**Step 4:** Use the Add-A-Quarter ruler to trim the fabric to a 1/4" seam allowance.

Step 5: Position the fabric piece for Sec. 2, *right-side up* next to the folded back paper. Lift the foundation paper and slide the fabric under Sec. 2.





Step 6: Open the paper, sew on Line 1 and press. Continue adding the fabric pieces to each section, stopping once you complete Sec. 9.

iew Side

Sec 2

Sec 3

Unit D5

Step 2

Fold Back

Paper

Step 4

Sec 1

Sec 1

Step 7: After completing Section 9, adjust your stitch length to 2.2 and sew Basting Line 9. Trim the thread ends on both sides of each unit. Then repeat curved paper piecing steps, Page 13, to complete the vein.

## STACKING: UNIT D5

Arrange the templates and fabric Unit D5 pieces for Unit **D5** in numerical order, facing right-sideup and align the sew-sides at the top. Begin the stacking process for Unit D5, placing Sec. 13 at the bottom and Sec. 1 at the top.

## **Working with Multiple Colors:**

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If using multiple colors, number your papers 1 to 8 and assign Fabric #s to correspond with the paper numbers.

## FOUNDATION PAPER PIECING: UNIT D5

NOTE - Tracing the Dashed Lines: If you choose to skip the tracing, I highly recommend tracing Basting Line Sec 1 12 on all (8) papers.

**Step 1:** Find Sec. 1 on the foundation paper. Apply a small amount of fabric glue on the backside of the paper under Sec. 1. Place the first piece of fabric for Sec. 1 wrong-side-up on your table.

Step 2: Lift the paper, and slide the fabric under Sec. 1. Step/3 Press the paper onto the fabric to adhere. Repeat Steps 1 and 2 old for each foundation unit.

Step 3: Place the fold template over the top of Sec. 1 aligning it with Line 1.

Step 4: Fold the paper back over the fold template.

Step 5: Use the Add-A-Quarter ruler to trim the fabric to a 1/4" seam allowance.



**Step 6:** Position the fabric piece for Sec. 2, right-side up next to the folded back paper. Lift the foundation paper and slide the fabric under Sec. 2.



Step 7: Open the paper, sew on Line 1 and press. Continue adding the fabric pieces to each section, stopping once you complete Sec 12.

Step 8: After completing Section 12, adjust your stitch length to

2.2 and sew Basting Line 12. Trim the thread ends on both sides of each unit. Then repeat curved paper piecing steps, Page 13, to complete the vein.



Step 5

Add-A-Quarter

## **ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS**



Step 1: Apply a small amount of fabric glue to the backside of the foundation paper under all the spike sections. Place the fabric pieces cut with the alternative templates wrong-side-up on your table.

**Step 2:** Lift the foundation paper, and slide the fabric beneath the spike sections on each unit. Press to adhere the fabric to the paper then secure with flower pins.

