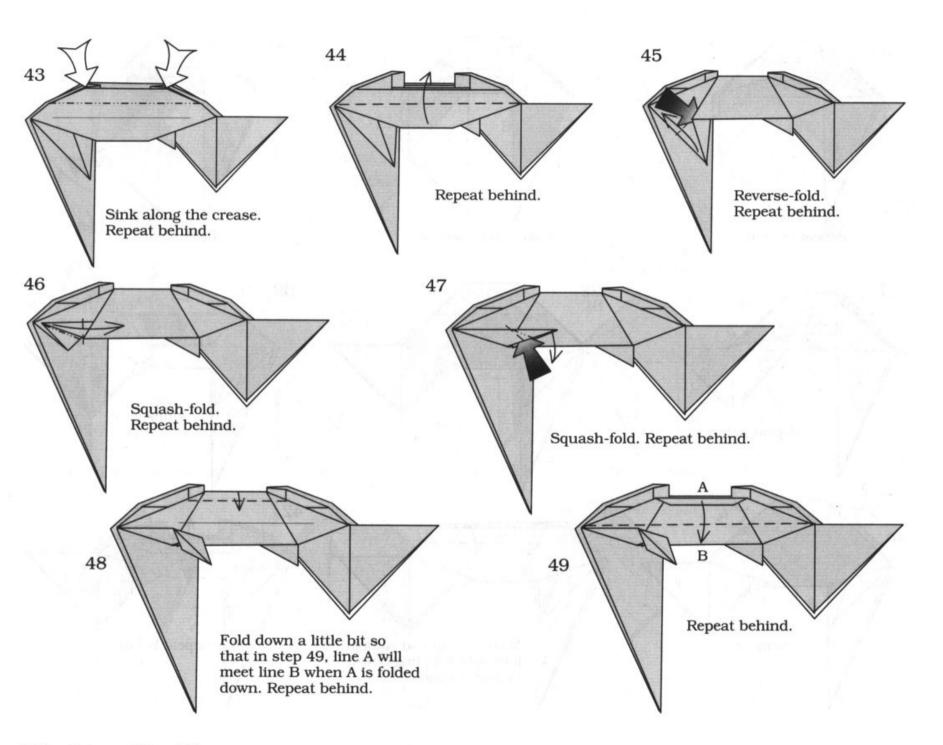




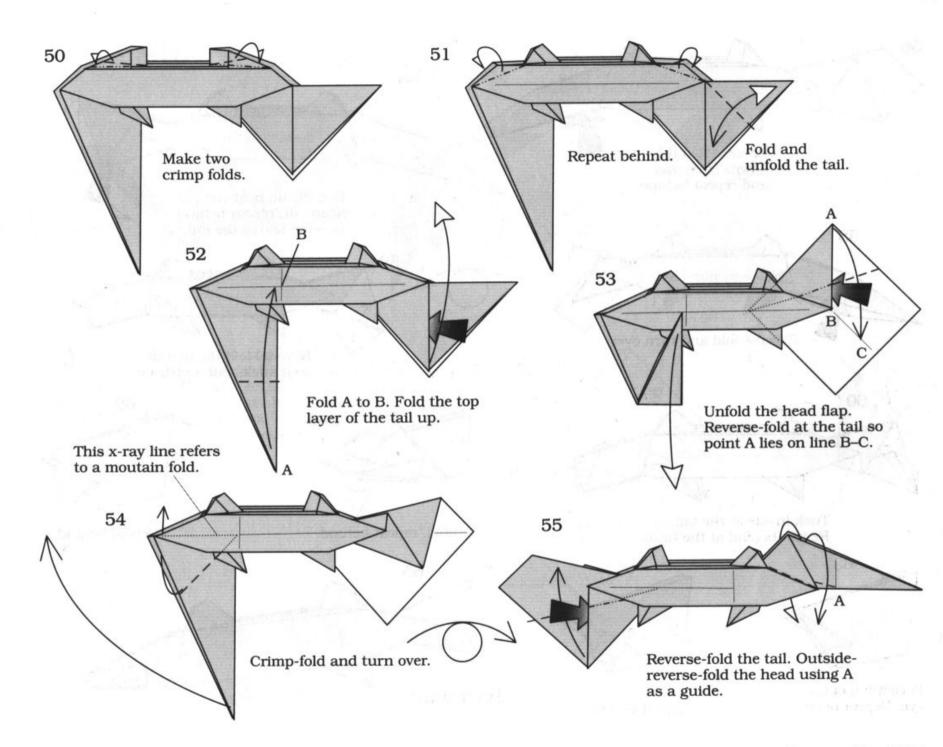
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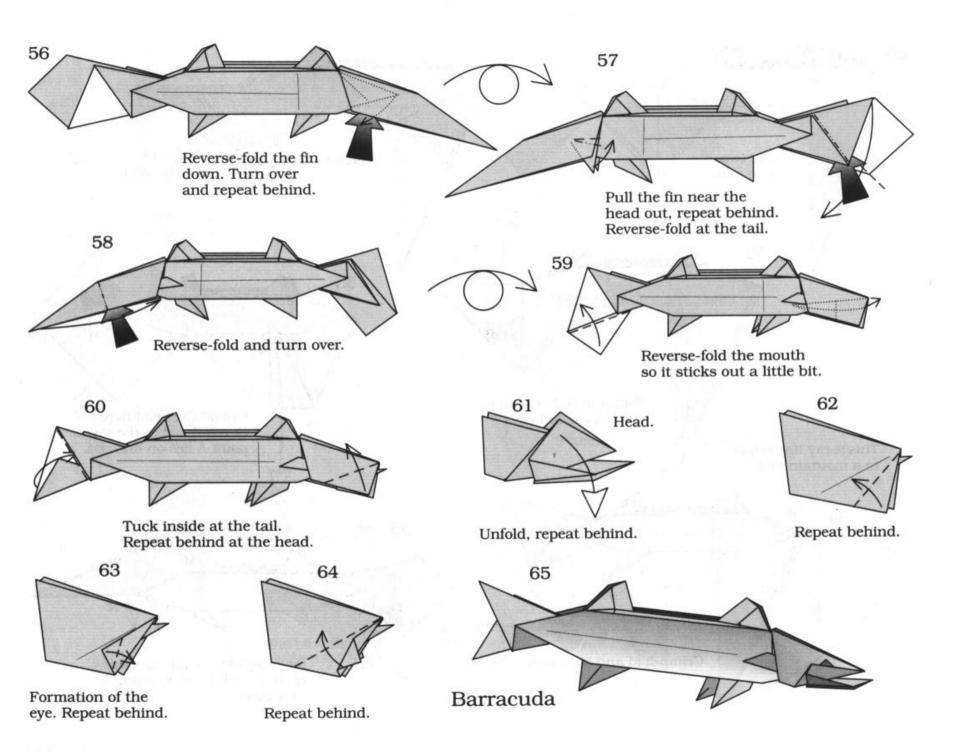




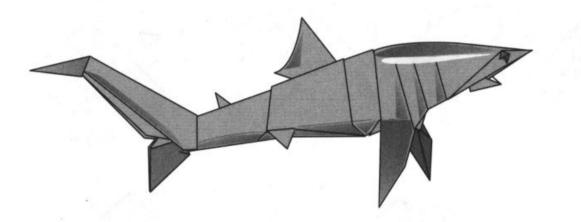


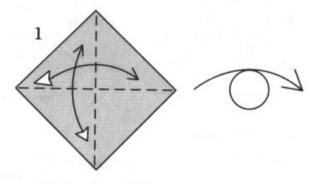
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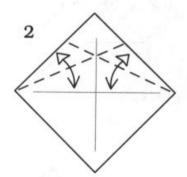
## Blue Shark

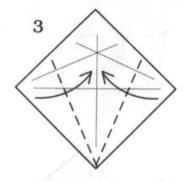




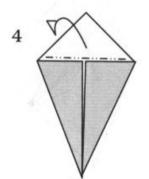
Fold and unfold.

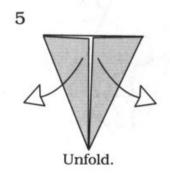
Sharks are among the most primitive forms of fish and have changed little over millions of years. Their skeletons are made of cartilage, not bone. They have a good sense of smell. The blue shark (*Prionace glauca*) is about 10 feet long and weighs about 200 pounds. This big game fish is found in deep coastal waters and feeds on small fish.

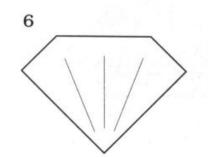


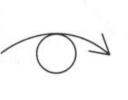


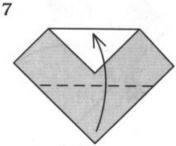
Fold and unfold.

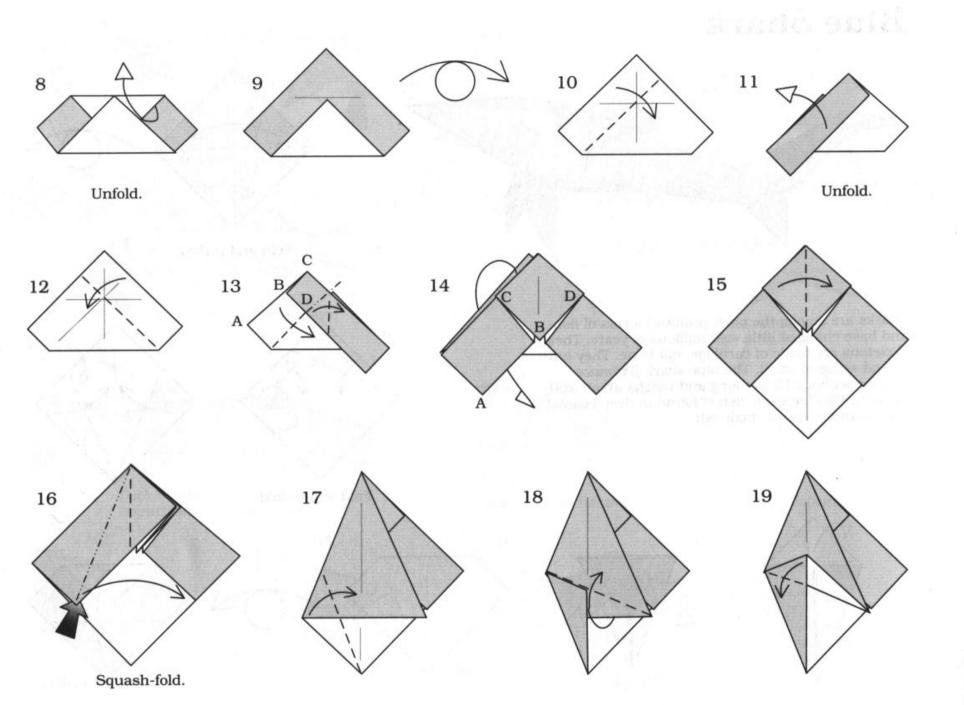




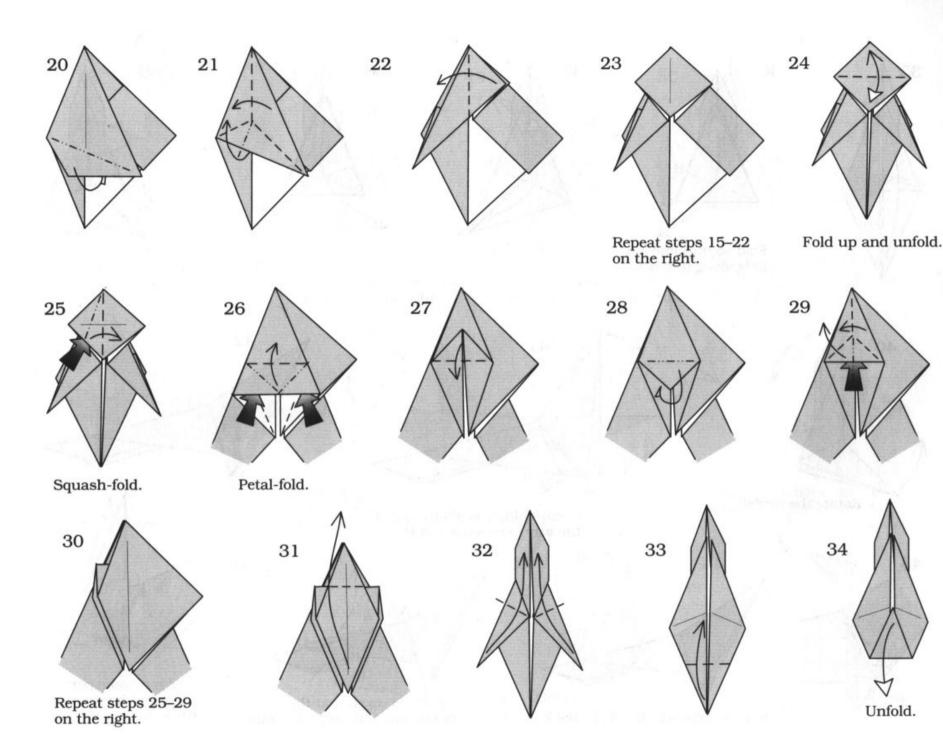




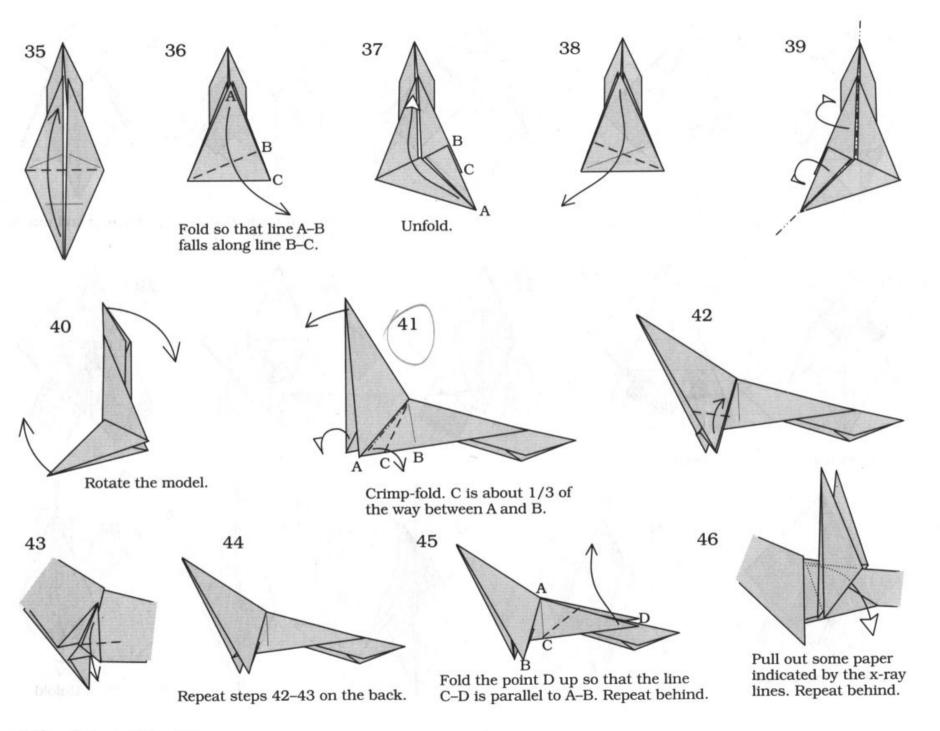




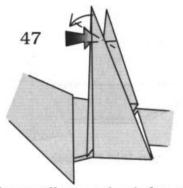
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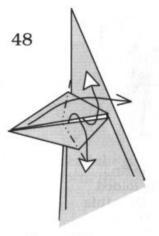
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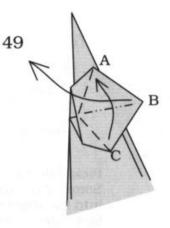
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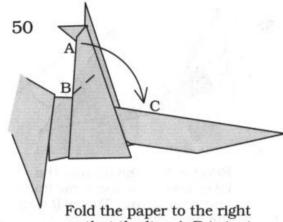
The small upper back fin will now be formed. There are no guide lines for this squash fold, but do not make it too small.



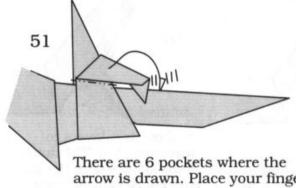
Spread the paper while folding to the right.



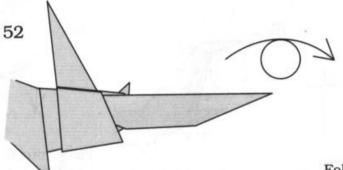
Fold C to A while B is folded up and to the left.



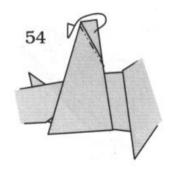
Fold the paper to the right so that the line A–B is just above B–C.

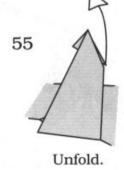


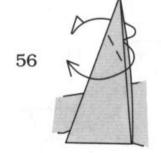
There are 6 pockets where the arrow is drawn. Place your finger into the third pocket — that is where the paper will be folded.



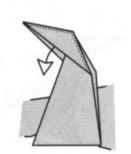
Fold the tip down so it is a bit above the corner A.



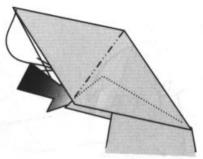




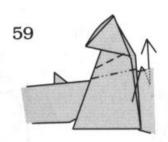
Outside-reverse-fold along the creases.



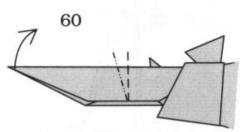
Pull out some paper. Repeat behind.



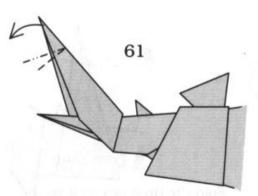
Reverse-fold the tip into the layer shown by the x-ray lines and large arrow. This will lock the fin.



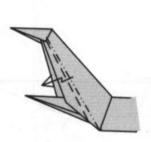
Pleat-fold to place the fin. Some of the paper is folded into the third layer. Give this fold a good, sharp crease.



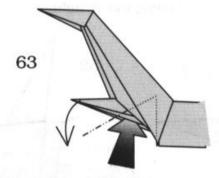
Crimp-fold the tail.



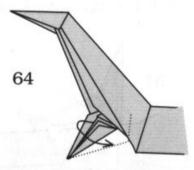
Crimp-fold the tip of the tail.



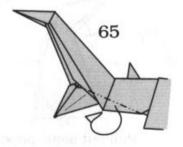
Repeat behind.



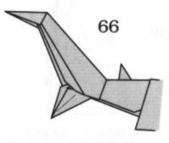
Place your finger into the most central layer to reverse-fold the lower part of the tail.



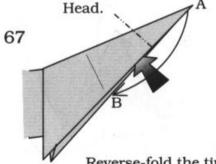
Pull out two layers to widen the tail. The dotted lines show where the paper will go. Repeat behind.



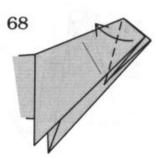
Repeat behind.

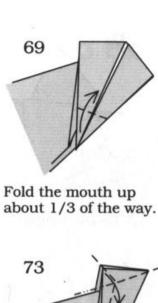


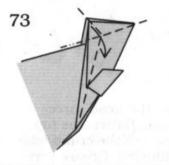
Completed tail.



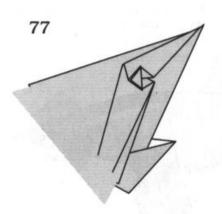
Reverse-fold the tip A to B.



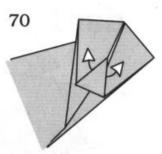




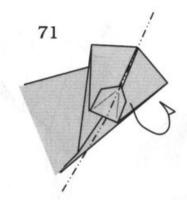
Rabbit-ear. Repeat behind.

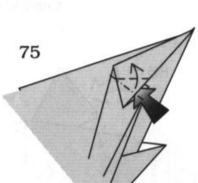


Completed eyes.

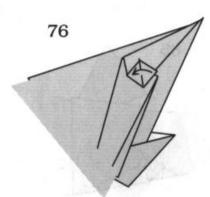


Spread the paper to form the mouth.





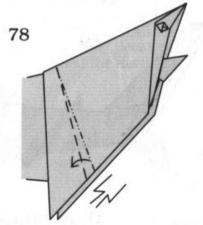
Squash-fold to form the eye. Repeat behind.



Slide the mouth.

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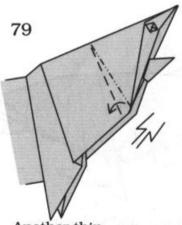
Repeat behind.



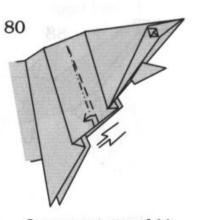
Step 75 shows an

enlarged view.

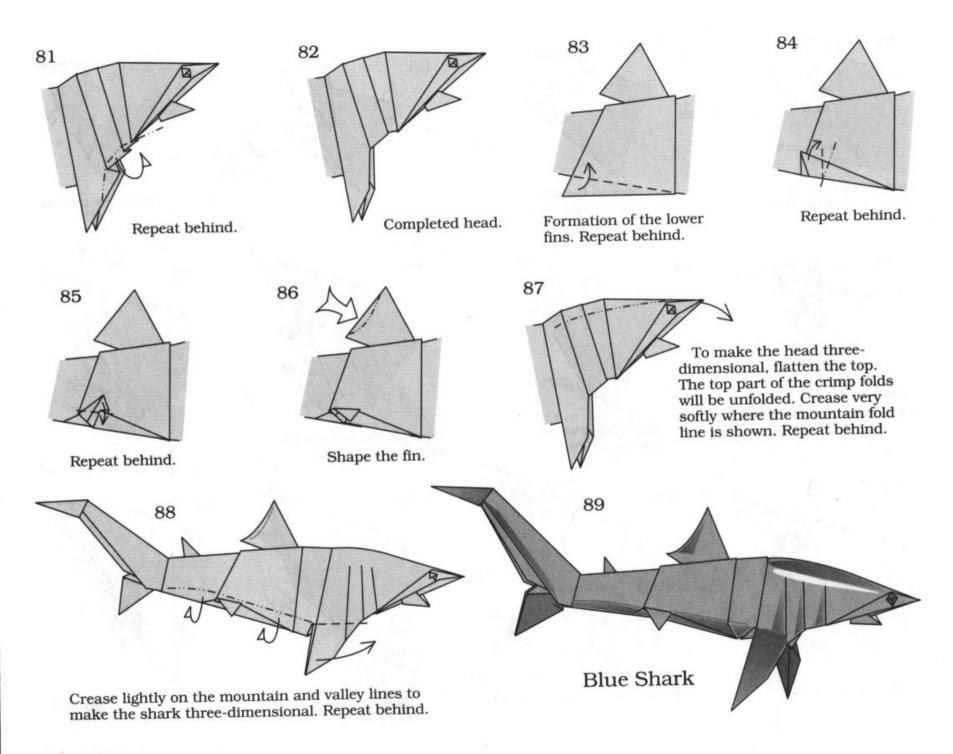
This is a very thin crimp fold.



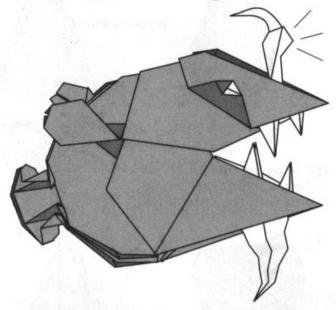
Another thin crimp at the head.

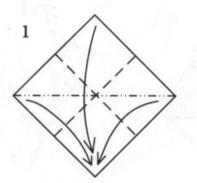


One more crimp-fold between the others.

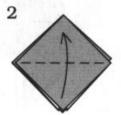


## Deep Sea Angler Fish

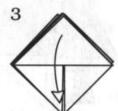




Begin with the Preliminary Fold.



Fold up. repeat behind.



Unfold, repeat behind.

This scary looking fish lives in the deep sea at depths of two miles and more. It ranges in size from two inches to six feet. The majority of the fish is mouth and stomach, both of which are expandable and allow the fish to swallow a meal up to twice its own size. Because no light penetrates to the depth where this fish lives, many of the creatures use bioluminescence. The deep sea angler (Linophryne arborifer) uses light to its advantage by having a small "lamp" on the top of its head. Other fish are attracted to the light without noticing the waiting jaws of death. For obvious reasons, this fish has been called the devil's lantern.



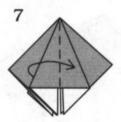
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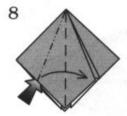
Fold up and unfold. Repeat behind.



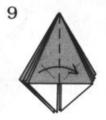
Squash-fold. Repeat behind.



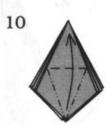
Repeat behind.



