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Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.7 × 4.4 in (11.9 × 11.2 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Running stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
  Dusk sky, running stitch field
- **Padded satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Moon, baby wrap
- **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
  Stars, knot field, roof tips
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Palm trunks, house walls, doorways, thatch, ankles and feet, skirt, and 7 more
- **Fishbone stitch**, 1 strand
  Palm fronds
- **Stem stitch**, 3 strands
  Field edges, hill edge, path
- **Chain stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
  Hill crest, chain field
- **Herringbone stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
  Herringbone field
- **Back stitch**, 2 strands
  Back stitch field, door frames, skirt folds, wrap stripes
- **Feather stitch**, 2 strands
  Feather stitch field
- **Fern stitch**, 2 strands
  Fern stitch field
- **Fly stitch**, 2 strands
  Fly stitch field
- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Thatch

Floss

- **DMC 782 Dark Topaz**
  Fly stitch field (darker) and 6 more parts
- **DMC 356 Medium Terra Cotta**
  House walls (shade 4 of 7) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 3778 Light Terra Cotta**
  Running stitch field (light) and 5 more parts
- **DMC 3722 Medium Shell Pink**
  Dusk sky (middle) and 5 more parts
- **DMC 3041 Medium Antique Violet**
  Dusk sky (darkest), house walls (shade 1 of 7)
- **DMC 746 Off White** Moon, blouse and stars
- **DMC 801 Dark Coffee Brown**
  Thatch (dark), palm trunks and door frames and 4 more parts
- **DMC 501 Dark Blue Green** Palm fronds (lighter)
- **DMC 500 Very Dark Blue Green**
  Palm fronds (darker), skirt folds
- **DMC 3052 Medium Green Gray**
  Field edges (lightest), hill edge
- **DMC 523 Light Fern Green**
  Feather stitch field and 3 more parts
- **DMC 224 Very Light Shell Pink**
  Chain field (lightest) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3820 Dark Straw**
  Fly stitch field (lighter) and 7 more parts
- **DMC 950 Light Desert Sand** Path (lighter)
- **DMC 3864 Light Mocha Beige** Path (darker)
- **DMC 743 Medium Yellow** Doorways
- **DMC 3045 Dark Yellow Beige**
  Thatch (middle), roof tips
- **DMC 3046 Medium Yellow Beige** Thatch (light)
- **DMC 3810 Dark Turquoise** Skirt

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.

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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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