

# "Solar plexus Chakra"

mosaic design for a 40cm mural or tabletop

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## Materials required or supplied with your kit.

	Tiles	
Colour	size (cm)	no.
Black	10 x10	5
Cream	10 x10	5
Lemon	10 x10	3
Avocado	10 x10	1
Orange	10 x10	1
Red	10 x10	1

#### Materials

Tile Glue	1 kg	
Tile grout	1 kg	
Sealant	250ml	
Plywood Base 15mm min. thickness, 40cm diam.		
2 x 16mm screws & wire		

## Tools

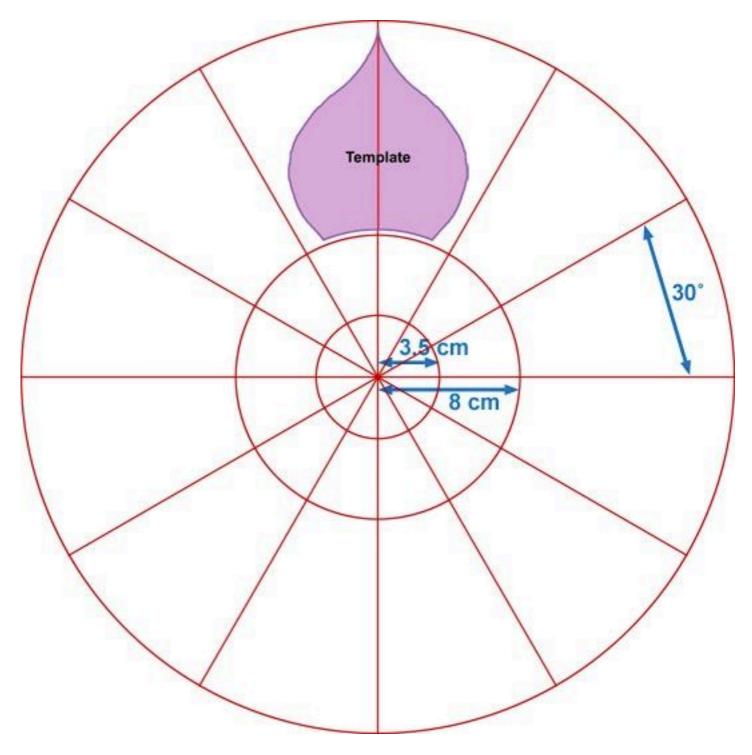
Curved edge tile nippers

Grouting tool (or use something from around the house)

Required

#### Desirable

Both curved & straight edged tile nippers Boat Grouter Guidelines required for "Chakra" mosaic design.



1. Draw lines as shown with a protractor & a compass

2. Carefully cut your templates out (cardboard page) with scissors or a stanley

knife. Cut outside the lines edging the template.

**3.** Line up the petal template on the guideline as shown, tracing around it on every second section. Your mosaic lines will go outside this drawn section.

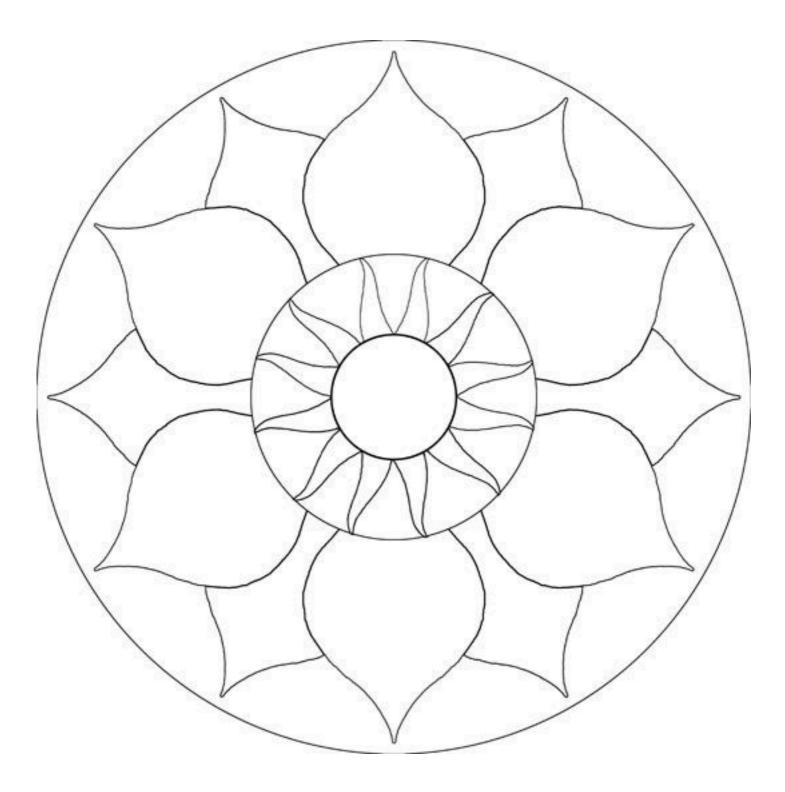
4. Then line the template up on the odd lines, and draw in your partly obscured petals.

5. Draw in the sun's rays by hand - one for each line.

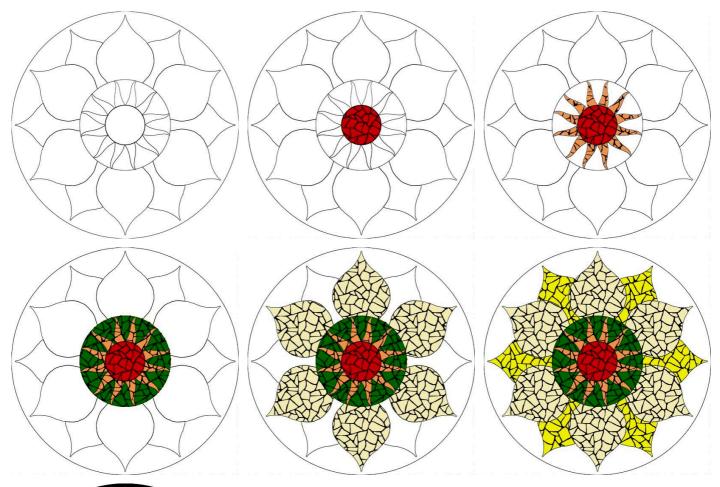
### Alternative methods of transferring the design

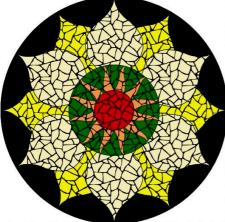
The drawing below could be taken to a photocopy or print shop and enlarged to your desired size. You can then use carbon paper to trace the design directly onto your backing board.

You could also draw a grid on the design and a corresponding grid onto your backing board and draw the lines in yourself



# Suggested laying order





# **Templates - Chakra**

