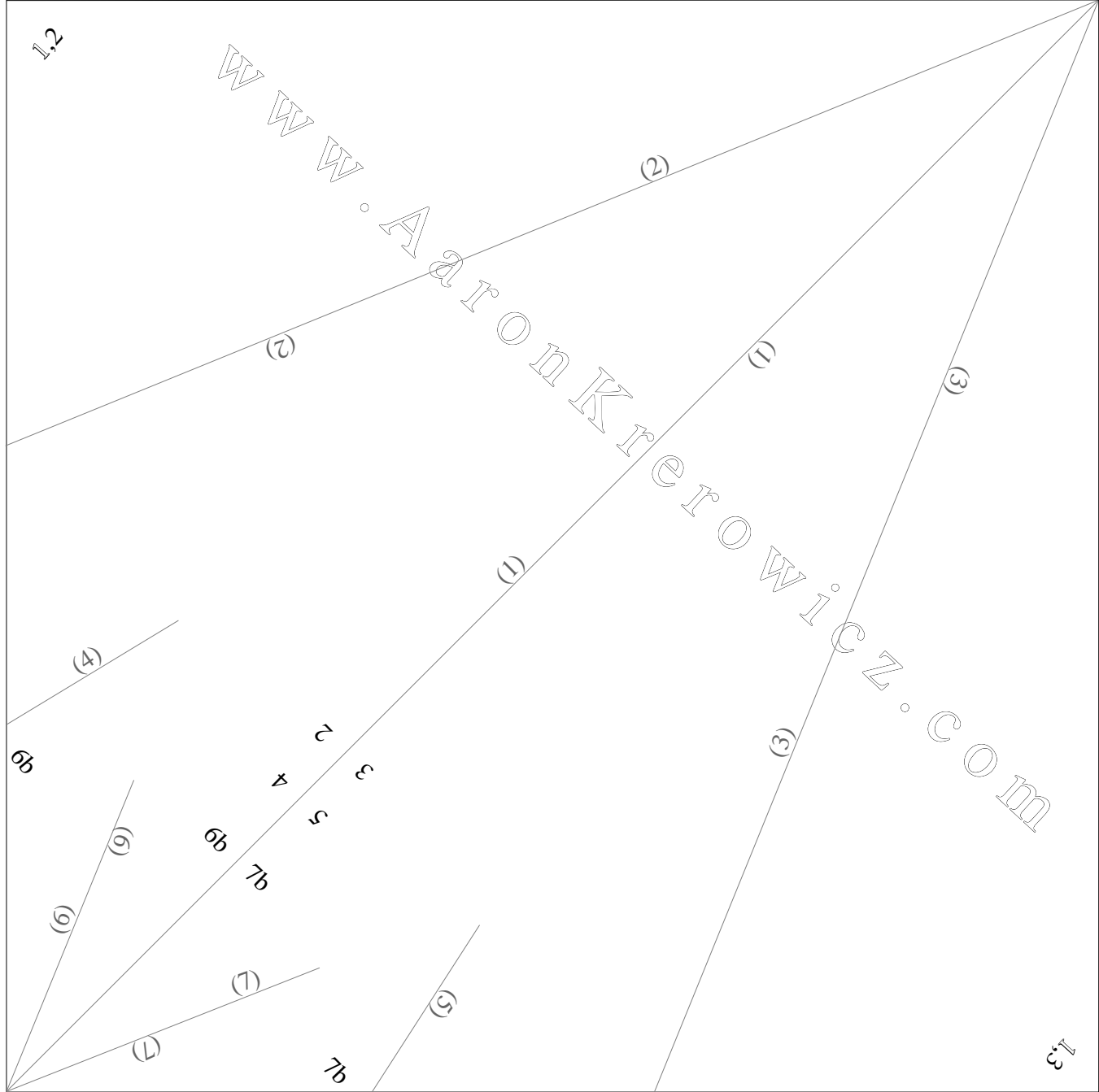


# Flower & Stem

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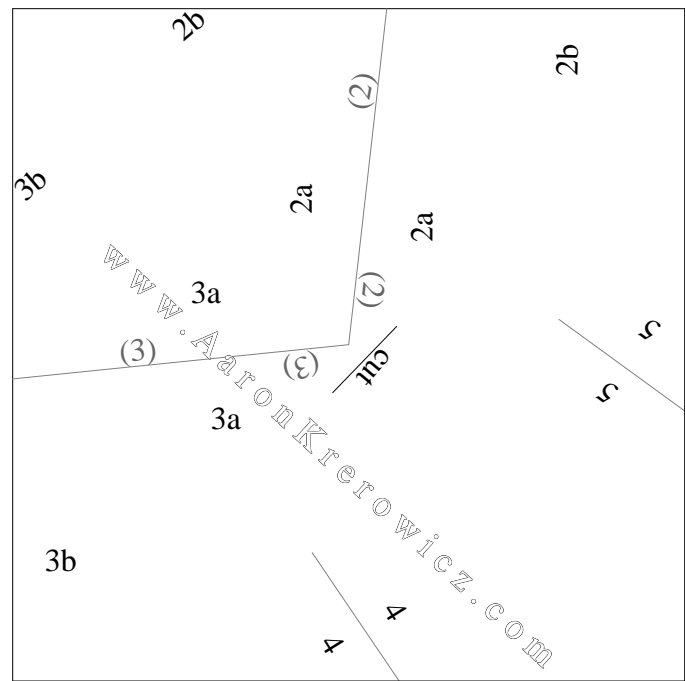
## GENERAL RULES

The solid black perimeter lines indicate where to cut the paper. The cut-out should always be square.

Fold the paper so 1 touches 1, 2 touches 2, 3 touches 3, et cetera. Occasionally numbers will be supplemented with letters (ex: 7a and 7b). These indicate multiple points that need to touch in a single fold (ex: 7a must touch 7a, and 7b must touch 7b simultaneously).

Outlined numbers (ex: 1) are to be folded, creased, and unfolded. Overlined numbers (ex: 1) indicate that only the top layer of paper (and not all layers) are to be folded.

The gray lines and accompanying numbers in parentheses illustrate where each fold should crease the paper. After making each fold, double check that you did it correctly by unfolding it and ensuring the crease is in the right place.