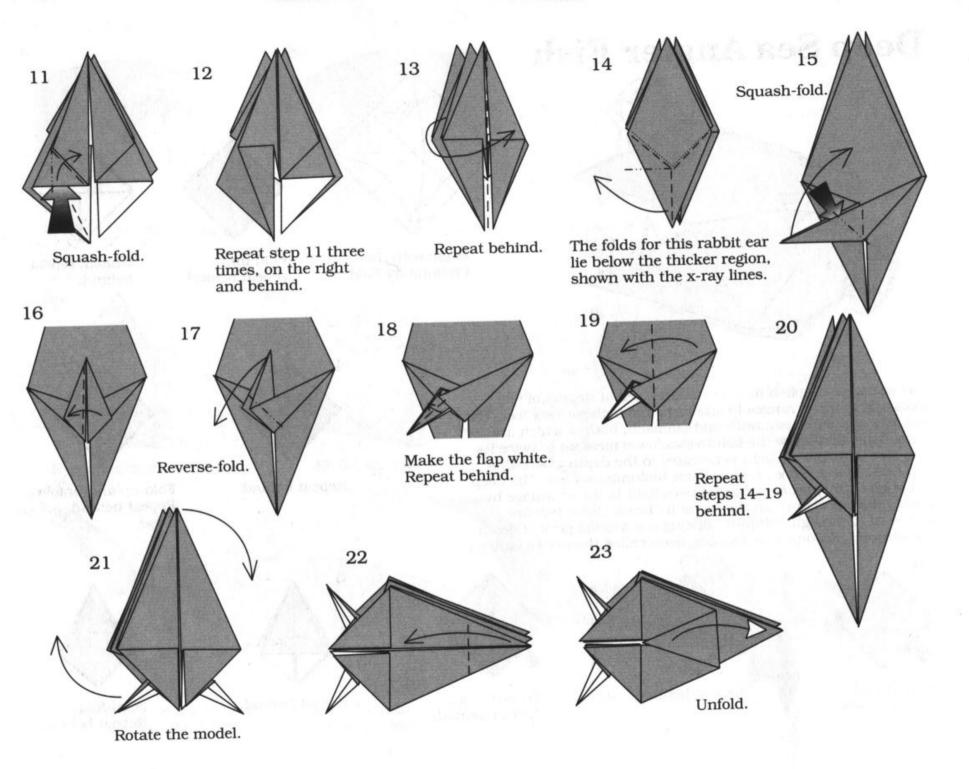
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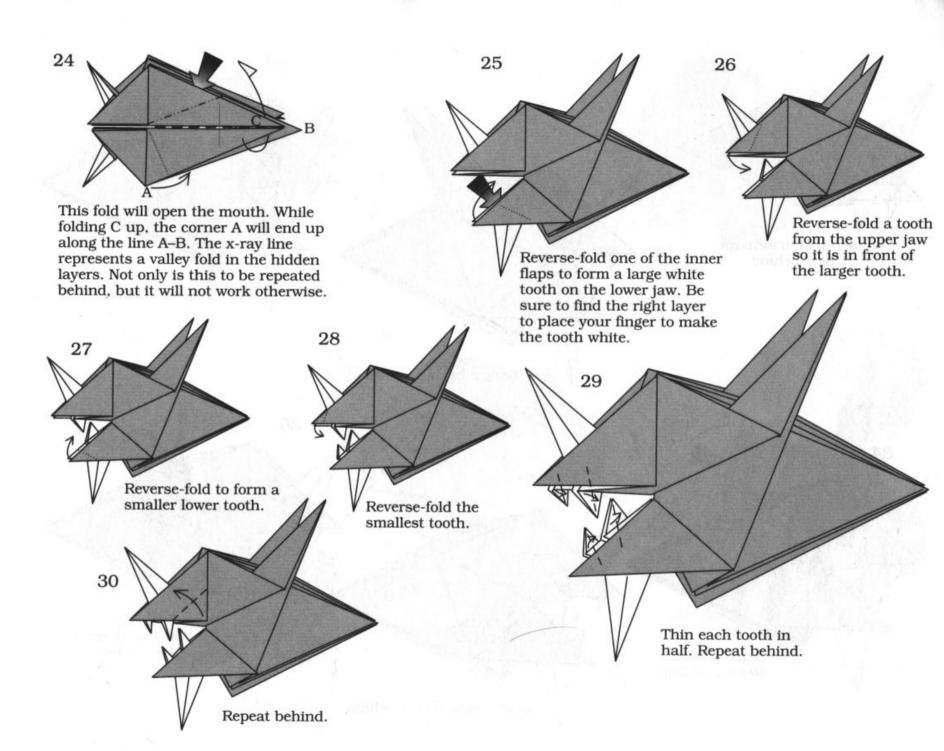
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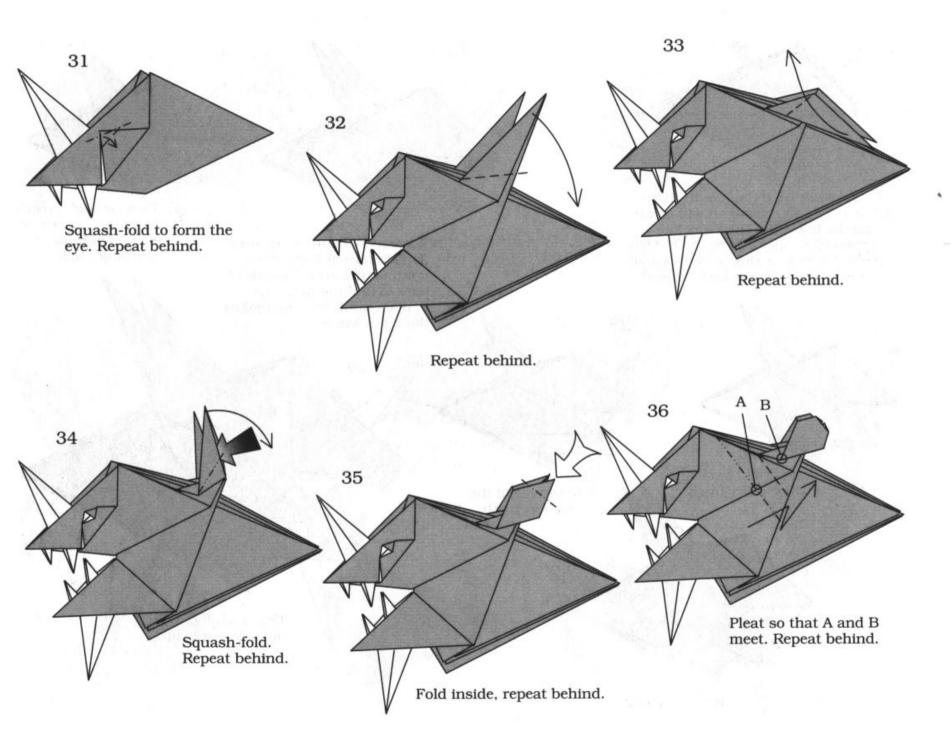


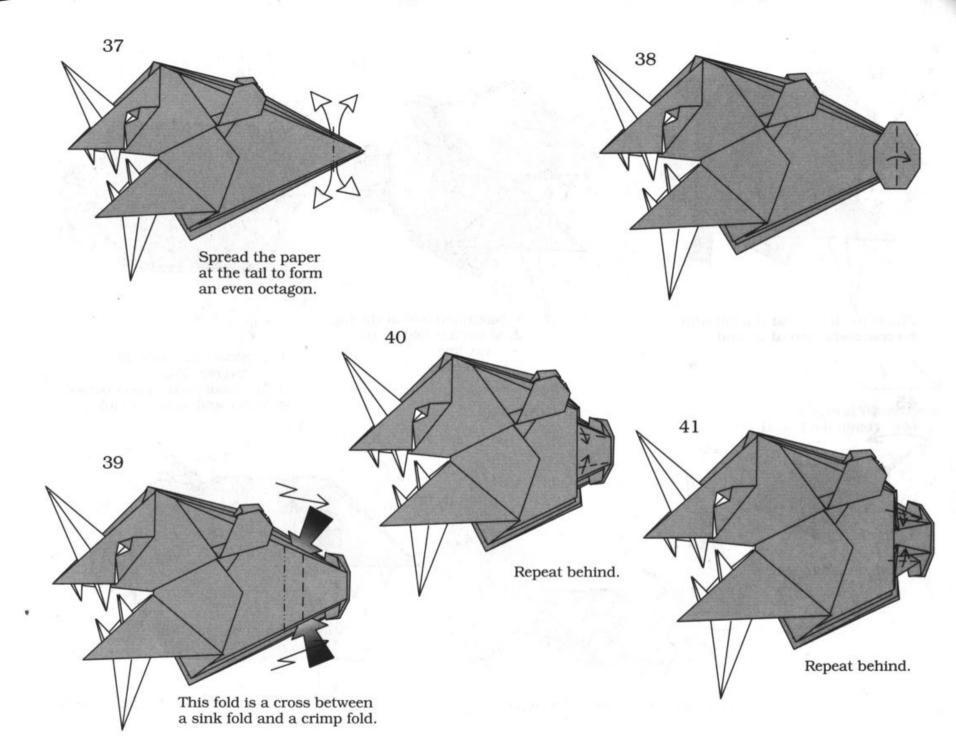
Petal-fold. Repeat behind.

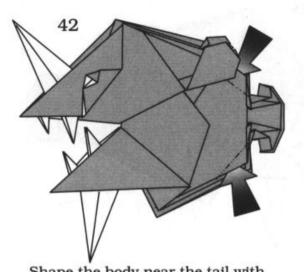


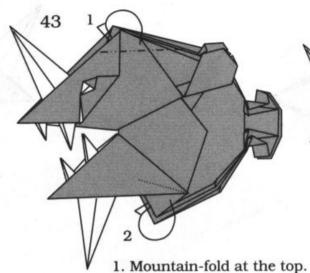
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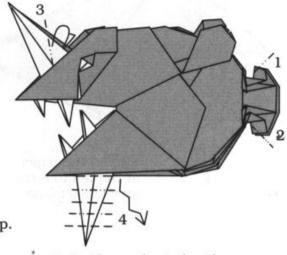






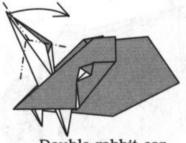






Shape the body near the tail with reverse folds. Repeat behind.

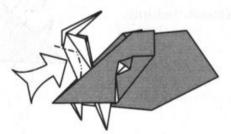
- 2. Mountain-fold on the x-ray line. Repeat behind.
- 1, 2. Shape the tail with reverse folds.
- Mountain-fold, repeat behind.
  Valley and mountain folds.



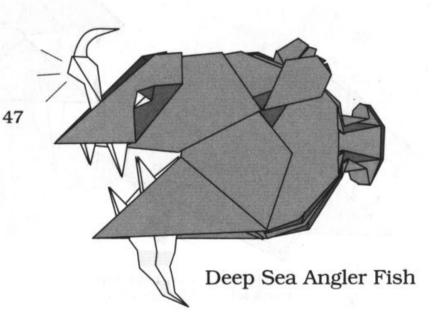
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Double-rabbit-ear.

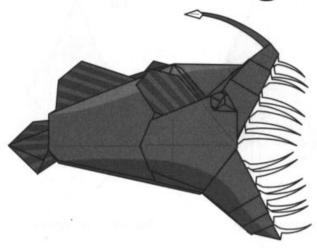
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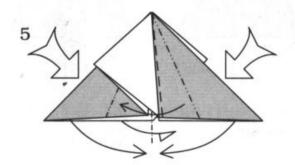
Make the lure three-dimensional.



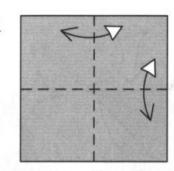
## **Blackdevil Angler**



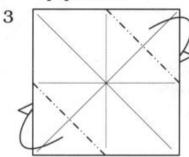
The Blackdevil Angler (*Melanocetus niger*) may well be one of the most scary fishes in the world. But despite their ferocious appearance, deep sea anglers rarely reach six inches in length. They are black and tend to have warty growths over their body. The female is much larger than the male, which lives its life parasitically attached to the female's body. This greatly enhances the chances for reproduction in an environment where individuals might otherwise never meet another of their own species.



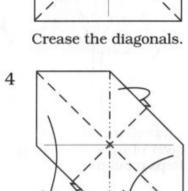
Squash-fold. Repeat behind.



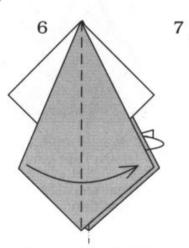
Crease. Turn the paper over.



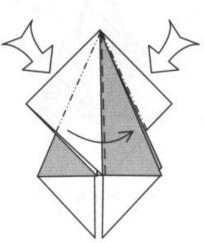
Fold the corners behind.



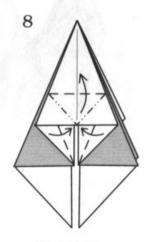
Fold a hybrid Waterbomb Base-Preliminary Fold.



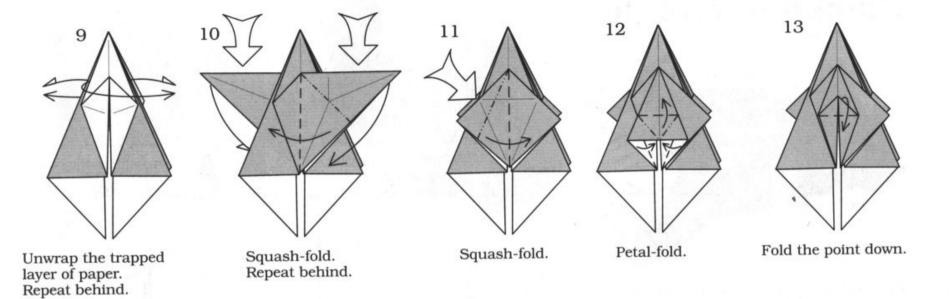
Fold one layer to the right in front and one to the left in back.

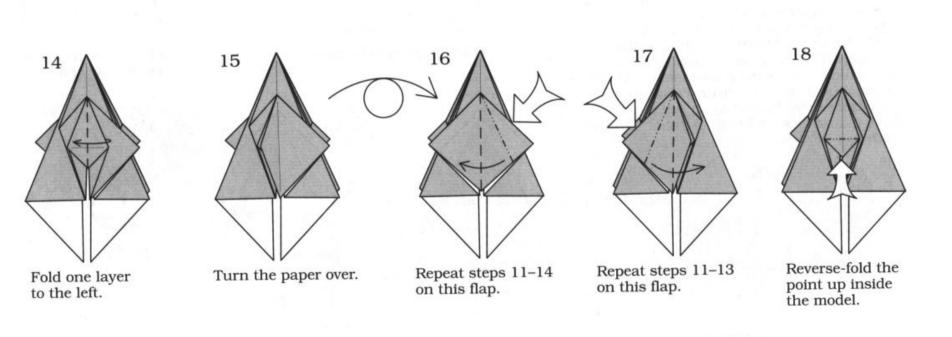


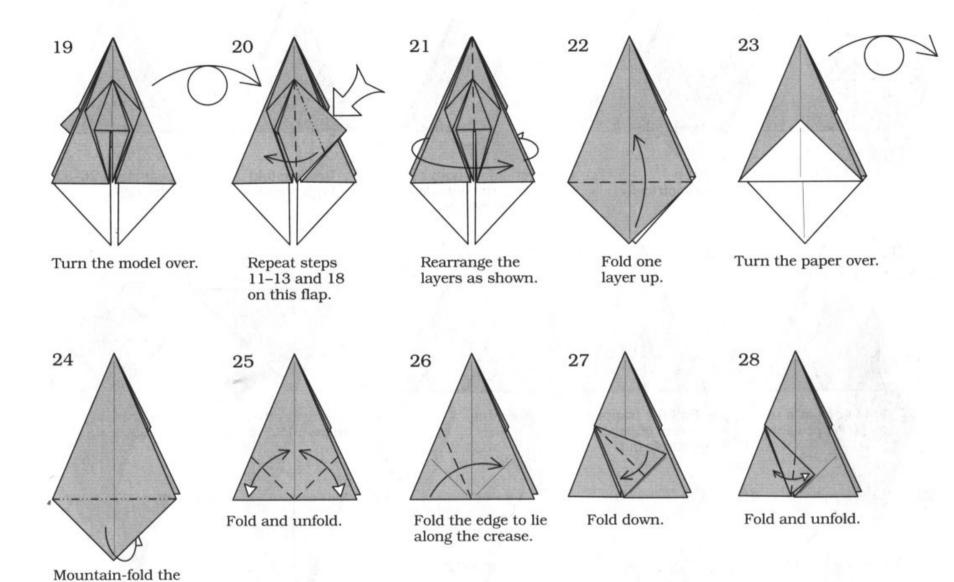
Squash-fold. Repeat behind.



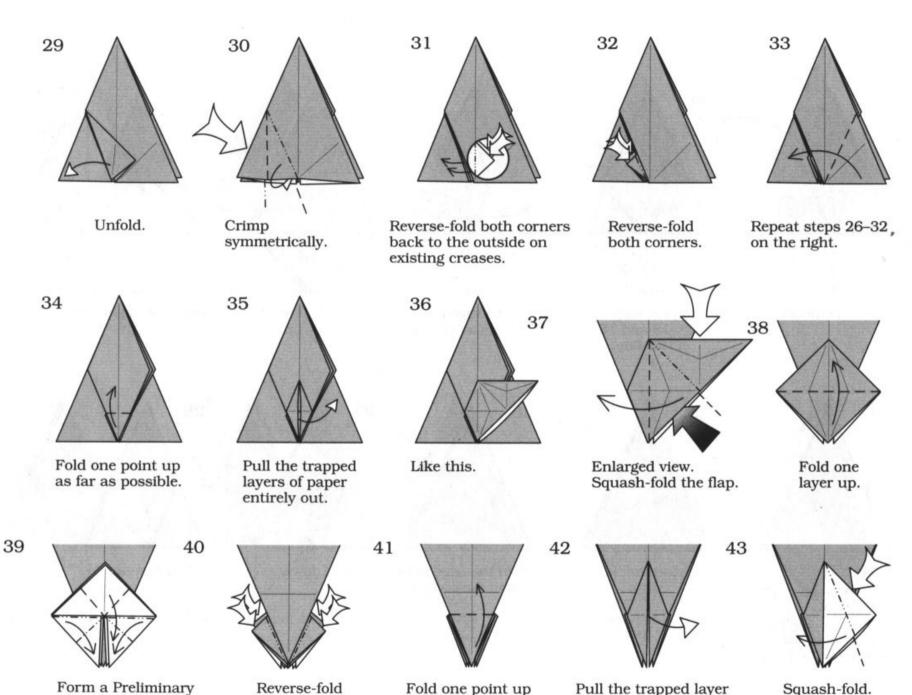
Petal-fold. Repeat behind.







point up into the inside of the model.

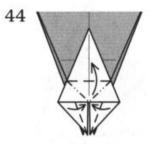


as far as possible.

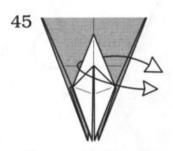
four corners.

Pull the trapped layer Squash-fold. out from the interior.

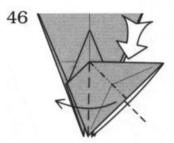
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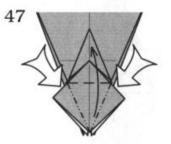
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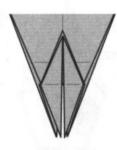
Unwrap the loose layer of paper.



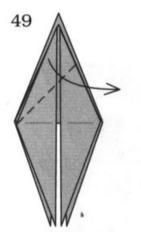
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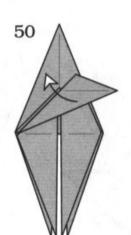
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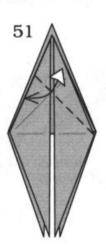
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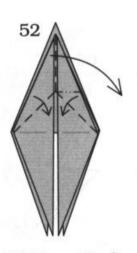
Enlarged view of the tip. Fold the tip down so that the crease lines up with the edge underneath.



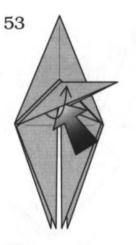
Unfold.



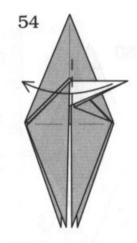
Fold and unfold.



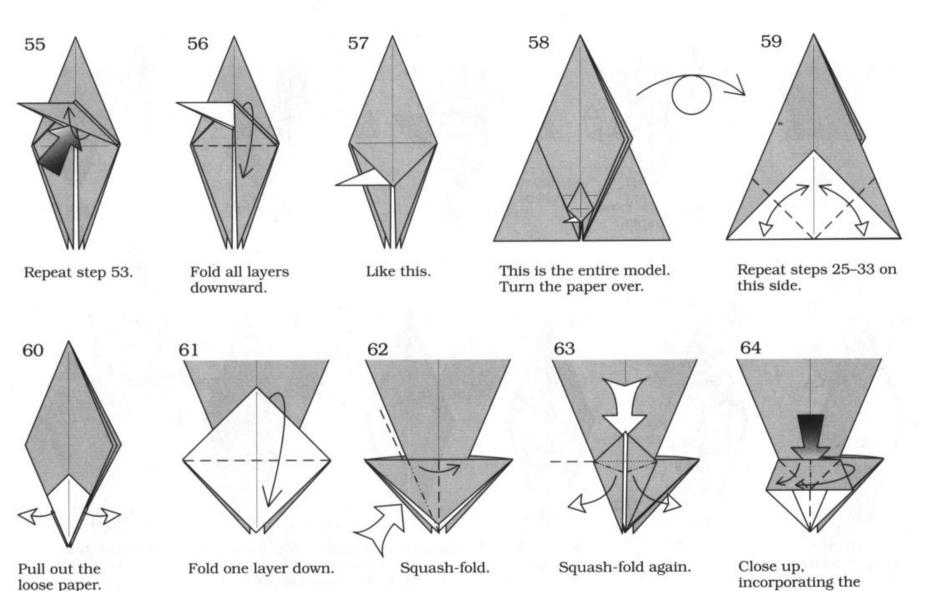
Rabbit-ear the flap using the creases you just made.



Wrap one layer of paper from inside to the outside.

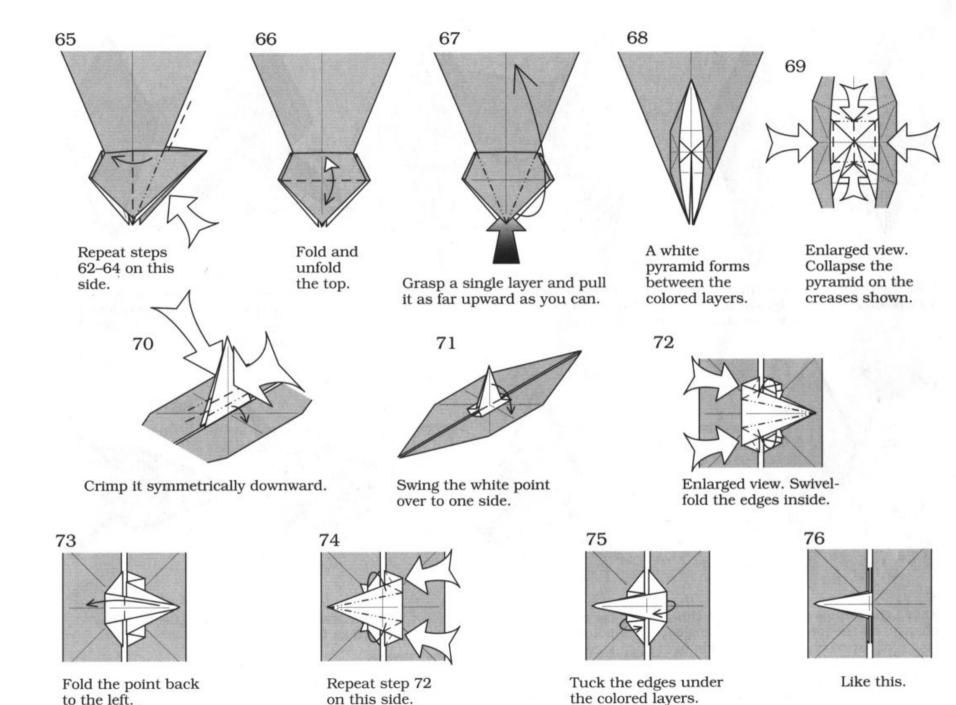


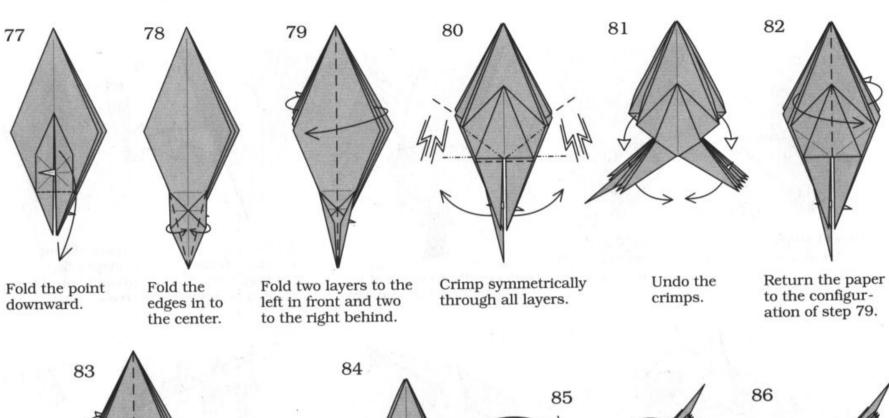
Fold the point over to the left.

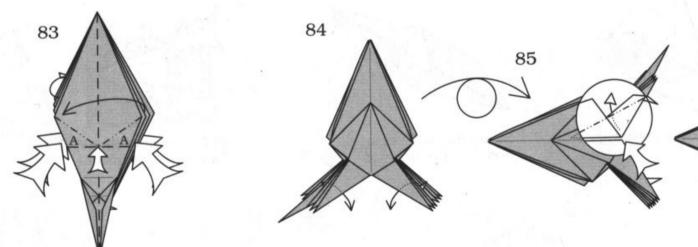


reverse fold shown.

loose paper.





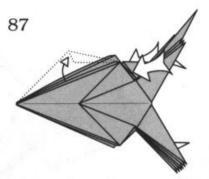


Refold the crimps of step 80 with this change; on the top and bottom single layers of paper, change valley folds to mountain folds and vice-versa. The effect is to sink the edges marked A into themselves (similarly behind).

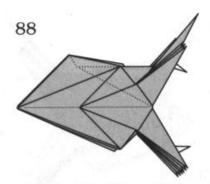
Swing the two white points (the results of steps 57 and 76) downward. Turn the paper over.

Sink the inside corner upward as far as possible.

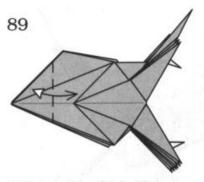
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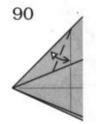
Pull out as much paper as possible; crimps at the white arrows disappear in the process.



Like this. X-ray lines show hidden edges.



Fold and unfold (there's no reference point).



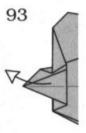
Enlarged view of tail. Crease the angle bisector.



Pleat through all layers.



Swivel-fold.



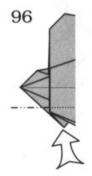
Unfold to step 90.



