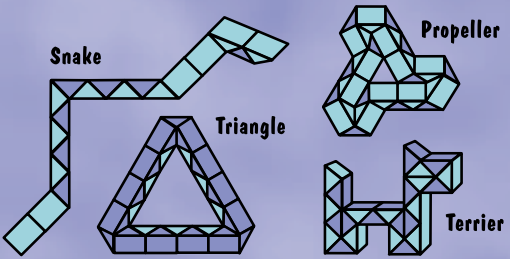



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Discover These Shapes
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Snake Triangle Propeller Terrier

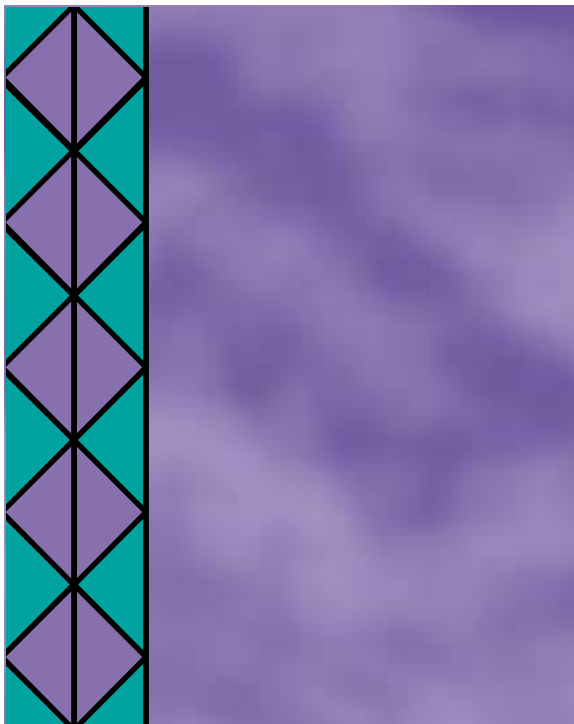

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SOLUTION *Hints!* BOOKLET



RUBIK'S TRANSFORMABLE SNAKE
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The Twistable Puzzle Of Creative Fun!

RUBIK'S *Transformable Snake* is the twistable challenge of unlimited puzzle shapes. Start twisting and watch amazing figures take form. Turn a snake into a swan. A bat into a ball. A turtle into a terrier. All with just a few twists of your imagination.

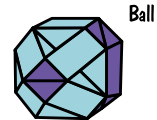
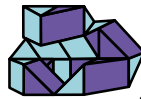
RUBIK'S *Snake* is the transformable challenge that sharpens your thinking about shapes and spaces. There are no limits to the shapes you can make, and **NO WRONG ANSWERS**. Try out the puzzles in this booklet, then twist up your own. RUBIK'S *Snake* is so addicting, you won't want to put it down!

RUBIK'S *Snake* is portable, long-lasting fun. It goes with you everywhere. Amazes and challenges your friends. Offers hours of play. It's the most popular snake in the world—the one that charms YOU!

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Meet RUBIK'S Transformable Snake

Untwist RUBIK'S *Snake*
from its ball . . .



. . . into a free-form shape

To do this, first note that RUBIK'S *Snake* is made of 24 triangles joined together. The end triangles are connected on 1 edge. All other triangles are connected on 2 edges.

Next, start by unwrapping *Snake* from its ball. The 2 end triangles are different colours and meet near the centre of one side. Find them by tugging lightly on different sections of the ball. The *Snake* will begin to uncoil when you're tugging at the right pieces, so don't worry about breaking the puzzle.

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Basic Moves

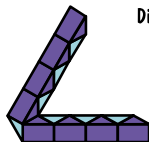
All the triangles can rotate 360° on their joints. Twist the triangles to form straight lines, angles, corners, switchbacks and cross-overs.

Straight Line



One twist on a straight line makes a diagonal bend to the side.

