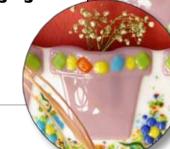
# Project Guide

### Flower Pot Pockets - hanging vase

Glass Cutting: simple straight lines Firing: contour fuse



## Step-by-Step

- **1.** Base: Cut two 3" x 11" rectangles—one from White and one from Clear. Stack these, white on top.
- **2.** Cut 4 flower pot shapes from Lilac using the pattern below. For economy of glass, follow cutting layout diagram.
- **3.** Cut 4 strips of Lilac <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" x 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>"
- **4.** Using pinpoints of glue, affix flower pots to base, making sure the top of each pot lines up with the top edge of the base. Layer the Lilac strips across the top of each pot. Glue in place.



- **5.** Decorate as shown using small glass shapes, rod dots, frit and bent stringer.
- **6.** Pockets: Cut 8 strips of 1/8" fiber paper <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" x 1<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>". Insert a stack of two strips between the white and clear base layers, centered under each Flower Pot (leave a half-inch of fiber paper overhang at the top).
- Hanging Wire: Cut two <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" pieces of 18-gauge copper wire and twist into a loop with crossed ends as shown. Insert between white and clear base layers at each end near the top. Use a drop of Super Glue to hold in place.



- 8. Contour Fuse.
- **9.** Finishing: Attach 18-gauge copper wire for hanging, curling around a pencil to embellish areas as pictured. Tie a raffia bow on one end, if desired. Fill pockets with small dried flowers.

#### **Materials We Used**

**Glass Colors:** 200SF White Opal, 100SFS Clear, 240-74SF Lilac Opal

Rods: various colors

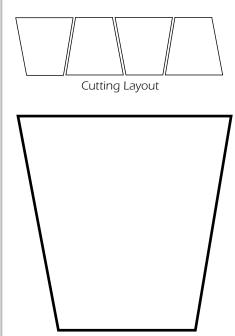
Stringer: Green

Frit: various colors

Wire: 18-gauge copper

#### Note:

**Rod Dots** = Nip off 1/4" or smaller bits of Rod to create "dots" or bumps.



Flower Pot Pattern