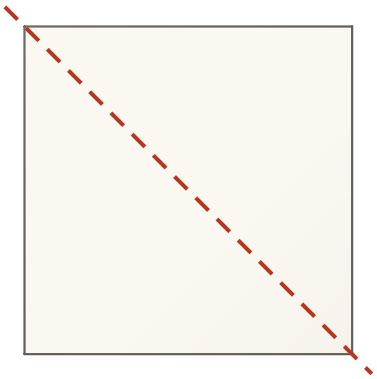


How to Fold an Origami Double Rowboat

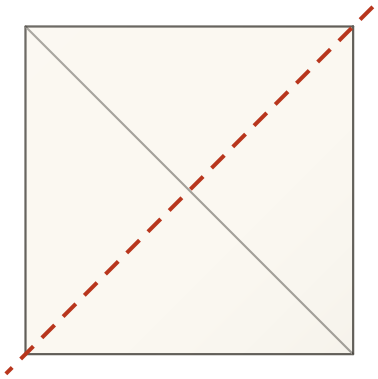
Medium level, 20 steps. From Fun with Paper Folding (Murray and Rigney), 1928. Public domain.

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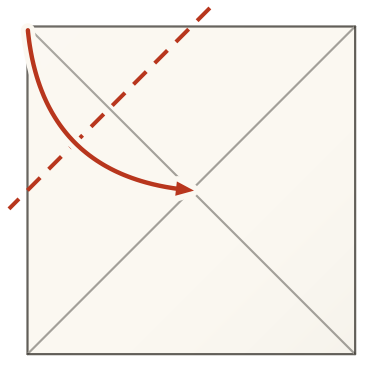
Valley fold: toward you Mountain fold: away from you



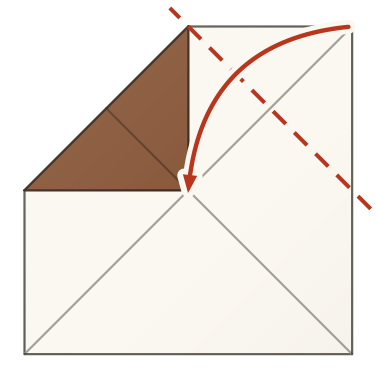
1 Start white side up. Fold in half corner to corner, then unfold.



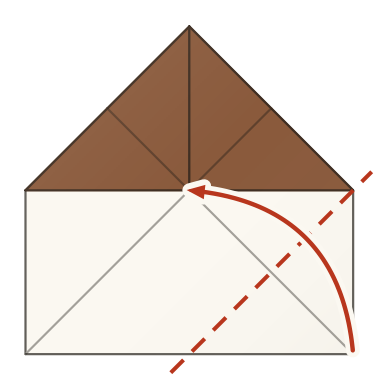
2 Fold in half along the other diagonal, then unfold.



