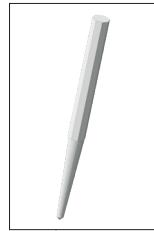


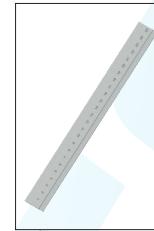
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## Tools Required:



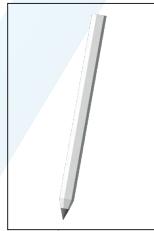
Punch



Ruler



Compasses



Pencil



Roundnose Pliers



Tin snips



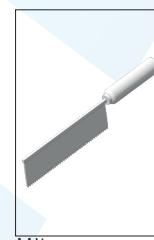
Spanner



Screwdriver



Side cutter



Miter saw



Drill



PUK saw

## NOTE:

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File



Adhesive tape

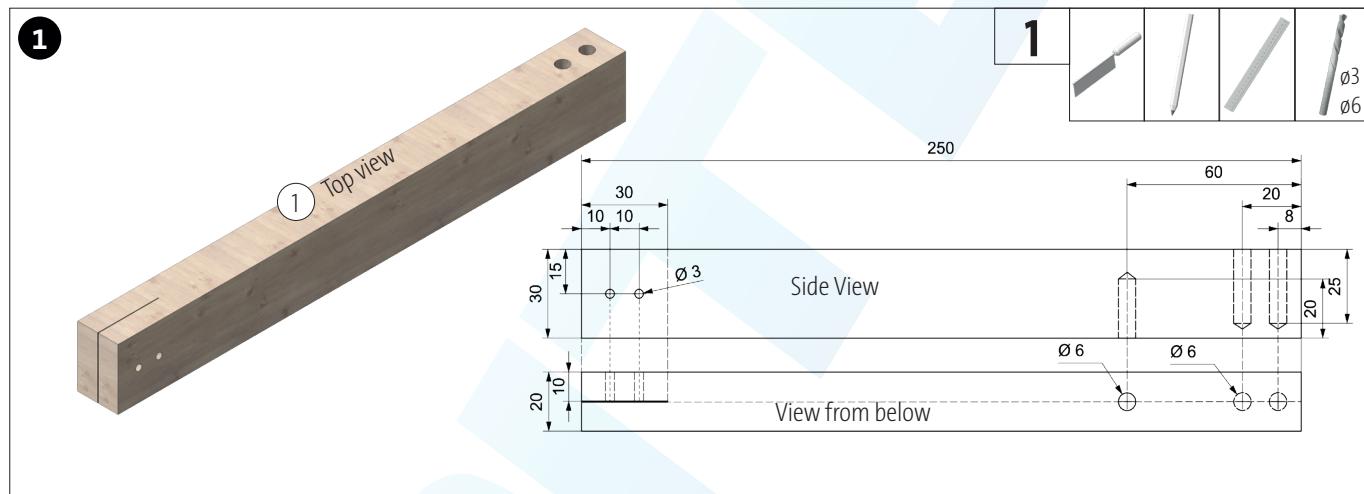


Countersink

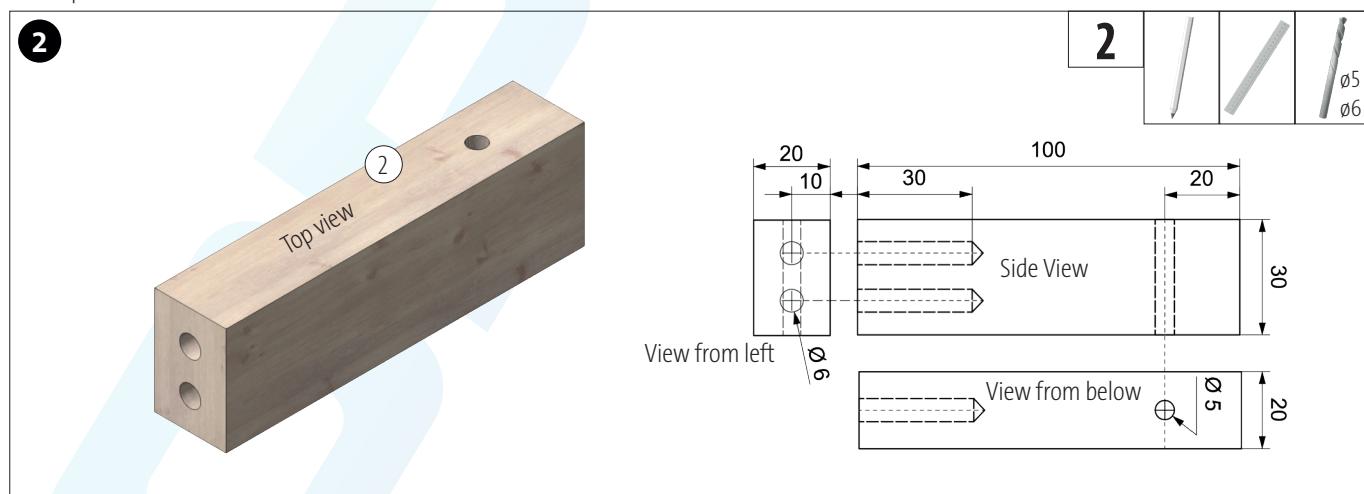
Part List	Quantity	Dimensions (mm)	Description	Part no.
Wooden strip	1	250x30x20	Base frame	1
Wooden strip	1	100x30x20	Base frame	2
Wooden strip	1	150x20x10	Mounting bracket tap	3
Wooden strip	1	150x15x10	Tap holder	4
Aluminium Plate	2	200x200x0.3	Rooster, flag, wheel	5
Round rod	2	ø6x50	Dowel connection	6
Wooden strip	1	350x20x20	Top rod	7
Brass tube	1	ø5x0.5x245	Recording wind turbine	8
Brass base rod	1	ø4x68	Top rod	9
Welding wire	1	ø2x100	Connecting rod	10
Chipboard screws	6	ø3x20	Mounting bracket for tap/flag	11
Phillips-head tapping screw	2	ø2.9x9.5	Fastening tap	12

