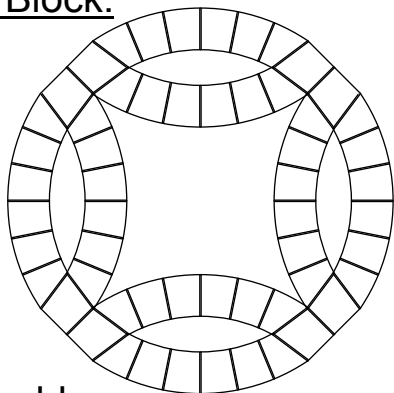


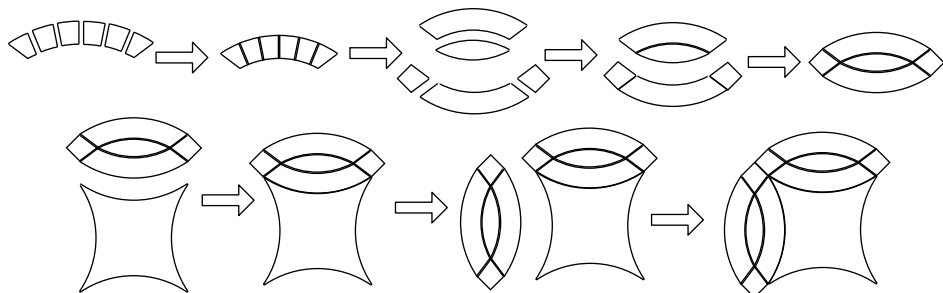
Double Wedding Ring

Segmented Arc

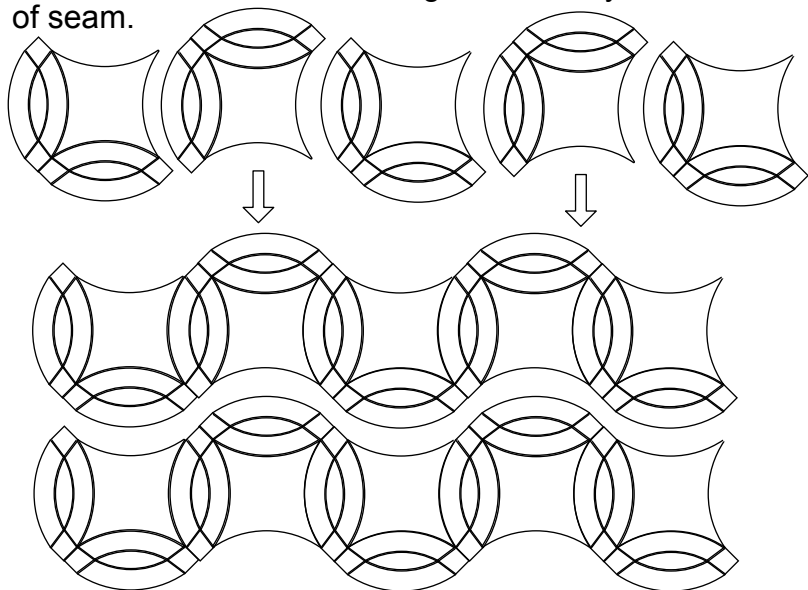
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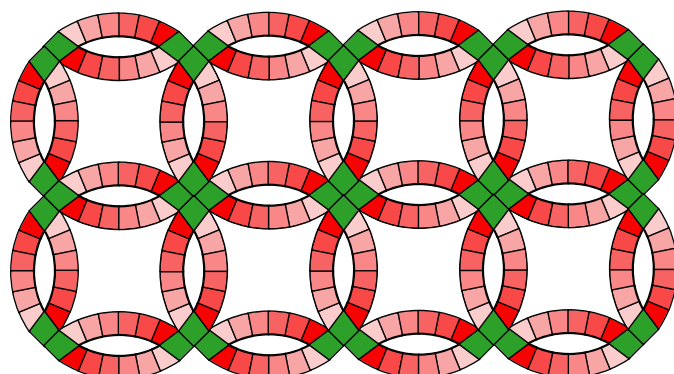
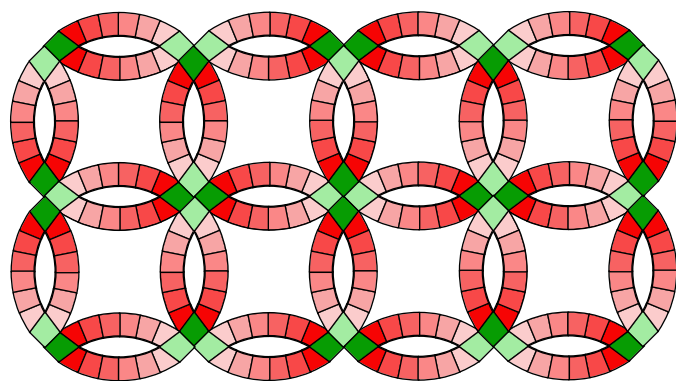


Sew the ring center to the arc stopping at the y-seam dot. Cut thread. Sew the 2 corners together from y-seam dot to end of seam.