Diagonal Bend



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Basic Angles

Two twists on a straight line make a 90° angle.



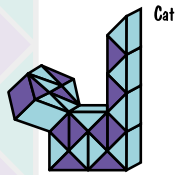
All other bends are made by twisting from a straight line, a diagonal, or a 90° angle.

Switchback

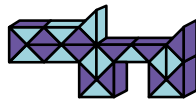


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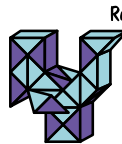
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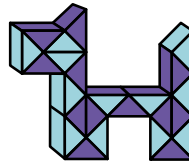
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Wolf



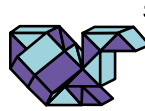
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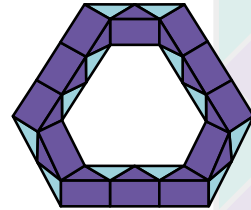
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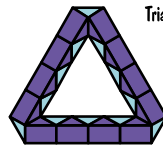
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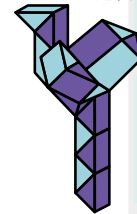
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Hexagon



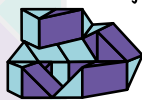
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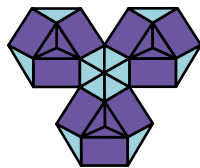
Bird Of Paradise

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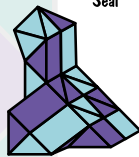
Advanced Shapes



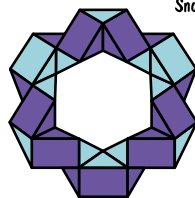
Frog



Bow



Seal

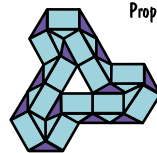


Snowflake

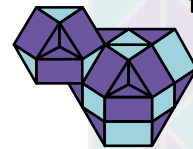


Ball

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Propeller



Turtle

Keep twisting. There are hundreds of shapes to discover with *RUBIK'S Transformable Snake*.

Twisting Hints

To make shaping easier, twist the unshaped end of *RUBIK'S Snake* out of the way as you work.

Stop twisting if you feel resistance from *RUBIK'S Snake*. Turning the triangles in the opposite direction may work more easily.

Do not force any twist or you will break the connection between triangles.

Do not pull triangles away from each other.

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RUBIK Website on <http://www.rubiks.com>

The RUBIK Internet Website is an international meeting point for both RUBIK'S enthusiasts and casual puzzlers.

The RUBIK Website is one of the best designed free entertainment pages on the Internet. There are over 20 pages of puzzles, competitions, free downloads, hints, solutions and bulletin boards. These appear in a well presented, easily accessible format. There is no frustrating wait for pages to download and appear.

We have teamed up with 'FreeZone' one of the largest young adult websites on the net. FreeZone will run and present the RUBIK Website. The Website will be regularly updated with fresh puzzles and competitions.

So dial up now. Note this URL for loads of brain teasing fun <http://www.rubiks.com>

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RUBIK'S Transformable Snake is just one of a series of exciting puzzles designed to challenge the mind and capture your imagination. With amazing movement of colour and pieces, each puzzle offers an intricate challenge that is hard to put down. And just in case it has you stumped, each puzzle comes with a **Solution Hints Booklet** to help you master the challenge.

Look for these other popular RUBIK'S puzzles. . .

RUBIK'S Cube – The Ultimate Brain Teaser!

The best selling puzzle in history continues to fascinate young and old alike. The unique turning action and simple colour concept make RUBIK'S Cube an addictive challenge that's impossible to put down!

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RUBIK'S Magic – The Amazing, Folding Puzzle!
Multi-hinged, Plexiglas panels will amaze you with their folding action. Flip, fold and roll the ring-patterned panels to connect the rings and solve the puzzle. Keep up the fun by creating fascinating figures and shapes. A mystifying, mesmerising challenge!

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