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Part List	Quantity	Dimensions (mm)	Description	Part no.
Cylinder head screw	1	$\varnothing 4 \times 70$	Mounting wheel	13
Cylinder head screw	1	$\varnothing 4 \times 50$	Rocker attachment	14
Cylinder head screw	1	$\varnothing 4 \times 20$	Connecting rod attachment	15
Nuts	10	M4	Fastening	16
Washer	10	4,3/9	Fastening	17
Ring Screw	1	12	Connecting rod attachment	18
Brass sleeve	1	$\varnothing 6 \times 1 \times 20$	Mounting of spreader bar	19



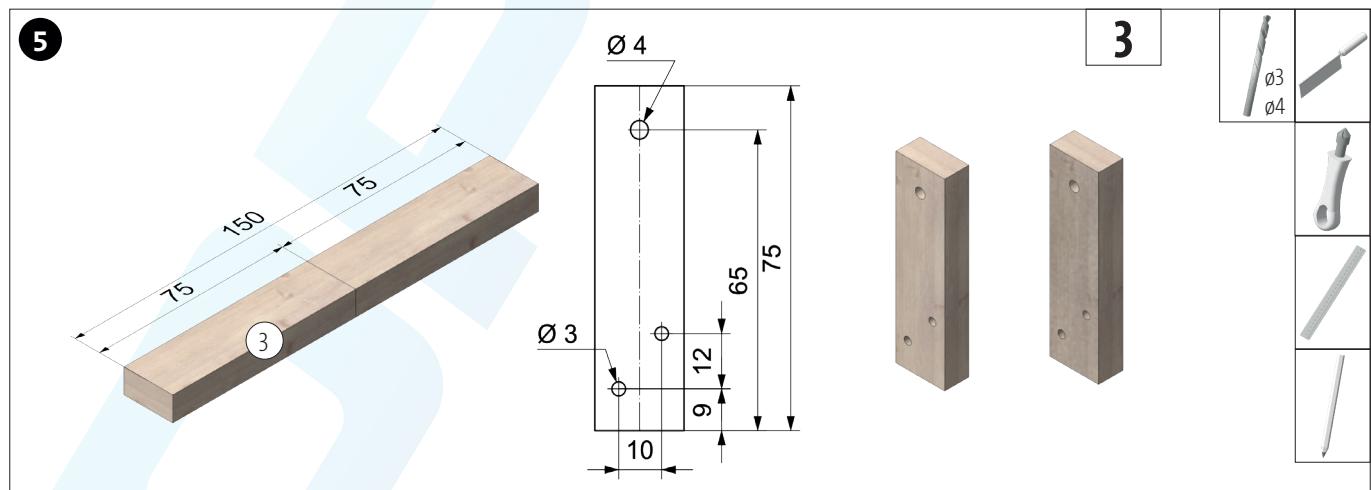
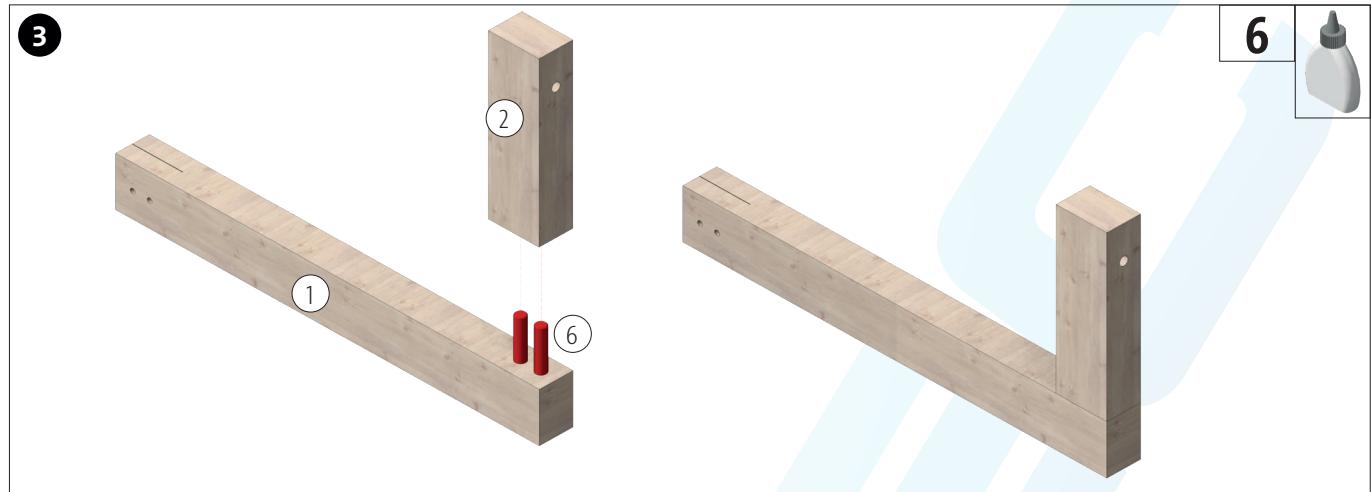
Mark the position of the blind holes ( $\varnothing 3$ ,  $\varnothing 6$ ) on the wooden moulding (1). Drill the  $\varnothing 3$ mm holes to a depth of approx. 10mm. Drill the two external  $\varnothing 6$ mm holes at the top edge to a depth of 25mm. Drill the hole for the bearing rod ( $\varnothing 6$ ) to a depth of 20 mm. Then use a fine saw to cut the moulding to a depth of 30 mm on the side with the  $\varnothing 3$  mm holes for later attachment of the wind vane.