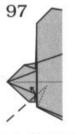
Spread the bottom layers symmetrically to form a three-sided pyramid.



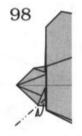
Carefully collapse the pyramid on the creases shown.



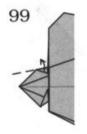
Sink this corner.



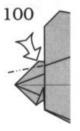
Swivel-fold the hidden corner.



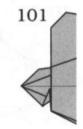
Repeat behind.



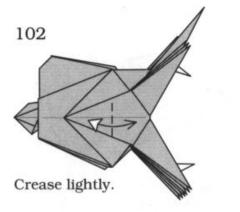
Fold upwards.

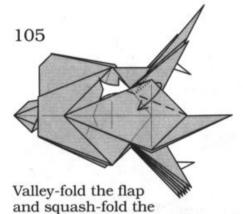


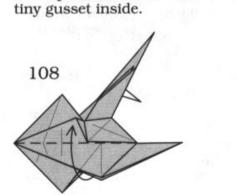
Sink.



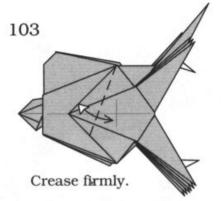
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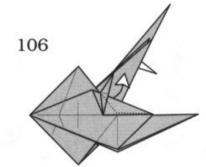




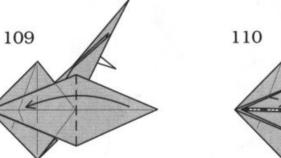


Fold one layer upward.

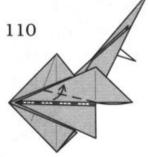




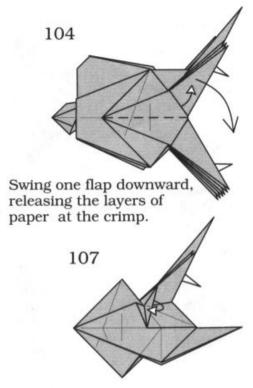
The body and tail are not shown for the next 11 steps. Pull out a single layer of paper.



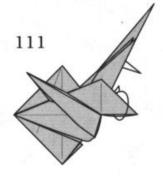
Fold the point over to the left.



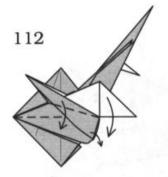
Pleat the top portion of the point; the bottom will not lie flat.



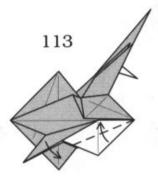
Pull out the layers from under the gusset.



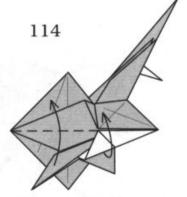
With the pleat in place, wrap one layer of paper from front to back.



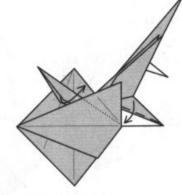
Close the model up, adding a second pleat.



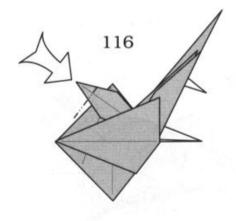
Shift the point slightly downward and fold the white edge upward.



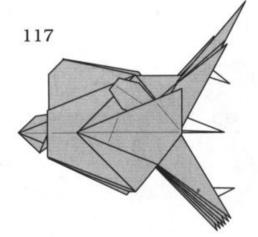
Close up the flap.



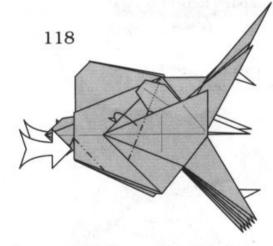
Open out the colored point and fold the single layer over the white point.



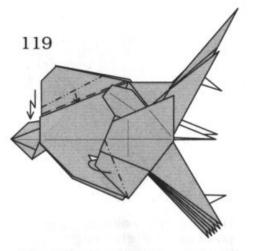
Sink the tip. This will be a fin.



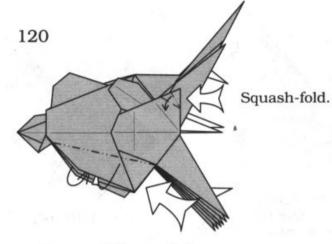
Repeat steps 102–116 on the other side of the model.



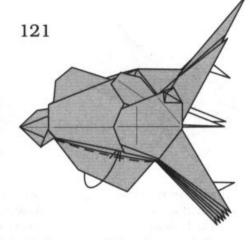
Reverse-fold the corner at the base of the tail. Mountain-fold the flap next to the fin. Repeat behind.



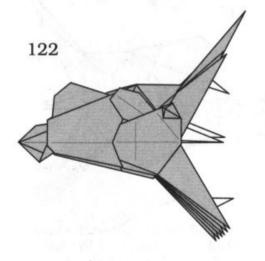
Pleat the top of the model and tuck it into the pocket shown. Mountain-fold the bottom of the model. Repeat behind.



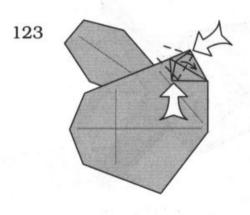
Reverse-fold a single layer.



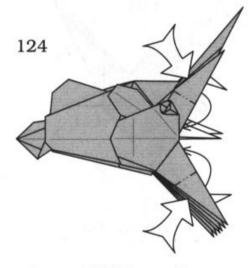
Tuck the remaining layers into the pocket you just made.



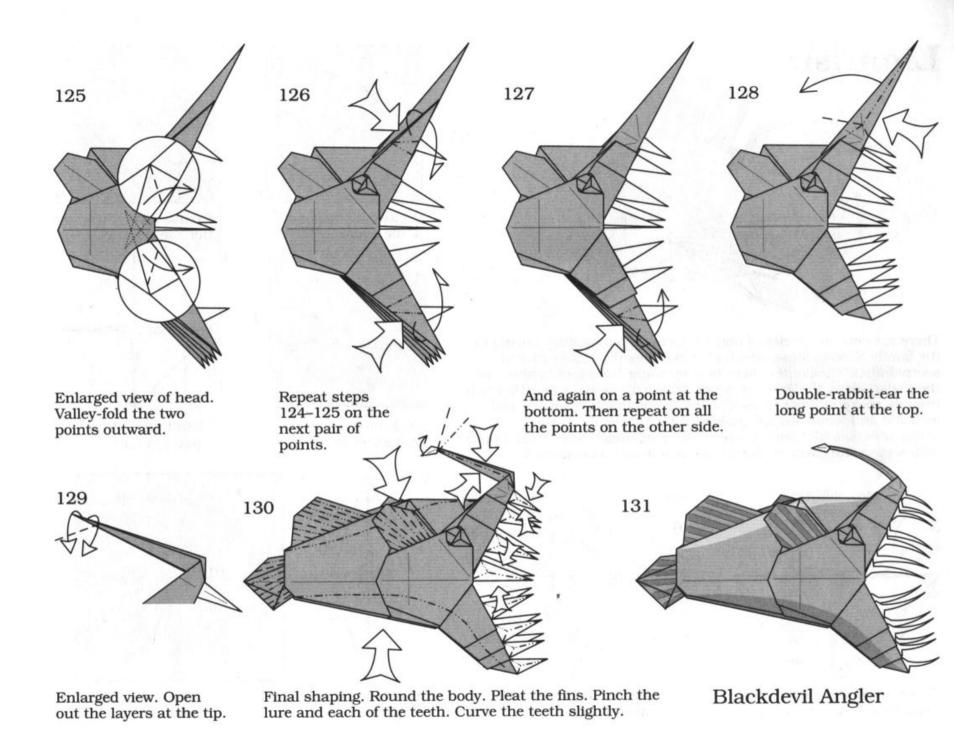
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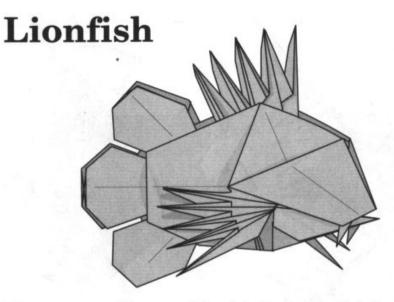


Enlarged view of fin and eye. Petal-fold. Repeat behind.

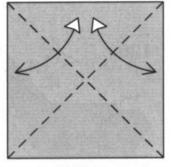


Reverse-fold the two front points into the model.

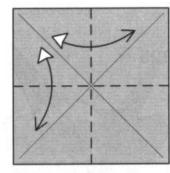




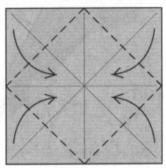
There are several species of lionfish (genus Pterois); they belong to the family Scorpionidae, which also includes the stonefish and scorpionfish. The lionfish lives in deep water but close to shore in the region along the Atlantic shore, where it ambushes smaller fish from its rocky hiding places. The lionfish is distinctively colored with red and white stripes, making it highly visible on the reefs where it makes its home. However, its long dorsal spines are tipped with a powerful toxin, making it as deadly as it is beautiful.



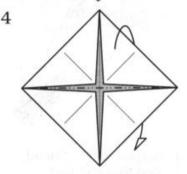
Crease the diagonals of the square.



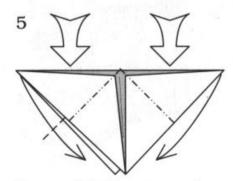
Crease it vertically and horizontally.



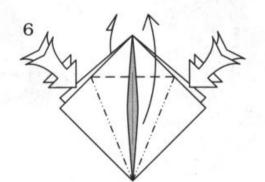
Fold the four corners to the center.



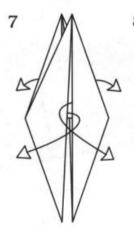
Mountain-fold the square in half.



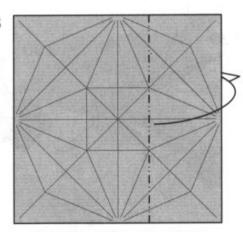
Reverse-fold the corners down to make a Preliminary Fold.



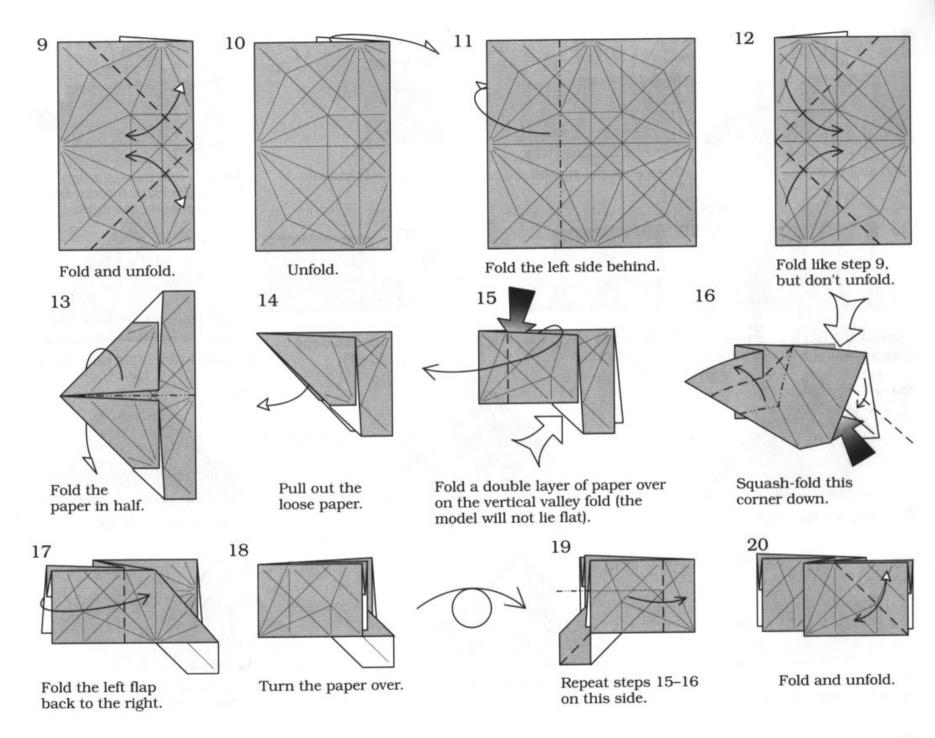
Petal-fold the model to make a Bird Base.

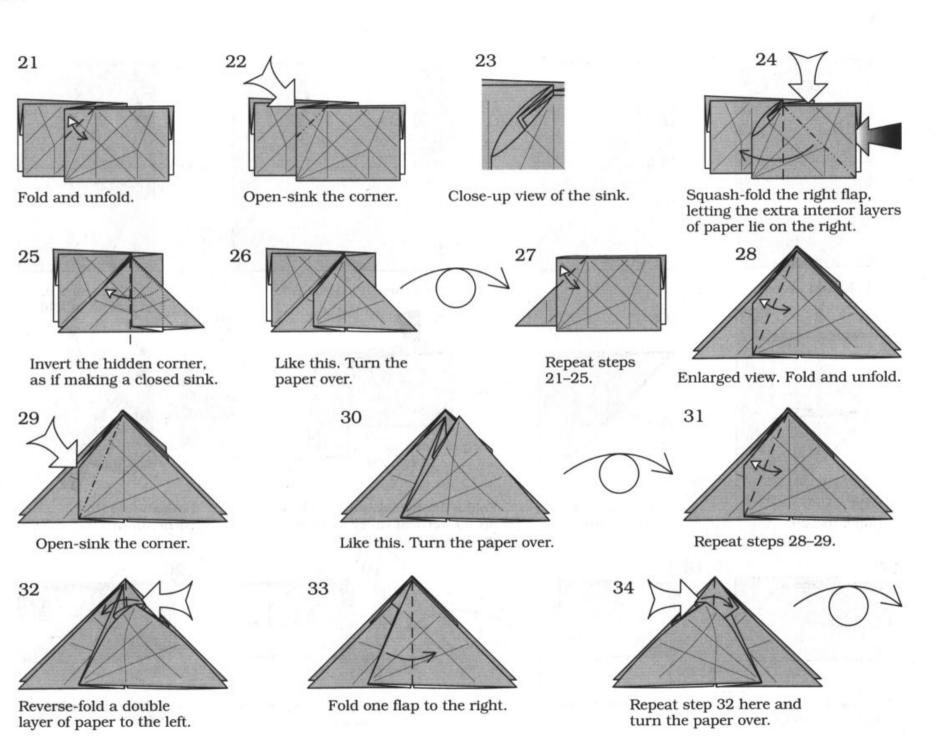


Unfold the paper completely.

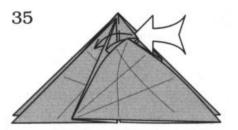


Fold the right side of the model behind.

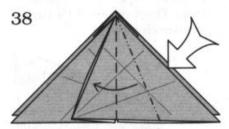




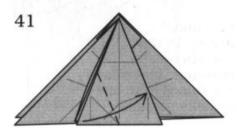
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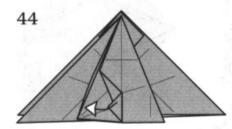
Repeat steps 32–34 on this side.



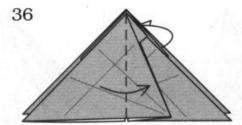
Squash-fold.



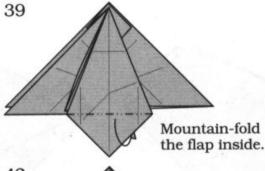
Fold this corner up to the right.

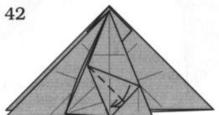


Unfold to step 40.

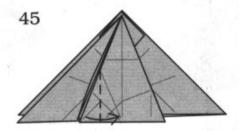


Fold one layer over to the right in front and one to the left in back.

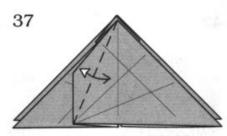




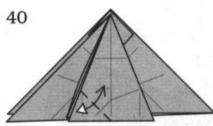
Fold it back down to the bottom.



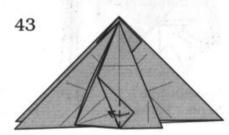
Fold the corner in to the center.



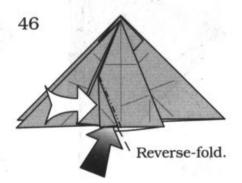
Repeat steps 28–29 here and behind.

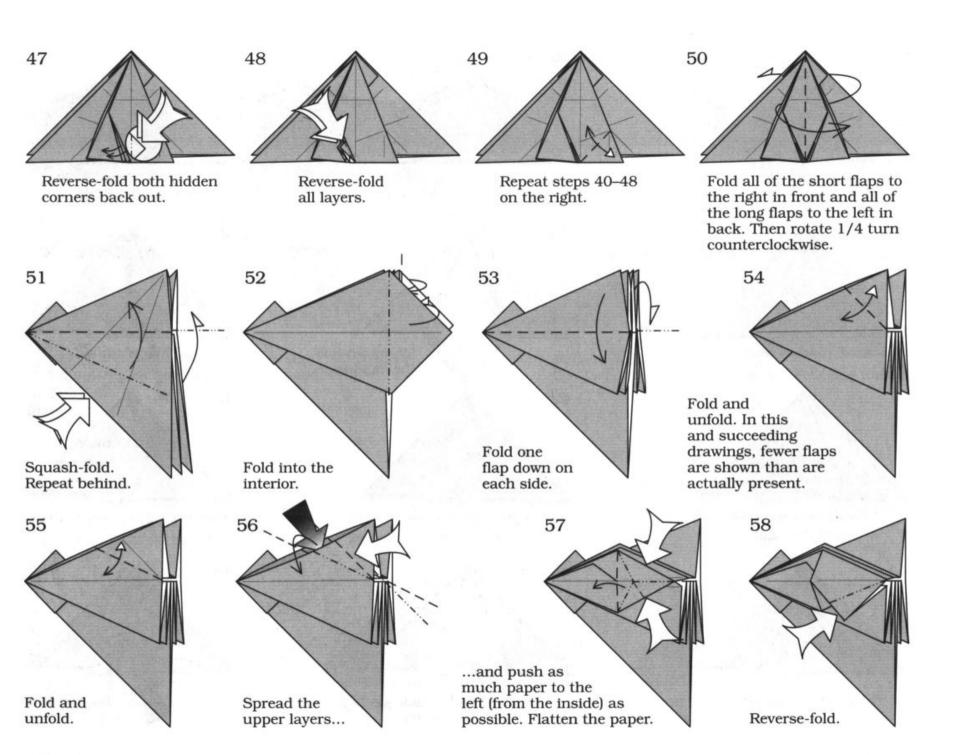


Fold and unfold.

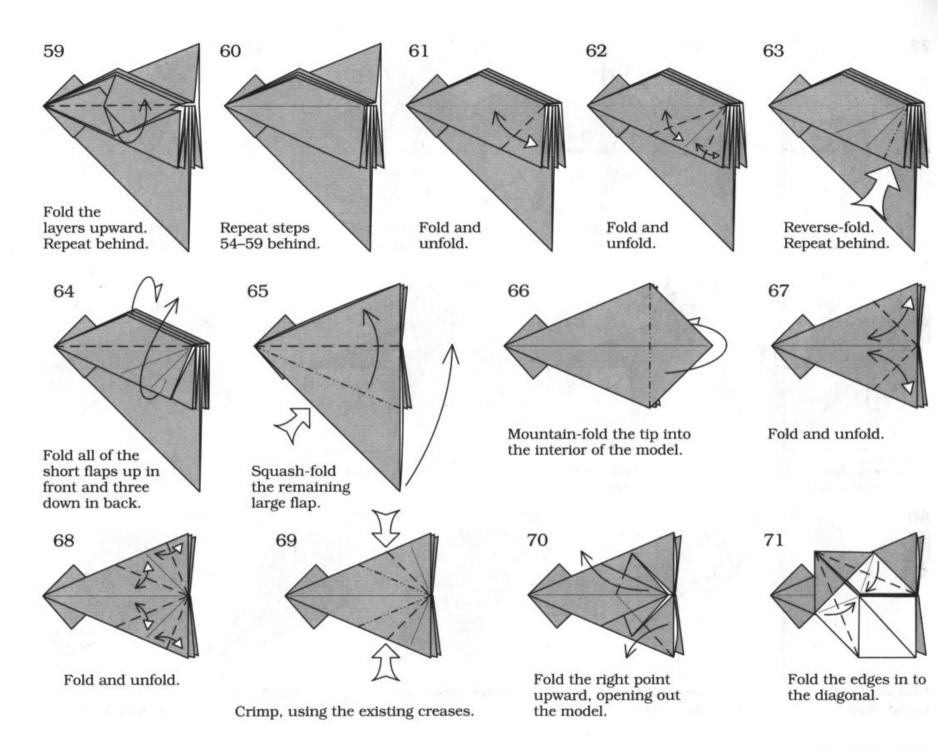


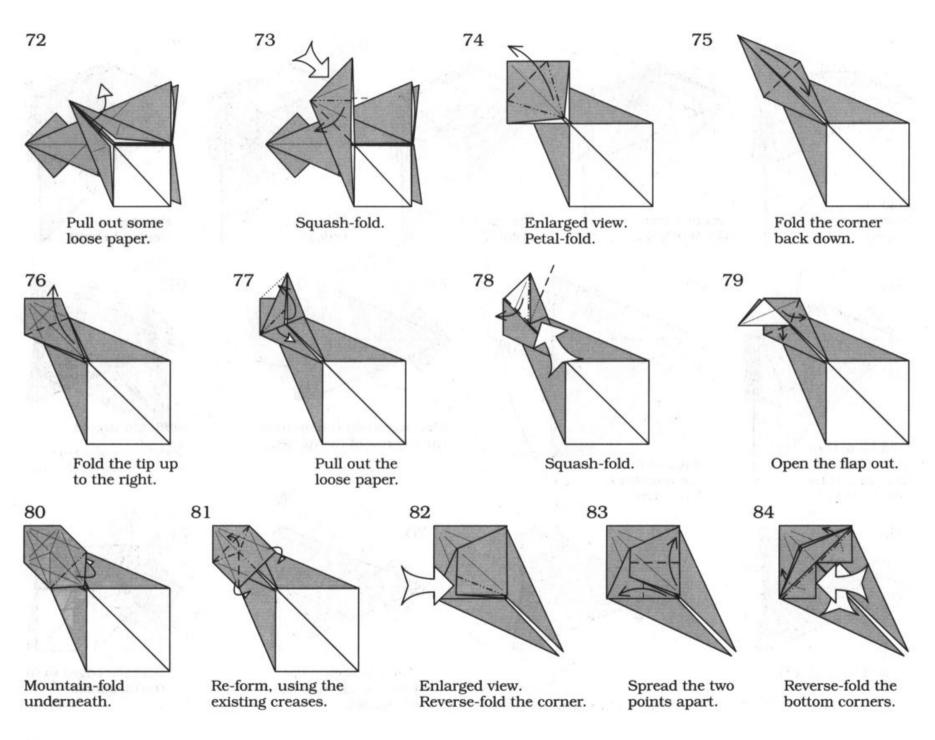
Fold the corner over to the side.



