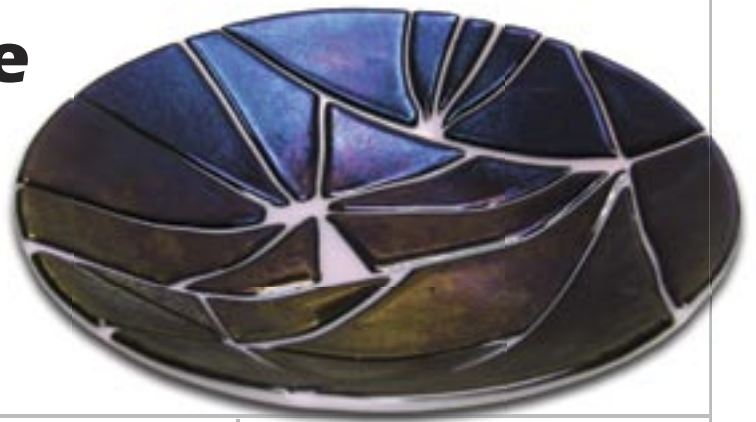




Project Guide



CrackUp! ■ decorative platter

Glass Cutting: **circle**

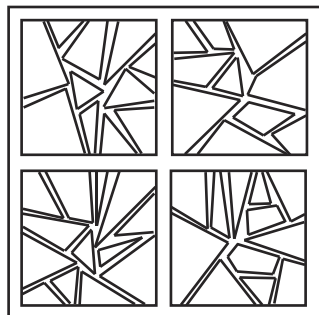
Firings: **contour fuse, slump**

Step-by-Step

1. Place your clean overlay piece on some stiff cardboard, cover with several layers of newspaper and give it a few whacks with a hammer—crack it up—but don't overdo it. Keep the pieces organized so you can rebuild easily.
2. Paint a thin layer of Klyr-Fire adhesive on your base Blank.
3. Rebuild the cracked-up overlay on top of your base Blank, leaving spaces between the pieces. Begin with the perimeter, then work to the inside.

Variations

- Fill the gaps with a contrasting color of fine Frit. Brush all the stray Frit off the top layer before firing.
- Use a 10" Square for the base Blank, and four 4" Squares to crack up. Then place your cracked-up squares individually on the Blank, like this:



Materials We Used

Blanks: 10" round for base; 8" round for overlay

(or see Variation below)

Keys to Success

- Color contrast is the key to making this project spectacular.
- Klyr-Fire adhesive burns off in the kiln and is slow to dry, so you can move pieces around for several minutes.

Re-built

