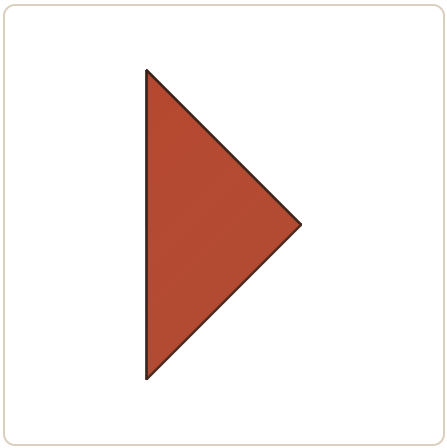
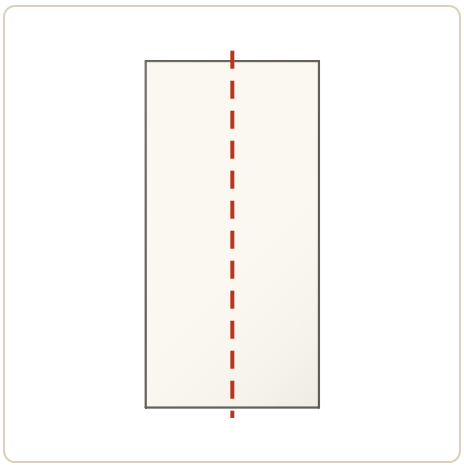


How to Fold an Origami Double Popper

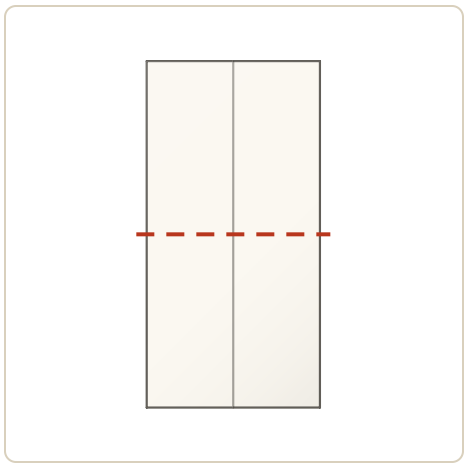
Medium level, 12 steps. From Pleasant Work for Busy Fingers (Browne), 1896. Public domain.

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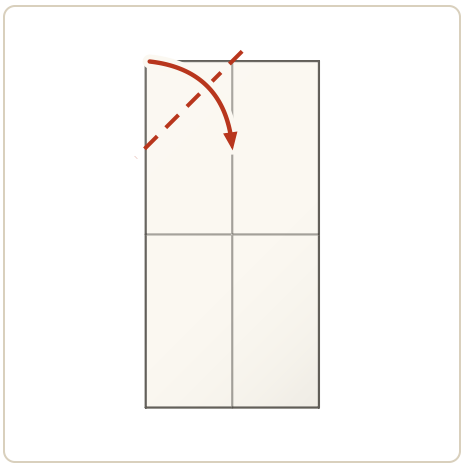
Valley fold: toward you Mountain fold: away from you



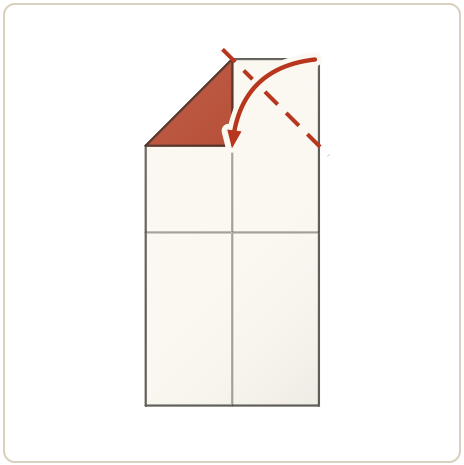
1 Start with a sheet twice as long as it is wide. Fold it in half the long way, then unfold.



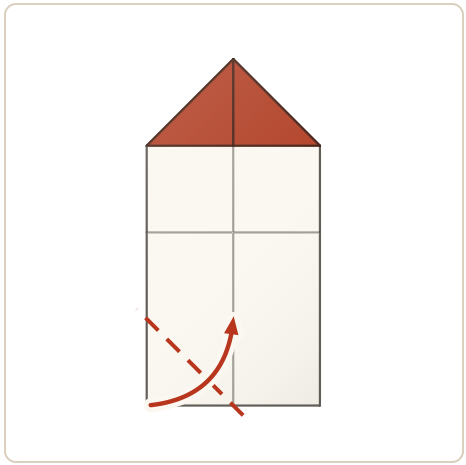
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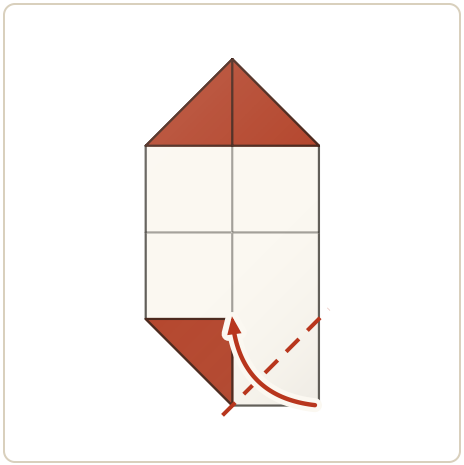
3 Fold the top left corner to the center line.