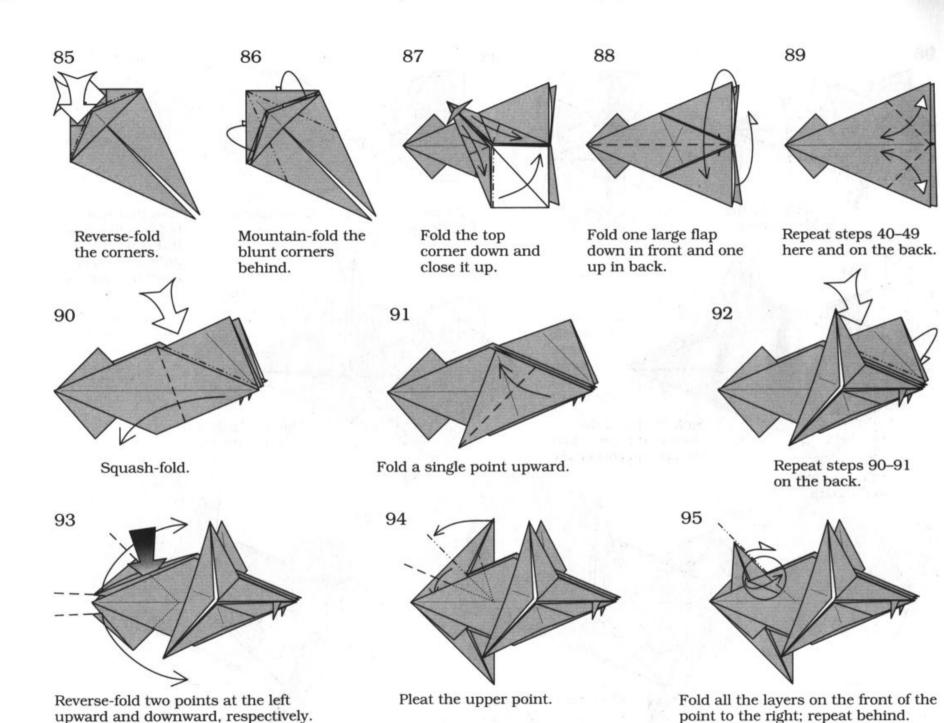


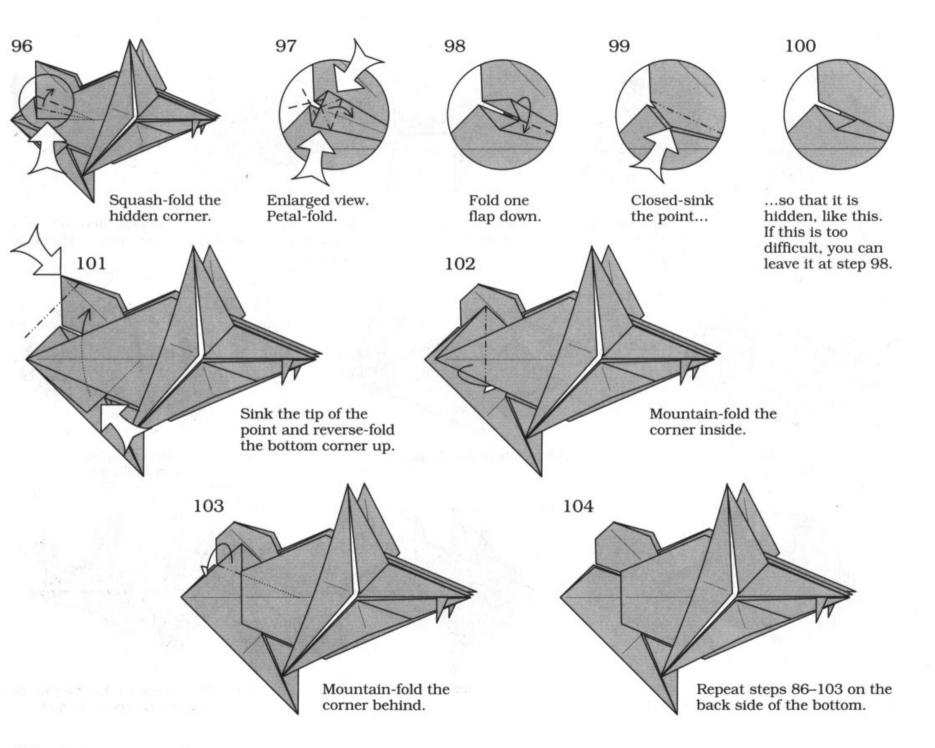
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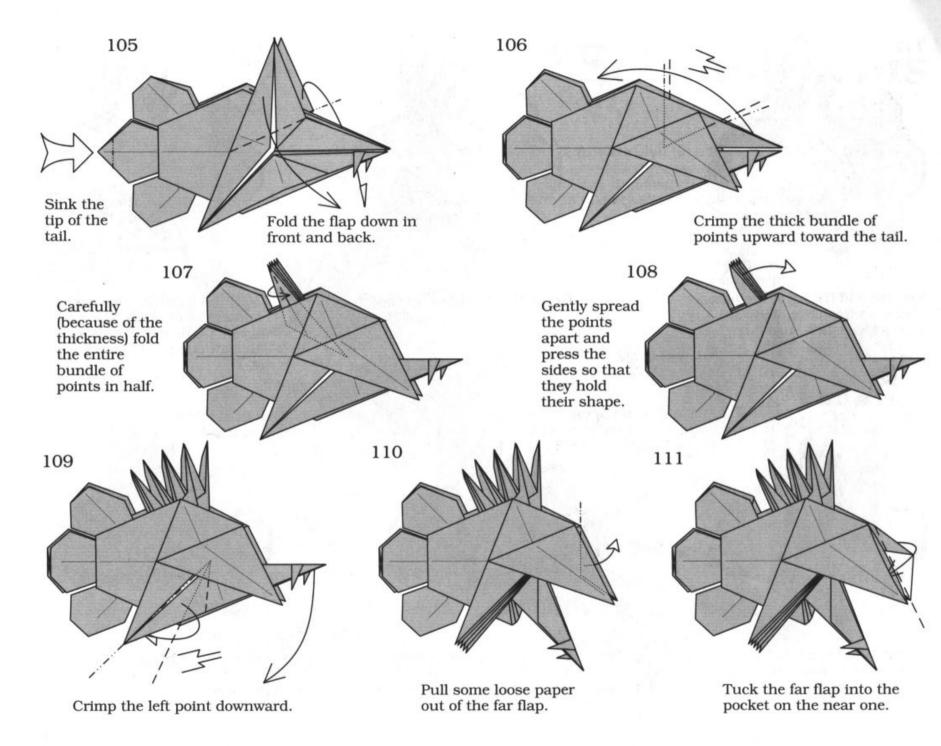


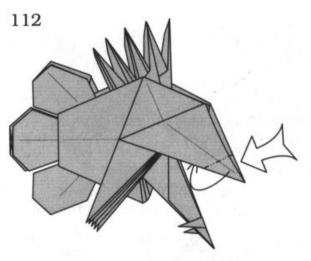


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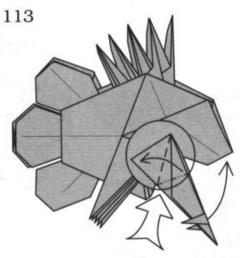




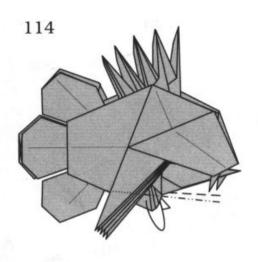




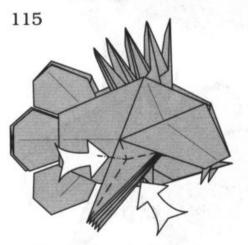
Reverse-fold the tip of the nose inside, which locks the two halves of the head together.



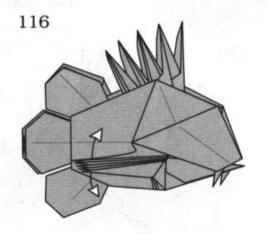
Crimp the lower jaw upward.



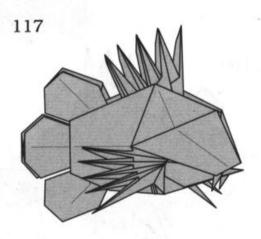
Mountain-fold the thick corners at the belly to the inside of the model (this locks the jaw crimp into place).



Pinch the pectoral fins in half, forming a rabbit ear through all layers.

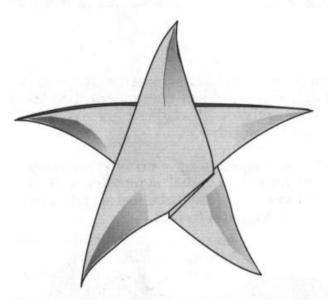


Spread the layers of the pectoral fins apart and pinch them at their base so they stand out away from the body.

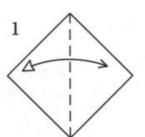


Lionfish

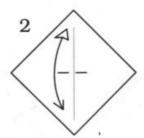
## Starfish



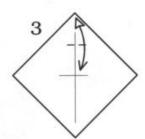
These echinoderms usually have five arms. A newly hatched starfish swims around, settling after awhile to the bottom of the sea. It crawls around the sea floor using its tube feet. The mouth is on the underside of its body and the starfish turns its stomach inside out through the mouth to eat its prey. It feeds on oysters, clams, sponges, and other small animals. When cut, the starfish (Asterias forbesi) can grow new arms.



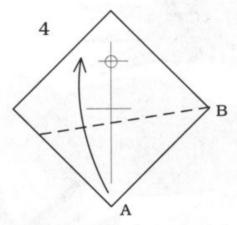
Fold and unfold.



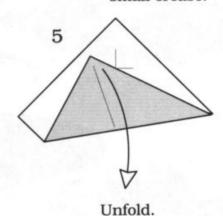
Make a small crease.

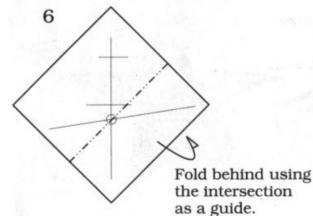


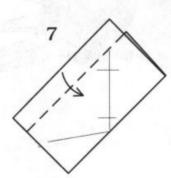
Fold the top corner to the center and unfold. Make a small crease.

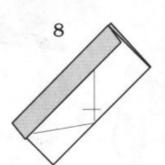


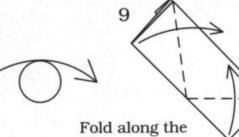
Fold up so that some point on line A–B meets the intersection in the circle.



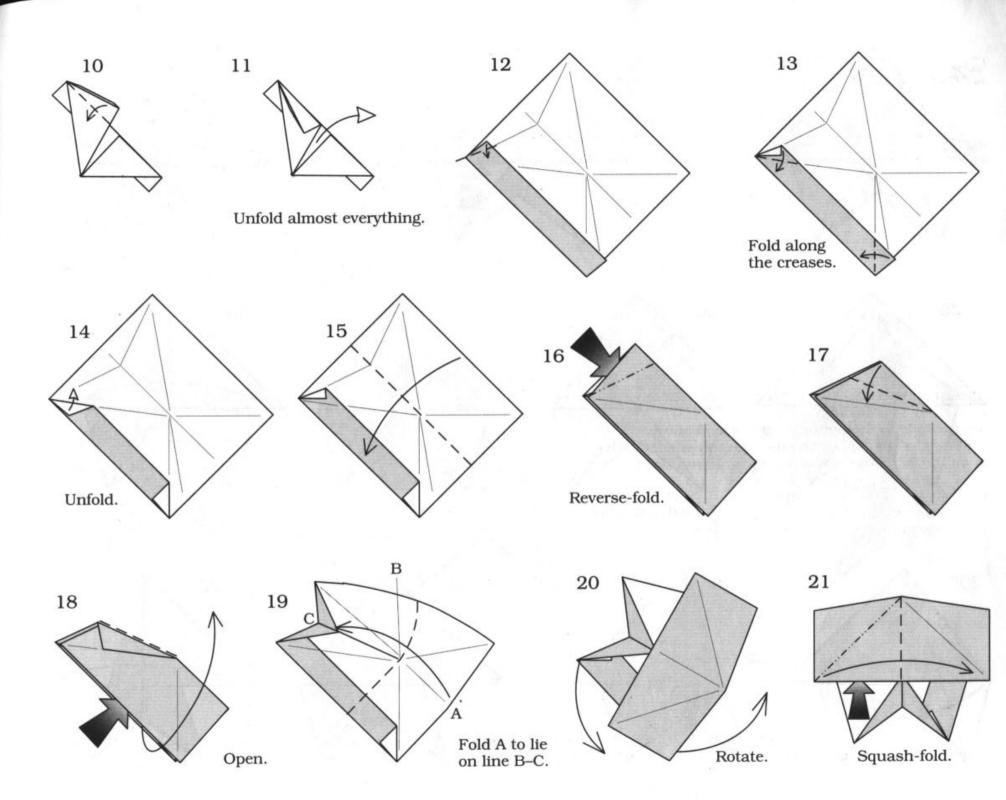




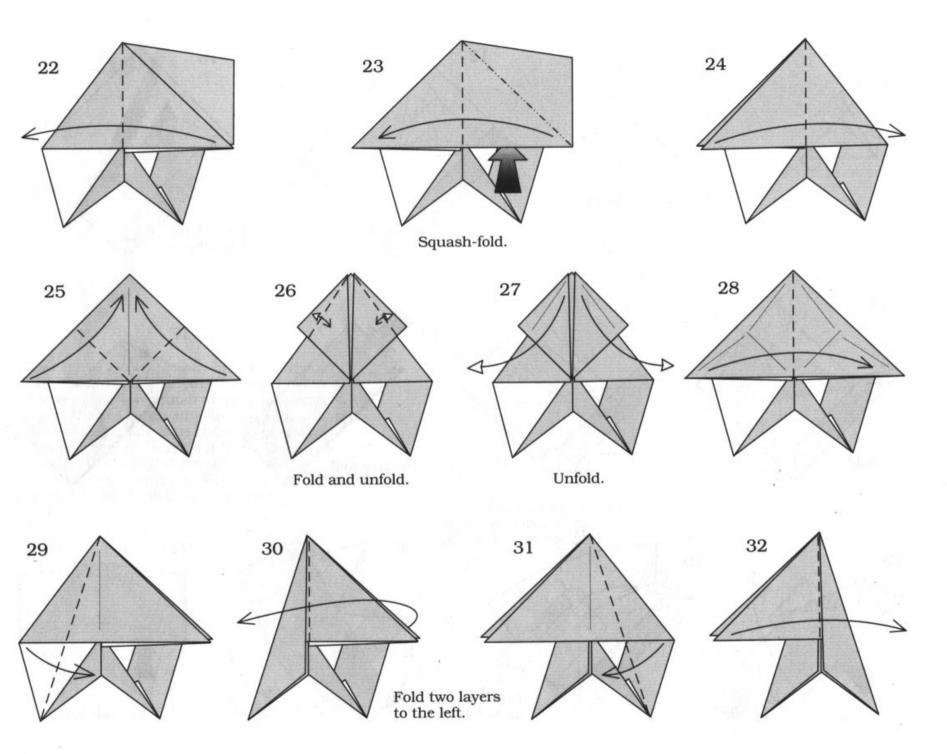




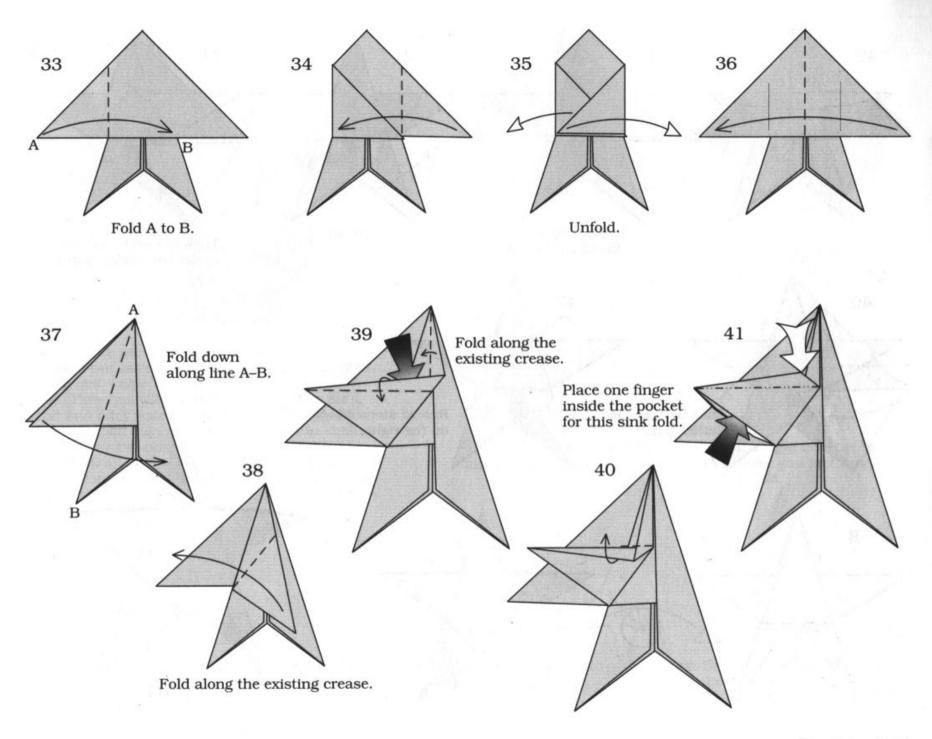
Fold along the existing creases.

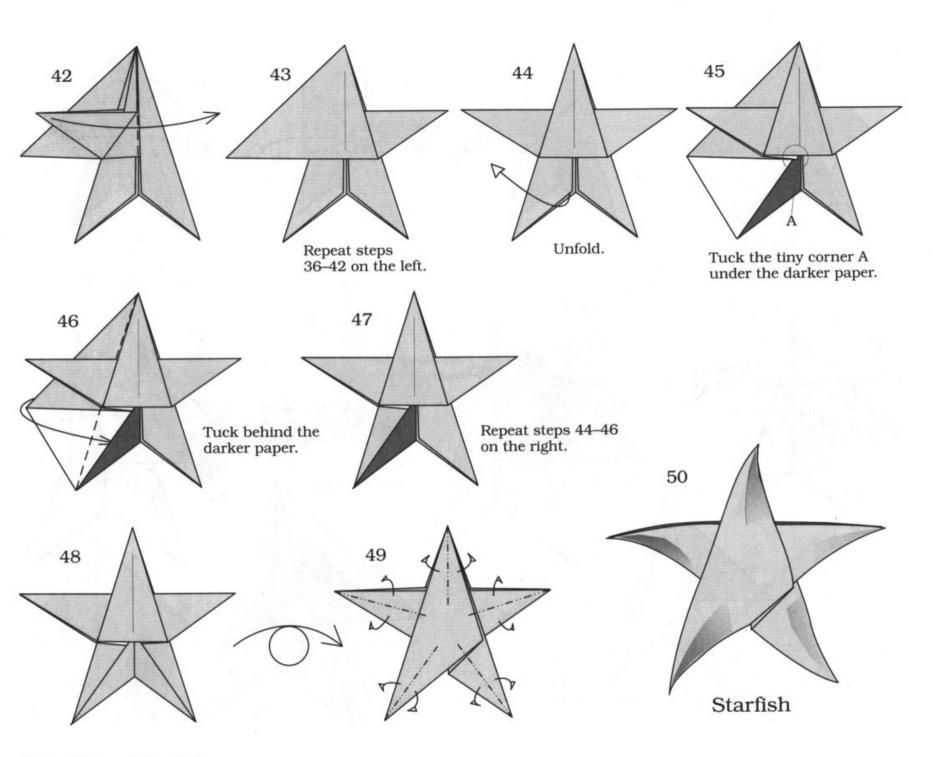


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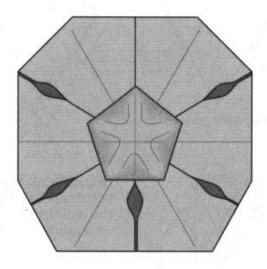
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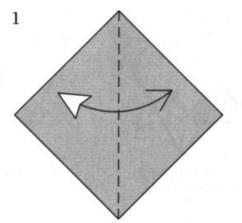


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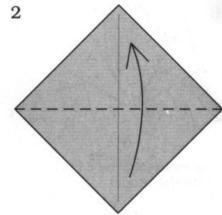
#### Sand Dollar



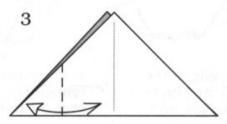
Sand dollars are of the same class as sea urchins, but have shed their spines and adopted a flattened shape suitable for burrowing into sand. They typically stand up vertically in the sand and filter water for plankton. The Keyhole Urchin (Millita quinquiespertorata) lives in shallow water below low-tide lines from Cape Cod to the Caribbean and along coastal Mexico and Brazil. Its five slots begin as notches when the animal is young, but close off as it matures.



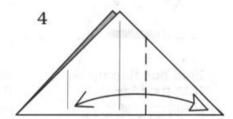
Crease the vertical diagonal.



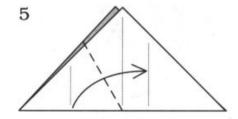
Fold the bottom corner up to the top.



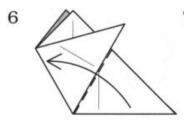
Fold the left corner in to the middle and unfold.



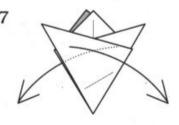
Fold the right corner over to the crease you just made and unfold.



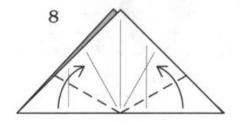
Fold the left corner up so that the crease made in step 3 touches the crease made in step 4.



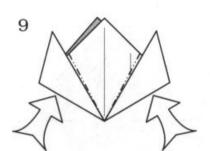
Fold the right corner up to cover the left one.



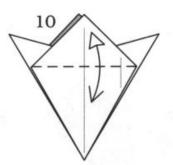
Unfold to step 3.



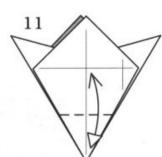
Fold the two bottom corners up so that their edges lie along the creases made in steps 5 and 6.



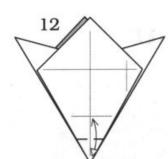
Reverse-fold the edges into the model.



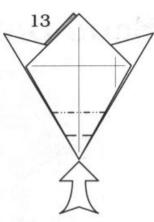
Crease through one layer only.



Fold and unfold.

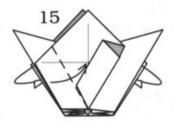


Fold and unfold.



Double-sink the bottom point, using the existing creases as a guide.

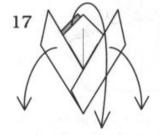




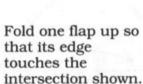
Repeat on the left, and on both the right and left in back.

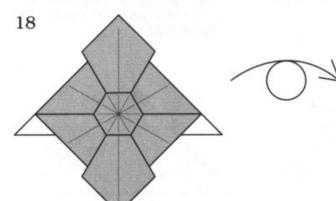


Fold the two remaining flaps over the front flaps.

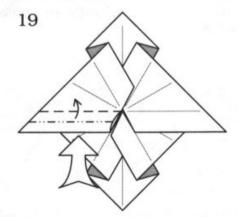


Fold one of the points at the top downward and open the model out flat.

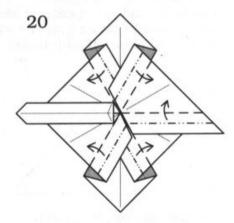




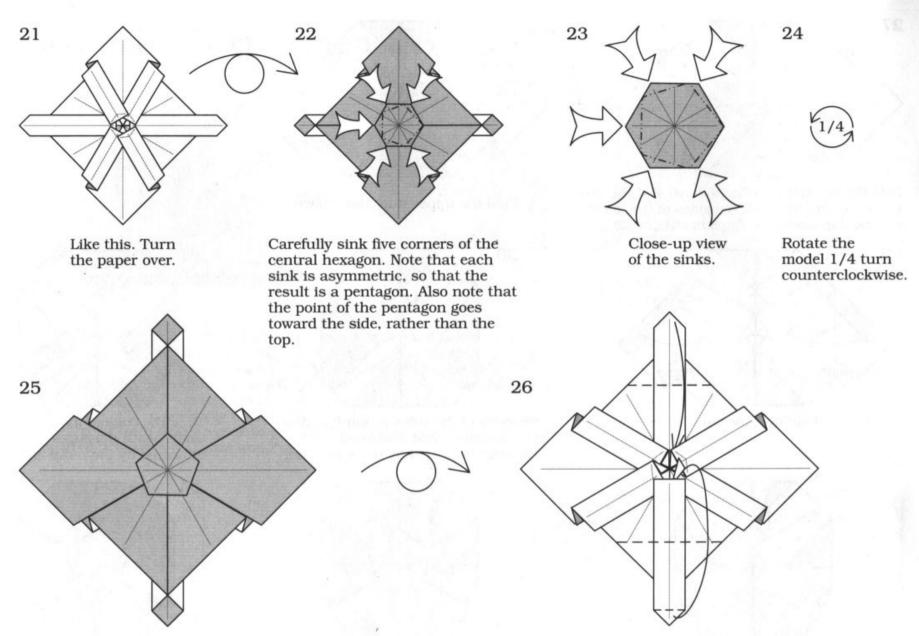
It looks like this. Turn the paper over.



Symmetrically spread-squash the flap shown.

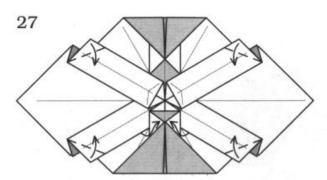


Repeat on the other five similar flaps.

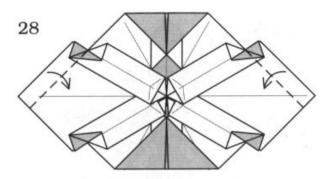


Like this. The long axis of the model is vertical and the point of the pentagon should point upward. Turn the paper over from side to side.

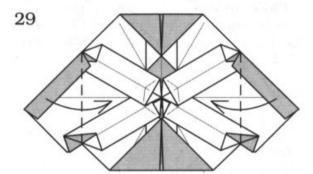
Fold the top point down and tuck its tip under the two overlapping spread-squashed flaps. Fold slightly more of the bottom point up and fold its tip over and tuck it into the pocket formed by the spread-squashed flap.



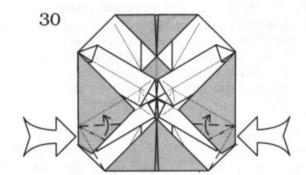
Fold the two upper corners down and the two lower corners up; tuck the sides of the lower central flap under the flaps to either side.



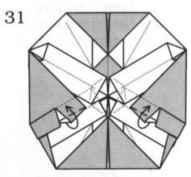
Fold the upper side edges down.



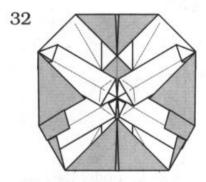
Fold the sides in.



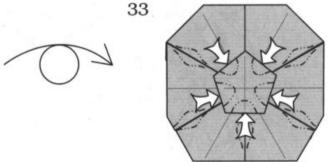
Swivel-fold the sides upward so that the mountain fold is aligned with the edge indicated by the x-ray line.



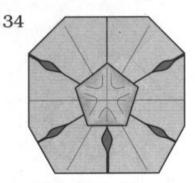
Tuck the colored flaps underneath the edges indicated by the x-ray line.



Like this. Turn the paper over from side to side.

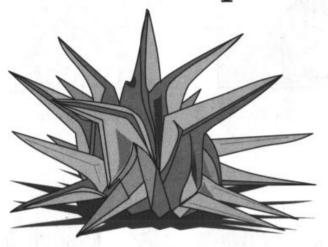


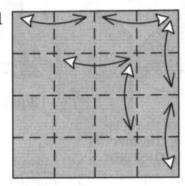
Shape the sides of the central pentagon with mountain folds. Mountain-fold the edges radiating out from the center to create the appearance of holes.



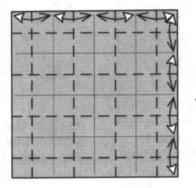
Sand Dollar

## Atlantic Purple Sea Urchin



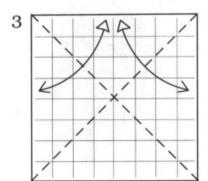


Crease the paper into fourths vertically and horizontally.

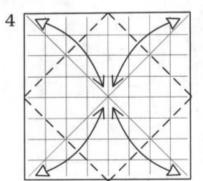


Crease it into eighths vertically and horizontally. Turn the paper over.

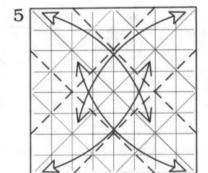
The Atlantic Purple Sea Urchin (Arbacia punctulata) lives on rocky coasts and shell bottoms from the low-tide line to waters 200 meters deep, and is responsible for much erosion of softer rocks and the production of sand. It has five very strong teeth in its mouth, which is located on the underside of the body. These teeth are used to rasp algae off rock surfaces and, if the rock is soft, some of it comes away as well. There are many species worldwide that range in color from delicate pink to powder blue; all are edible and are considered delicacies in Japan and France.



