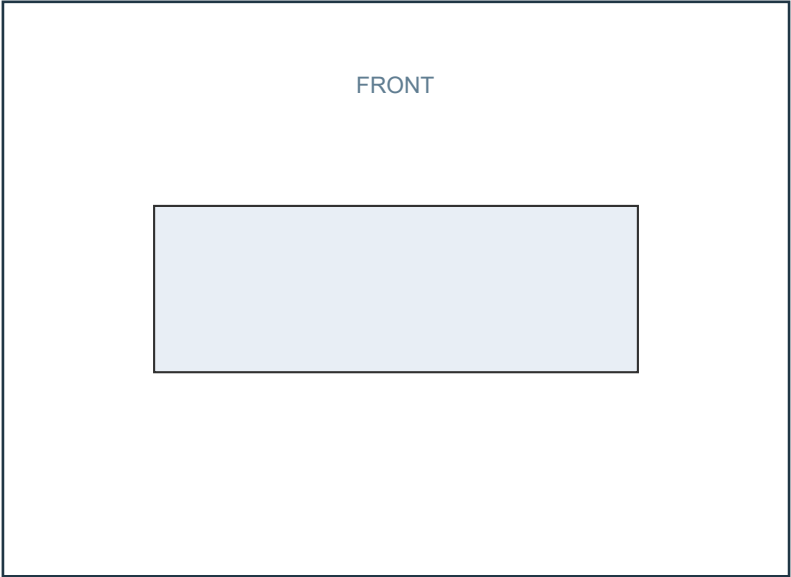


Pull-tab message reveal sleeve

Front window / back with rail placement guides



Pull-tab message reveal sleeve

Rails, slider and stops / no adhesive in the moving channel



Pull-tab message reveal sleeve

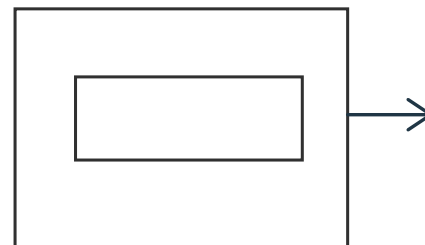
Assembly and use / Print at actual size / Make a plain-paper trial

MAKE THE PROJECT

Make a pull-tab message reveal: a windowed front, rail-spaced back, moving strip and two travel stops.

YOU WILL NEED

Plain paper for a trial; light card if suitable; ruler, scissors, blunt creasing tool and paper adhesive.



CONSTRUCTION SCHEMATIC

- 01** Print at 100% and check the 50 mm line. Cut FRONT, BACK, two rails, the message strip and two small stops. Cut out the shaded front window.
- 02** Glue RAIL 1 and RAIL 2 onto the two shaded placement bands on BACK. Keep the 24 mm channel between them clear.
- 03** Place the 23 mm-wide message strip between the rails, message side facing FRONT and PULL extending to the right. Test movement before joining.
- 04** Glue FRONT onto the tops of the rails only. Align the outer front and back edges; keep both short channel ends open. Let it dry.
- 05** With the strip still in its channel, attach STOP 1 and STOP 2 across its two 5 mm end zones. Each stop projects beyond the strip edges.
- 06** Move the strip gently from stop to stop. Position the hidden message for the window and check the reveal before decorating.

The nominal side clearance is 1 mm and intended travel is 36 mm. Paper thickness affects sliding. No scratch coating is included.

