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Card Fan by Serhiy Grabarchuk

You fan a small pack of four cards before your audience (see Figure 1). Then you square the pack, and in a moment fan it out again. But now your spectators can see another cards in the fan (see Figure 2). How can you perform this simple trick?

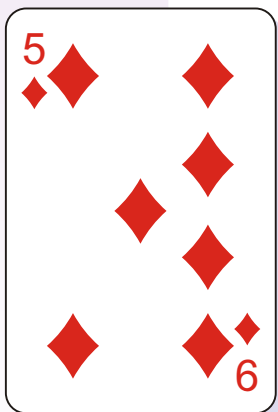
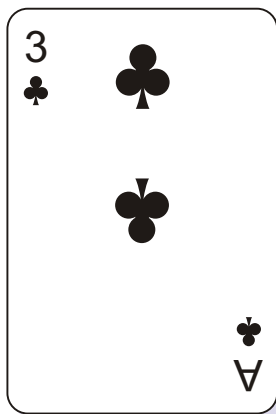
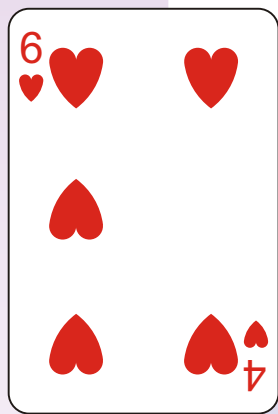
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Card Fan (secret)

The secret of this trick is really simple. You need four cards - one normal card (the queen of spades) and three specially improved cards (see the figure). When you square the first fan insensibly turn round the pack for 180°, and after that fan it again. You will have the queen of spades on the right again, and, of course, it will look the same way as before. But the three other cards will have now the other corners with other names and different numbers of suit signs uncovered.

Be careful while you fan the pack keeping in mind that you have to expose only one half of each of the three special cards.

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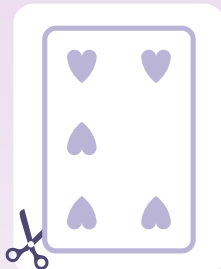
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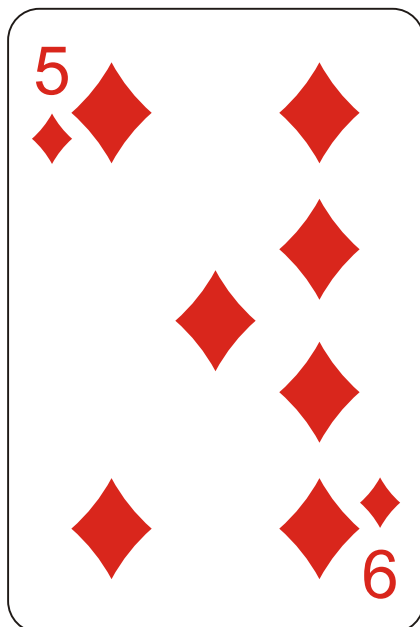
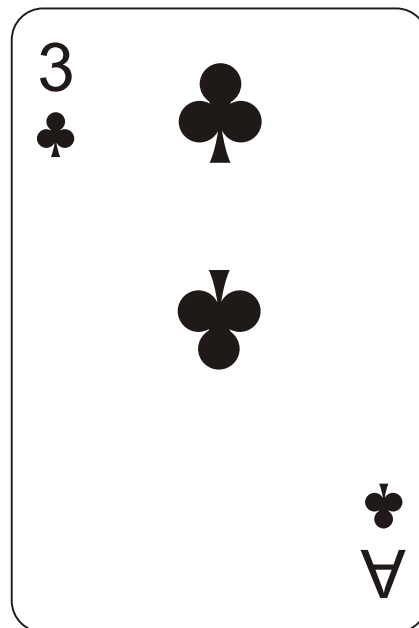
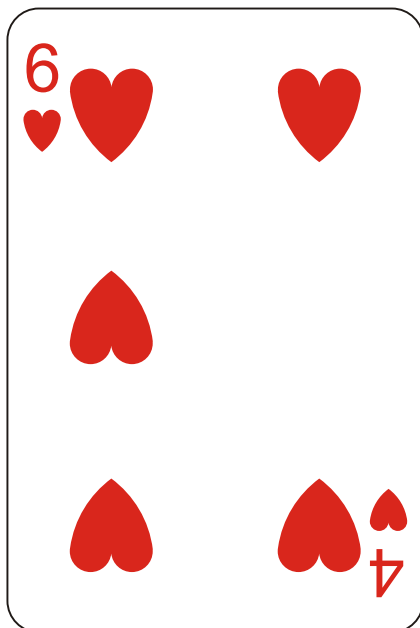
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Card Fan (cards)

To produce the cards first print them out. Then follow the diagram shown in the left column above - from step 1 to step F (finish).

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