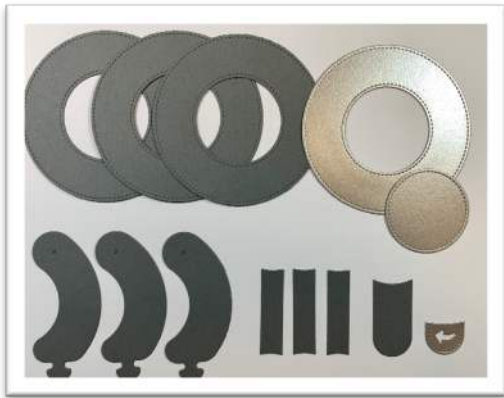


How to Build Magic Iris

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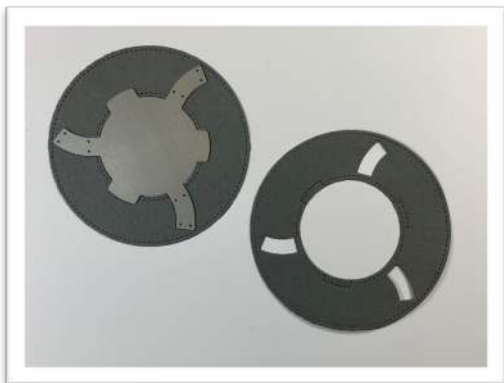
Reference video by Lawn Fawn: <https://youtu.be/MUP8cPbwwYU>

Note: when you adhere the iris to your card, make sure that the iris is closed so that it does not hang over the card for mailing. I have adhered mine in the upper right-hand corner.



You will need:

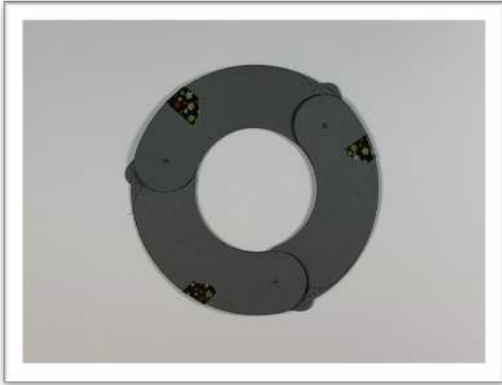
- 4 Rings: 3 Gray card stock and 1 in metallic paper. Keep the inside of metallic paper
 - 3 "Sausages"
 - 3 Stabilizer Strips
 - 1 Tab
- 1 Metallic Arrow Tab



Line up the wonky die with the centre of the ring (photo on left) and die cut it. It will look like the ring on the right when done.



Next insert the notches of the "sausages" into the holes in the ring with Xs facing up. Do that for all three "sausages".



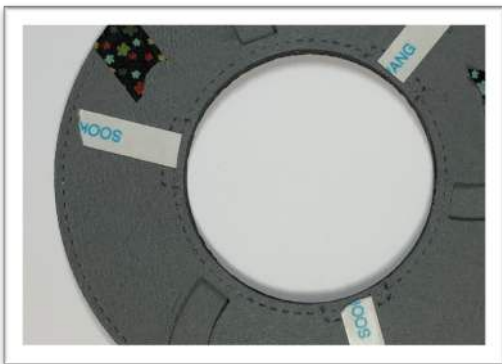
Once inserted, line up the edges of the sausages with the edges of the ring and use washi tape (low tack tape) to keep in place.



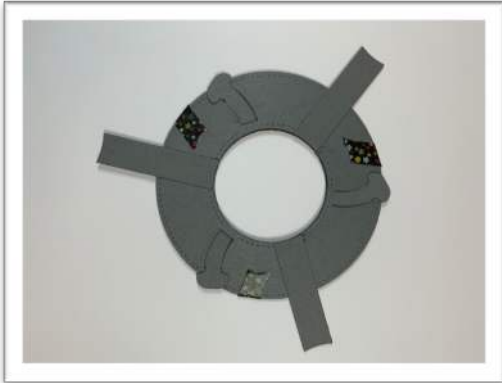
Next add 3 mini glue dots to each of the Xs.