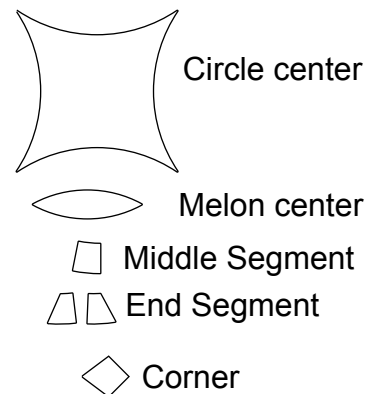


Sewing row to row: Sew the ring center to each arc first, dot to dot. Go back and align the corners together and sew from dot to dot. Next, add the melon units around the perimeter.

Patterns:



The Shapes:



Size:

15 inch ring

Seam Type:

Straight seams, curved seams and y-seams.

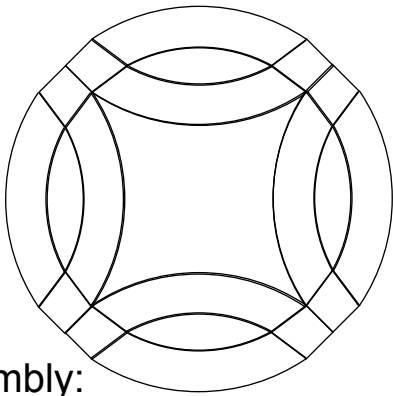
Recommended Fabrics:

The pattern examples below are just 2 of many possibilities. The centers can be light or dark colors. The ring centers can be colored differently from the melon centers. The corners can be 1 color or 2 colors. The arc segments can be a color array as shown or scrappy.

Scale SVG file to 11" x 20"

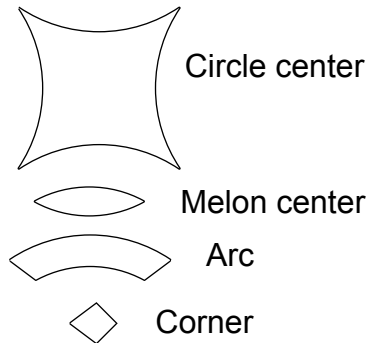
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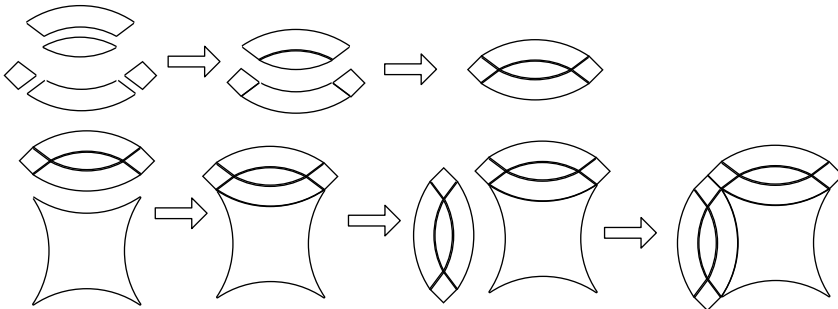


