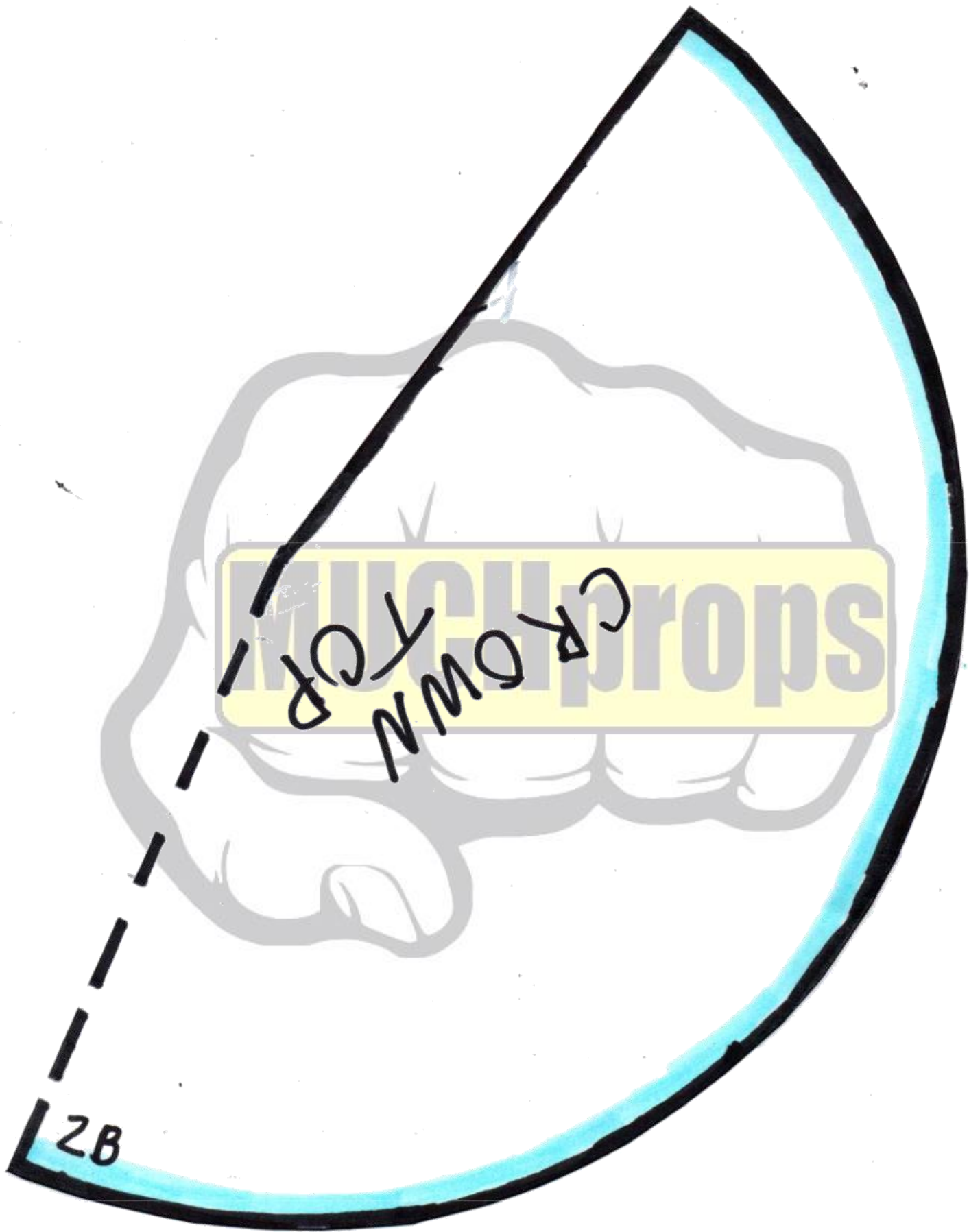# KING ARTHUR'S CROWN

From Monty Python and the Holy Grail

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I made this template for making King Arthur's Crown from the film Monty Python and the Holy Grail. Have fun with it and please tag me in posts, I love seeing creativity being spread.