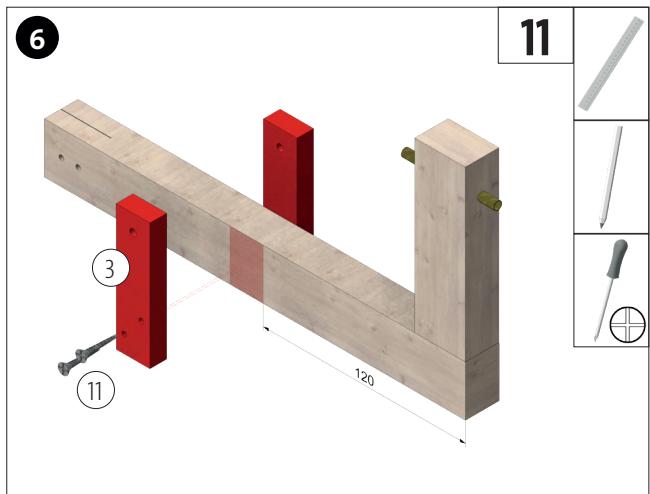
Mark the position of the two blind holes ( $\varnothing 6$ ) and drill to a depth of approx. 30 mm. Mark the  $\varnothing 5$ mm hole and drill through.

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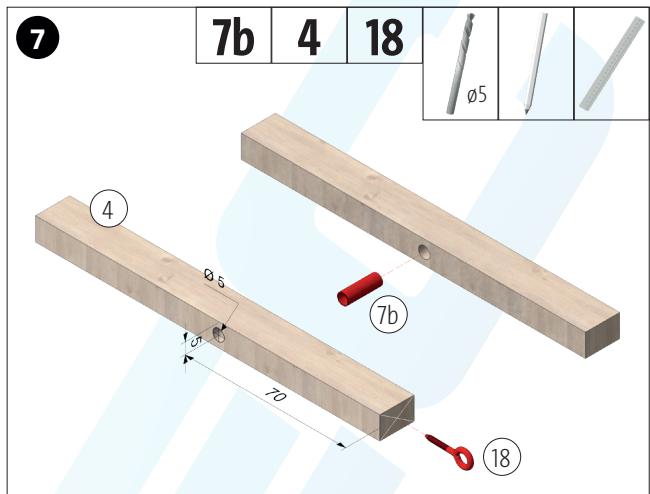
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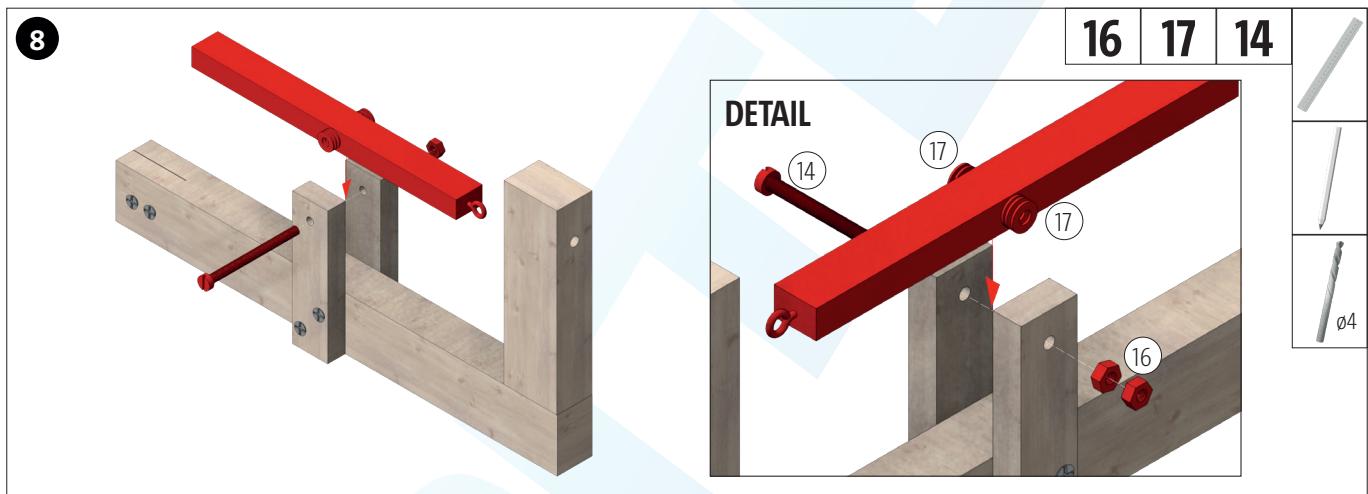
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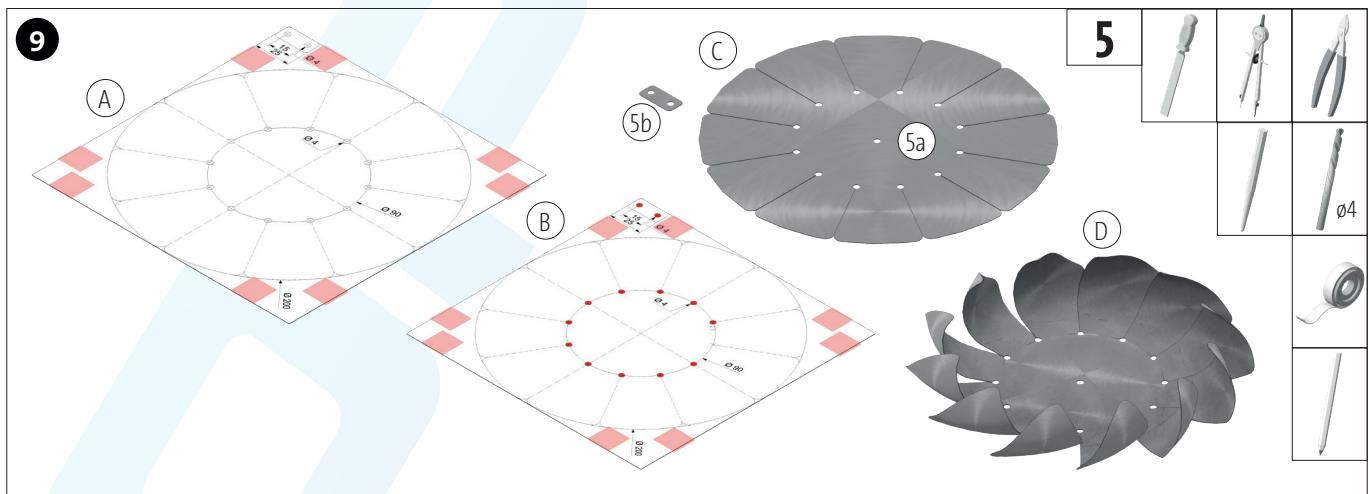
Measure the position for the wooden battens (3) and fasten them on both sides with the screws (11).