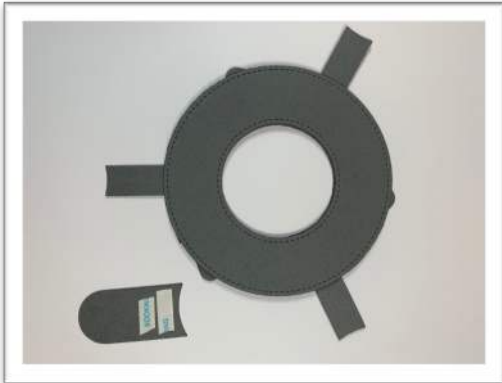
Adhere one of the rings to the glue dots.



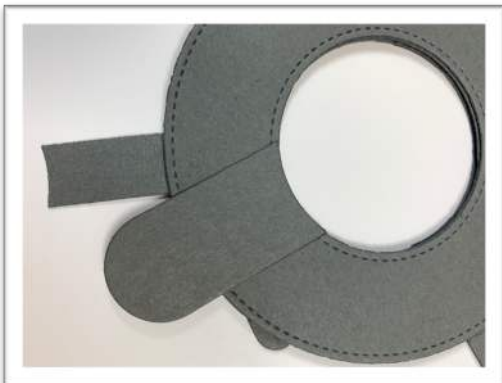
Turn over and adhere strong adhesive where the dotted indent is to the edge of ring.



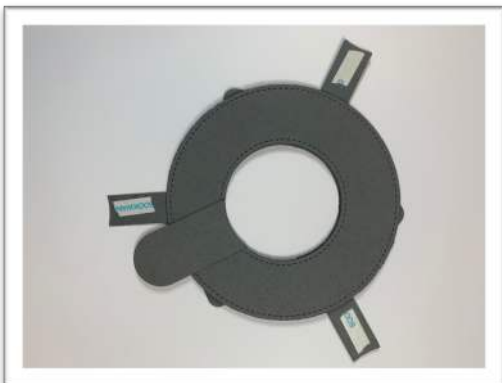
Adhere the Stabilizer pieces to tape making sure that they line up with the inside curve of the ring.



Turn over. Adhere strong adhesive to the end of Tab that is curved.



Adhere Tab to top of ring creating a V between one of the Stabilizers and the tab.



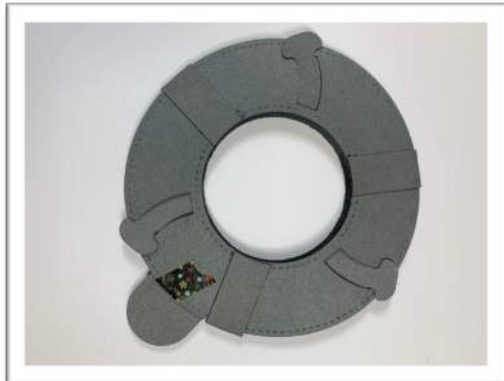
Adhere strong adhesive to stabilizers.



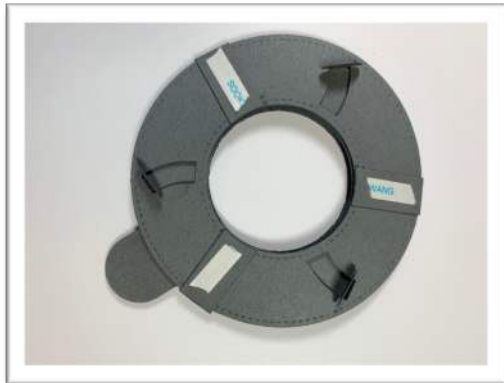
Add third ring and remove tape.



Wrap Stabilizers around ring making sure that they are not too tight.



Turn over and remove washi tape.



Fold notches in and add strong adhesive to Stabilizer Pieces only. This is the side you will affix to your card.



Turn back to front and adhere the metallic ring and arrow tab.