Whole Arc

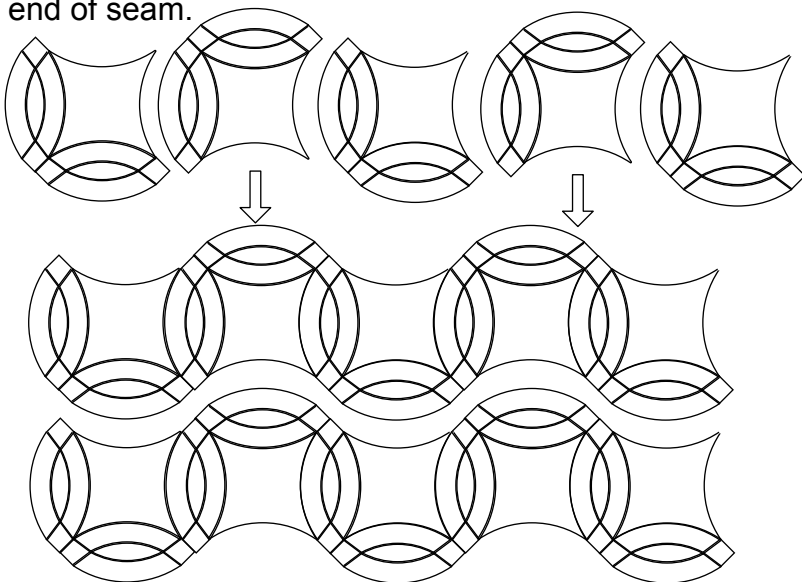
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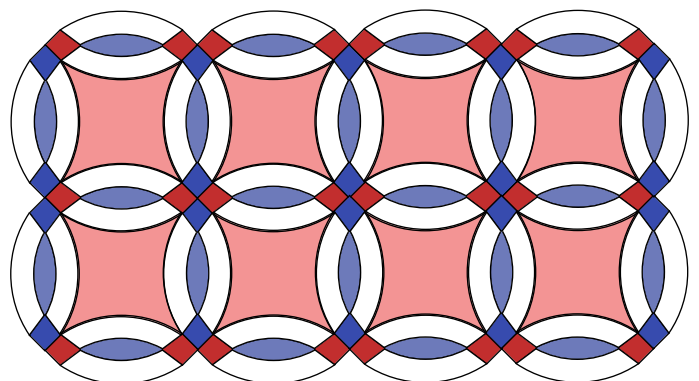
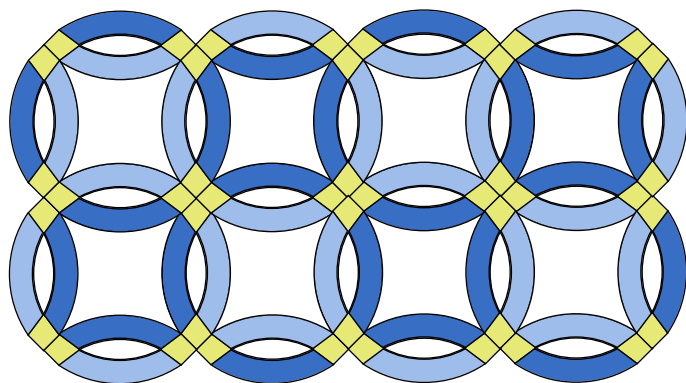


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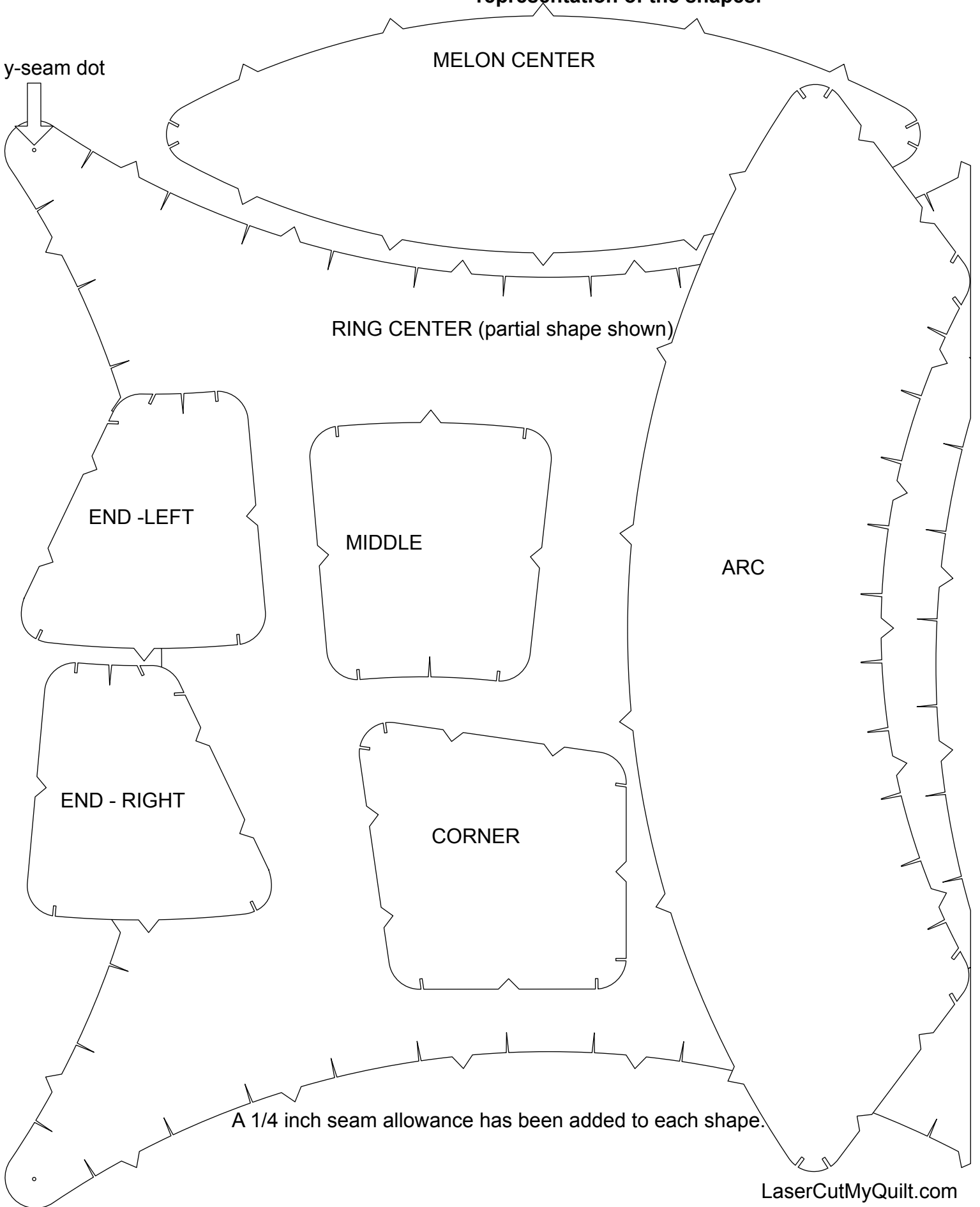
Recommended Fabrics:

