"Funky Spiral"

mosaic design for a
90cm
mural or tabletop

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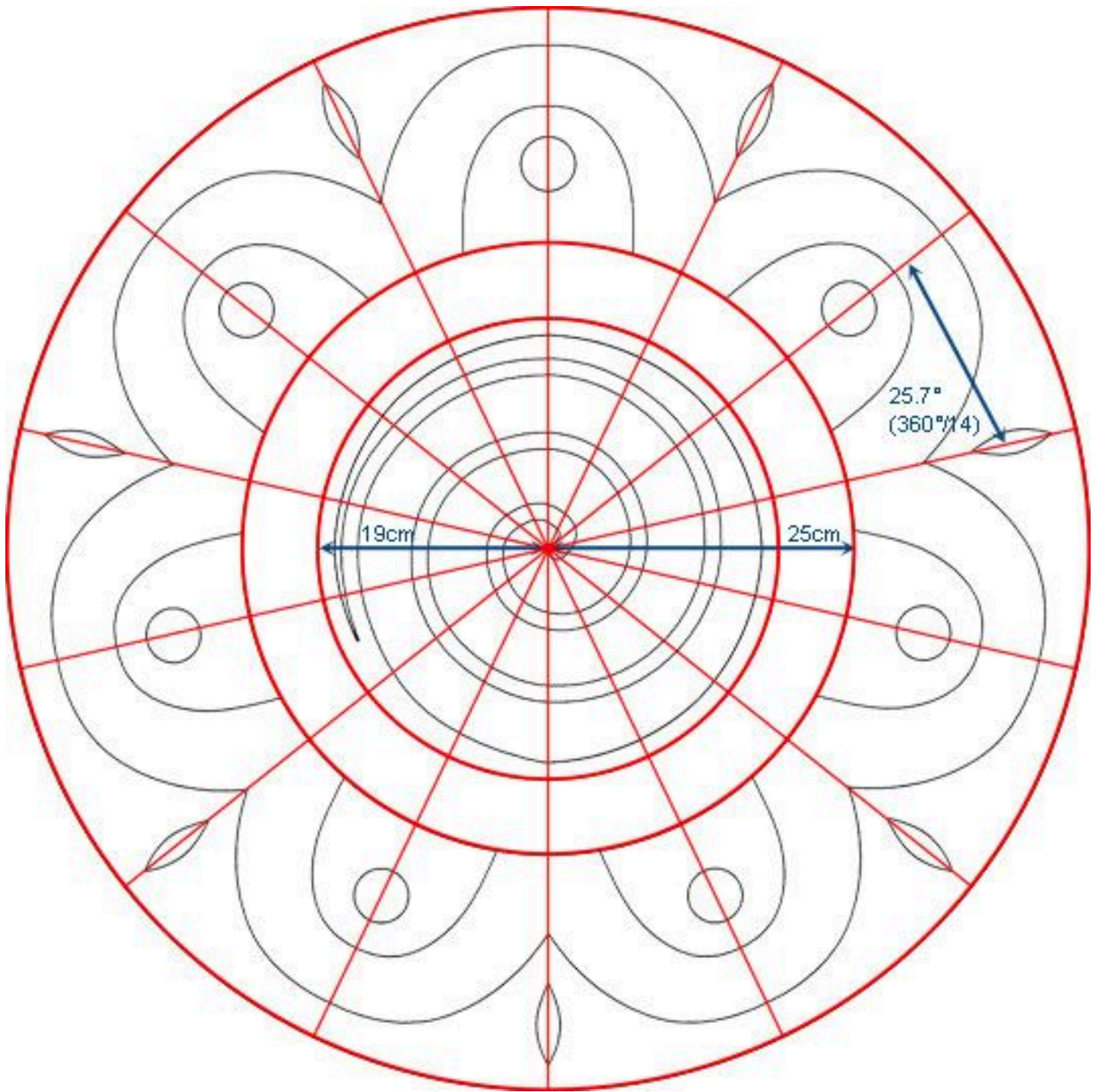
Materials required

Tiles			Materials	
Colour	**size** (cm)	**no.**	Tile Glue	4 kg
Grape	10 x10	17	Tile grout	5 kg
Red	10 x10	27	Sealant	1 litre
Lemon	10 x10	27	Plywood Base 15mm min. thickness, 90cm diam.	
			4 x 16mm screws & wire	

Tools

Required	Desirable
Curved edge tile nippers	Both curved & straight edged tile nippers
Grouting tool (or use something from around the house)	Boat Grouter

Guidelines required for "Funky Spiral" mosaic design.

