90s daisies, smiley and squiggles

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.9 × 4.9 in (12.4 × 12.4 cm).



Which color goes where: by number on page 2.
Fabric: indigo cotton or linen.

Stitch in this order

Filled parts from the back of the picture forward, then lines and knots.

1. **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
   Squiggle table, vase rim, squiggle stems, daisy hearts, checked neck, eyes, cheeks, smile
2. **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
   Daisy petals, smiley vase
3. **Chain stitch**, 3 strands
   Hoop ring
4. **Split stitch**, 1 strand
   Petal edges
5. **Stem stitch**, strands by part on page 2
   Neck edges, vase edge
6. **Straight stitch**, 3 strands
   Eye lights

Floss

- **1 DMC 3845 Medium Bright Turquoise**
  Squiggle table and squiggle stems (middle)
- **2 DMC 741 Medium Tangerine**
  Squiggle table and squiggle stems (light), hoop ring and vase edge and 3 more parts
- **3 DMC 602 Medium Cranberry**
  Squiggle table and squiggle stems (darkest), cheeks
- **4 DMC 907 Light Parrot Green**
  Squiggle table and squiggle stems (lightest)
- **5 DMC 209 Dark Lavender**
  Squiggle table and squiggle stems (dark)
- **6 DMC 740 Tangerine** Vase rim (darker)
- **7 DMC BLANC White**
  Daisy petals (light), checked neck (lighter), eye lights
- **8 DMC 341 Light Blue Violet** Daisy petals (dark)
- **9 DMC 3747 Very Light Blue Violet**
  Petal edges, daisy petals (middle)
- **10 DMC 972 Deep Canary** Daisy hearts (middle)
- **11 DMC 973 Bright Canary**
  Smiley vase (middle), daisy hearts (light)
- **12 DMC 310 Black**
  Checked neck (darker), smile and eyes
- **13 DMC 307 Lemon** Smiley vase (light)
- **14 DMC 725 Medium Light Topaz**
  Smiley vase (dark)

Stitches, continued

7. **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
   Daisy hearts

Three ways onto dark fabric

1. **Light shines through it**
   Lay page 3 on a bright light box, tape the fabric over it and trace the lines with a white marking pencil or pen.
2. **No light shines through**
   Print page 3 on a sticky wash-away sheet, smooth it onto fabric that can be washed, stitch through both and rinse it away.
3. **White or yellow carbon paper**
   Lay it colored side down on the fabric with page 3 on top, tape the layers and trace firmly with a ballpoint pen. Go over a faint line with a white pencil.

Page 3 is the pattern at actual size (page 4 is its mirror, for an iron-on pen on a light fabric). Print it at 100% with scaling turned off. Then put the fabric in the hoop: inner ring under, drawing up, tight as a drum.

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6 inch hoop

How to read it

Floss is six strands. Cut 18 inches (45 cm), pull out the number given one at a time, and lay them together.

Inside a filled shape start with two or three tiny stitches, which the filling covers. Start a line with a small knot on the back. End each thread by running the needle under the backs of a few stitches.

Each small ring is one French knot. A fine broken line inside a shape is where two shades meet: trace it, do not stitch it.

A number on the picture is a color of the list of floss on page 1. The fine lines on the colors show which way the stitches lie.

Every stitch in pictures: flossfield.com/embroidery/stitches. The first time: flossfield.com/embroidery/guides/how-to-start.



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How many strands

Stem stitch. 3 strands: vase edge; 2 strands: neck edges.

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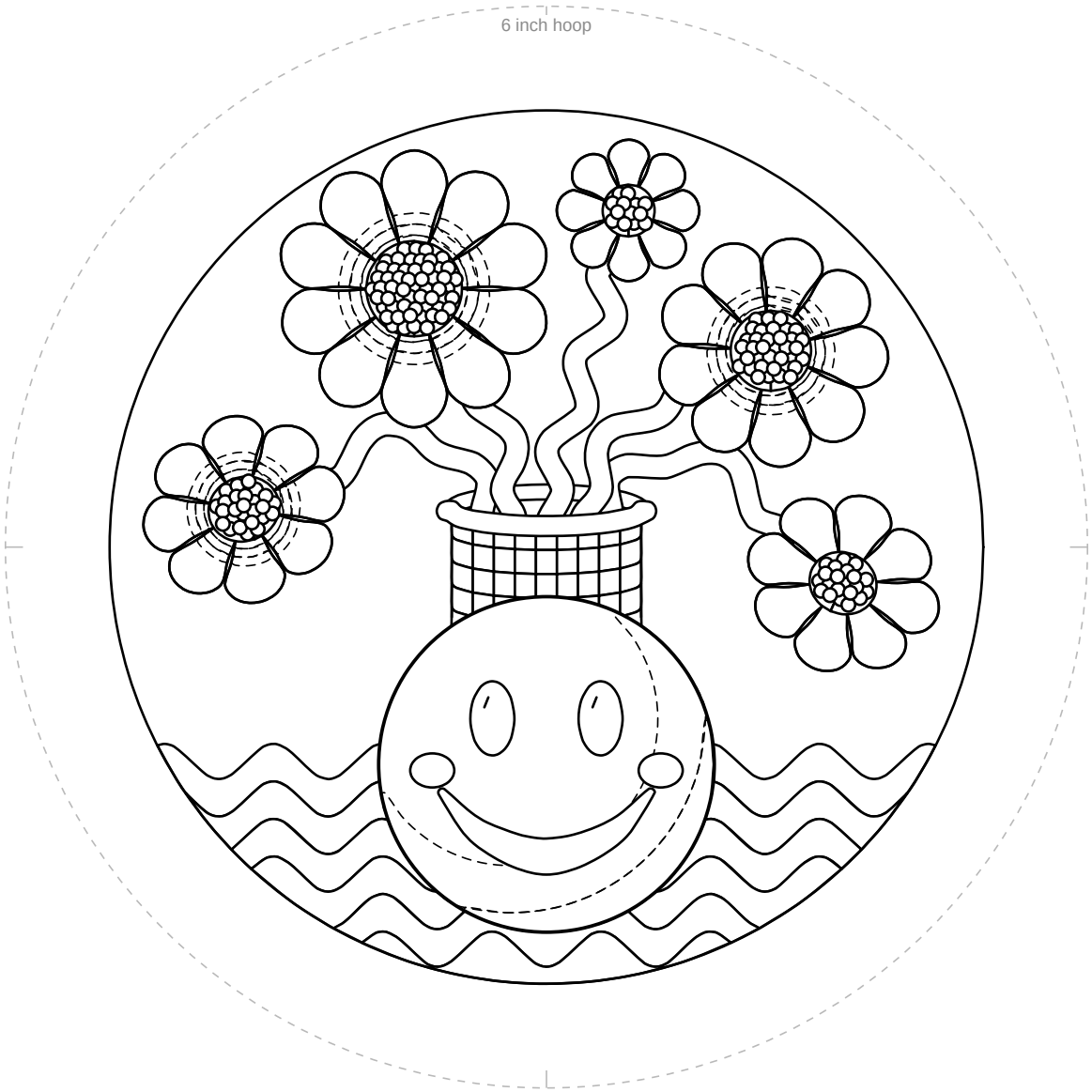
Print at 100% and check the square below with a ruler. Fold the fabric in four: the folds meet the four ticks of the ring.