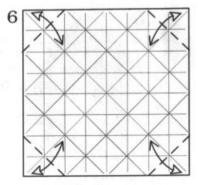
Crease the diagonals.



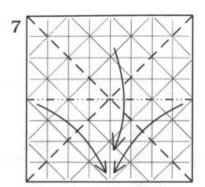
Bring the corners to the center, crease, and unfold.



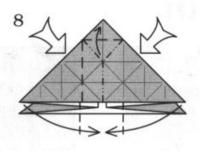
Add more diagonal creases.



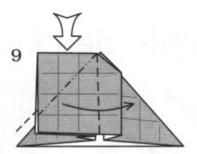
And more.



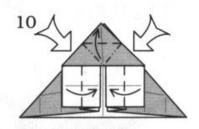
Precreasing complete. Fold a Waterbomb Base.



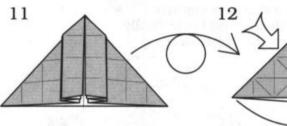
Push in the sides of the top pair of flaps; swing the new flap created over to the right.



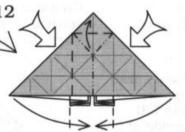
Squash-fold the flap.



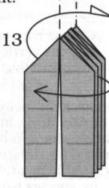
Petal-fold the edge.



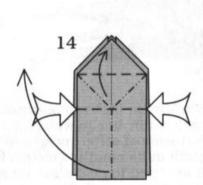
Like this. Turn the paper over.



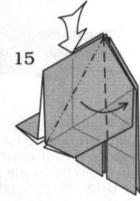
Repeat steps 8–10 on this side.



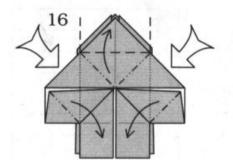
Fold two layers to the left in front and two to the right in back.



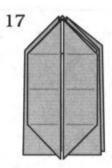
Push in the sides of the near layer of paper, so that the edge stands out away from the rest of the model.



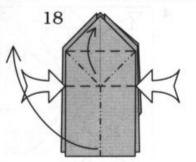
Squash-fold the edge.



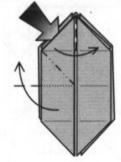
Petal-fold the edge in the middle of the model and swing the side corners down.



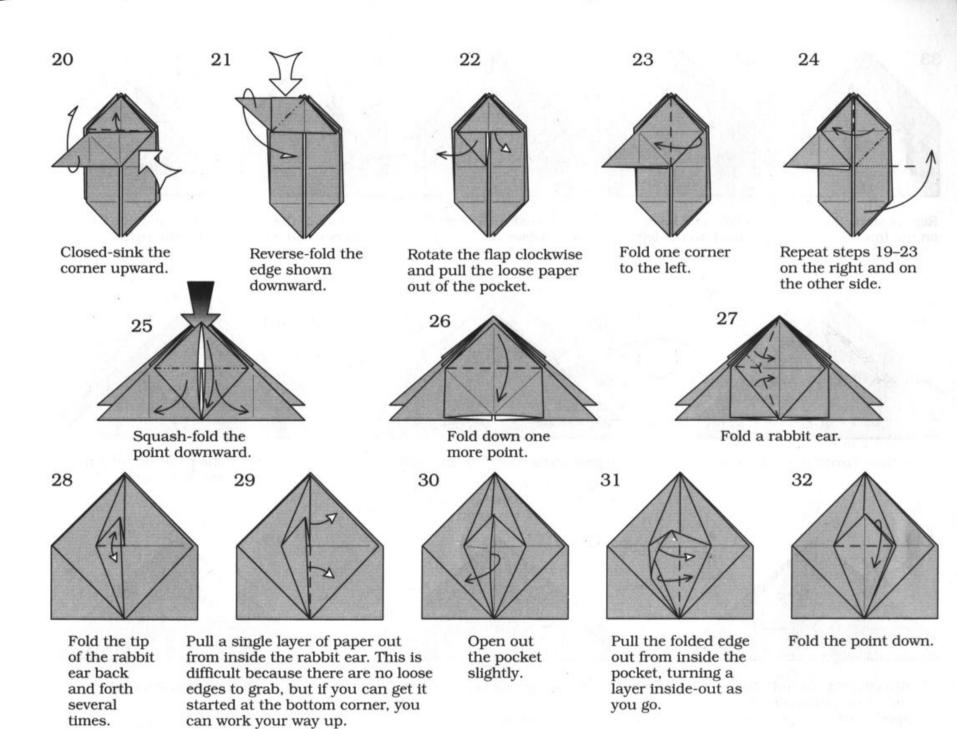
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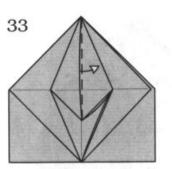


Repeat steps 14–16 on this side.

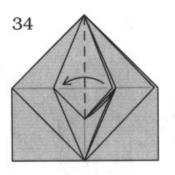


Fold one layer over to the right and swing the bottom left flap upward.

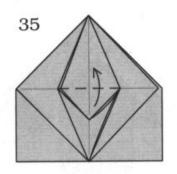




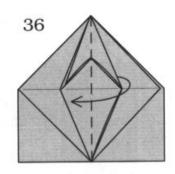
Repeat steps 30-31 on the top.



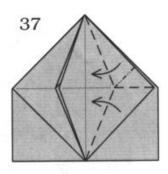
Fold one layer back to the left.



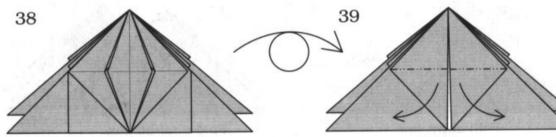
Fold the point upward.



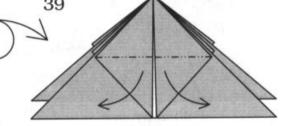
Fold all of the layers to the left.



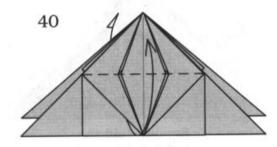
Repeat steps 27-36 on the right.



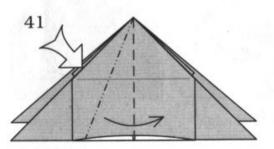
Like this. Turn the model over.



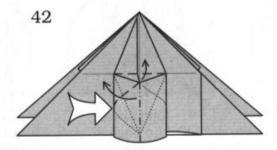
Repeat steps 25-37 on this side.



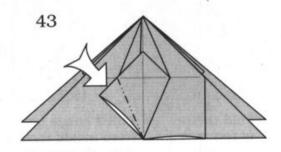
Fold one point up in front and one up in back.



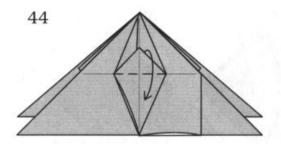
Squash-fold the indicated edge, but flatten only its upper half.



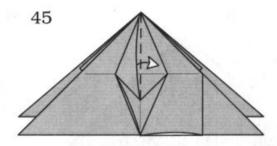
Pinch the sides of the lower part of the squash and swing the resulting flap to the left.



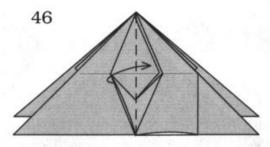
Reverse-fold the edge.



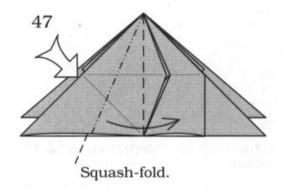
Fold the point down.



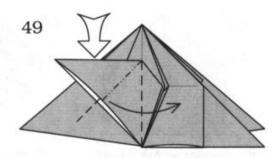
Pull the folded edge out of the pocket as in steps 30-31.



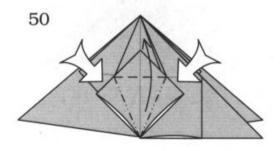
Fold all layers to the right.



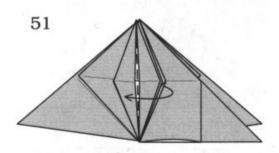
Pinch the lower edges of the squash fold together and swing the flap up to the left.



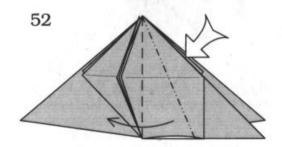
Squash-fold the new flap.



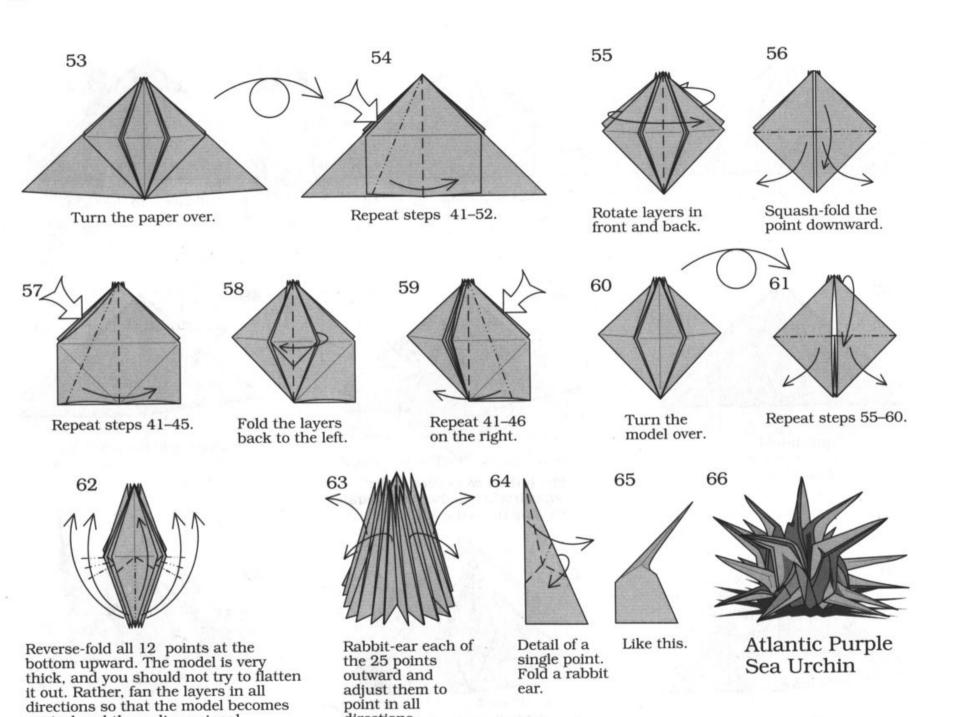
Petal-fold.



Fold all layers to the left.



Repeat steps 41-51 on the right.



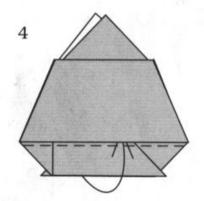
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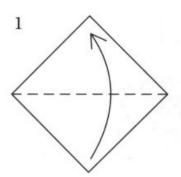
## **Bay Barnacle**



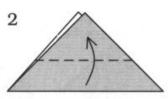
The Bay Barnacle (*Balanus improvisus*) is commonly found attached in great masses to rocks, pilings, oysters, and other hard-shelled animals. Unlike most barnacles, it tolerates fresh water at least occasionally, and is commonly found in bays and brackish estuaries. Barnacles are filter feeders, using their feathery legs to comb the water for plankton and other small organisms.



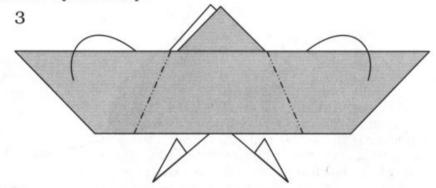
Fold all the layers together as one and tuck inside the model.



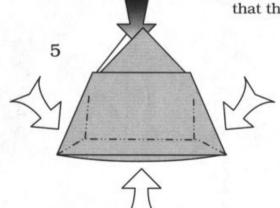
Fold the bottom corner up to the top.



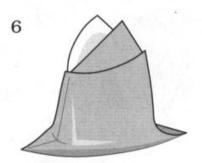
Fold the bottom edge up almost to the top corner (the exact amount isn't critical).



Fold the two corners down so that they cross each other.

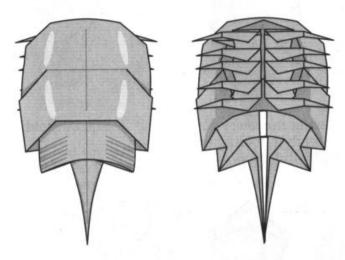


Push in the sides and bottom to make the model three-dimensional.

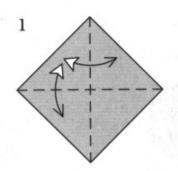


Bay Barnacle

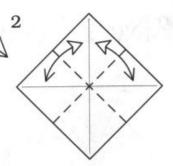
#### **Horseshoe Crab**



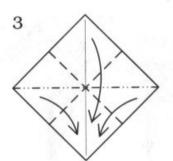
The Horseshoe Crab (Limulus polyphemus) is the only American example of its subclass, the Xiphosura. The larvae are called "trilobite larvae" because of their resemblance to trilobite fossils, and it is believed that the trilobites were the ancestors of the Xiphosura. Horseshoe crabs have relatively simple eyes, which has resulted in their being extensively used in neurophysiological research.



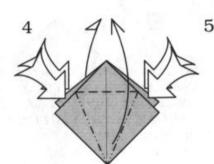
Crease the vertical and horizontal diagonals. Turn the paper over.



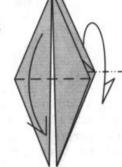
Fold the paper in half and unfold.



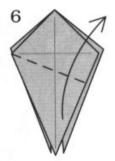
Fold a Preliminary Fold.



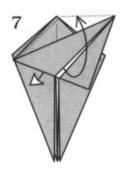
Petal-fold to make a Bird Base.



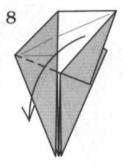
Fold the front and back flaps down.



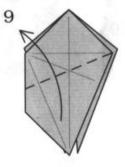
Fold the front flap up and to the right at right angles to the right edge.



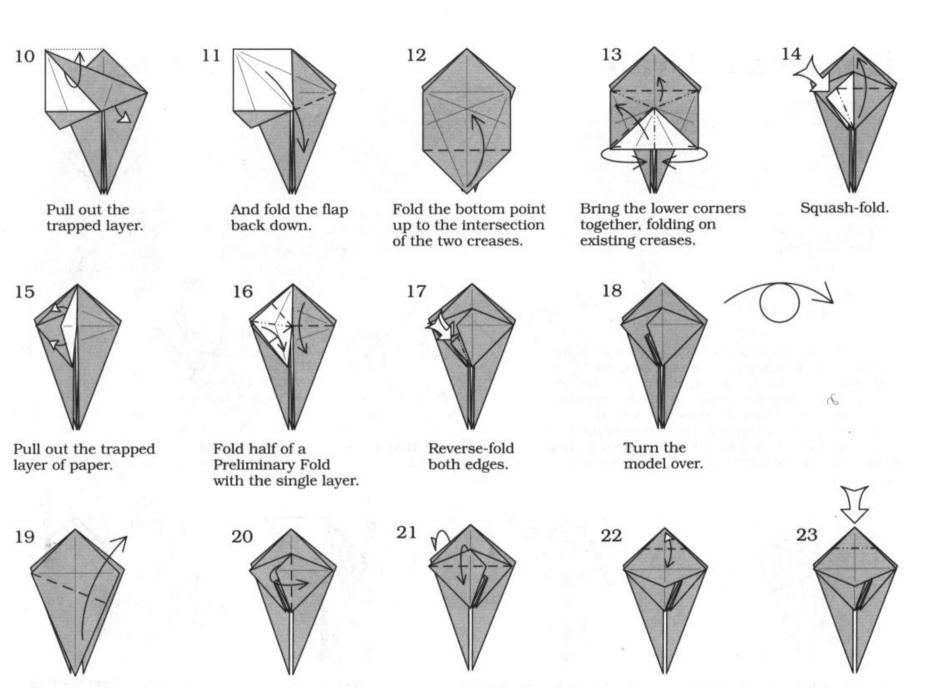
Pull the raw edge upward and release the loose paper under the flap.



Fold the flap back down.



Fold the flap up to the left.



Fold the layer down

in front and behind.

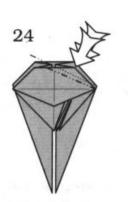
Fold and unfold. Sink the point downward.

Fold the bundle of

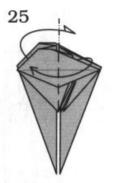
layers over to the right.

Repeat steps 6-17

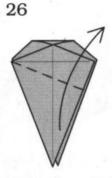
on this side.



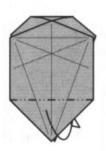
Sink two corners. They must be done simultaneously.



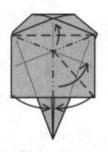
Fold one layer to the left in front and one to the right in back.



Repeat steps 6-11 on this flap.

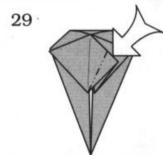


Mountain-fold the point underneath.



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Bring the lower corners together as in step 13.



Reverse-fold the edge.



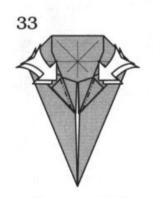
Valley-fold the two lower corners up to the sides.



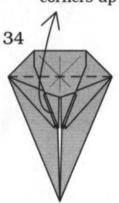
Reverse-fold the corners.



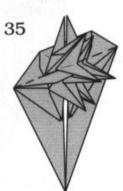
Fold a Preliminary Fold through all of the thick layers.



Reverse-fold four edges.



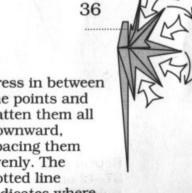
Lift the top pair of points upward as far as possible, letting the other four pairs fan out.

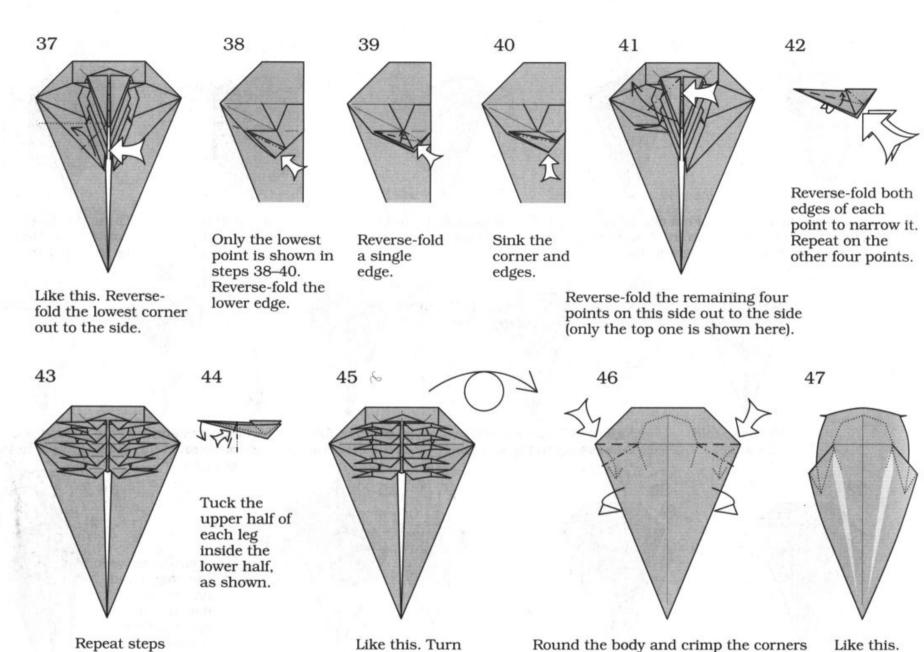


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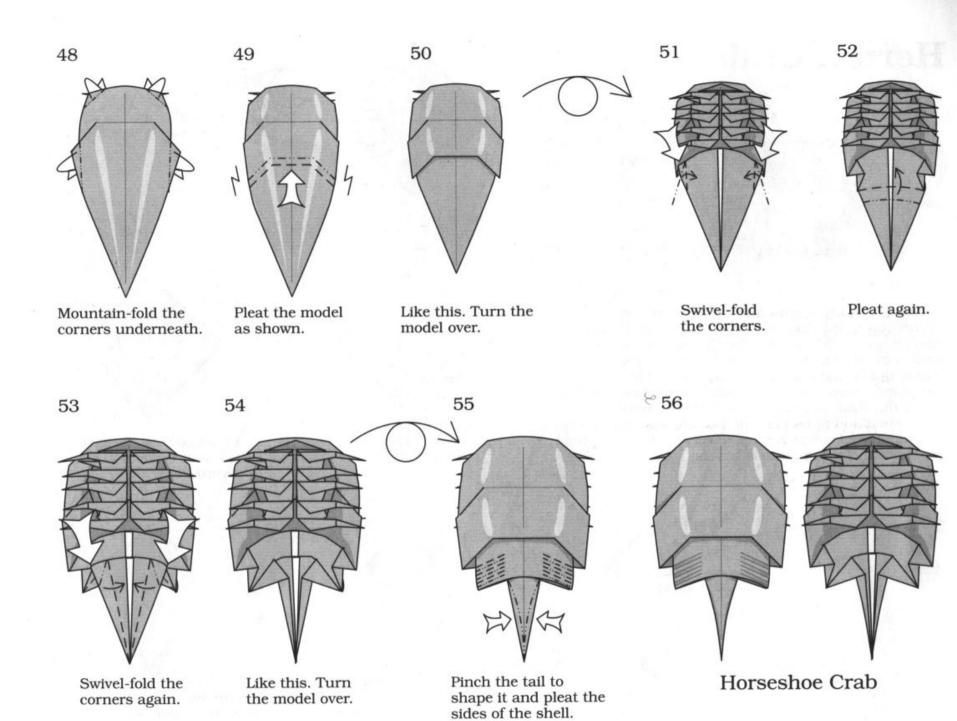
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as shown. Although it is difficult, the

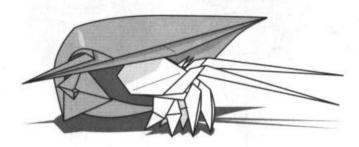
model will hold together better if you make each crimp symmetrical, thus making a closed sink of each corner.

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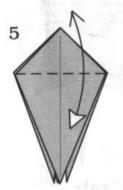
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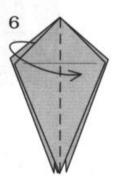
#### **Hermit Crab**



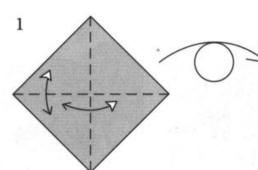
Hermit Crabs are represented by two families, *Coenbitoidea* and *Panguroidea*. Representatives of both families are notable in that they live inside the deserted shell of another animal, typically a whelk or snail. The rear of the hermit crab is soft and its hind legs are atrophied, except for a single pair used to hold the crab inside the shell. The crab keeps the shell until it outgrows it and must find another. Hermit crabs come in a rainbow of colors and make very good pets as they are clean and require little attention.



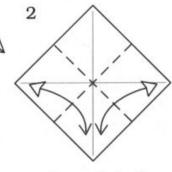
Enlarged view. Fold and unfold.



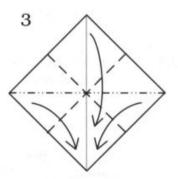
Fold one layer over from left to right.



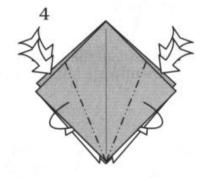
Crease the diagonals. Turn the model over.



Crease in half and unfold.



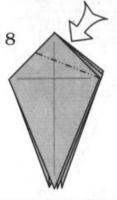
Fold a Preliminary Fold.



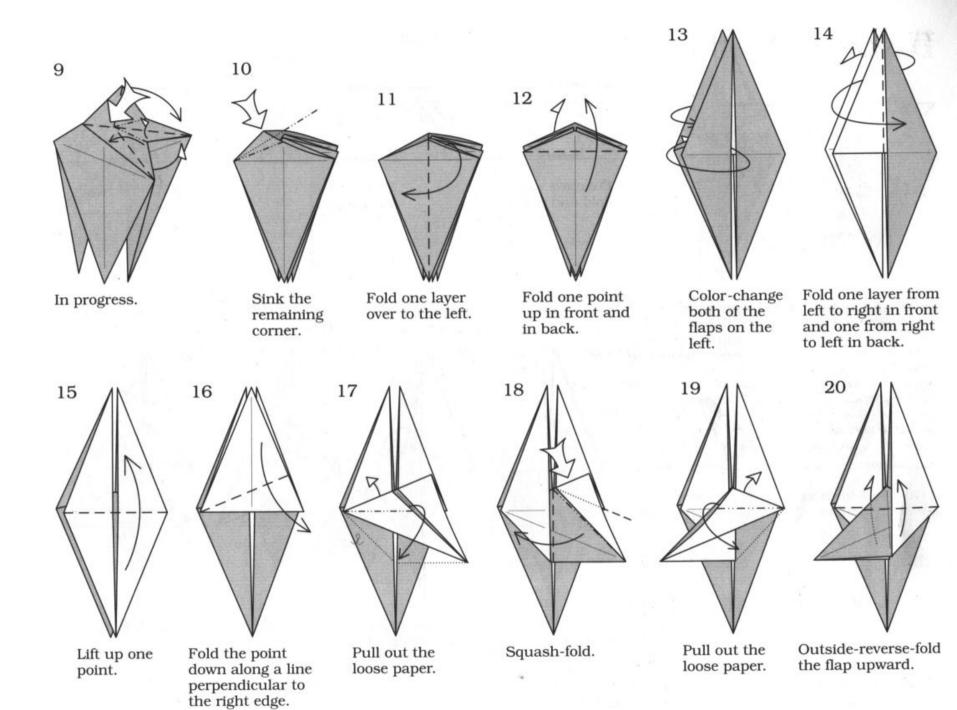
Enlarged view. Reversefold four corners to make a Bird Base.