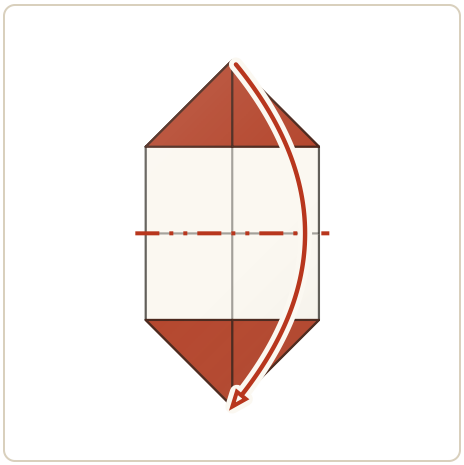
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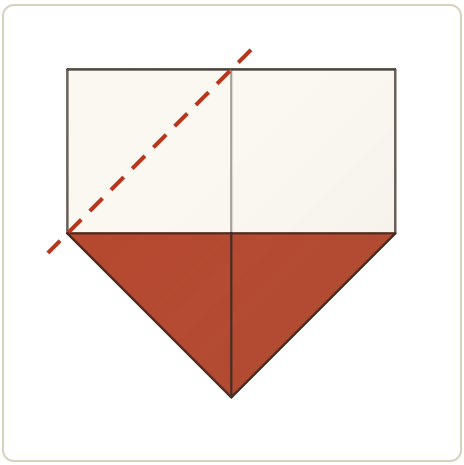
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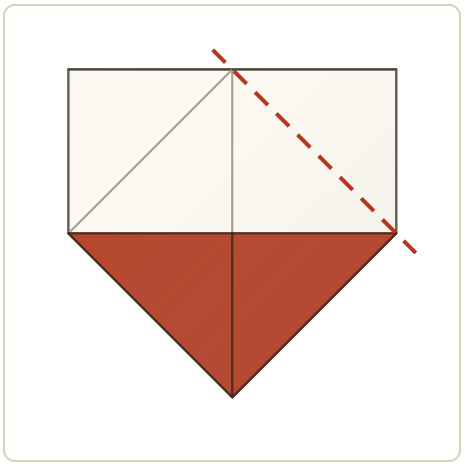
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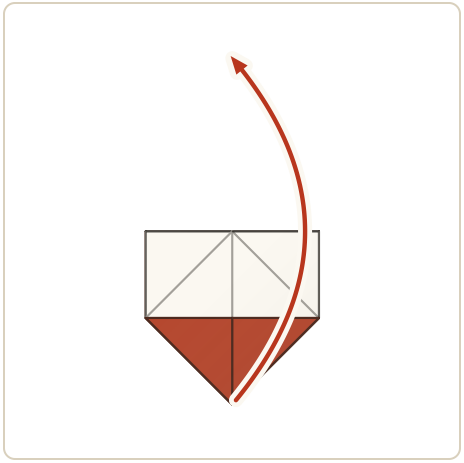
7 Fold the top half behind.



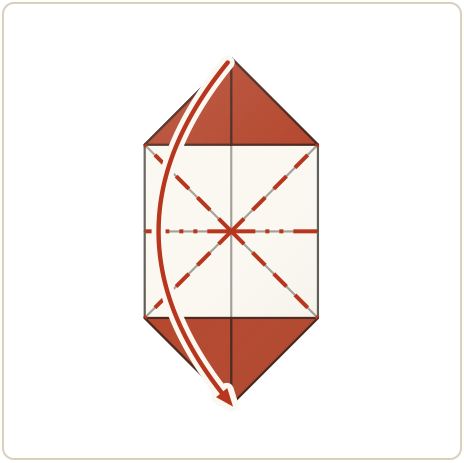
8 Fold the left corner on the fold down to the center line through both layers, then unfold.



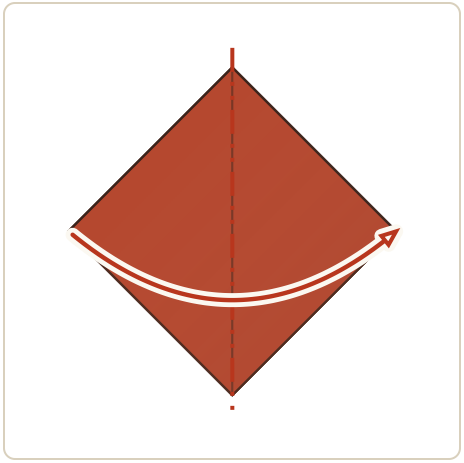
9 Fold the right corner the same way, then unfold.



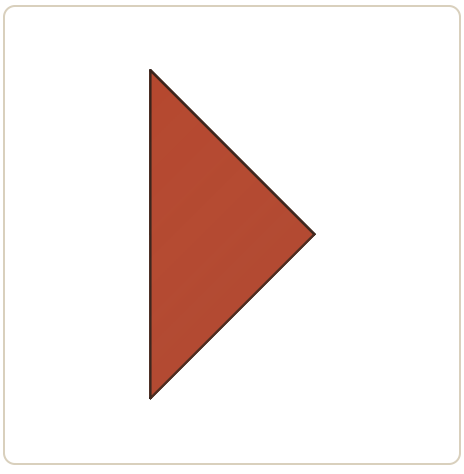
10 Unfold the top half again.



11 Push the two side points in at the middle crease and fold the top half down in front, so the paper collapses into a diamond.



12 Fold the left half behind the right half.



Done Hold the two loose points and snap your arm down. It pops twice (Browne, Pleasant Work for Busy Fingers, 1896).