In the pattern examples below you will see several options. The centers can be light or dark colors. The ring centers can be colored differently from the melon centers. The corners can be 1 color or 2 colors. The arcs can be 1 color or 2 colors alternating.

Scale SVG file to 11" x 20"

Double Wedding Ring Shape Set 15"

Shapes are True to Size **Set Printer Scale to 100% to get an accurate representation of the shapes.**



A 1/4 inch seam allowance has been added to each shape.

Features of a Curved Shape

Scant 1/4 inch needle notch

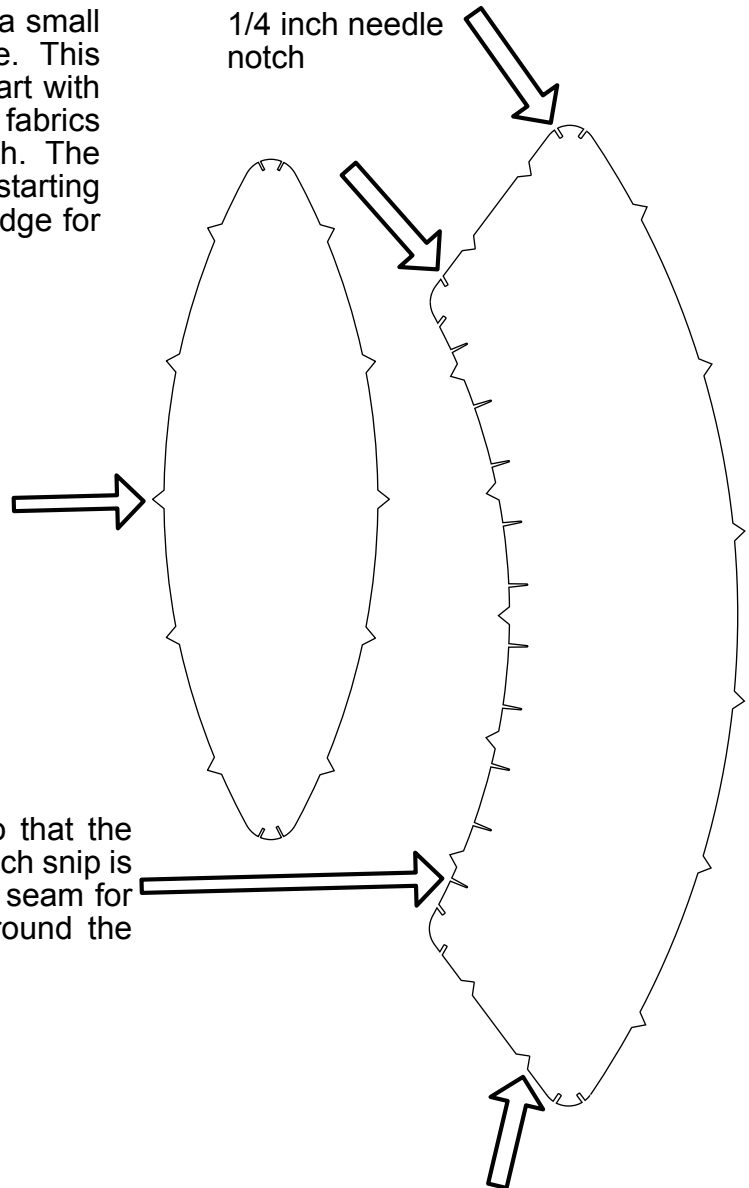
The start and end of every seam is marked with a small notch just inside the quarter inch seam allowance. This makes starting the seam easy and accurate. Start with the needle in the down position and place the fabrics under the presser foot with the needle in the notch. The block will measure accurately if the seam is sewn starting at this notch and sewing this distance from the edge for the entire seam ending at the needle notch.