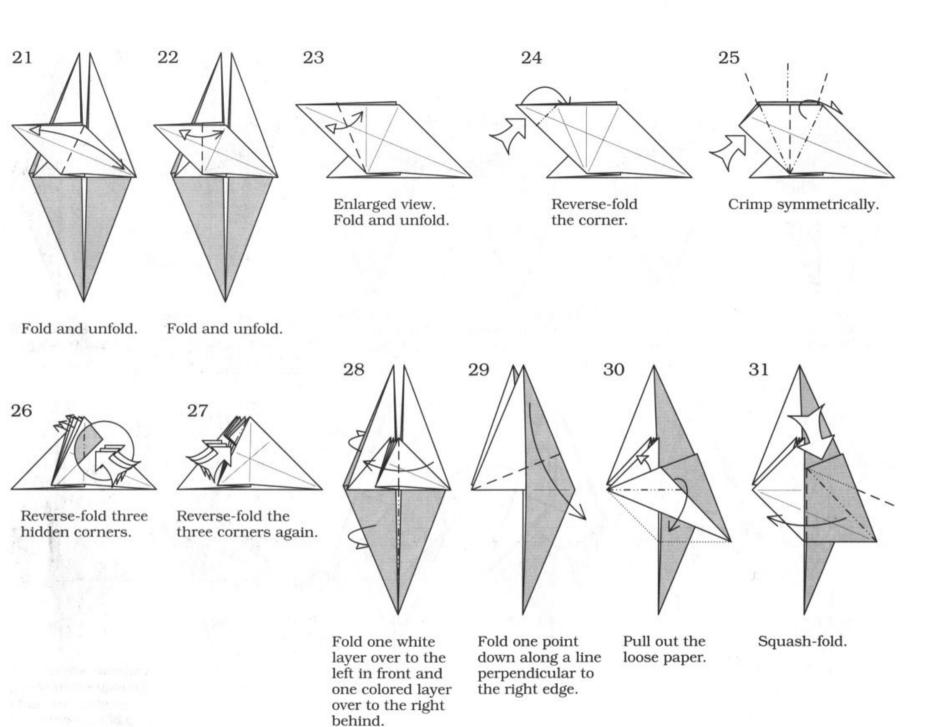


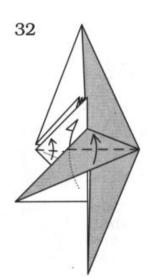
Crease.



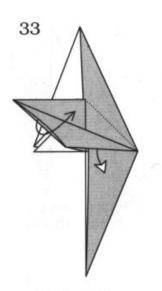
Open the top point out and sink it on the existing creases.



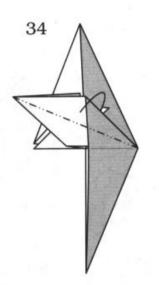




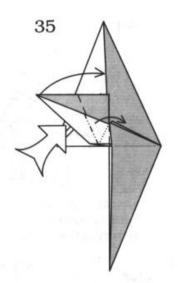
Outside-reversefold the flap.



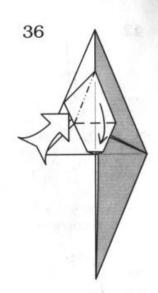
Pull out the loose paper.



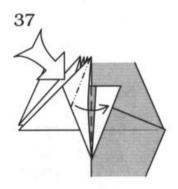
Mountain-fold one layer inside.



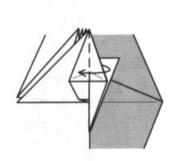
Squash-fold the flap (note the interior layers that must also be squash-folded).



Petal-fold the left half of the flap.



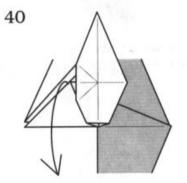
Enlarged view. Squash-sink the corner.



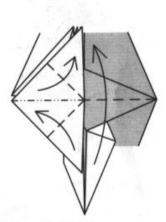
Fold one layer back to the left.



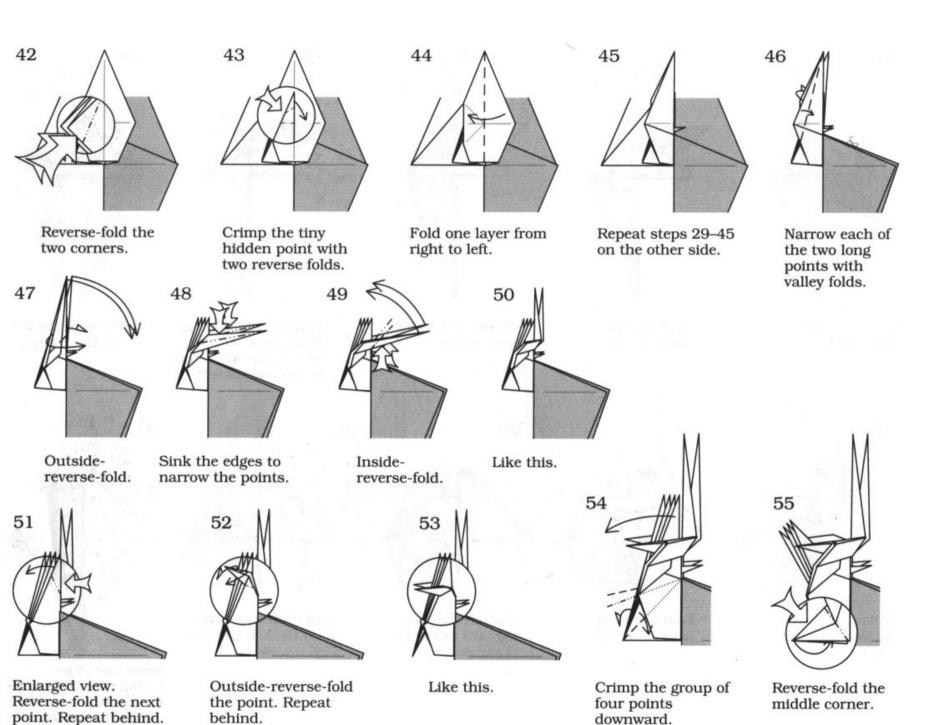
Stretch the point upward as far as it will go.

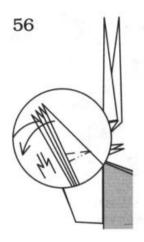


Fold down one layer from the left; the long flap comes too.

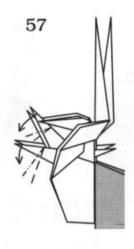


Form half of a Preliminary Fold from the left side and fold the point upward.

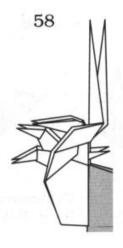




Crimp the outer pair of points downward.



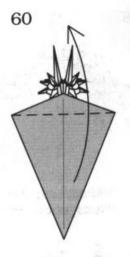
Crimp the tips of all four points downward.



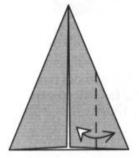
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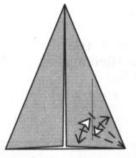
Fold one layer from the right to the left, and rotate the body of the crab away from you.



Fold the point upward.



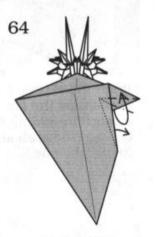
Crease lightly.



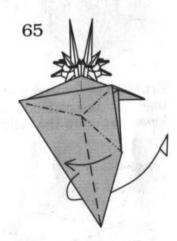
Fold and unfold.



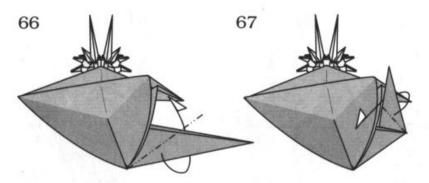
Fold a rabbit ear.



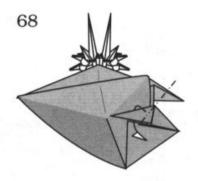
Swivel-fold.



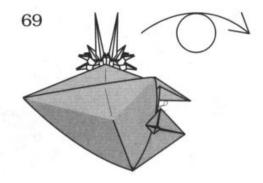
Fold a rabbit ear. The model becomes three-dimensional.



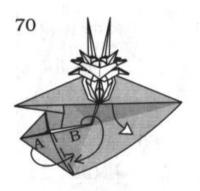
Mountain-fold the long point upward .



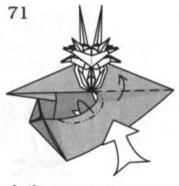
Continue mountain-folding the point until you run out of point.



Like this. Turn the model over.



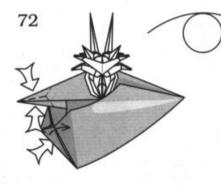
Bring points A and B together and pull out the loose paper on the right.



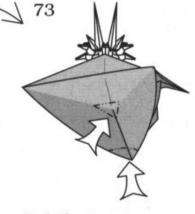
Mountain-fold the

point behind again.

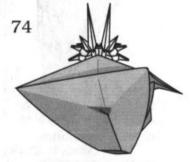
Push the excess paper upward and shape the shell by mountain-folding the rim; the body of the crab should be inside the shell.



Pinch the spine on the left side of the shell and shape the left side.

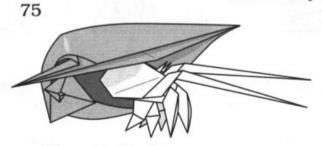


Sink the two corners shown; this helps the shell to keep its shape.



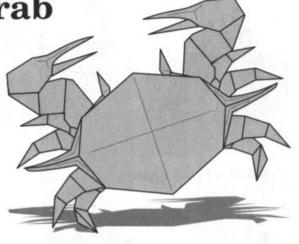
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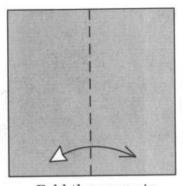


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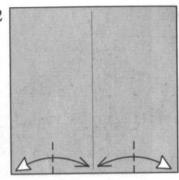
# Blue Crab



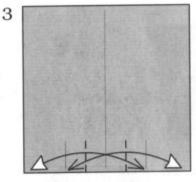
The Blue Crab (*Callinectes sapidus*) is a commercially important species that supports a fishing industry in Chesapeake Bay and all along the Atlantic and Gulf coasts. This species has been overexploited through the years and its numbers have been greatly reduced, but the population has now stabilized due to many fishing restrictions on size, sex, and season for harvest. Some fish farms are even experimenting to see if there is a practical method of culturing them. Blue crabs can get to be 5 or 6 inches across and have a hard shell that is blue above and white below. Immediately after molting, however, the shell is soft and papery, and they are sold (and devoured) as "soft-shell crab."



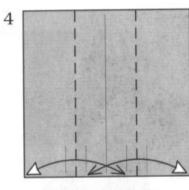
Fold the paper in half and unfold.



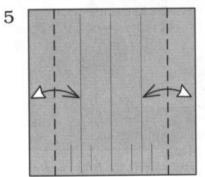
Fold the edges to the center, crease, and unfold.



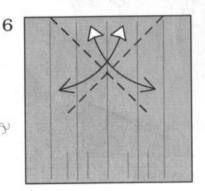
Fold and unfold.



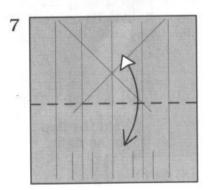
Fold and unfold.



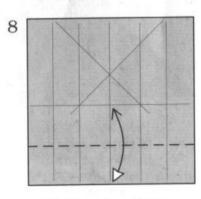
Fold and unfold.



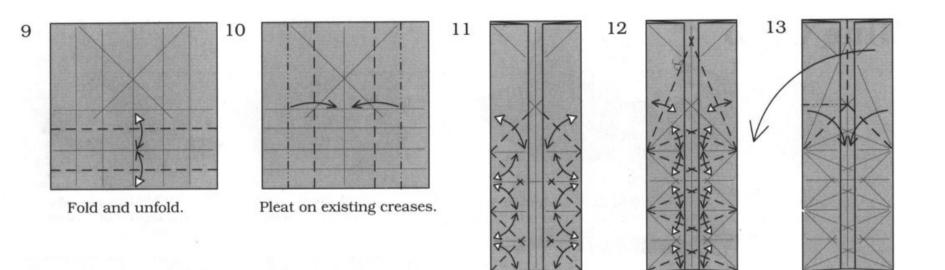
Fold and unfold.



Fold and unfold.



Fold and unfold.

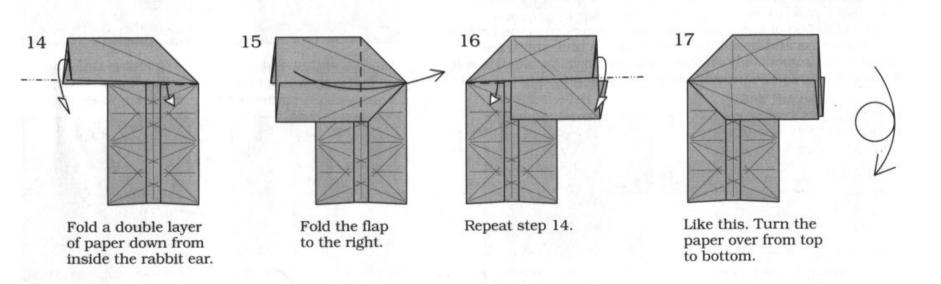


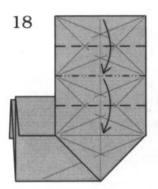
Fold and unfold.

Fold a rabbit

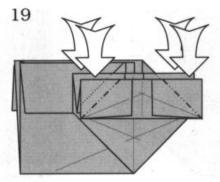
ear from the top of the paper.

Fold and unfold.

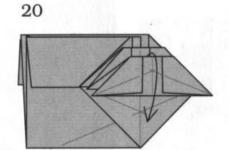




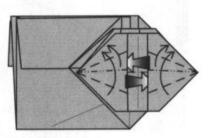
Pleat on existing creases.



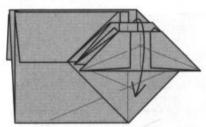
Reverse-fold four corners.



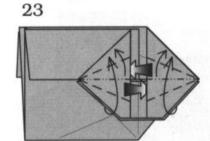
Fold one flap down.



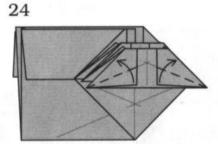
Fold it back up, incorporating the reverse folds shown.



Fold two flaps down.



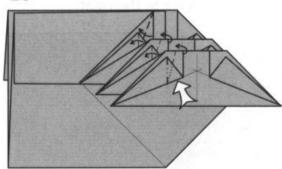
Fold them back up, incorporating the reverse folds shown.



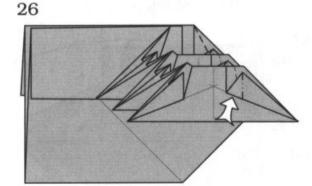
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Valley-fold the flaps upward.

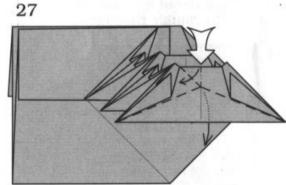
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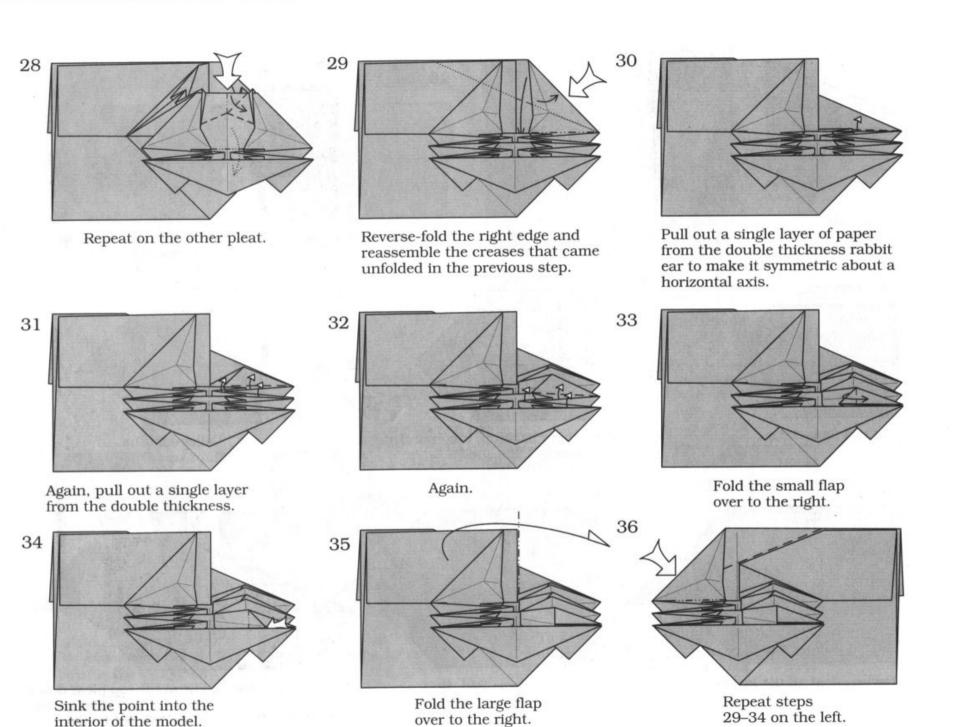
Reverse-fold all the layers on the left side of the pleats.



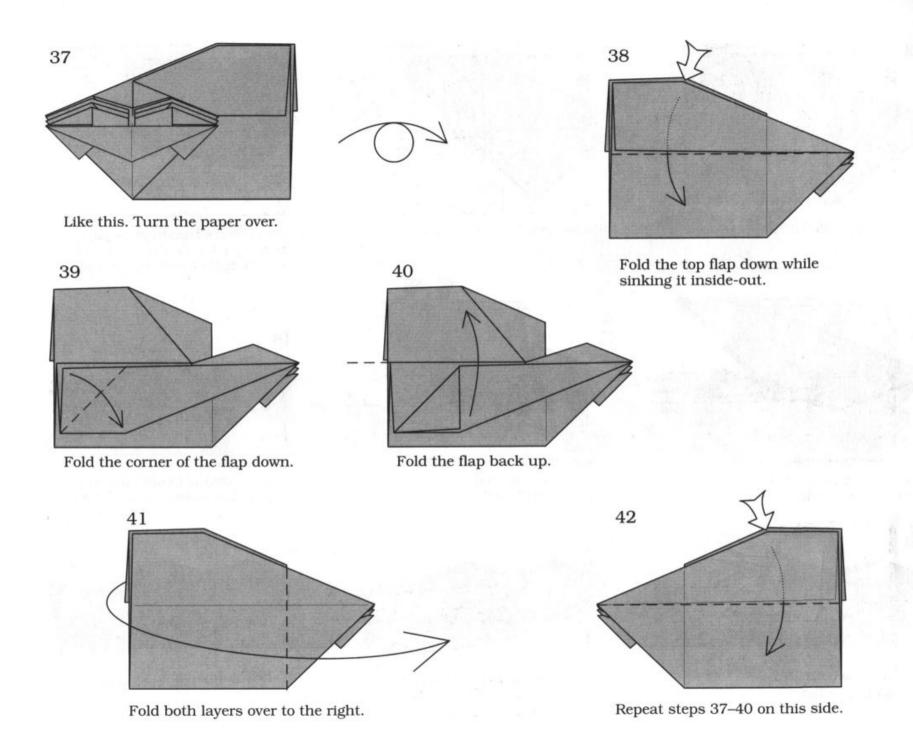
Reverse-fold the layers on the right.



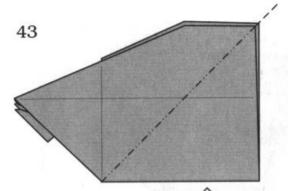
Push the middle of the top pleat down, making the small vertical pleat in the middle. The paper will not lie flat.



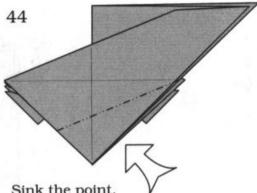
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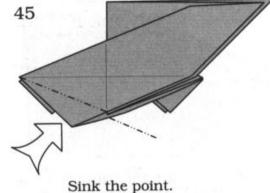
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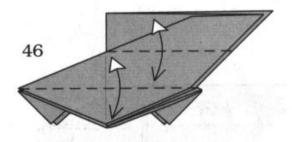


Reverse-fold the corner.

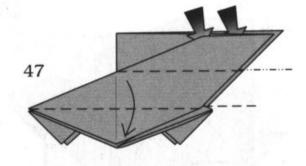


Sink the point.

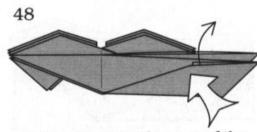




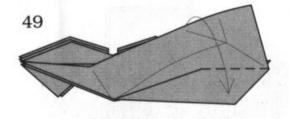
Fold and unfold.



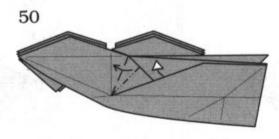
Pleat all layers individually, so that the two flaps remain separated.



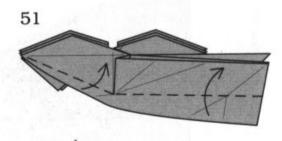
Grasp the original corner of the square that is inside the near flap and pull it entirely out of the flap.



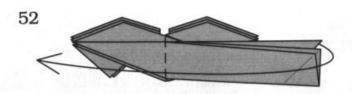
Fold down. The paper will not lie flat.



Crimp the paper toward the middle of the model and pull out the paper where shown.



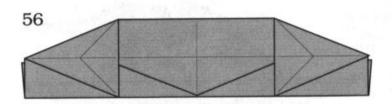
Close the flap back up.



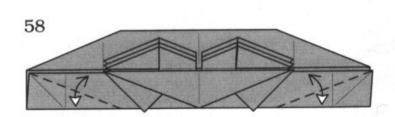
Fold both flaps over to the left.



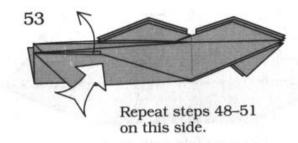
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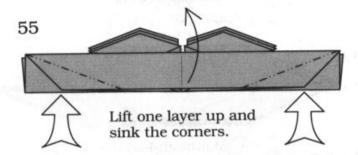


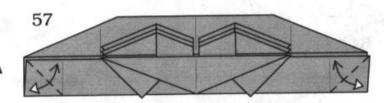
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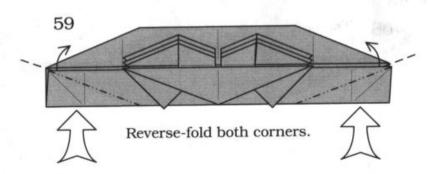
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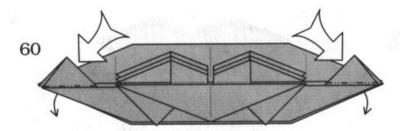






Fold and unfold.

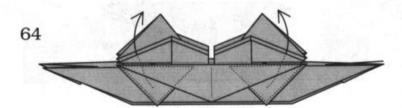




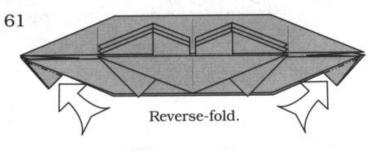
Reverse-fold both corners.



Mountain-fold the top flap behind.

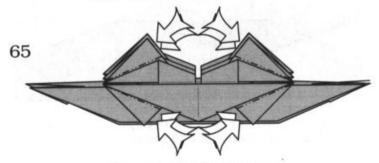


Reverse-fold the other two such flaps.

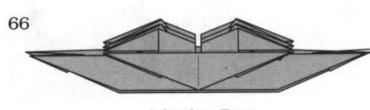




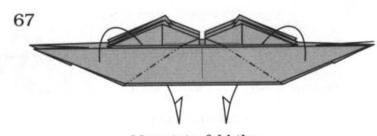
Reverse-fold two single-ply flaps up from inside the model.



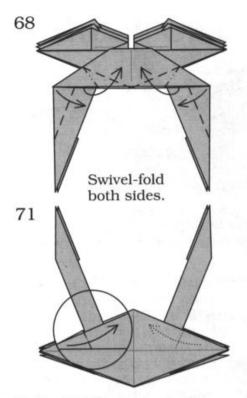
Reverse-fold four corners.



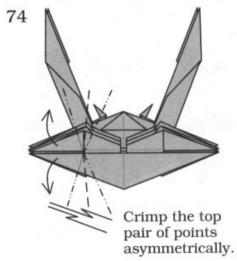
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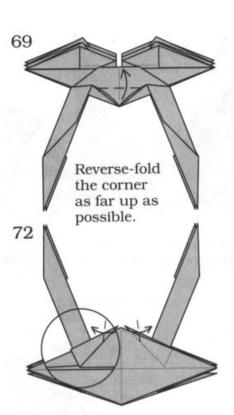


Mountain-fold the two flaps downward.

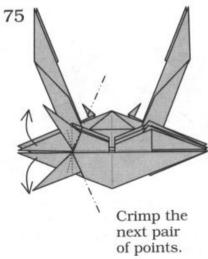


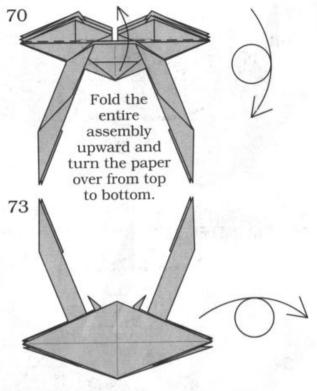
Valley-fold the top pair of hidden points to the center line.



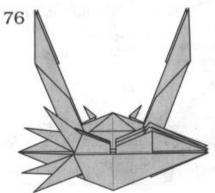


Valley-fold the tips of those same points upward.