Measure 70 mm on the wooden moulding (4) and drill a Ø 5 mm hole in the centre as shown. Draw a diagonal line on the end face to determine the centre point and screw in the eyebolt (18). Then insert the 15 mm brass sleeve (7b) into the hole.

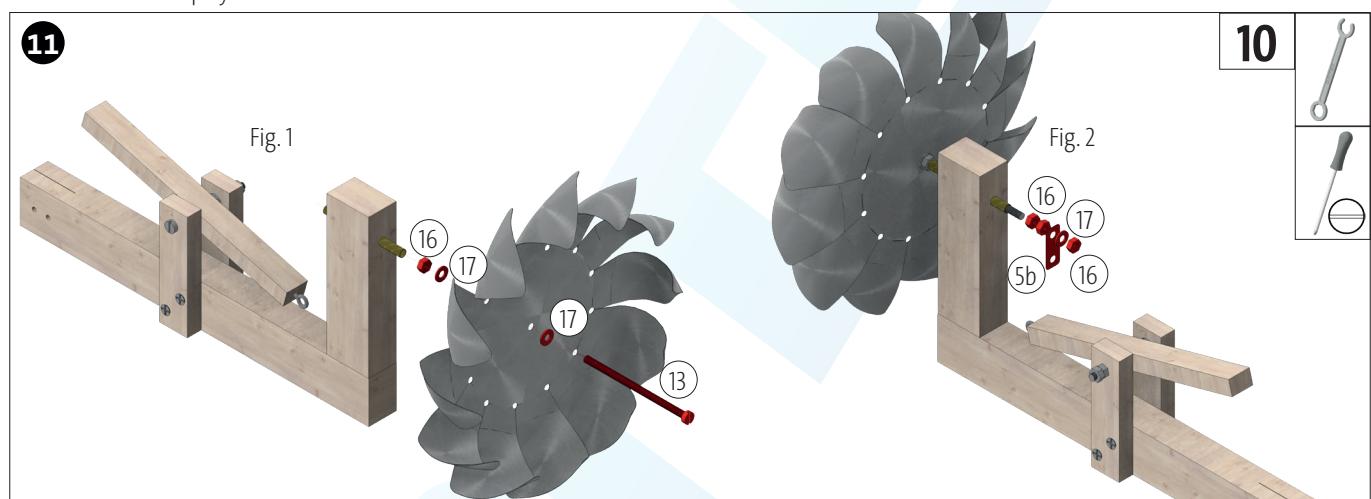
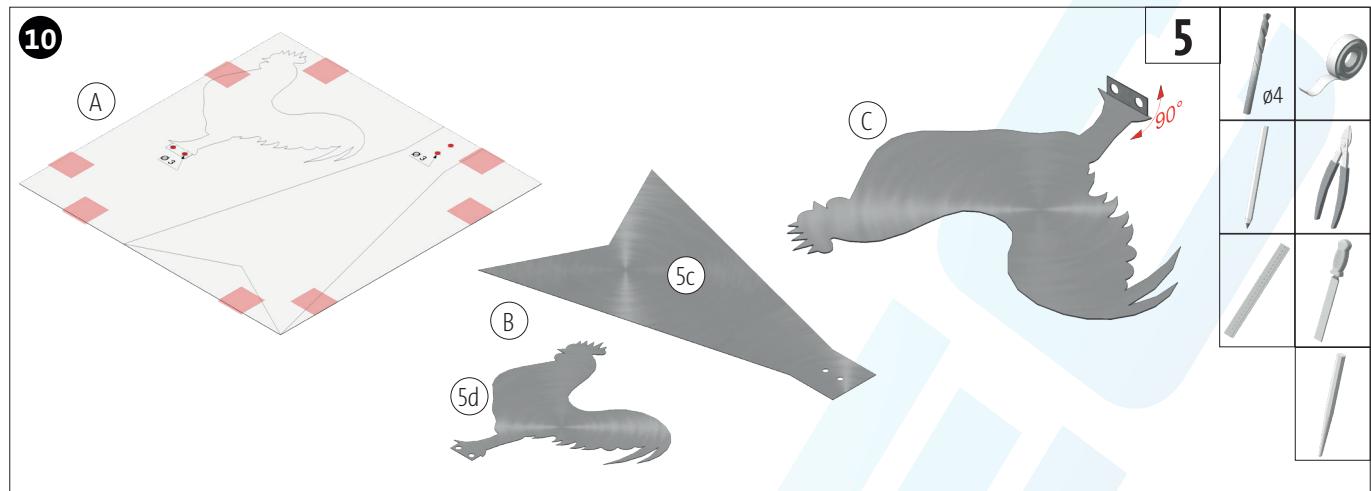


Place the finished rocker between the bracket with 3 washers on each side and secure with the cylinder head screw (14) and two nuts (16).