- Cut out all the pieces of the template and trace them onto the material of your choice (I used 6 mm and 4 mm EVA foam)
- Obviously there are parts that were too big to fit on a regular sheet of copy paper, so I had to divide them. Tape together corresponding parts on their dotted lines (ie 1A+1B+1C)
- There are larger darts on some pieces, these are to be cut into those parts to allow that area to curve.
- The part marked "Crown side/overlay", is two pieces. After you have traced the side as a whole onto 6 mm foam, cut out the fleur-de-lis pattern overlay and trace that onto 4 mm foam.
- There are blue highlighted edges on a lot of the pieces, this blue means that the edge it is on needs a 45-degree angled cut inward. The red zigzags on the Crown side, simply means that there is an overlay piece there.
- You could certainly try and make it out of other thicknesses of EVA, I chose 6 mm because I needed the parts to be sturdy but still have enough flexibility for me to curve into shape.
- Some adjustments and reductions in size may be needed in order to fit smaller heads. My head circumference is 24 inches.
- For the bevel on the brim of the crown I used a 18 mm EVA ½ dowel and the chainmail that I used for this build came from Ben Eadie. You can find his products on www.foamarmory.com
- Along with the EVA/craft foam you will need: 18 mm EVA ½ dowel, foam chainmail, contact cement, super glue, a rotary tool , rotary sanding bits, scissors, xacto or box cutter, Plasti dip or something to seal it with, spray paint, and acrylic paints.
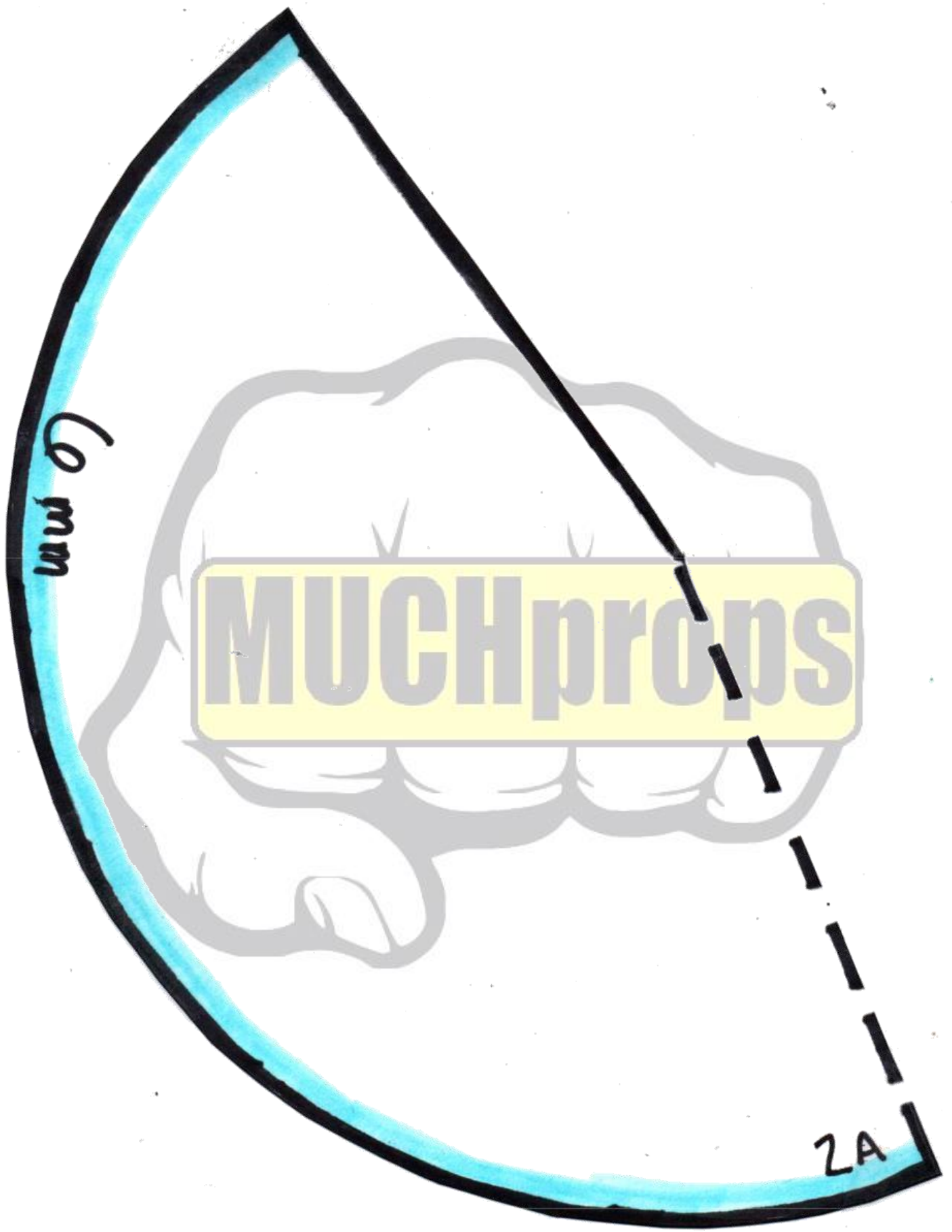
Hopefully this is helpful and keep in mind it is a free template (so please don't be judgmental). Share this with everyone you know. I spend a lot of extra time making these templates and would love to be tagged in photos of your end results on social media. And inevitably someone is going to ask you, HOW did you make that? Give them one of these and tell them MUCH PROPS.