Match Points

Most plastic templates and fabric cutting dies have only one match point in the center and you have to try to distribute the fabric evenly along the curve. Inevitably, the blocks will not be square or flat because the fibers on portions of the curve are cut on the bias and will naturally be easier to work than other part of the curve. I have put match points along all curves to help you properly align and distribute perfectly.

Snipped Curve

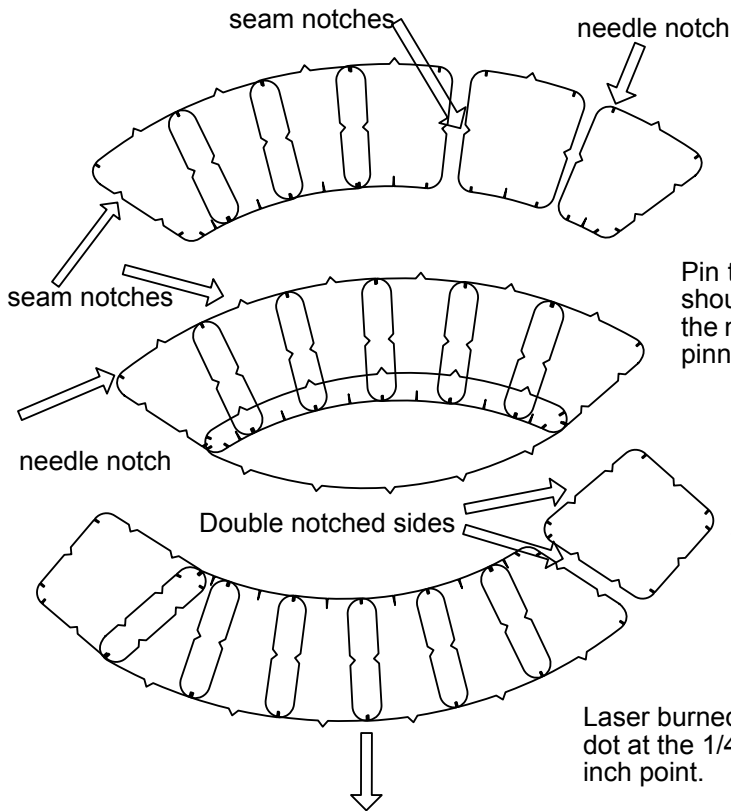
The concave curves on a shape are snipped so that the fabric can be turned and eased into the seam. Each snip is 3/16 inch deep which is sufficient space from the seam for strength and deep enough to bend the edge around the curve.



Seam Notches

Notches along the edge match the notches on the edge of the shape that will be sewn to it. Improves accuracy when sewing shapes together.

How to Assemble The Double Wedding Ring

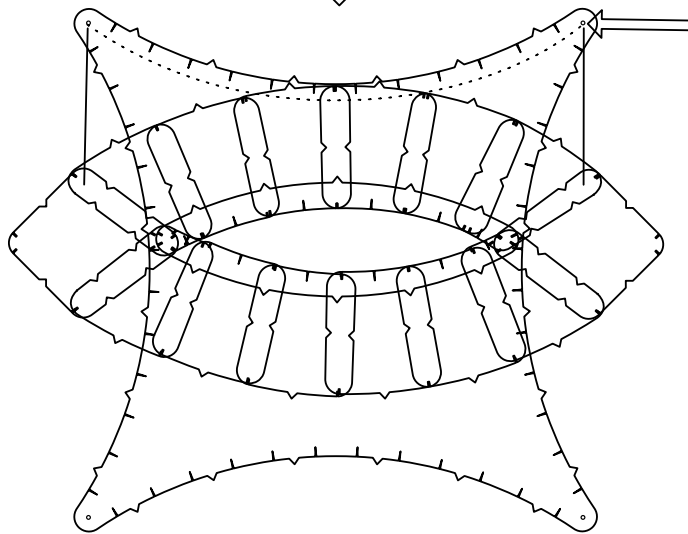


Sew all the arc segments together, matching up the seam notches. Use the needle notches and your seam tape to make a perfect straight seam.

Pin the melon centers to half the arcs. The match points should match up with the seams on the pieced arcs and the match points on the whole arcs. See the directions for pinning and sewing curves.

