

This pattern will allow you to create the leaf-patterned lampshade shown on page 9.

1) Determine how many sections of veneer you want on your lampshade (choose an even number so the pattern comes full circle). Then size wedges accordingly. Follow this equation to match the example shown:

$$(\text{Circumference of lampshade} - \frac{3}{4}'' \text{ for gaps between wedges}) \div 6 \text{ wedges}$$

2) Print as many copies of this pattern as you need for your shade.

3) Separate the pattern into two halves, and then tape the pieces to the veneer. You'll stagger the leaves by positioning the pattern higher on one edge of each wedge and lower on the other edge; each section of veneer will be identical.

4) Cut through the pattern and veneer to form the leaf shapes.

5) Stick the wedges to the shade with narrow gaps between them.