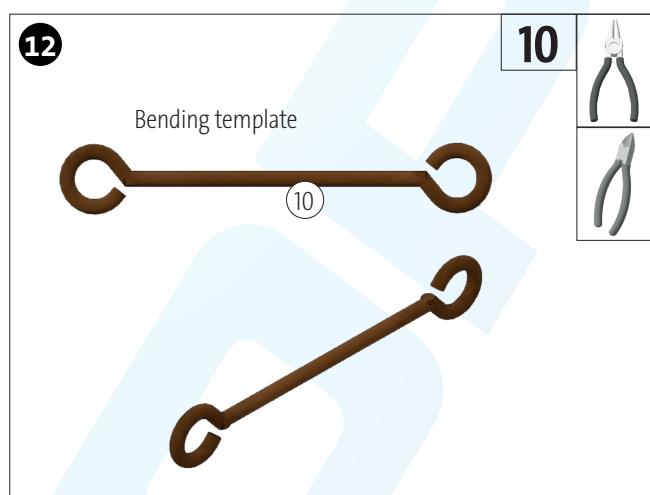


Cut out the template B for the pinwheel (p.11-13) and fix it to the aluminium sheet with adhesive tape or transfer it with a compass and pencil. Then centre punch all drill points and drill through  $\varnothing 4$  mm. Cut out the parts with tin snips and deburr. Cut the sash up to the drill holes and round off the corners. Deburr parts! Turn the blades by approx.  $25^{\circ}$ - $30^{\circ}$ . NOTE: ATTENTION! Risk of injury at the cut edges.

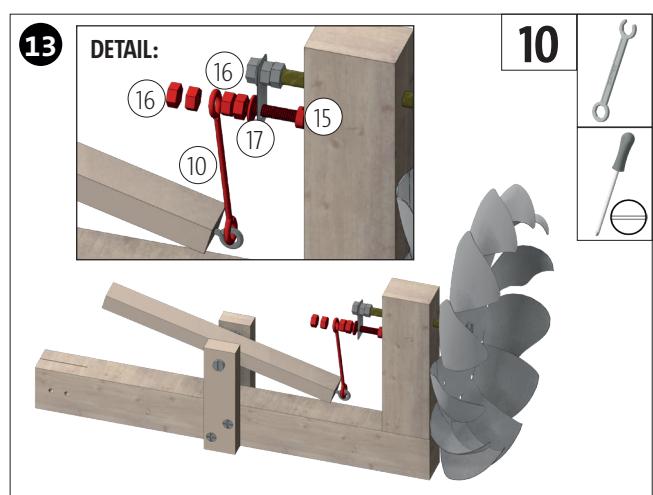
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Insert the screw (13) with a washer (17) from the front through the wind wheel. Fasten at the rear with a washer (17) and a nut (16) (Fig. 1). Insert through the bearing bush on the frame, screw on 2 nuts (16), attach the connecting piece (5b) and fasten with a washer (17) and a nut (16). Fig. 2

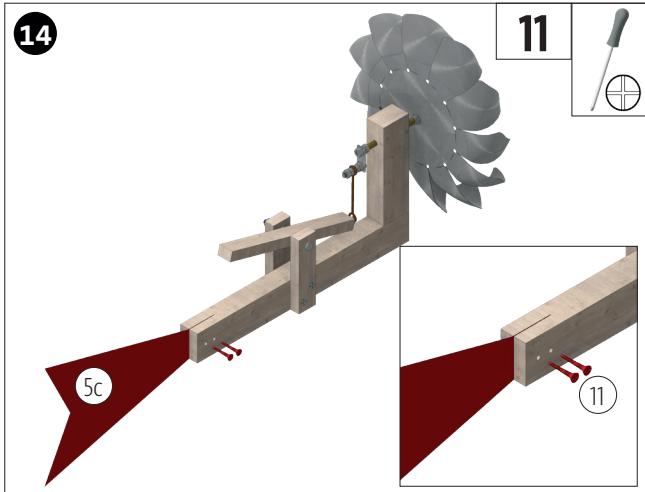


Bend the connecting rod (welding rod) according to Schabone using round nose pliers. Cut off the excess wire with a side cutter.

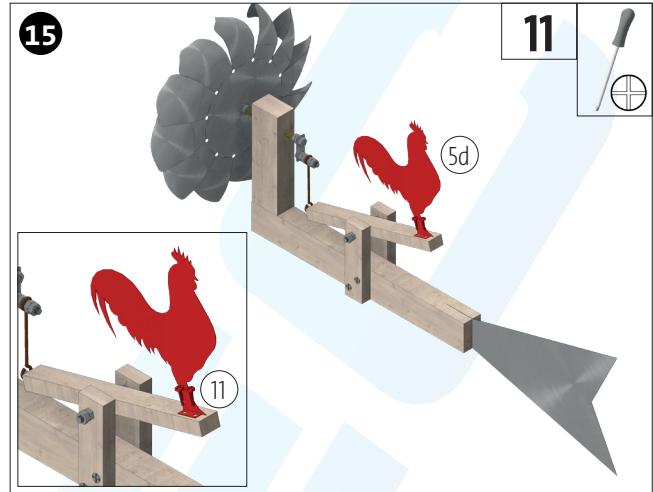


Insert the bolt (15) through the free hole in the connecting piece (5b), screw on a washer (17) and 2 nuts (16), fit the connecting rod and fit and lock 2 further nuts.