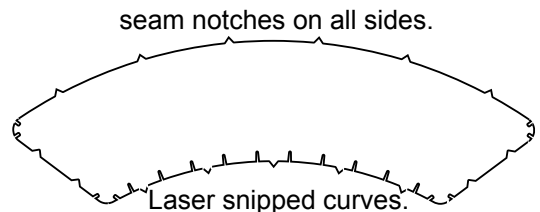
Sew the corners to the remaining arcs, matching the double notches. Make sure the corners are oriented as shown so the other arc piece will match up with the double notches.

Sew the 2 units together to form a melon unit.



Layout your centers and melons the way you want them on a large surface. Sew these in rows by first sewing melons to the top of each center.

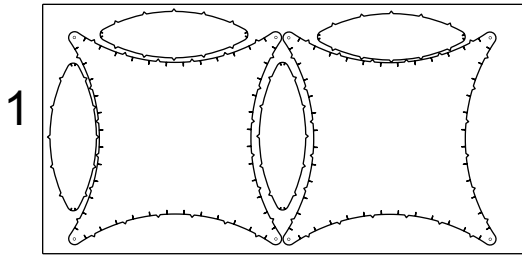
Match the laser burned dots with the last seams on the melon unit and pin. Pin at each seam notch. This seam is sewn as a Y-seam. Sew from dot to dot, backstitching at the start and end but not going beyond the dot. Next, sew a melon to the left side of each center on the top row, sew melons to the right side of each center on the second row, and so on. Sew the 2 corner pieces of the 2 melons on each center together using a Y-seam technique. Next sew the rows together by sewing from dot to dot on all the centers and then go back and sew the corners seams. Lastly, sew all the remaining melons around the outside.



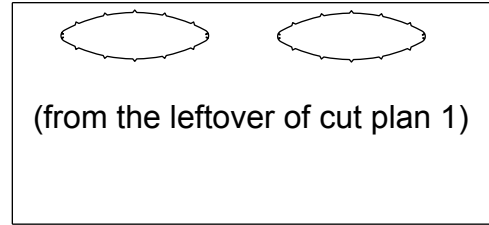
Needle notches to start and end each seam.

Cutting Plans for 11" x 20" laser bed

Double Wedding Ring -15 inch

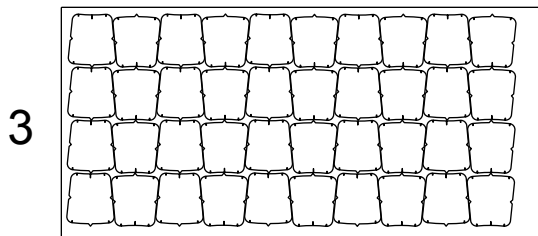


Centers (2/4)

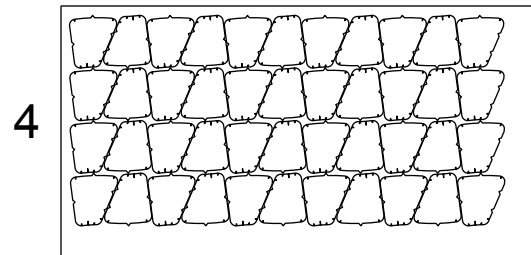


(from the leftover of cut plan 1)

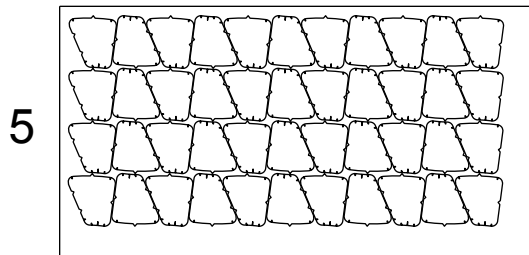
Melon Centers (2)



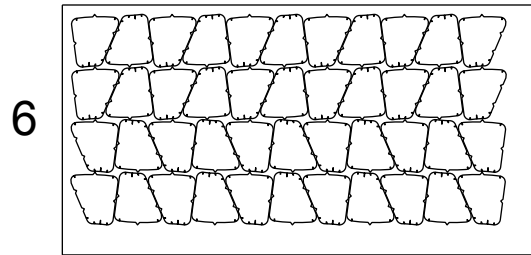
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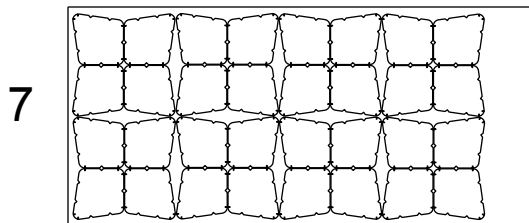
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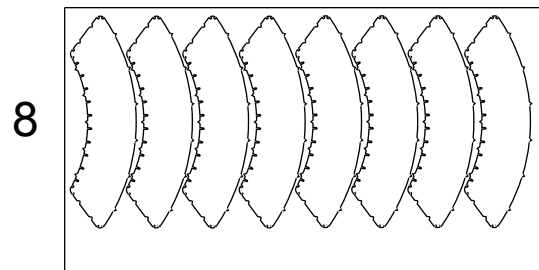
End Segments- RIGHT(44)