Stem  
Instructions

Cut out the larger square

Fold 1 to 1,  
crease, and unfold

Fold 2 to 2

Fold 3 to 3

Fold 4 to 4

Fold 5 to 5

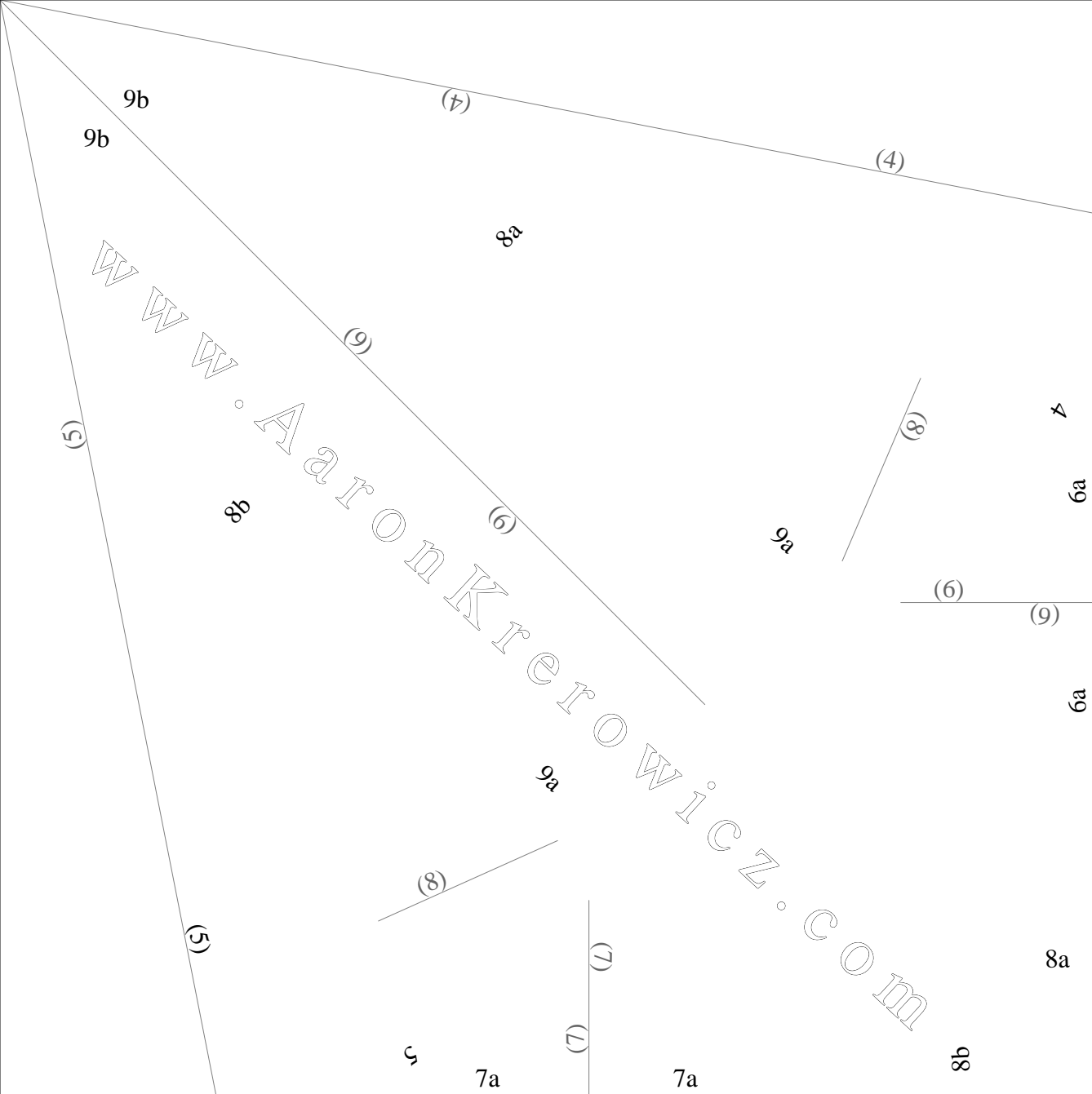
Fold 6a to 6a  
and 6b to 6b

Fold 7a to 7a  
and 7b to 7b

Fold 8a to 8a  
and 8b to 8b

Fold 9a to 9a  
and 9b to 9b

Firmly holding  
the stem, gently  
pull the leaf  
away from the  
stem about one  
inch, then  
crease at the  
bottom. There  
are no numbers  
corresponding  