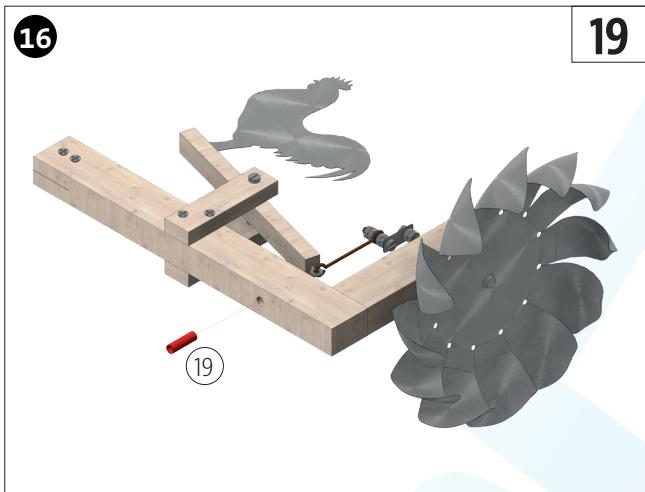
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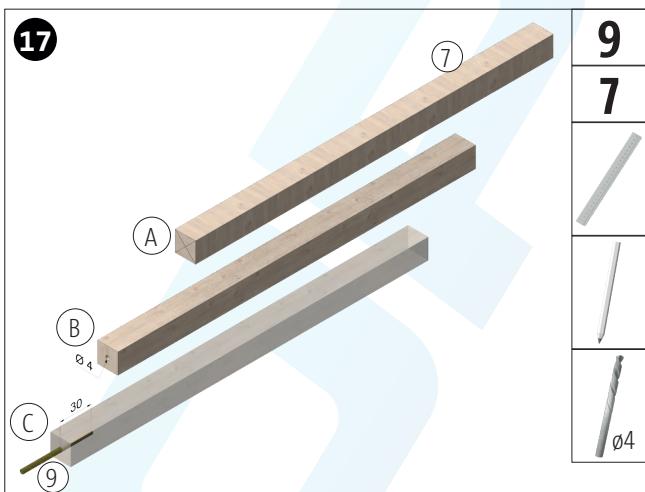
Insert the flag (5c) in the notch and fasten with 2 screws (11).



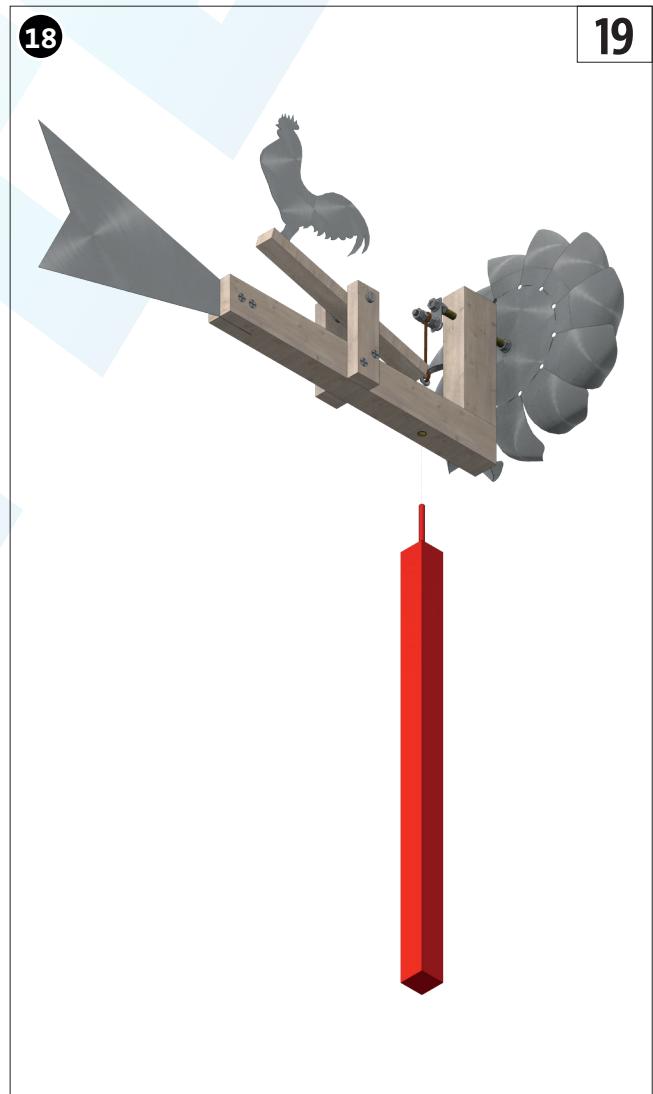
Fit the tap (5d) as shown and secure with 2 screws (11).



Insert the brass sleeve (19) into the  $\varnothing 6\text{mm}$  hole on the underside.



Take the wooden stick (7) and draw a diagonal on the front side to determine the centre point. Drill a  $\varnothing 4\text{mm}$  hole approx. 30mm deep. Then insert the brass rod.



