

JND Infinity Collection – Dec 2023 -by John Lockwood

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John has created a You Tube video dated 24th December 2023, where he demo's how to cut and make up the new Infinity dies combining them with the layering dies released in 2022 and 2023 which all complement each other. As always, I would recommend that you read the instructions through to the end before you commence any project.

June's Tips: This applies to any die, place your pieces onto your cutting plate at an angle, this helps to cut the dies in one pass. Also use your glue eraser to remove any unwanted marks.

Always clean your dies after every cut, if you get a build-up of little pieces, it could mean that the die doesn't cut properly when you want it to. You can use one of the tools with a brush on the end or a pokey tool.

Materials

8" x 8" Top Folding Card Blank

7" Infinity Dies JND428 (7)

6" Infinity Dies JND429 (7)

5" Infinity Dies JND430 (7)

Also, the original layering dies from 2022 & the February 2023 release.

Essential White Card

Essential Ivory Card

Essential Basic Grey Card

Sentiment verse stamp of your choice

Stamping Press

Versafine Ink for the stamp.

Repositionable tape.

A4 Die Cutting Machine

2mm Foam Tape

Craft Kit

Information:

The Infinity Layering dies are a brand-new concept which John will talk you through on this video. For the purposes of these instructions, I have numbered each die with

a code as follows, commencing with the 7" set. There is also a set of pictures corresponding to them.

7" Set:

7SL = 7" Square Looped Outside Cutting Die.
7SC = 7" Square Cutting Die.
7SST = 7" Square Stitched Die with no cutting edges.
7CL = 7" Circle Looped Outside Cutting Die.
7CC = 7" Circle Cutting Die.
7CST = 7" Circle Stitched Die with no cutting edges.
7RL = 5" x 7" Rectangle Looped Outside Cutting Die.
7RC = 5" x 7" Rectangle Outside Cutting Die.
7RST = 5" x 7" Rectangle Stitched Die with no cutting edges.

6" Set:

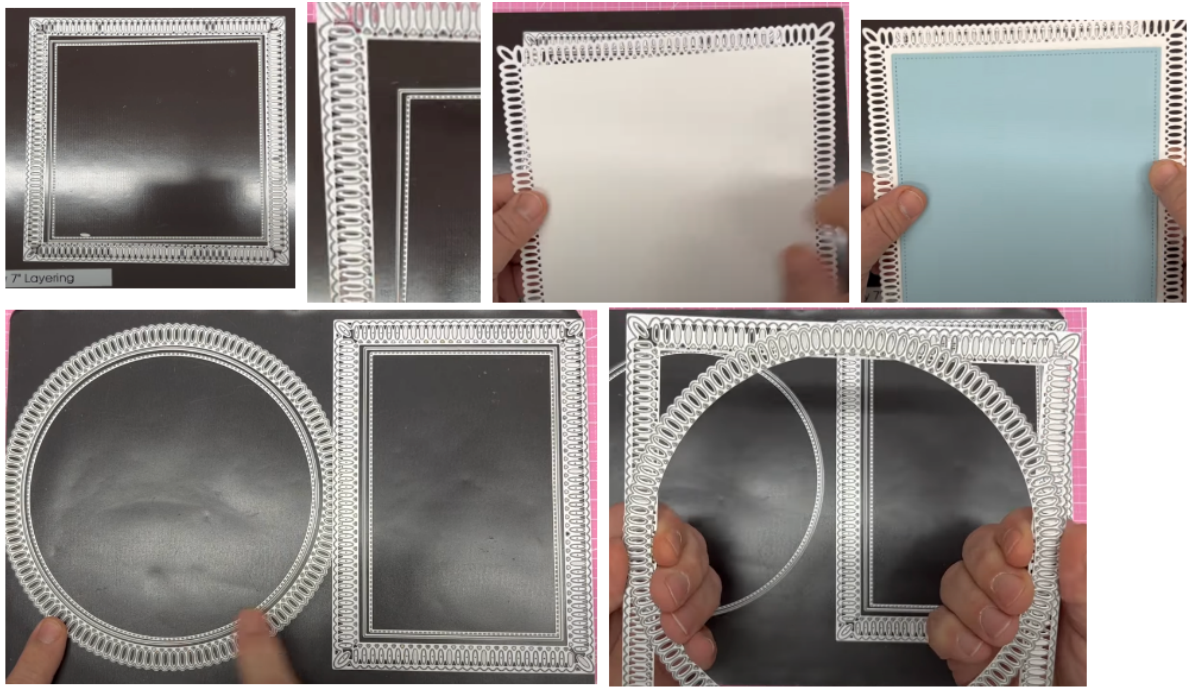
6SL = 6" Square Looped Outside Cutting Die.
6SC = 6" Square Cutting Die.
6SST = 6" Square Stitched Die with no cutting edges.
6CL = 6" Circle Looped Outside Cutting Die.
6CC = 6" Circle Cutting Die.
6CST = 6" Circle Stitched Die with no cutting edges.
6RL = 4" x 6" Rectangle Looped Outside Cutting Die.
6RC = 4" x 6" Rectangle Outside Cutting Die.
6RST = 4" x 6" Rectangle Stitched Die with no cutting edges.