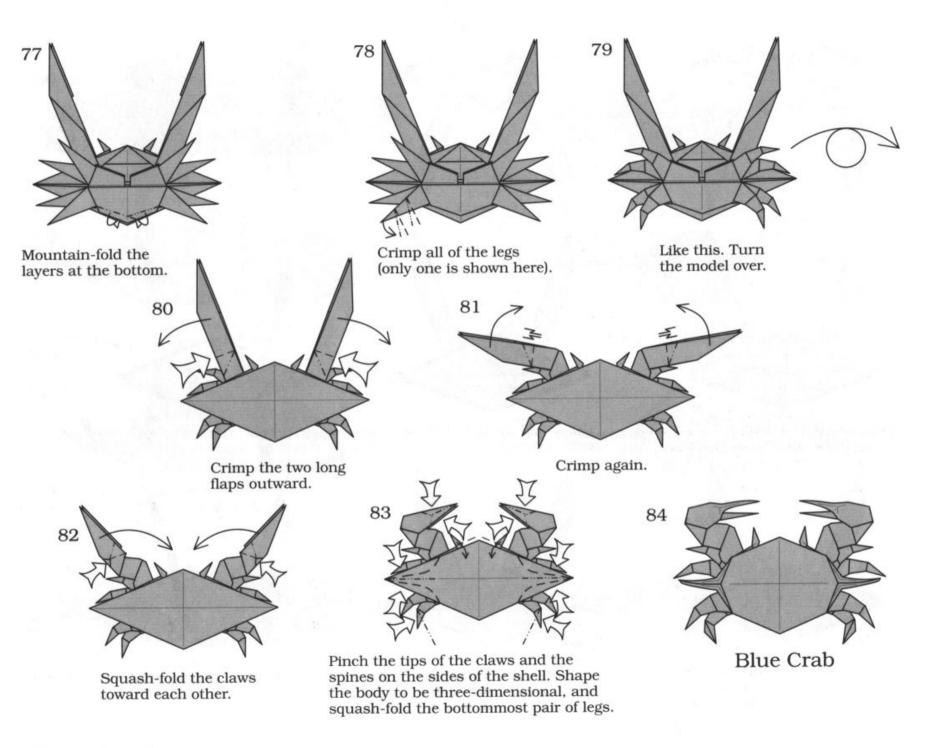




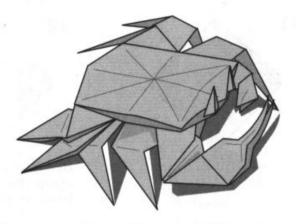
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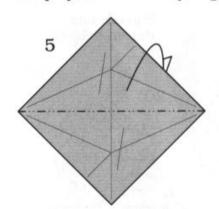
Like this. Repeat steps 74–75 on the right.



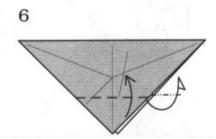
## Fiddler Crab



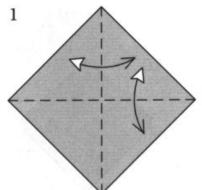
Fiddler Crabs are members of the genus Uca and are named for the single enlarged pincer possessed by the male of the species. They use their large claw primarily for courtship displays and battles with other males. If the claw breaks off, as occasionally happens, it will regenerate as a small claw while the other claw enlarges to take its place. Most are found in the mangrove swamps of the tropics, where they eat the detritus left by the receding tide. They are one of the most numerous inhabitants of the mangroves and as a result, are the prey of almost every larger creature.



Mountain-fold the top half behind.

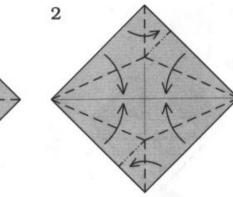


Fold the corner upward so that its edge hits the intersection shown; repeat behind.

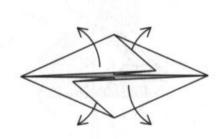


Crease the diagonals.

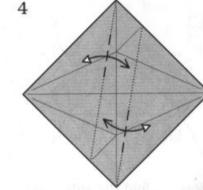
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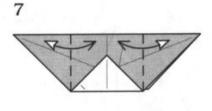
Fold two rabbit ears, with the points going in opposite directions.



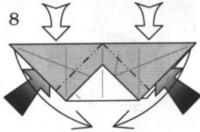
Unfold.



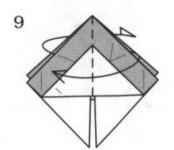
Crease as shown, making the creases sharp only where the dashed lines are.



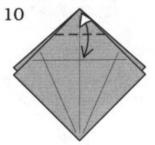
Fold and unfold.



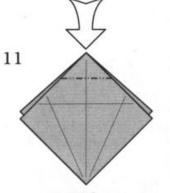
Reverse-fold two corners.



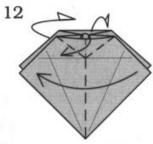
Fold one layer to the left in front and one to the right in back.



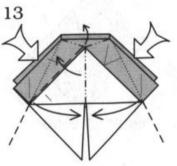
Fold and unfold.



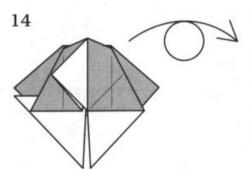
Sink.



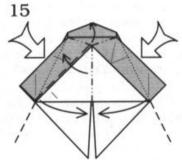
Repeat step 9, folding down the top edge in front and back.



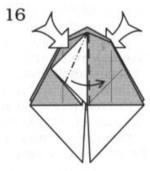
Squash-fold the sides and swing the white flap over to the left.



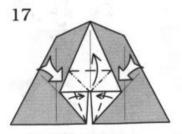
Like this. Turn the paper over.



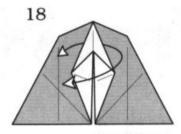
Repeat step 10 on this side.



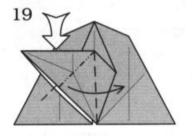
Squash-fold. Repeat behind.



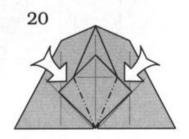
Enlarged view. Petal-fold.



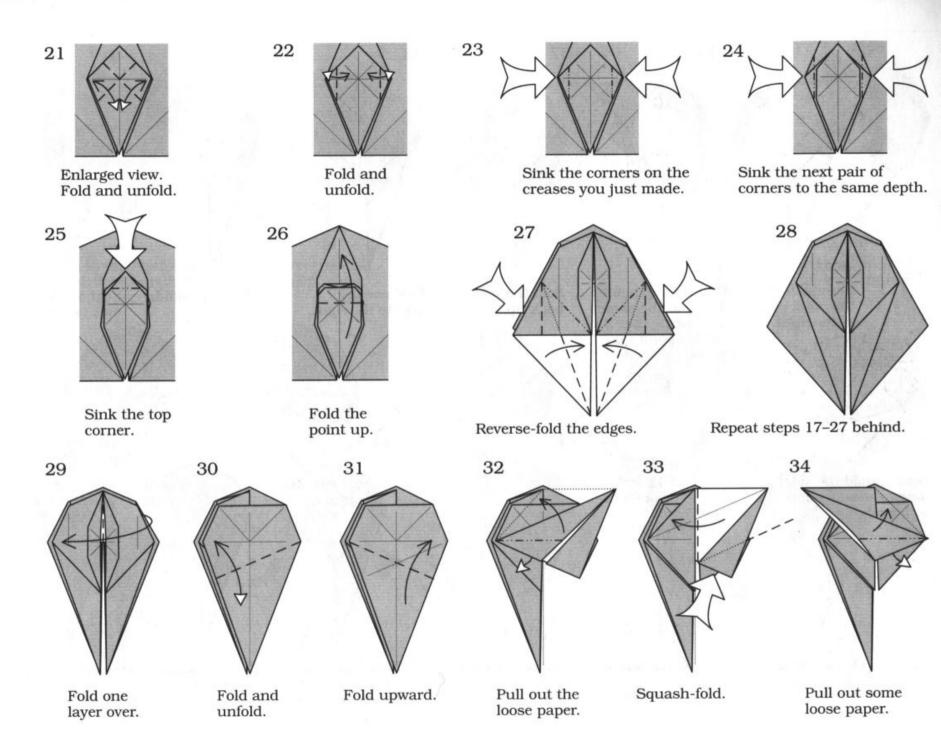
Unwrap one layer.

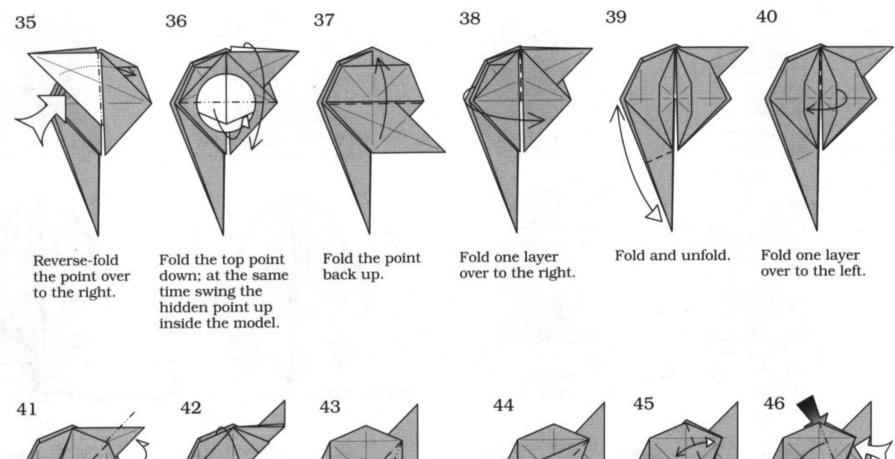


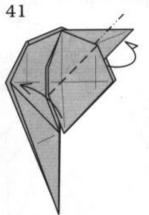
Squash-fold.



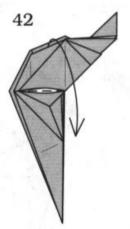
Reverse-fold the edges.



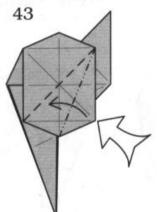




Fold one layer up to the left; repeat behind.



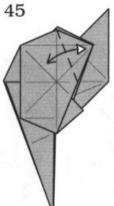
Fold the top down and flatten it.



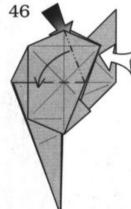
Spread-sink the indicated point.



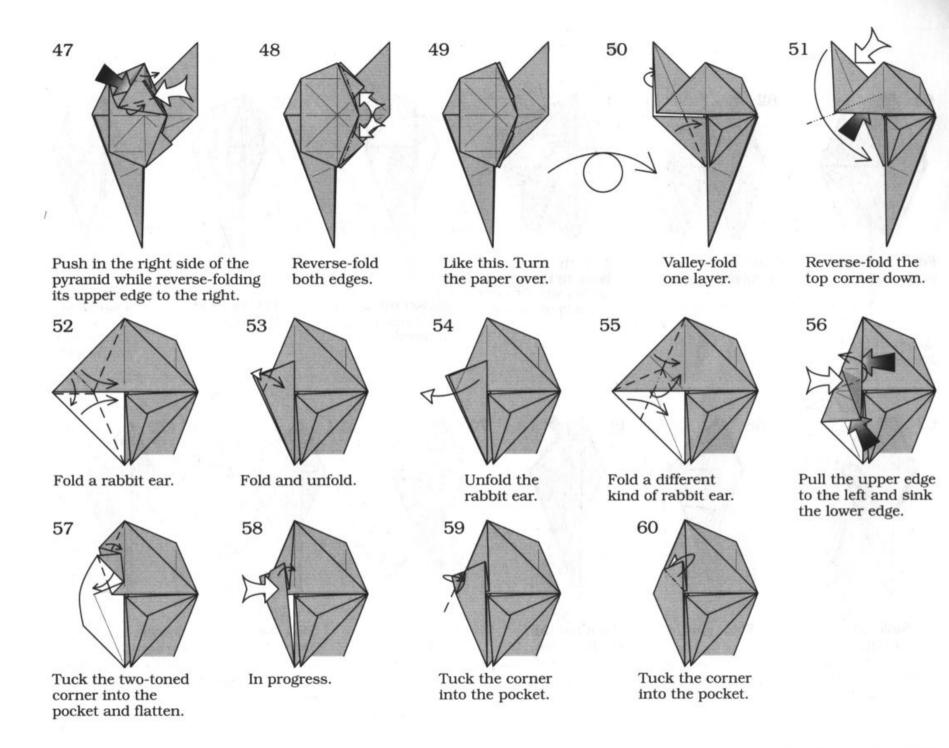
Close the sink up, incorporating the reverse fold at the bottom.

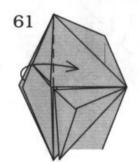


Fold and unfold.

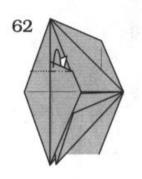


Open out the upper edges of the point to form a three-sided pyramid.

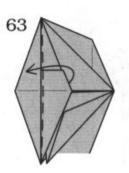




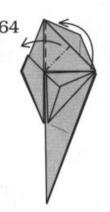
Fold one corner to the right.



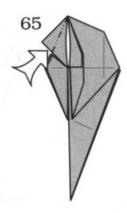
Mountain-fold the corner.



Fold the layer back to the left.



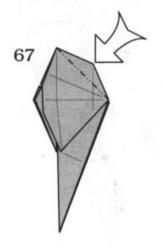
Swivel the right point upward.



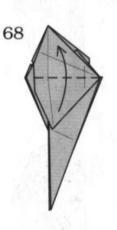
Reverse-fold the edge.



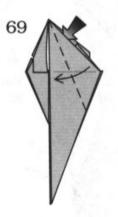
Fold all of the narrow layers over to the left.



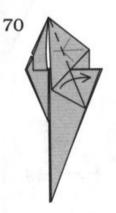
Sink the corner.



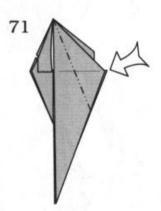
Fold upward.



Open flat the sunk corner.



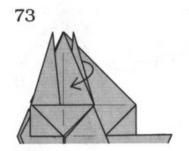
Close it back up.



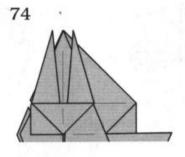
Sink the corner.



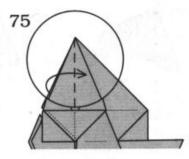
Squash-fold the corner asymmetrically, with three layers going to the right and one to the left.



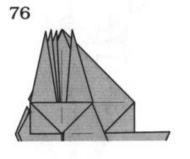
Lift the right point up to release it.



Like this.



Behind the two points, fold one layer over to the right, releasing two more points.



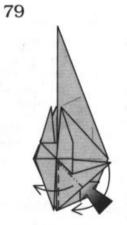
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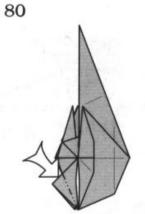
Fold the long point upward.



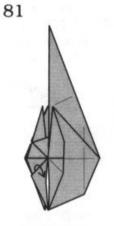
Fold one layer upward.



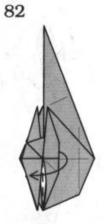
Swivel the right point downward.



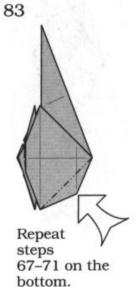
Reverse-fold the edge.

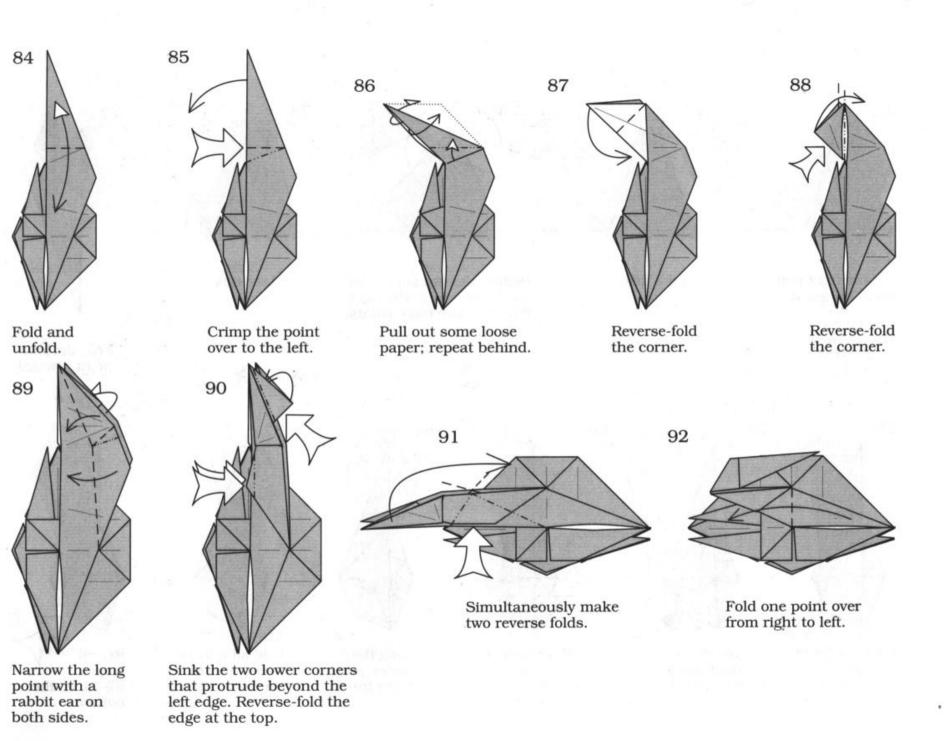


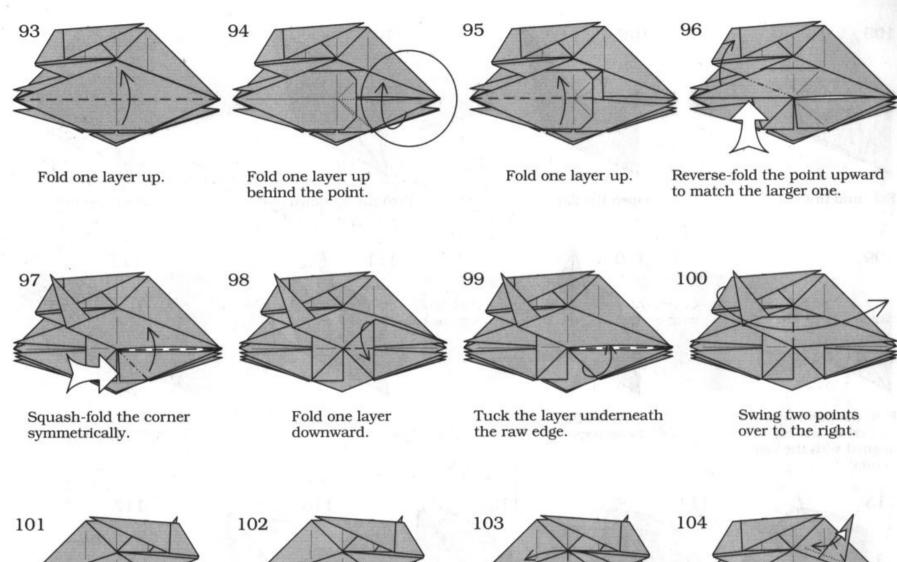
Bring the hidden point to the front.

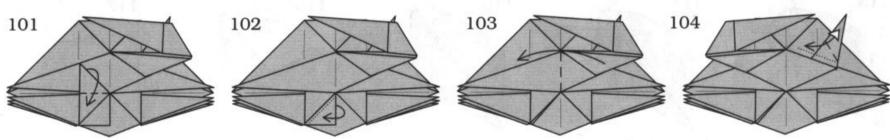


Fold all narrow layers over to the left.







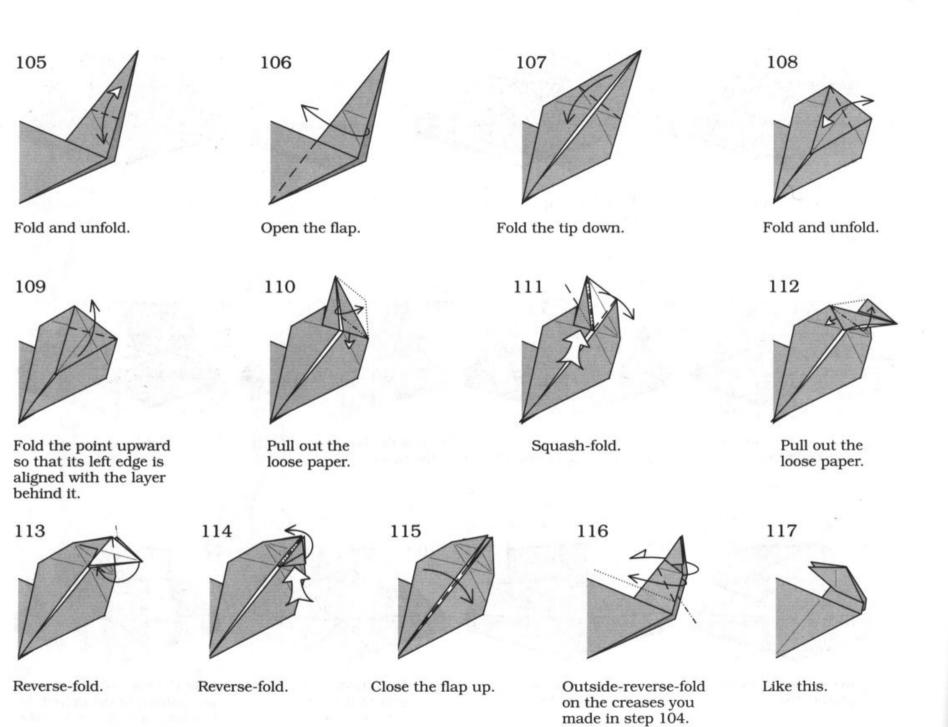


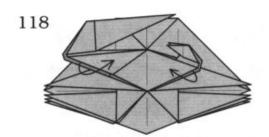
Repeat steps 98-99 on this flap.

Tuck the corner into the pocket behind it.

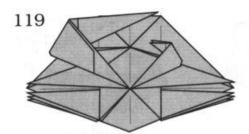
Fold the large point over to the left.

Fold the right edge of the point down to the dotted line and unfold.

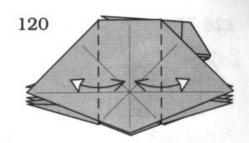




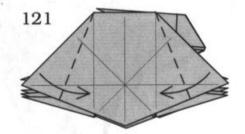
Tuck the "elbows" of the claws into the pockets beneath them (similar to steps 98–99).



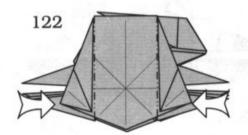
Like this. Turn the model over.



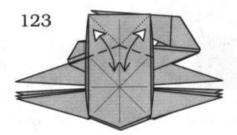
Fold and unfold.



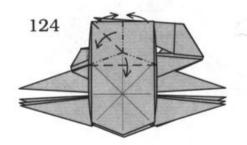
Fold the upper edges in to the creases you just made.



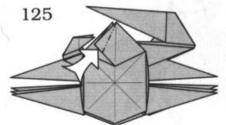
Carefully closed-sink the corners into the body.



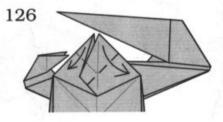
Fold and unfold.



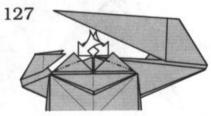
Crimp the body and swing the two points toward each other.



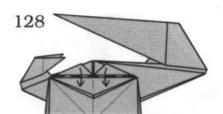
Reverse-fold the edge.



Spread the two points at the top out to the sides.



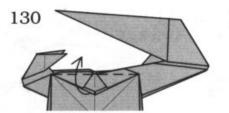
Reverse-fold the edges.



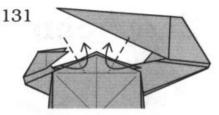
Fold the two thick edges downward.



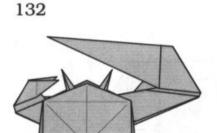
Reverse-fold the left side and mountain-fold the right side at the top of the body.



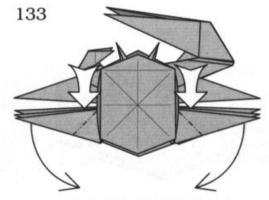
Fold all the layers upward.



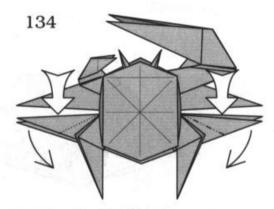
Twist the two trapped points forward so that they point up and out.



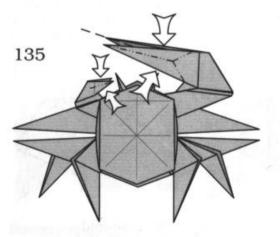
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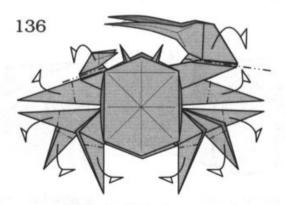
Reverse-fold the thick pair of points downward.



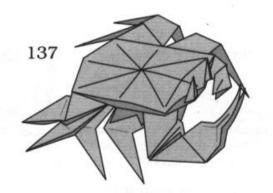
Reverse-fold the next pair of points downward (note that the left one is inside another point).



Pinch both pincers of each claw to shape them.

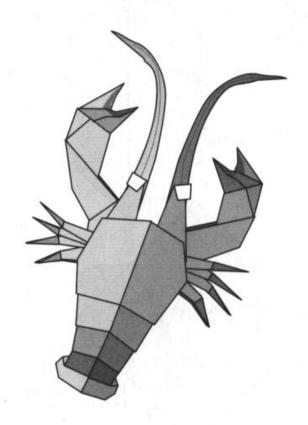


Mountain-fold all of the legs and claws downward and puff up the body to shape it.