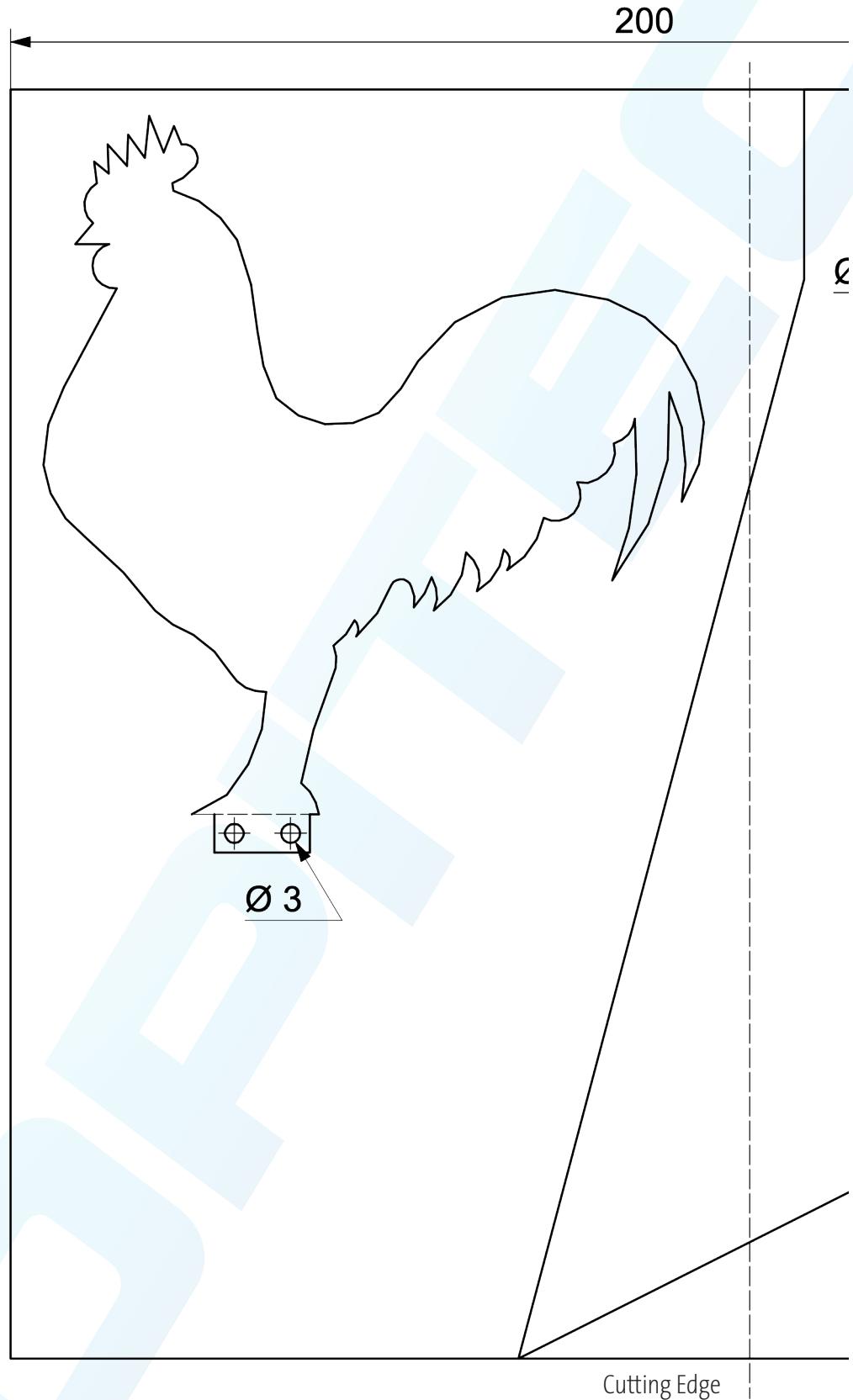
Insert the wooden stick into the brass sleeve from below and place it in a windy spot. Done!

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Template A

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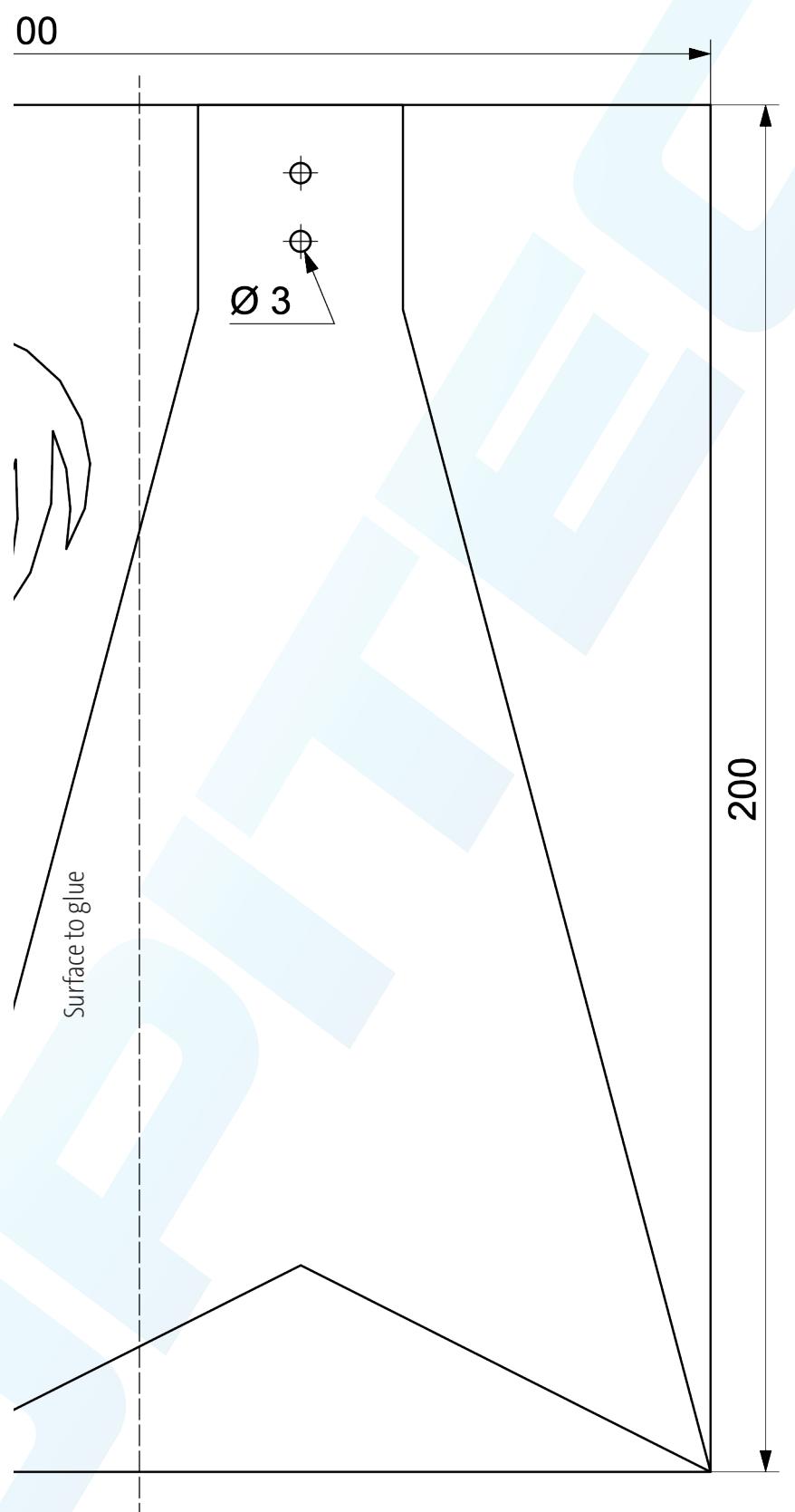


