Abuela in laurel

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.7 × 3.8 in (11.9 × 9.7 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Scallops, corner fans, fan hearts, laurel leaves, foot flower, letters, geranium buds, flower shadows, geranium petals
- **Back stitch**, 2 strands
  Scallop rim
- **Stem stitch**, 2 to 4 strands
  Frame line, gold line, laurel branch, geranium stems, bill
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  Flower hearts, bird eye
- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Bud caps, leaf veins, petal lines
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Geranium leaves, far wing, tail, bird body, bird belly, bird throat, near wing
- **Split stitch**, 1 strand
  Leaf edges, wing feathers

Floss

- **DMC 797 Royal Blue**
  Scallops, letters and fan hearts, flower hearts (darker)
- **DMC 799 Medium Delft Blue** Scallop rim
- **DMC 820 Very Dark Royal Blue** Frame line
- **DMC 740 Tangerine**
  Gold line, corner fans and foot flower (darker)
- **DMC 742 Light Tangerine**
  Corner fans, flower hearts and foot flower (lighter)
- **DMC 895 Very Dark Hunter Green**
  Laurel leaves (dark), laurel branch, leaf edges and leaf veins and 2 more parts
- **DMC 3346 Hunter Green**
  Laurel leaves (middle), geranium leaves (dark), bud caps
- **DMC 3347 Medium Yellow Green**
  Geranium leaves (middle), laurel leaves (light), geranium stems
- **DMC 817 Very Dark Coral Red**
  Geranium petals (dark), geranium buds (darker)
- **DMC 666 Bright Red**
  Geranium petals (middle), geranium buds and bird throat (lighter)
- **DMC 3348 Light Yellow Green**
  Geranium leaves (light)
- **DMC 815 Medium Garnet**
  Flower shadows and petal lines, bird throat (darker)
- **DMC 350 Medium Coral** Geranium petals (light)
- **DMC 647 Medium Beaver Gray**
  Near wing and far wing (middle)
- **DMC 645 Very Dark Beaver Gray**
  Wing feathers, far wing and near wing (dark)
- **DMC 648 Light Beaver Gray**
  Near wing and far wing (light), bird belly (darker)
- **DMC 3031 Very Dark Mocha Brown**
  Tail (dark), bill and bird eye
- **DMC 910 Dark Emerald Green**
  Bird body (dark), tail (light)
- **DMC 912 Light Emerald Green** Bird body (light)
- **DMC 955 Light Nile Green** Bird body (lightest)
- **DMC 3865 Winter White** Bird belly (lighter)

Three ways to transfer the pattern

1. **Fabric you can see through**
   Tape page 2 to a sunny window or lay it on a light box, tape the fabric over it and trace the lines with a sharp pencil or a water-soluble pen.
2. **Fabric you cannot see through**
   Lay dressmaker's carbon paper colored side down on the fabric with page 2 on top, tape the layers and trace the lines firmly with a ballpoint pen.
3. **Iron-on**
   Go over the lines of page 3, the mirrored page, with an iron-on transfer pen, lay it ink side down on the fabric and press with a dry iron.

Pages 2 and 3 are the pattern at actual size. Print them at 100% with scaling turned off.

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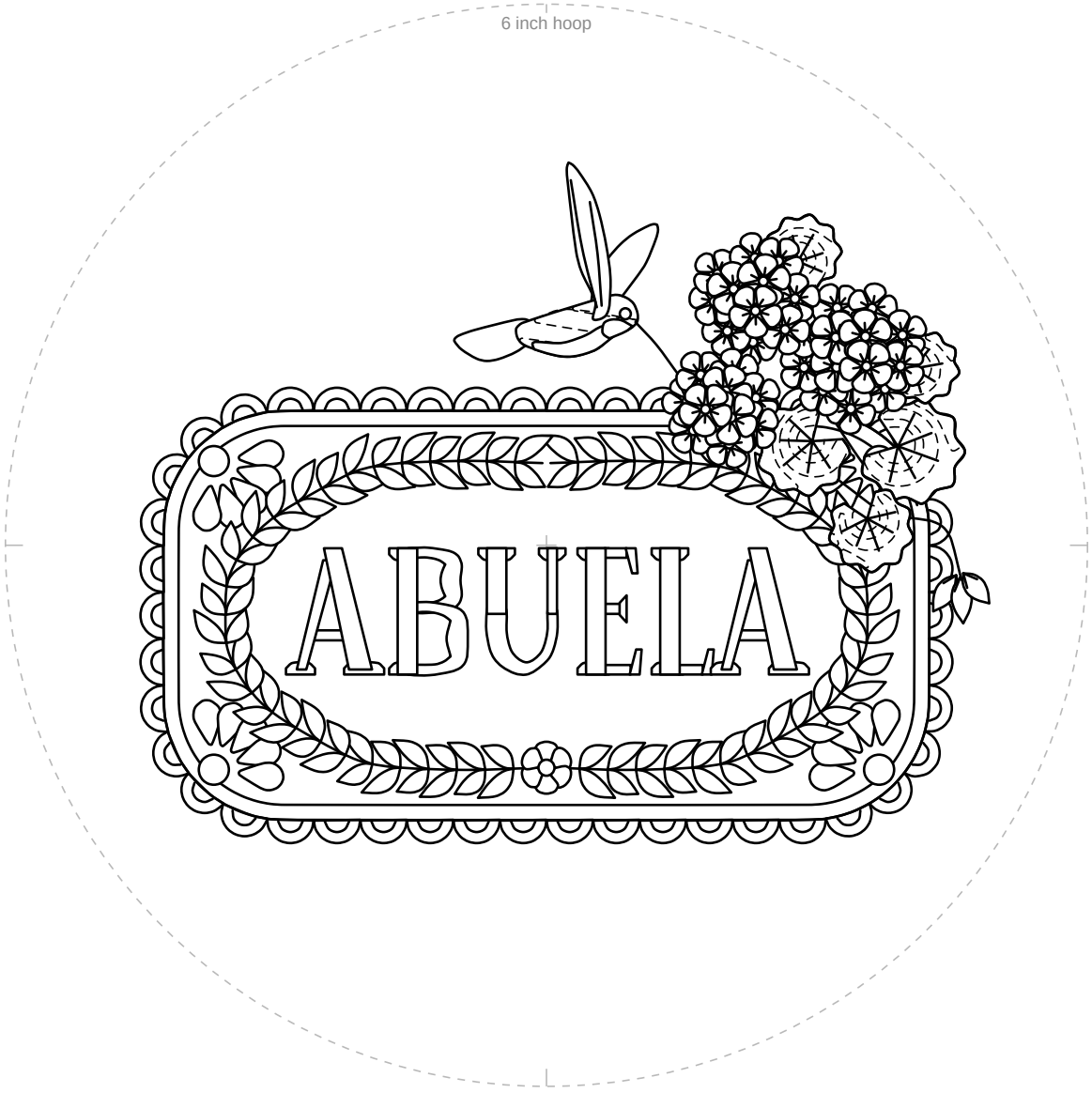

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Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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