25.7°
(360°/14)

19cm

25cm

1. Draw red lines as shown with a protractor & a compass
2. Carefully cut your templates out with scissors or a stanley knife. Cut *outside* the lines edging the template.
3. Join the templates together with sticky tape or glue
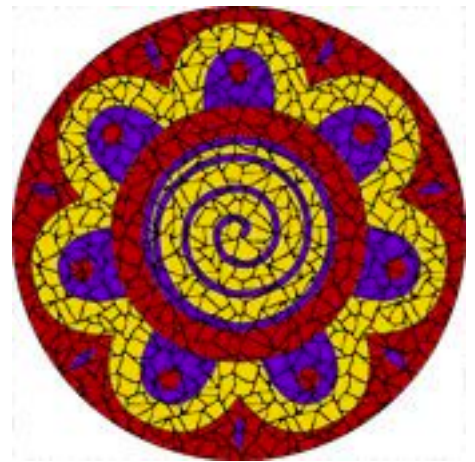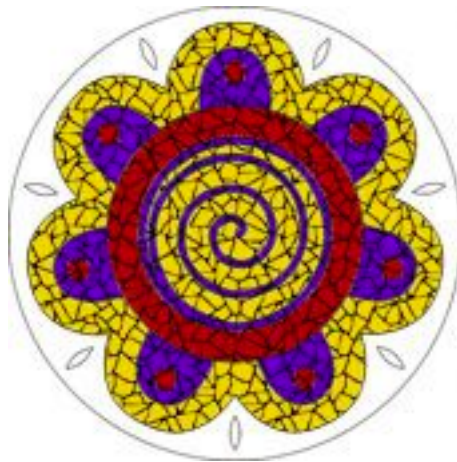**4.** Line up the template on the guidelines as shown