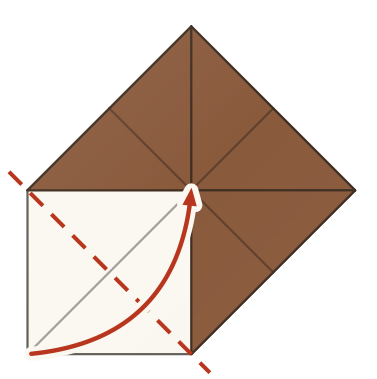
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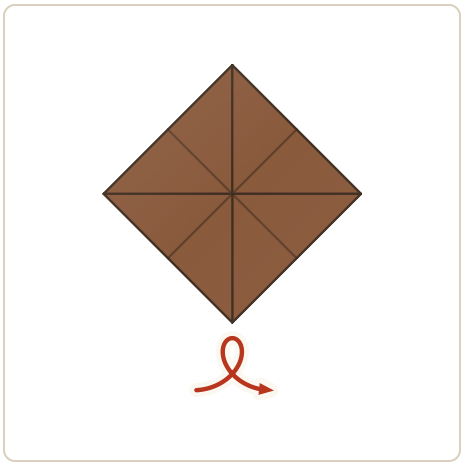
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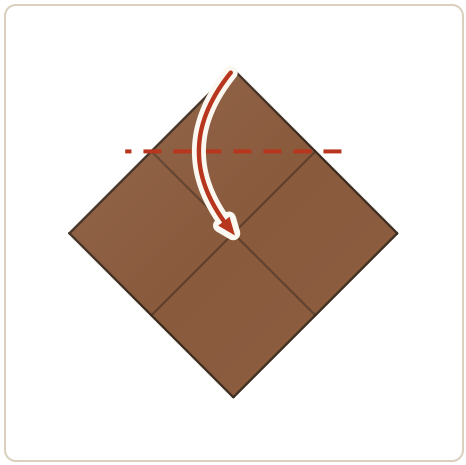
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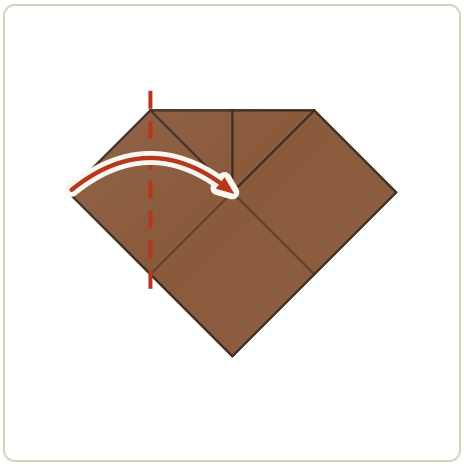
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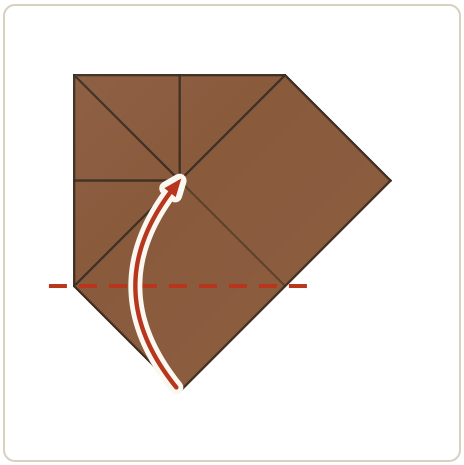
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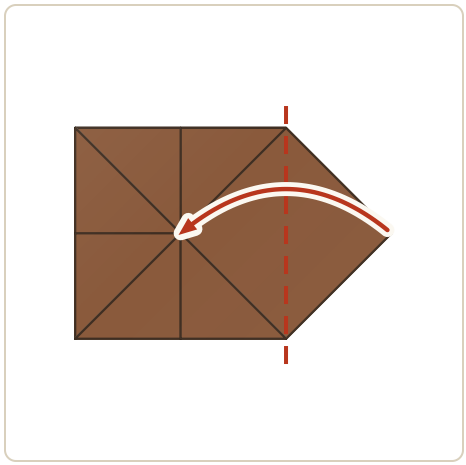
8 Fold one corner of the new square to the center.



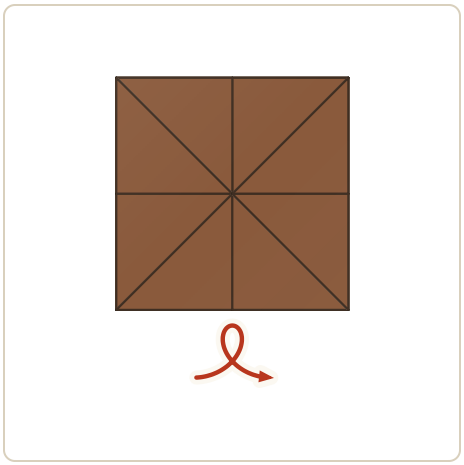
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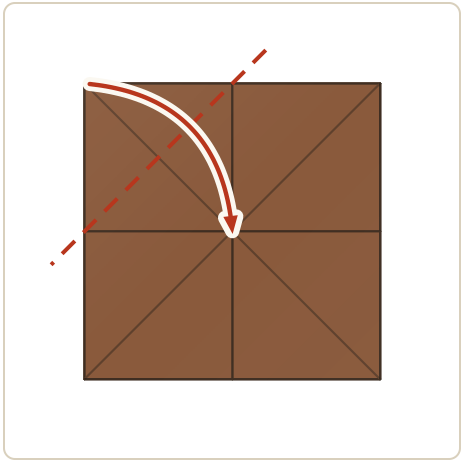
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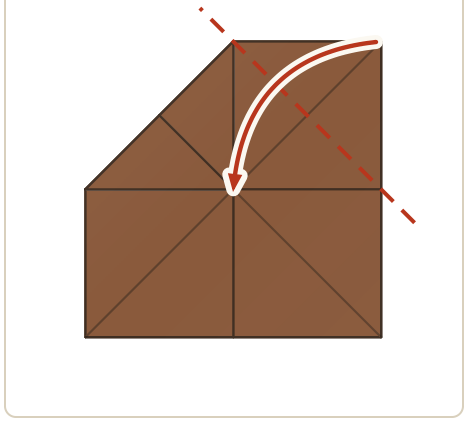
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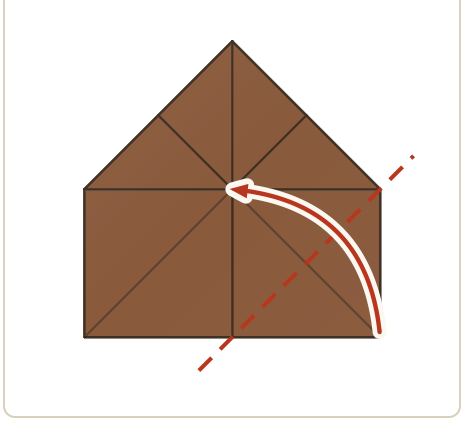
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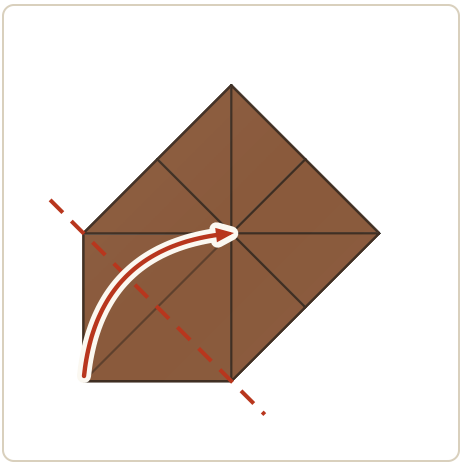
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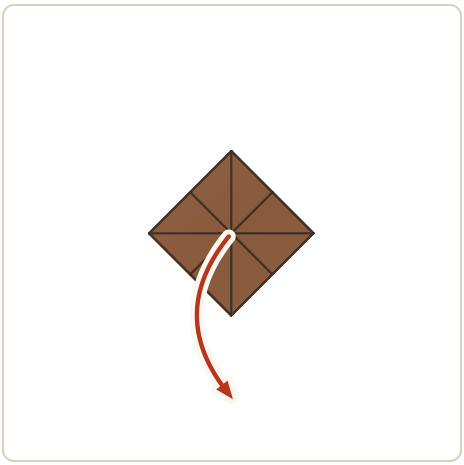
14 Fold the next corner to the center.



