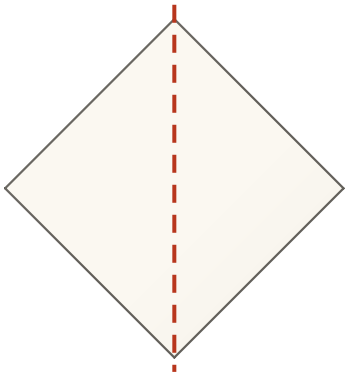


How to Fold an Origami Masu Box

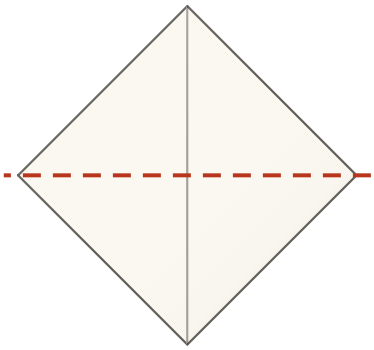
Medium level, 14 steps. Traditional. Earliest record: Der Kindergarten (Goldammer), 1874.

Every fold is animated at orikatado.com/masu-box

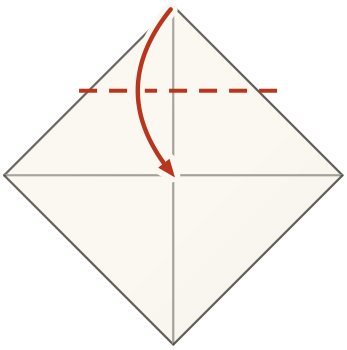
Valley fold: toward you Mountain fold: away from you



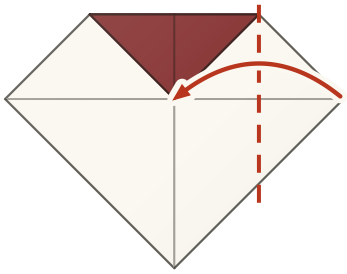
1 Start white side up. Fold in half corner to corner, then unfold.



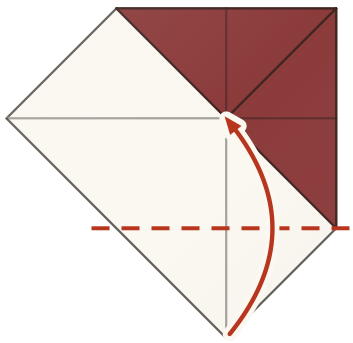
2 Fold in half along the other diagonal, then unfold.



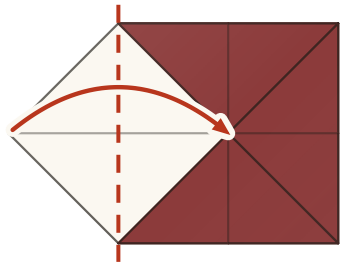
3 Fold one corner to the center.



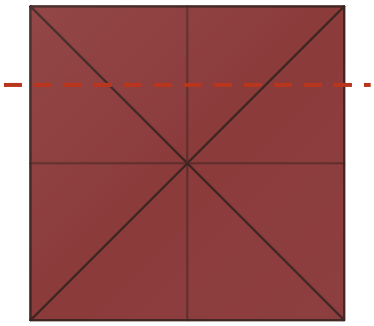
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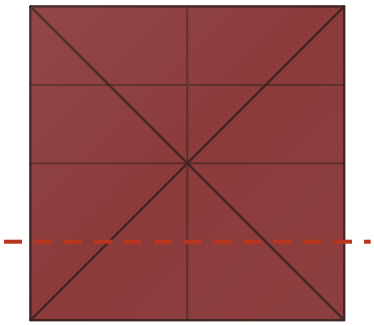
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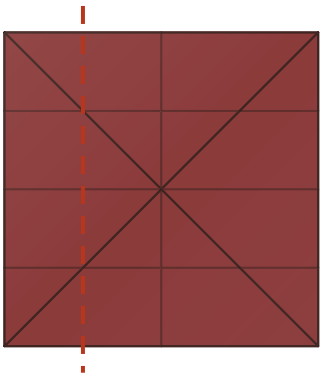
6 Fold the next corner to the center.



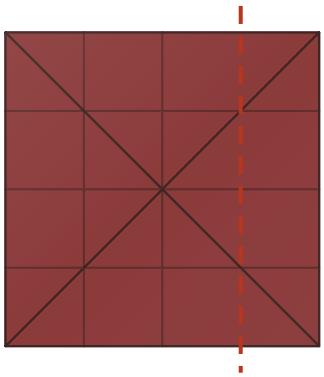
7 Fold the top edge to the center, then unfold.



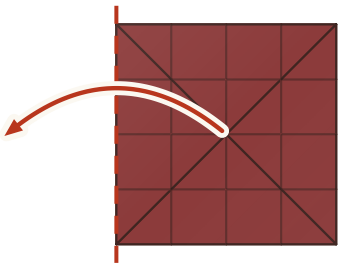
8 Fold the bottom edge to the center, then unfold.



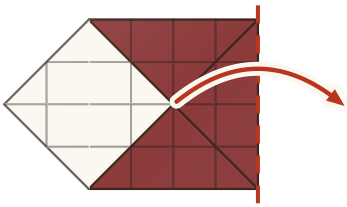
9 Fold the left edge to the center, then unfold.



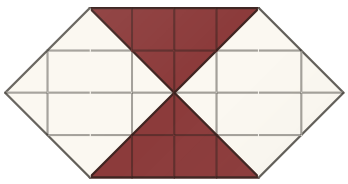
10 Fold the right edge to the center, then unfold.



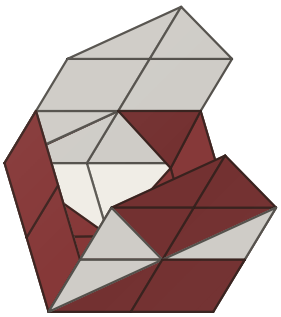
11 Unfold one corner back out.



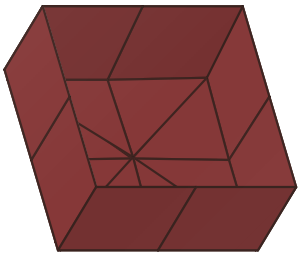
12 Unfold the opposite corner too.



13 Lift the two folded sides up as walls. Push each open end in along the creases so its corners fold inside and the end stands up.



14 Fold each end flap over the end wall and down into the box.



Done The masu box.