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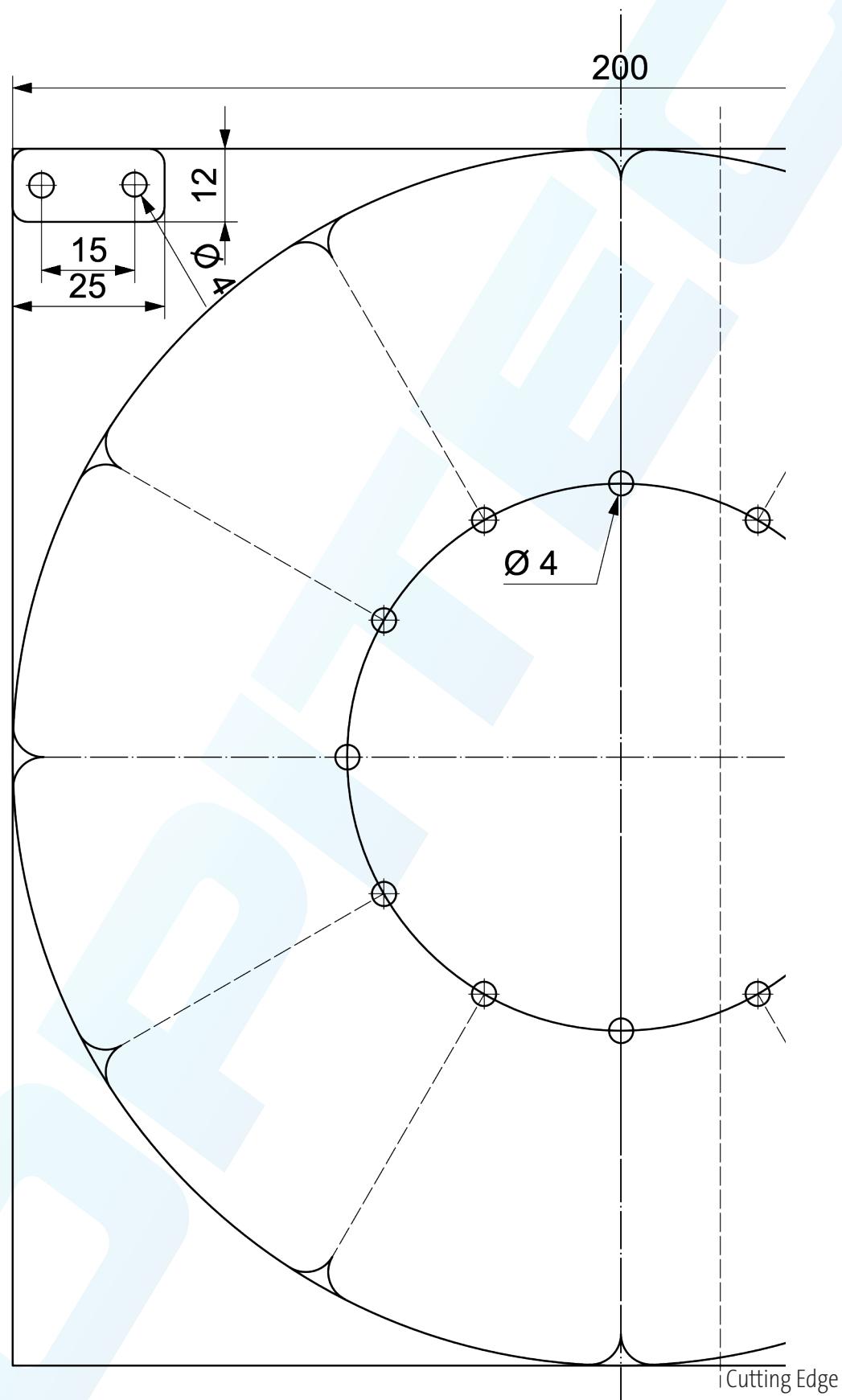


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Template B

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