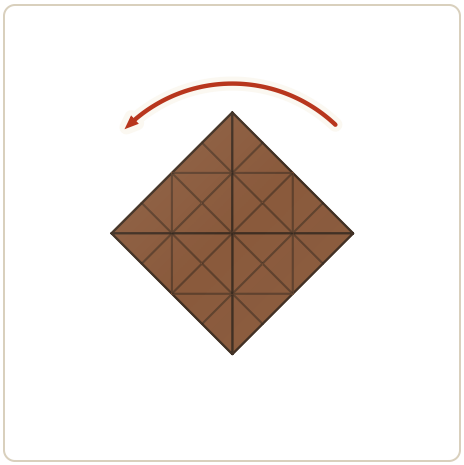
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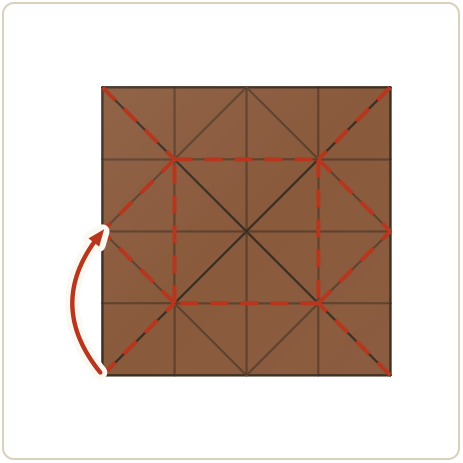
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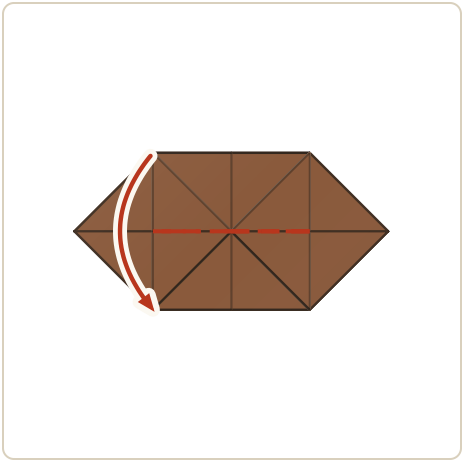
17 Unfold everything back to the first square, with the four corners folded to the center.



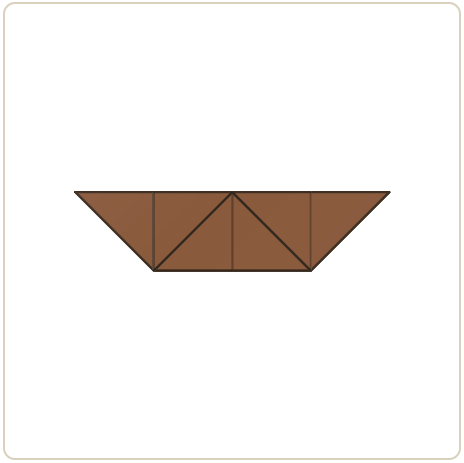
18 Turn the square so its edges are level.



19 Push the four sides in along the creases so each corner square stands up. Press the two top legs flat toward the upper right and the two bottom legs toward the lower left.



20 Fold the model in half behind along its long diagonal, with the points outside.



Done The double rowboat (Murray and Rigney, Fun with Paper Folding, 1928).