End Segments- RIGHT and LEFT (44)

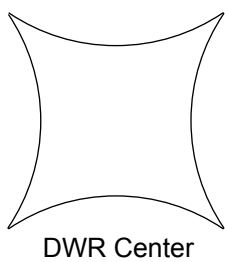
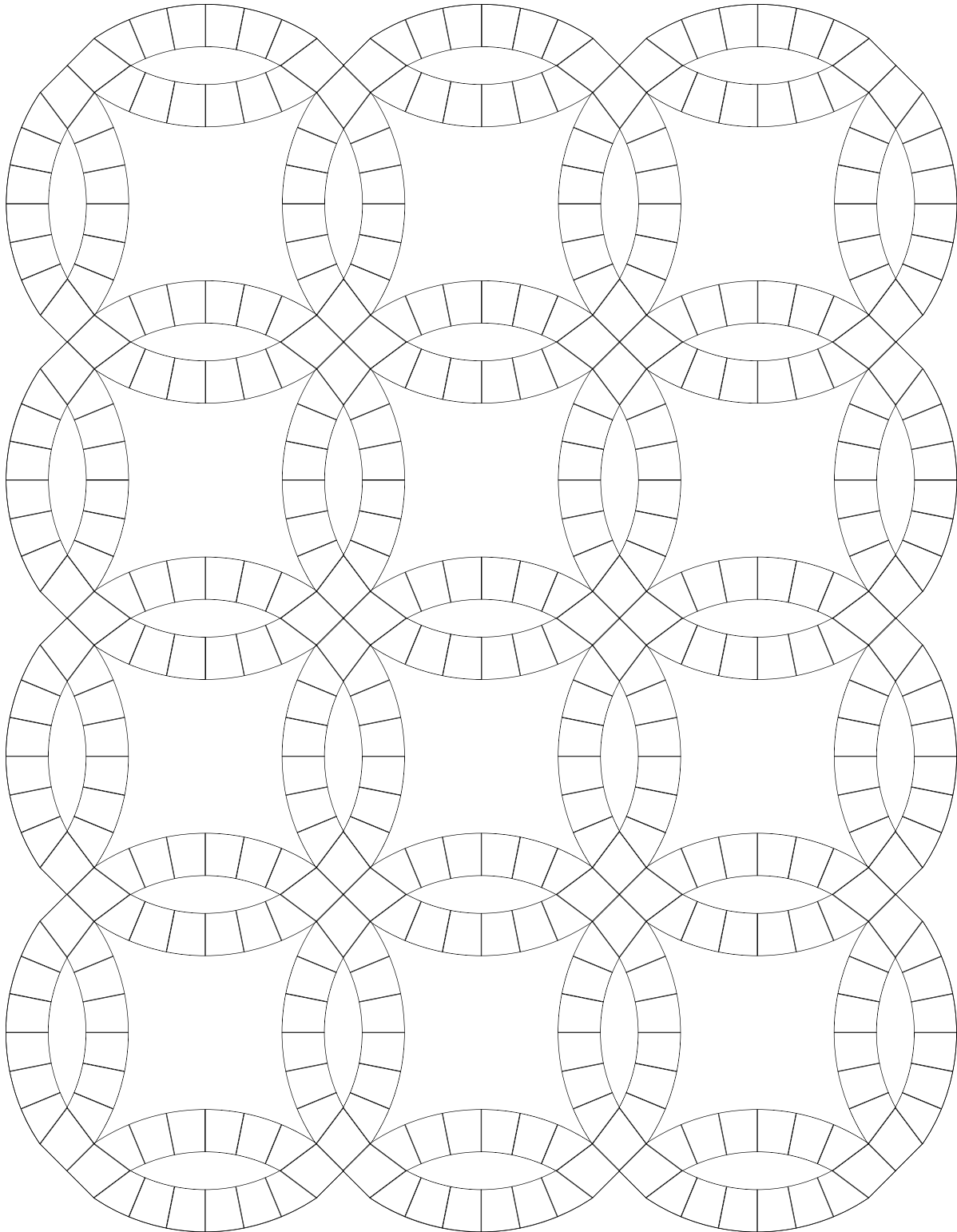