5" Set:

5SL = 5" Square Looped Outside Cutting Die.
5SC = 5" Square Cutting Die.
5SST = 5" Square Stitched Die with no cutting edges.
5CL = 5" Circle Looped Outside Cutting Die.
5CC = 5" Circle Cutting Die.
5CST = 5" Circle Stitched Die with no cutting edges.
5RL = 3" x 5" Rectangle Looped Outside Cutting Die.
5RC = 3" x 5" Rectangle Outside Cutting Die.
5RST = 3" x 5" Rectangle Stitched Die with no cutting edges.

Also, for information the new die sets above also compliment and work with the following die sets from earlier this year and the ones from 2022:

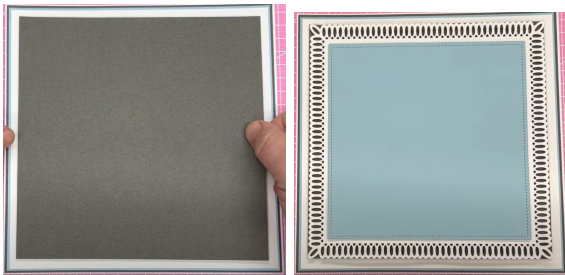
6" Layering Dies JND351 (9)
5" Layering Dies JND352 (9)
4" Layering Dies JND353 (9)



Using a combination of previous layering dies and these new Infinity dies.

Here is an 8" x 8" card blank that John has pre-prepared using the previous 8", 7" and 6" layering dies from earlier this year also using the grey, white & blue card as before.

He has then cut out the corresponding white 7" Looped Square die cut on the top. Then the blue 7" plain (from older dies) and stitched (these new infinity die) together.



We then go onto the circles, again using the original 6" circle die, and the new Infinity stitched circle together, to create this grey layer. We then have the white 6" Looped circle die, which shows the grey circle behind it. Finally cutting and adding the blue 6" infinity circle & stitched circle die together as the next layer onto the white.



Finally, we go onto the grey stitched rectangle layer, again using the original 5" layering rectangle & new stitched rectangle dies together. Then the 5" white Looped rectangle fits exactly over the top of the grey. Finally, the blue 5" original rectangle and infinity 5" stitched die cut together; this will go onto the top. You can only achieve this look by using the combination of various dies together because of the way the maths has been worked out.

The new Infinity dies has a combination of 27 dies in total. Which is the equivalent of buying 9 separate dies set.



Here is the card base that John has created for the video showing the new Safflower & leaves die set, see separate instructions showing how to make up the flowers.

From what I can see on this card he has cut the original square from Ivory card, then a white square layer

He has made a frame from a combination of the 6" outer square looped infinity, the 6" square stitched die and a 5" plain square die to create a frame, you can just see the Ivory card showing behind the white frame. Then added different size pearls on the corners. Next he has cut out a white circle and stamped a greeting onto it, added foam tape to the back and added onto the front of the card.

Finally using the 6" looped circles, 5" stitched circle and 4" circle cutting dies to make a beautiful frame to over the front. Correct me if I am wrong John. This has then been used as a base for the Safflower Flower and Leaves collection launching today.



I hope you have enjoyed these instructions.