1 in
25.4 mm

Check square: 1 inch (25.4 mm) on each side.
If it measures anything else, print again at 100% with scaling off.

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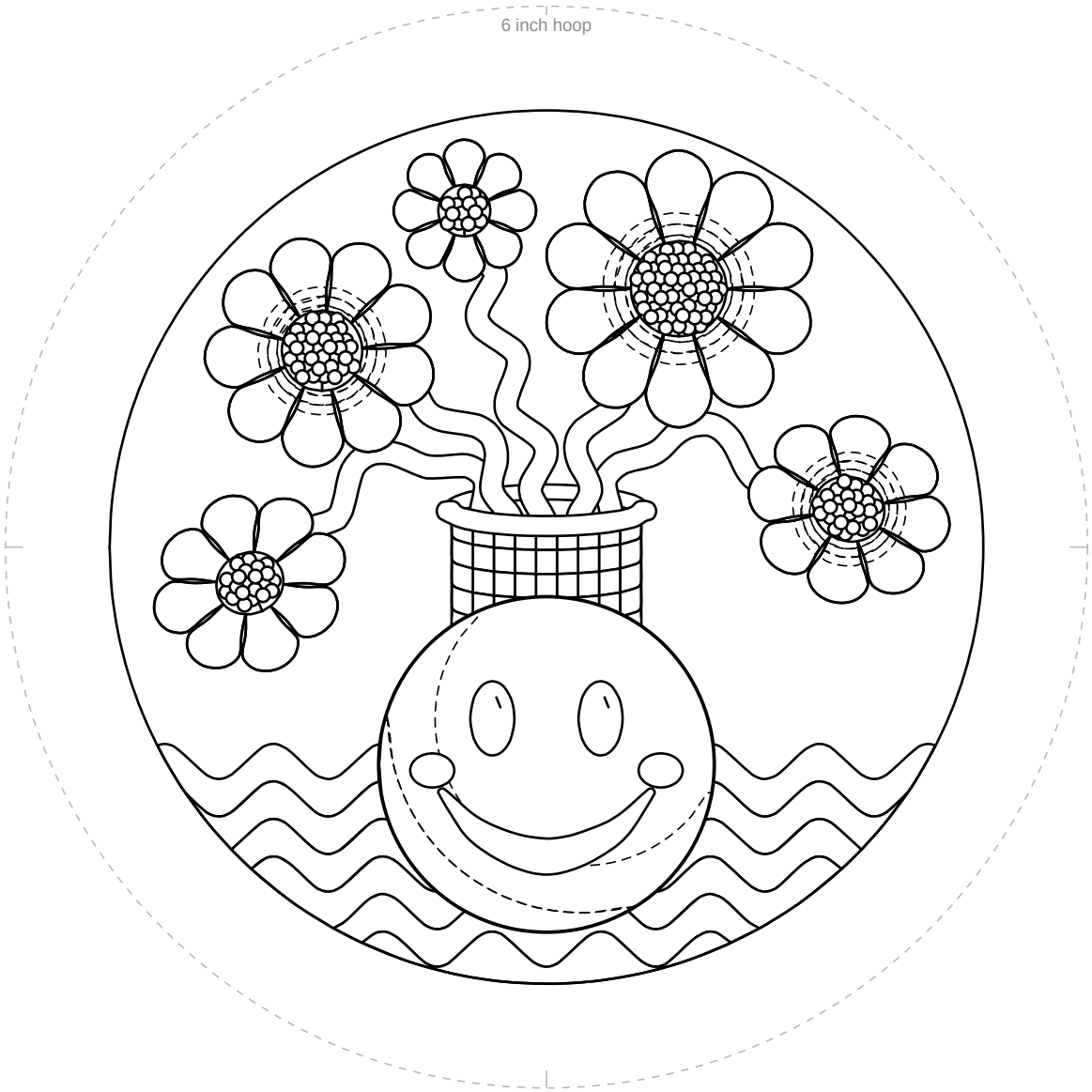
Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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