CROWN TOP

ZB

6 mm
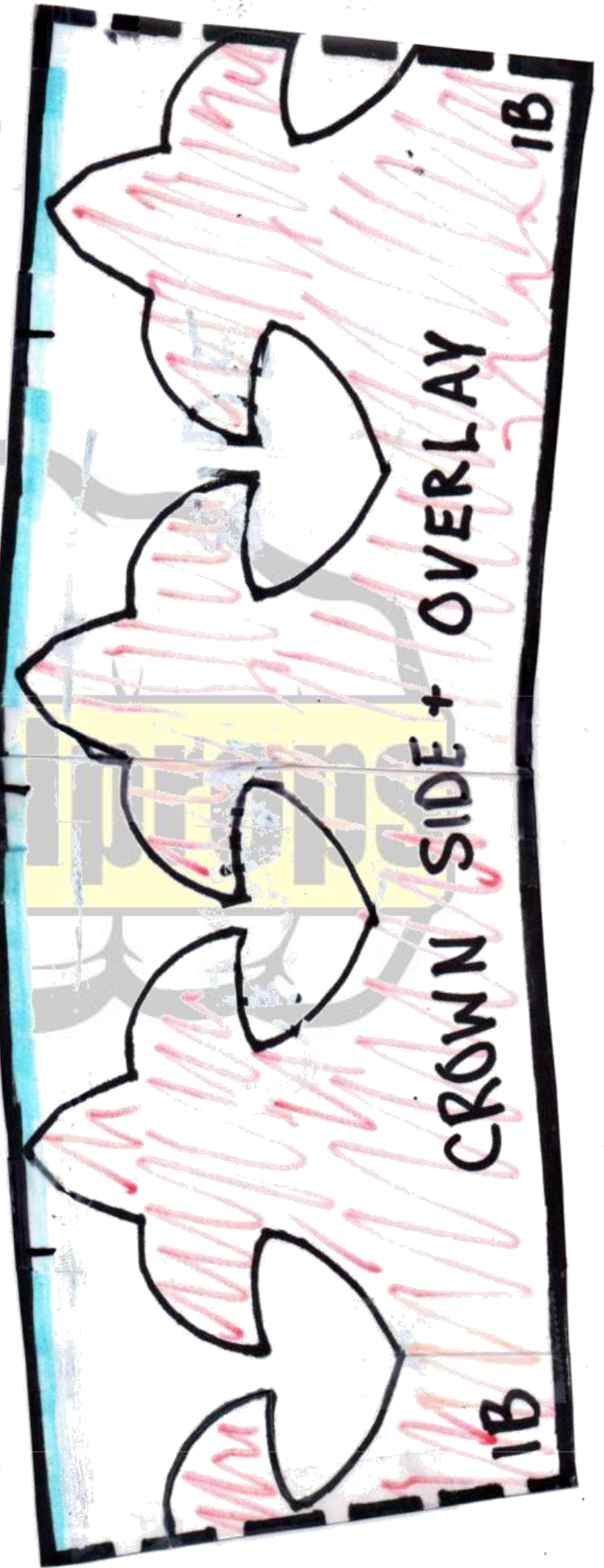
2A

4mm for the overlay for the
6mm CROWN SIDE

CROWN SIDE + OVERLAY

1A

1B

1B

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