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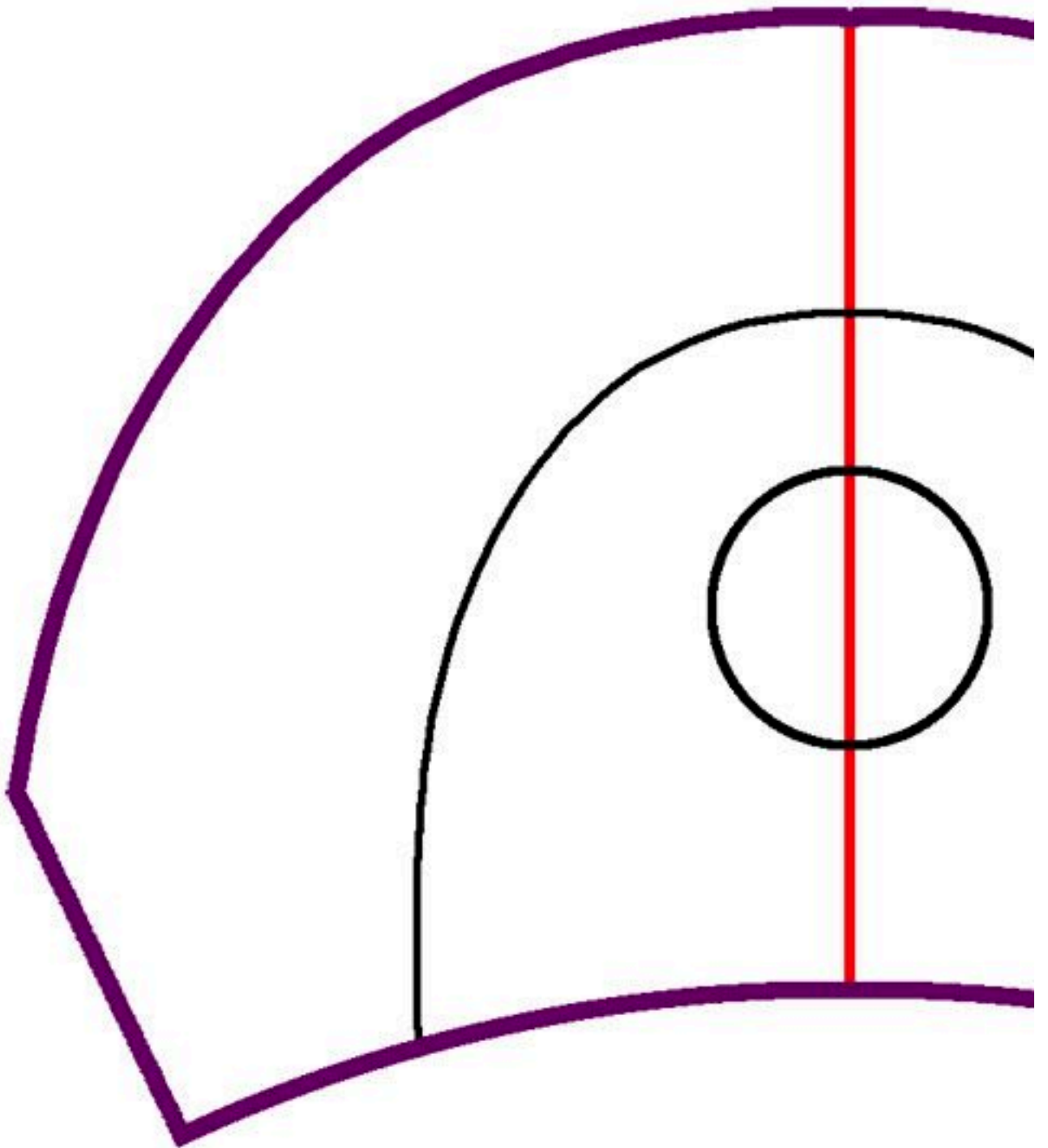
You could also draw a grid on the design and a corresponding grid onto your backing board and draw the lines in yourself
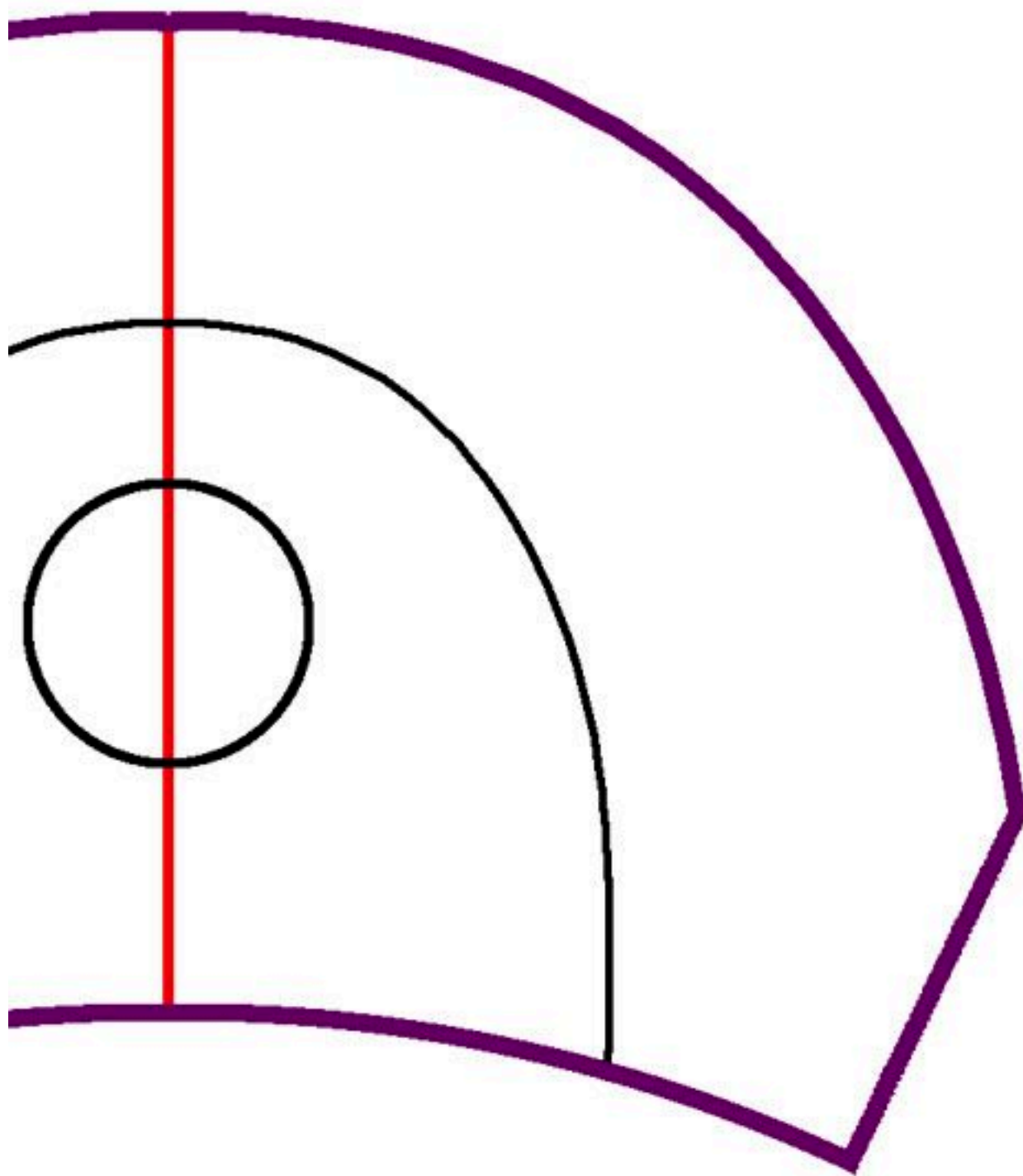
Suggested laying order

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