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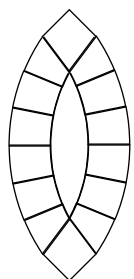


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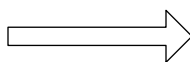
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
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


Melon Units



Middle Arc Segment 

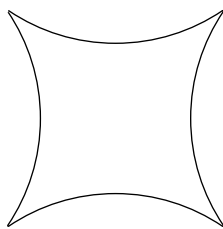
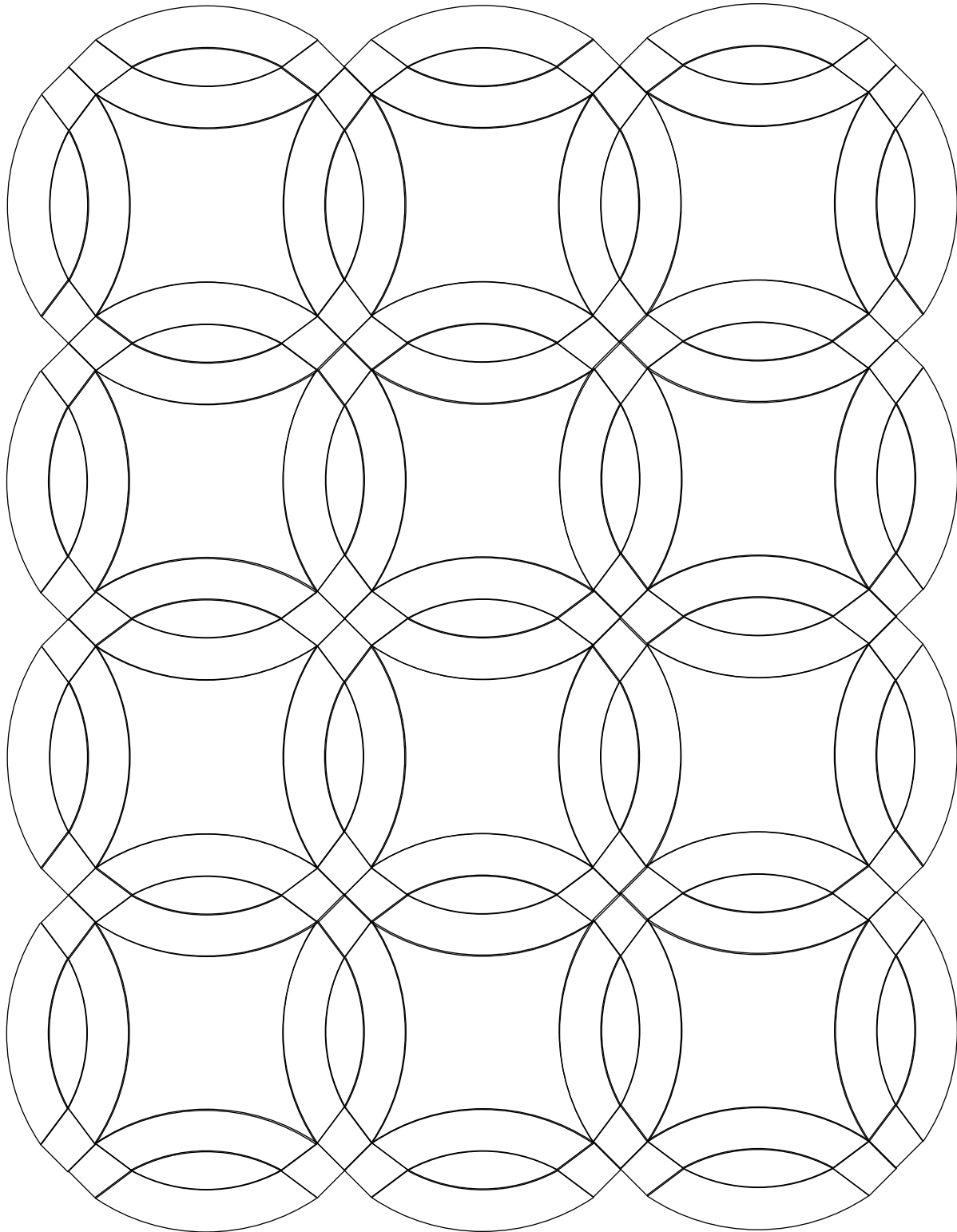
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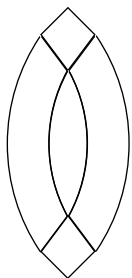
Melon center 

Double Wedding Ring

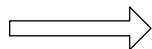
Whole Arc



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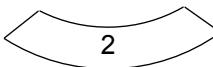
Melon Units



Corner



Whole Arc



Melon center