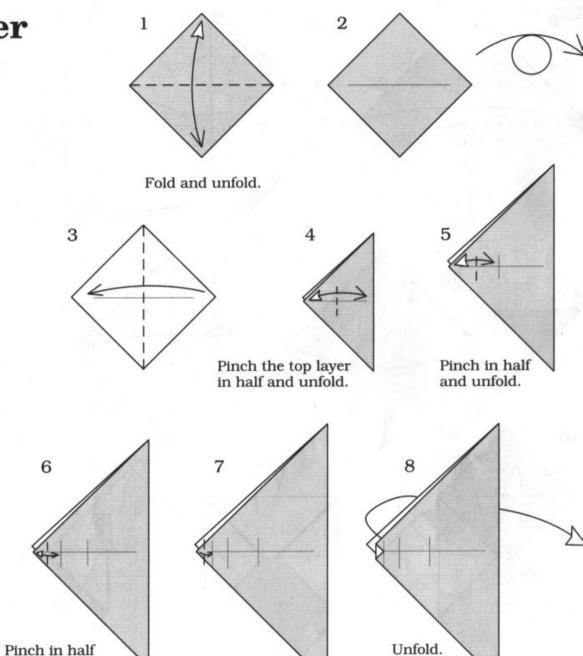
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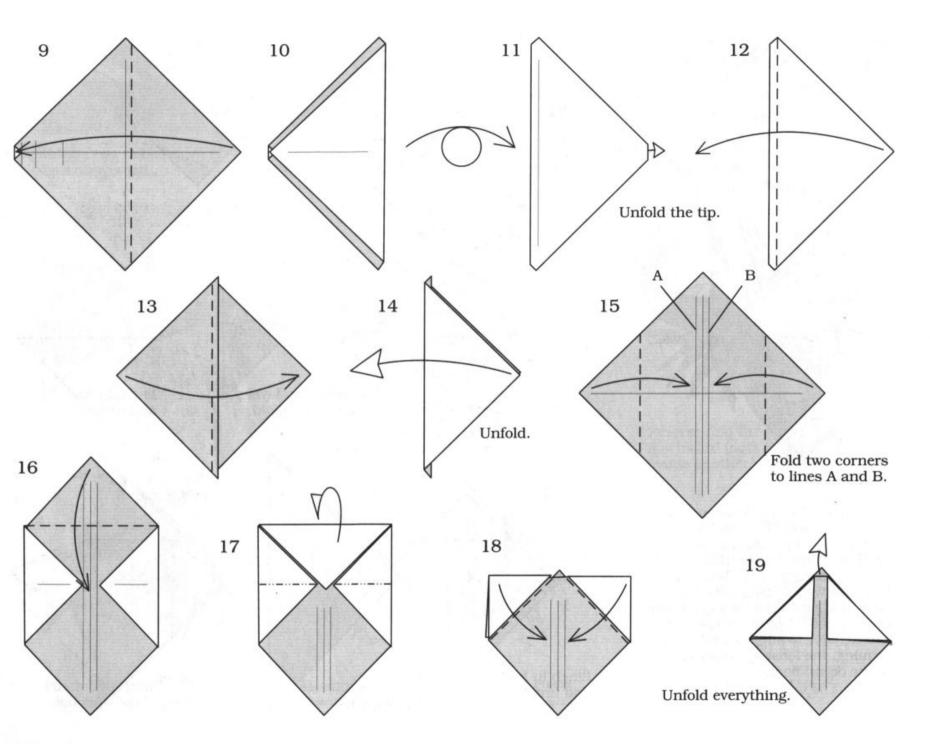
## **American Lobster**



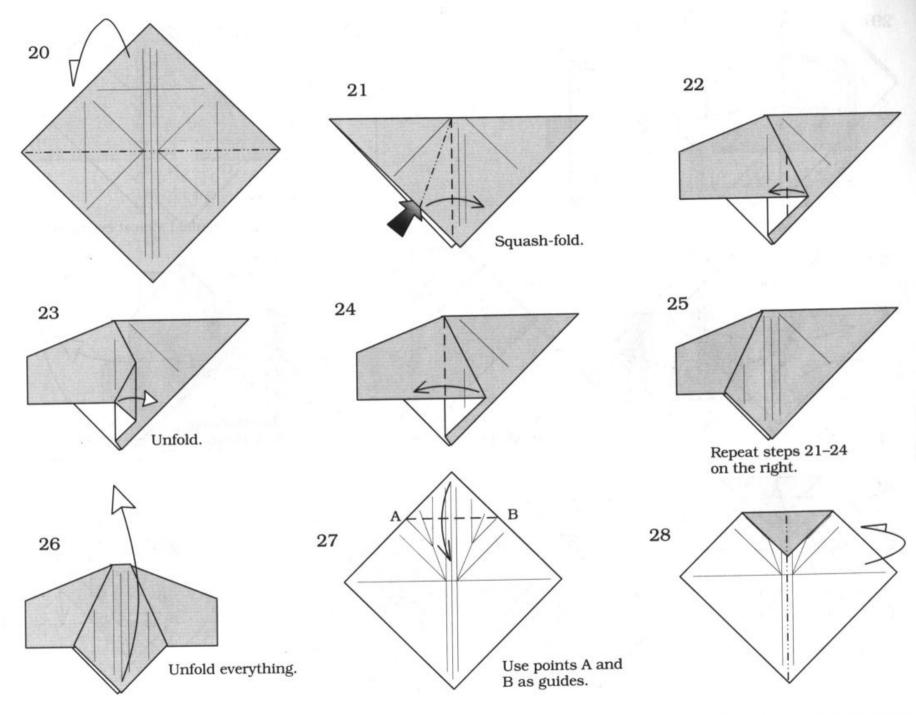
This dark green crustacean has large claws used for crushing and cutting its prey of mollusks and small fish. The lobster (*Homarus* americanus) grows to about two feet long and walks along the ocean floor. It is protected by a hard outer exoskeleton. To grow, it sheds its exoskeleton. While the new one is forming, the lobster hides in holes in the ocean floor.

and unfold.

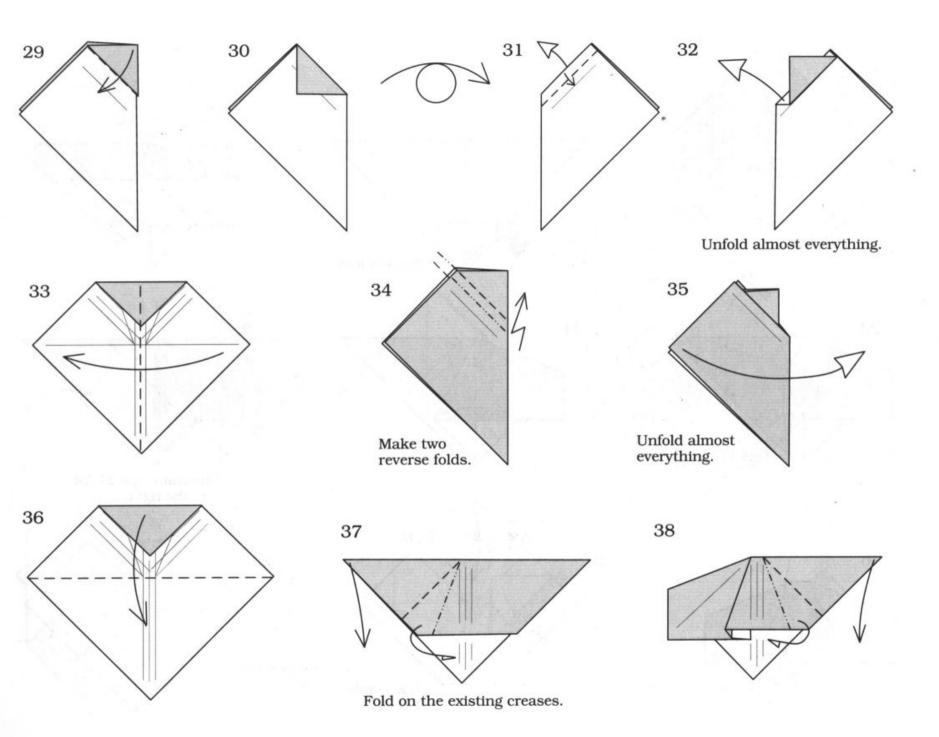




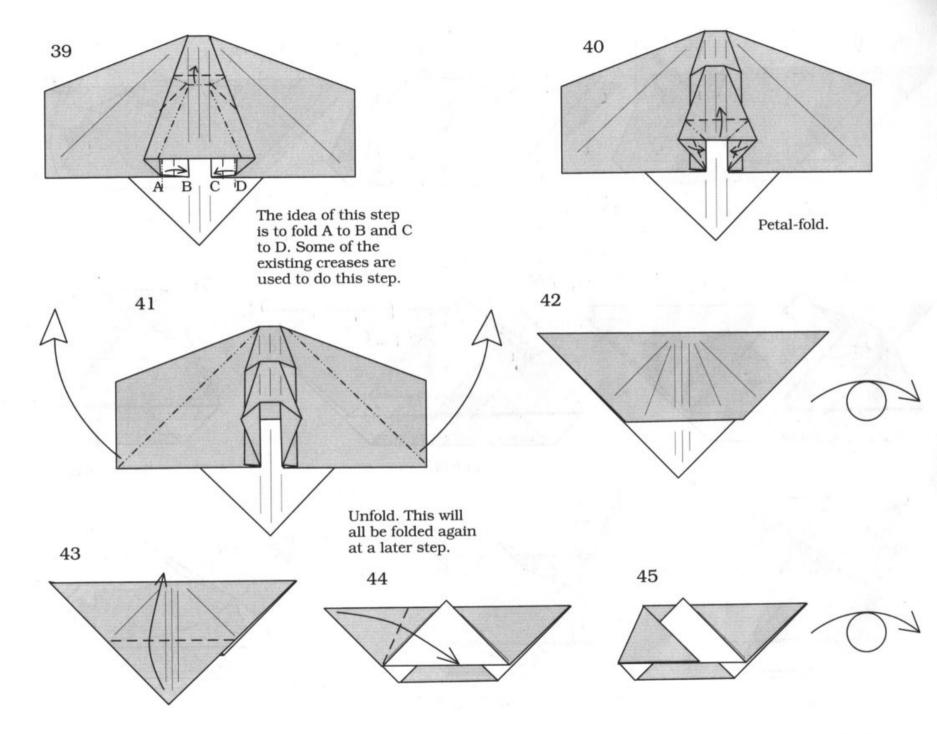
238 Origami Sea Life

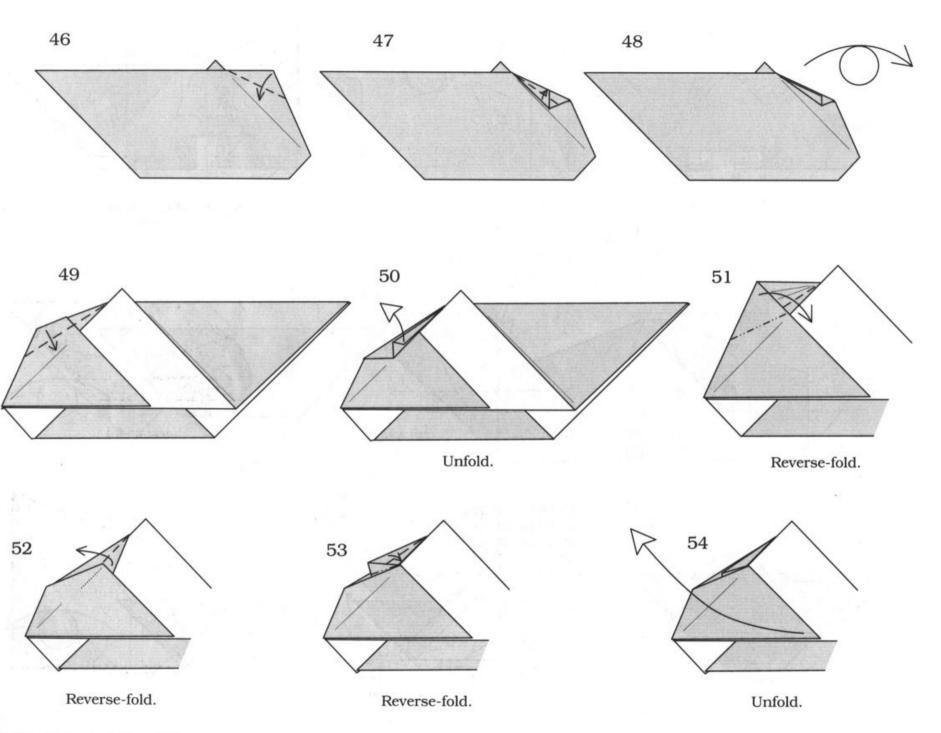


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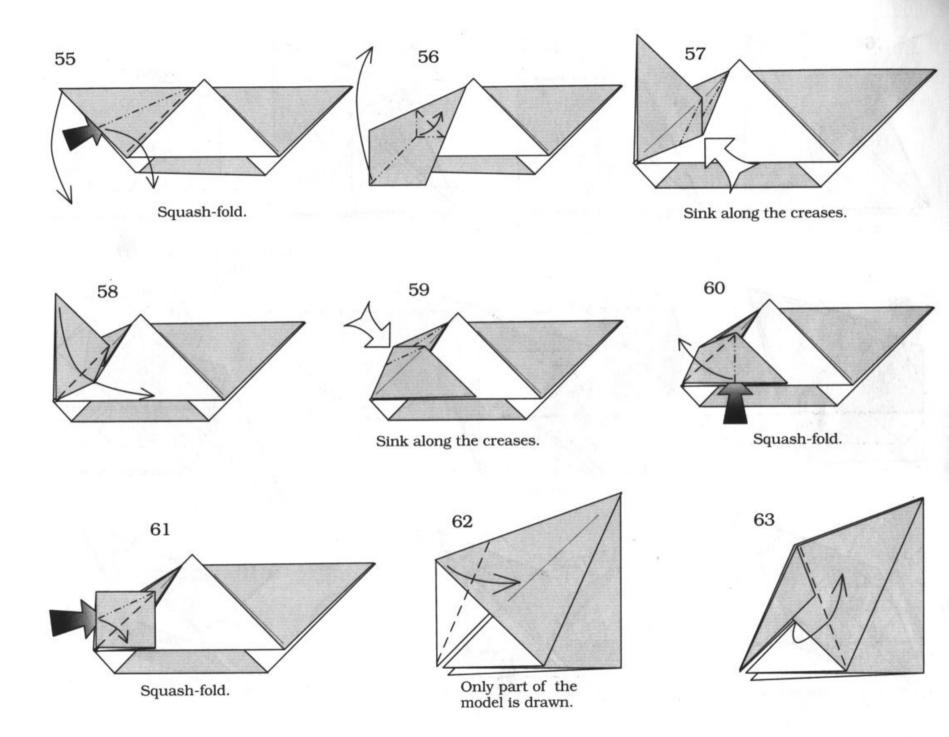


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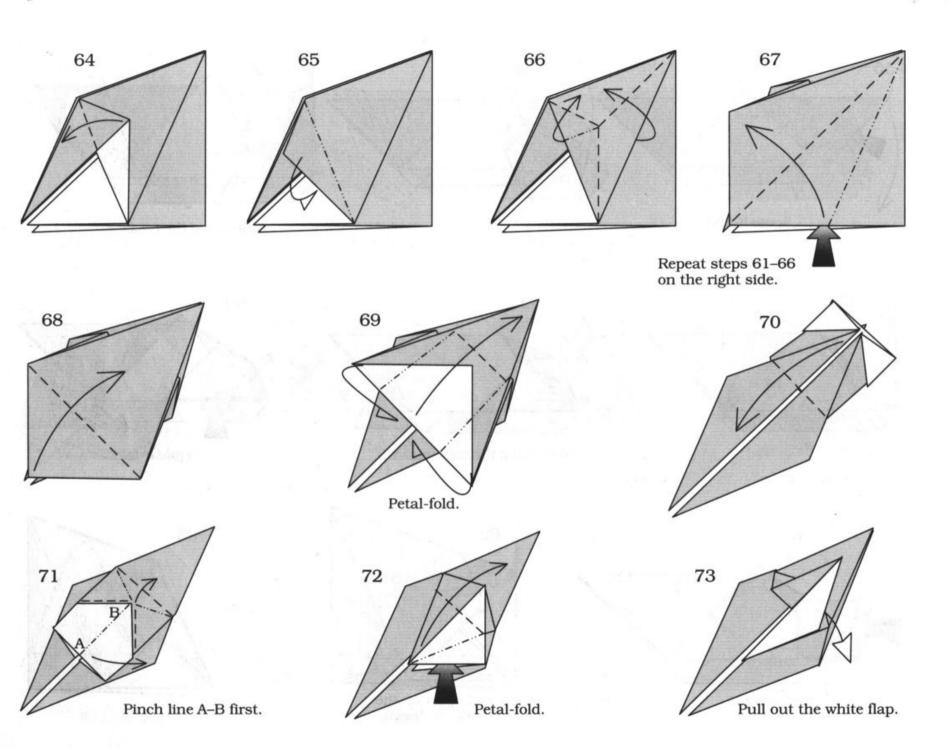




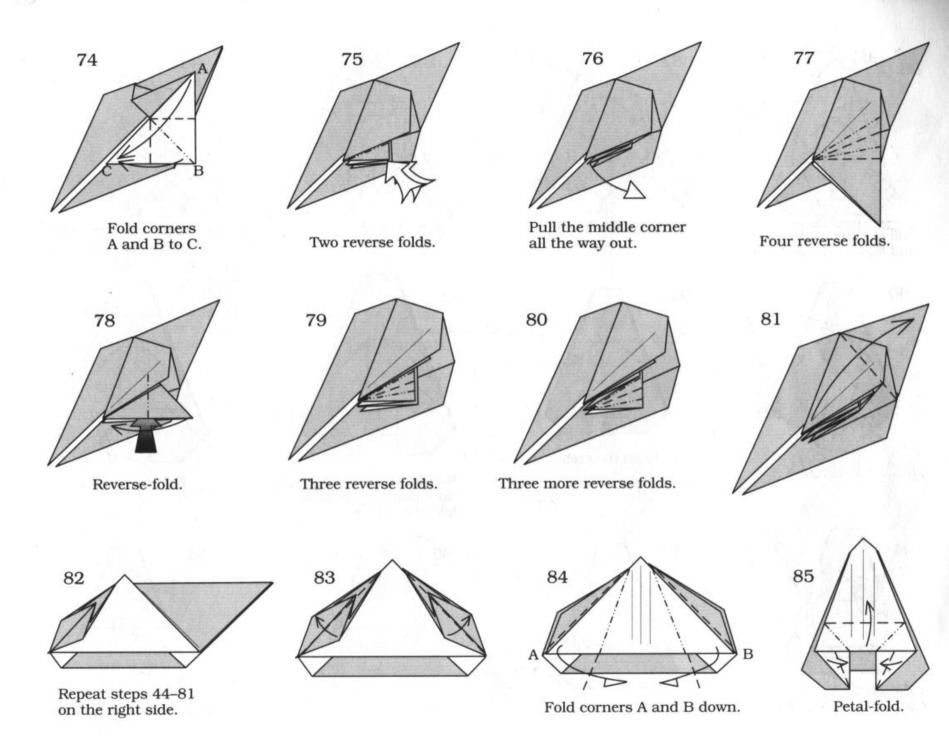
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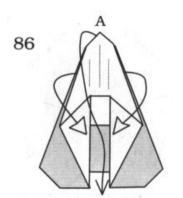


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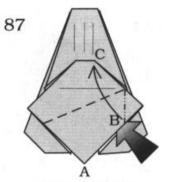


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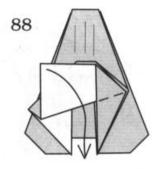


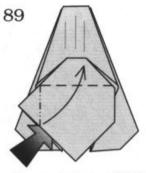


Pull out the white paper and fold corner A down.

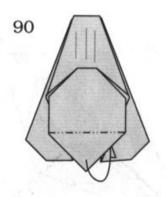


Squash-fold B up to corner C.

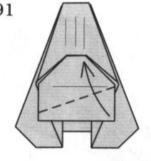


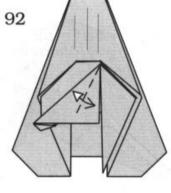


Repeat steps 87–88 on the left side.

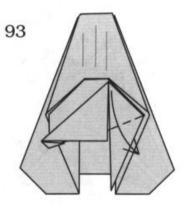


91 Fold on the crease.

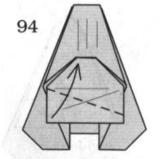




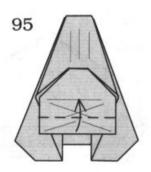
Kite-fold down and unfold. Note that two layers are folded together.

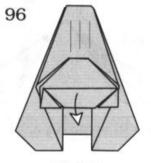


Fold back down.

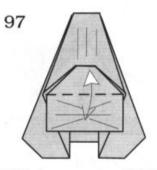


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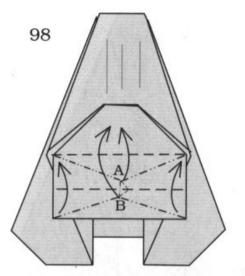




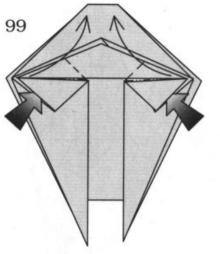
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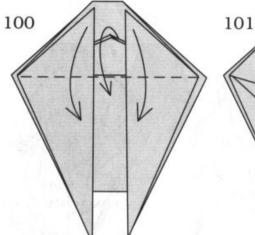
Fold down and unfold.

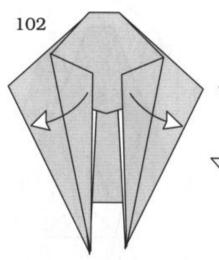


Fold A and B up and on top of each other using the existing creases.

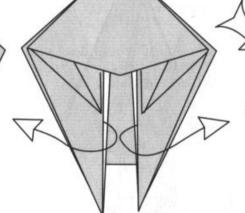


Only part of the model is drawn. Make two squash folds.



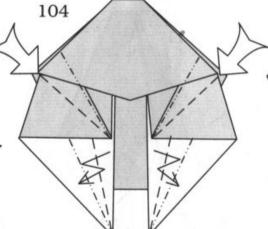


Unfold.

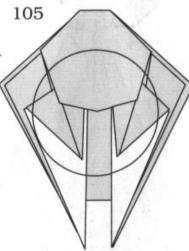


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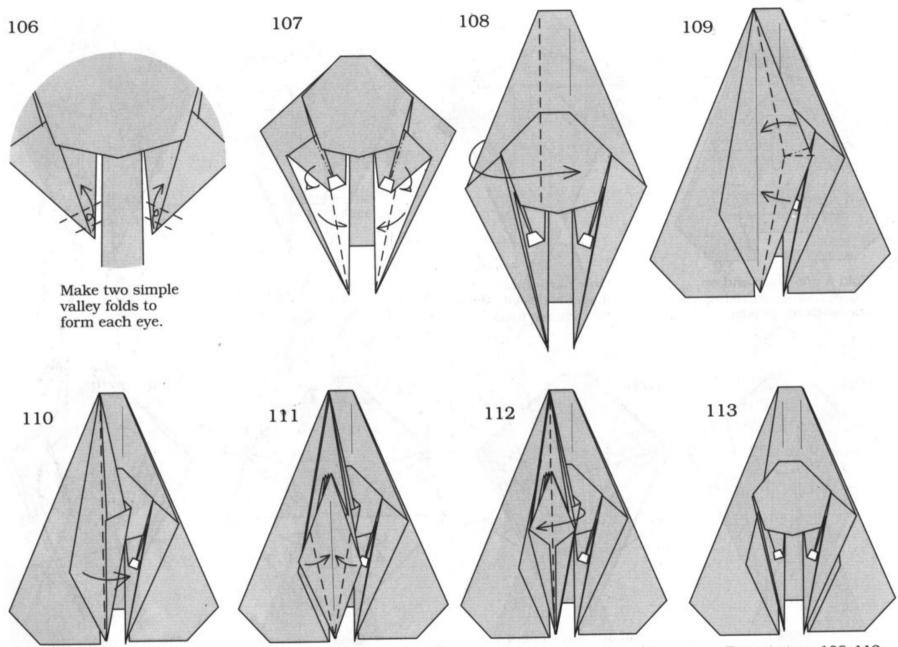
Pull out some paper.



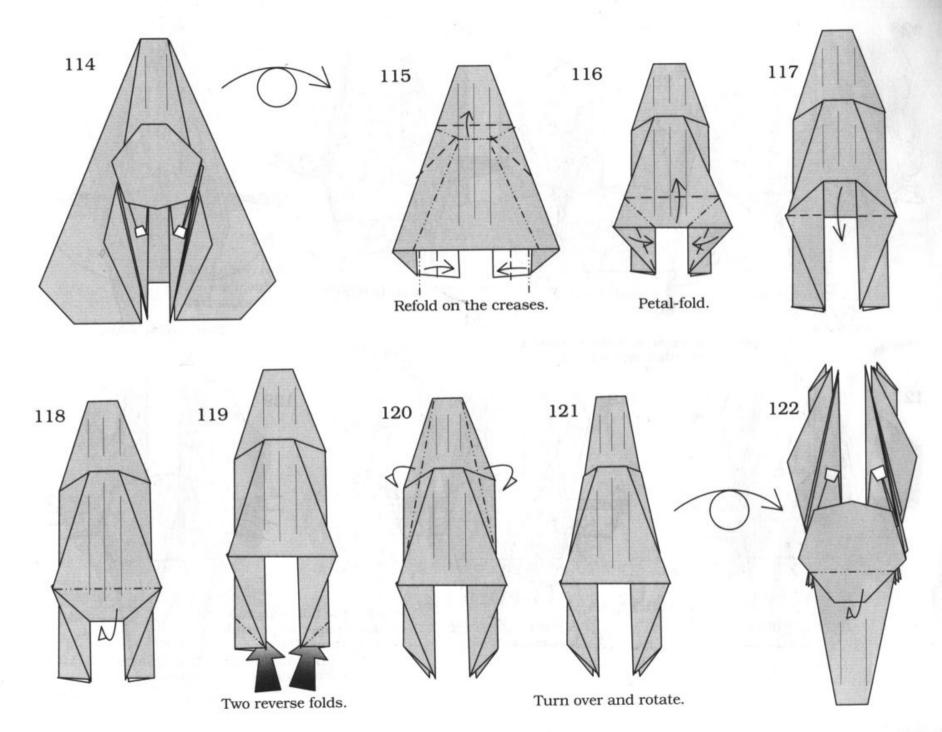
Make two reverse folds on each side.



The part inside the circle will be enlarged in the next step.



Repeat steps 108–112 on the right side.



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