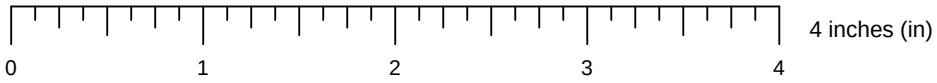
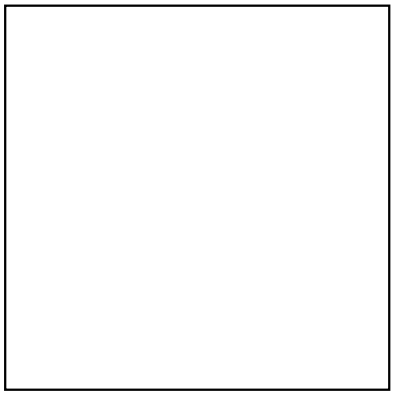
gray frame: 10 mm (3/8 in) from the edge = margin of every template

Printer test page – FoldOwl

Print this page at “Actual size” or 100% scale, not “Fit to page”.
Then measure with a ruler: if the square and rulers match, your printer prints templates at full size.





Should be exactly 2 × 2 inches
If it’s off, scaling was not
set to 100%.



What the lines on a template look like

black: cut

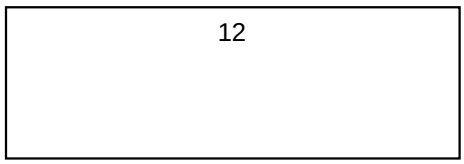
red dash-dot: mountain fold (crease points toward you), tabs too

blue dashed: valley fold (crease points away from you)

Even in black and white, the lines stay distinguishable by their pattern.

Glue tab and number





Same number means: glue together. The tab goes under the edge with the same number.

Something off?

- Square too small: choose “Actual size” or “100%” in the print dialog and turn off “Fit to page”.
- Gray frame cut off: your printer has a wide margin. Templates keep 10 mm (3/8 in), which is almost always enough.
- Faint lines: pick a higher quality in the printer settings or turn off draft/eco mode.