to this step.



Flower Instructions

Cut out the smaller square

Fold 1 to 1

Fold 2a to 2a and 2b to 2b

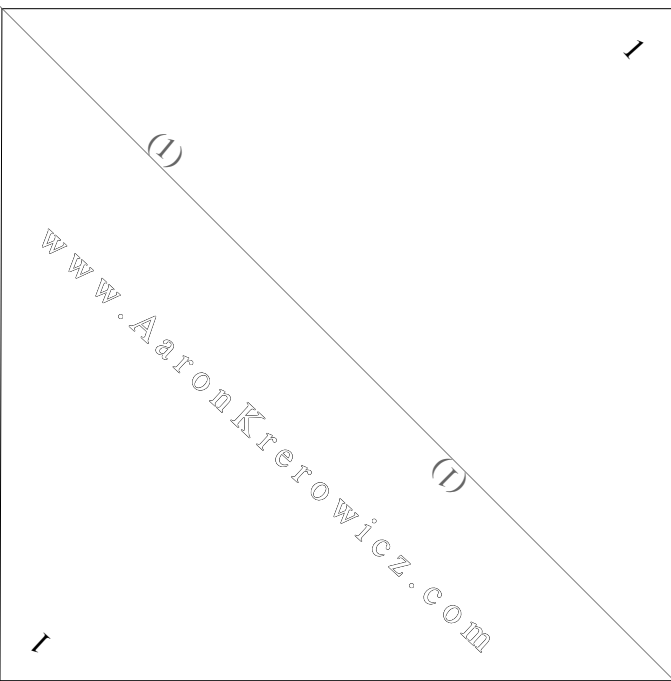
Fold 3a to 3a and 3b to 3b

Fold 4 to 4

Fold 5 to 5

Cut where indicated at the base of the flower.

Unfold the flower completely, insert the top of the stem into the hole in the middle of the flower, and re-fold the flower.



General rules and guidelines for folding  
may be found on the back of this page.