Anglo-Saxon interlace beast border

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 5 × 5 in (12.7 × 12.7 cm).



Which color goes where.

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.

Floss

- **DMC 321 Red**
  Tails and middle knot (darker), hind legs and bodies (shade 4 of 8) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3820 Dark Straw**
  Gold outlines and rings (lighter)
- **DMC 782 Dark Topaz**
  Gold outlines, rings, spirals and nostrils (darker)
- **DMC 597 Turquoise**
  Tails (lighter), hind legs, bodies, forelegs and heads (shade 7 of 8)
- **DMC 815 Medium Garnet**
  Far legs (darker), bodies, heads, hind legs and forelegs (shade 1 of 8)
- **DMC 712 Cream**
  Pellets, claws, eyes and fangs
- **DMC 350 Medium Coral**
  Bodies, forelegs, heads and hind legs (shade 5 of 8)
- **DMC 498 Dark Red**
  Heads, bodies, forelegs and hind legs (shade 2 of 8)
- **DMC 3822 Light Straw**
  Middle knot, spirals and nostrils (lighter), ears
- **DMC 3371 Black Brown**
  Pupils
- **DMC 3808 Ultra Very Dark Turquoise**
  Far legs (lighter), bodies, heads, hind legs and forelegs (shade 3 of 8)
- **DMC 598 Light Turquoise**
  Bodies, forelegs, heads and hind legs (shade 8 of 8)
- **DMC 3810 Dark Turquoise**
  Heads, bodies, forelegs and hind legs (shade 6 of 8)

Stitches

- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Tails, far legs, fangs, ears, eyes, middle knot, boss
- **Couching**, 2 to 3 strands
  Gold outlines, spirals, nostrils, rings
- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Claws
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Bodies, hind legs, forelegs, heads
- **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
  Pupils, pellets

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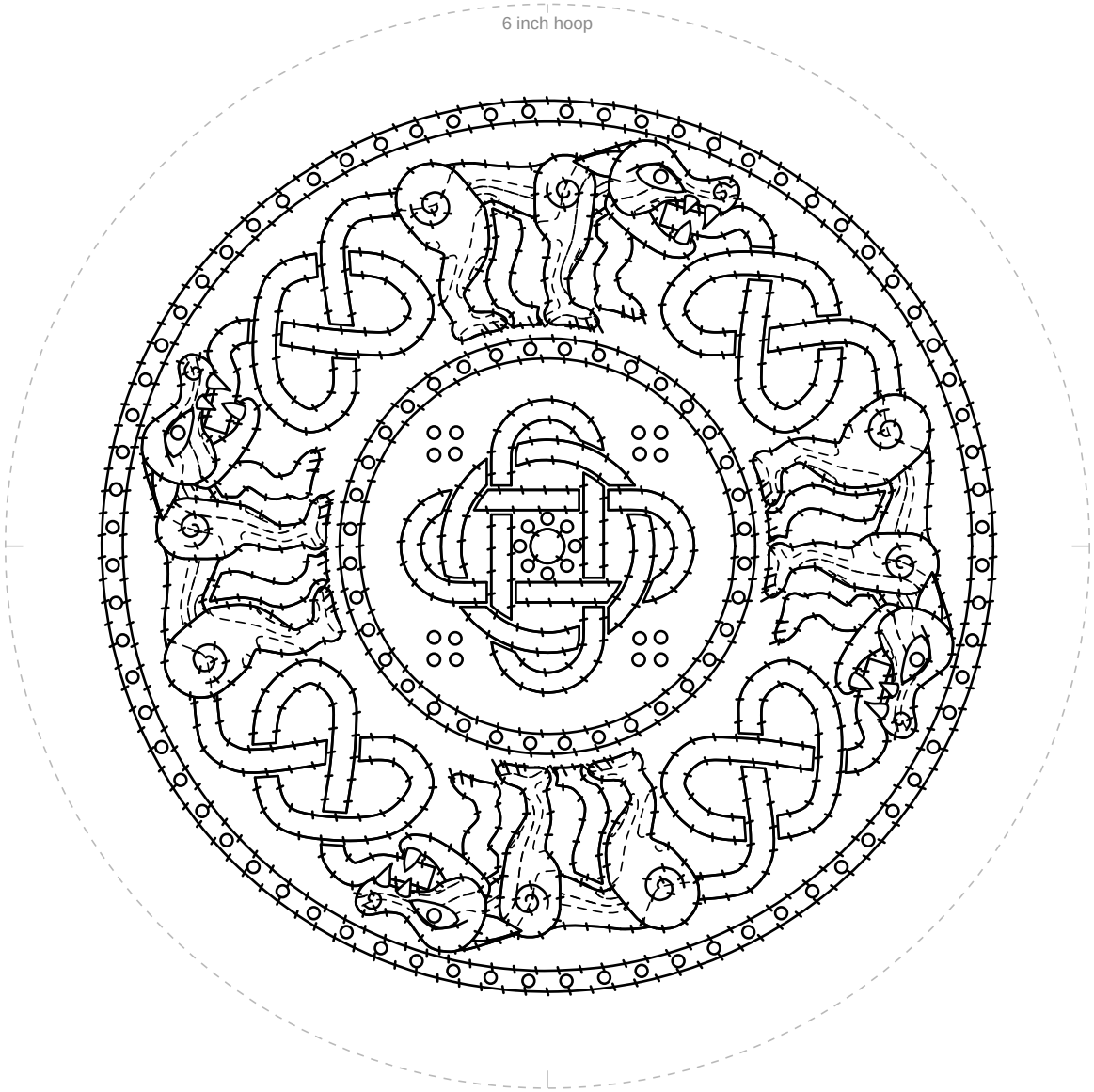

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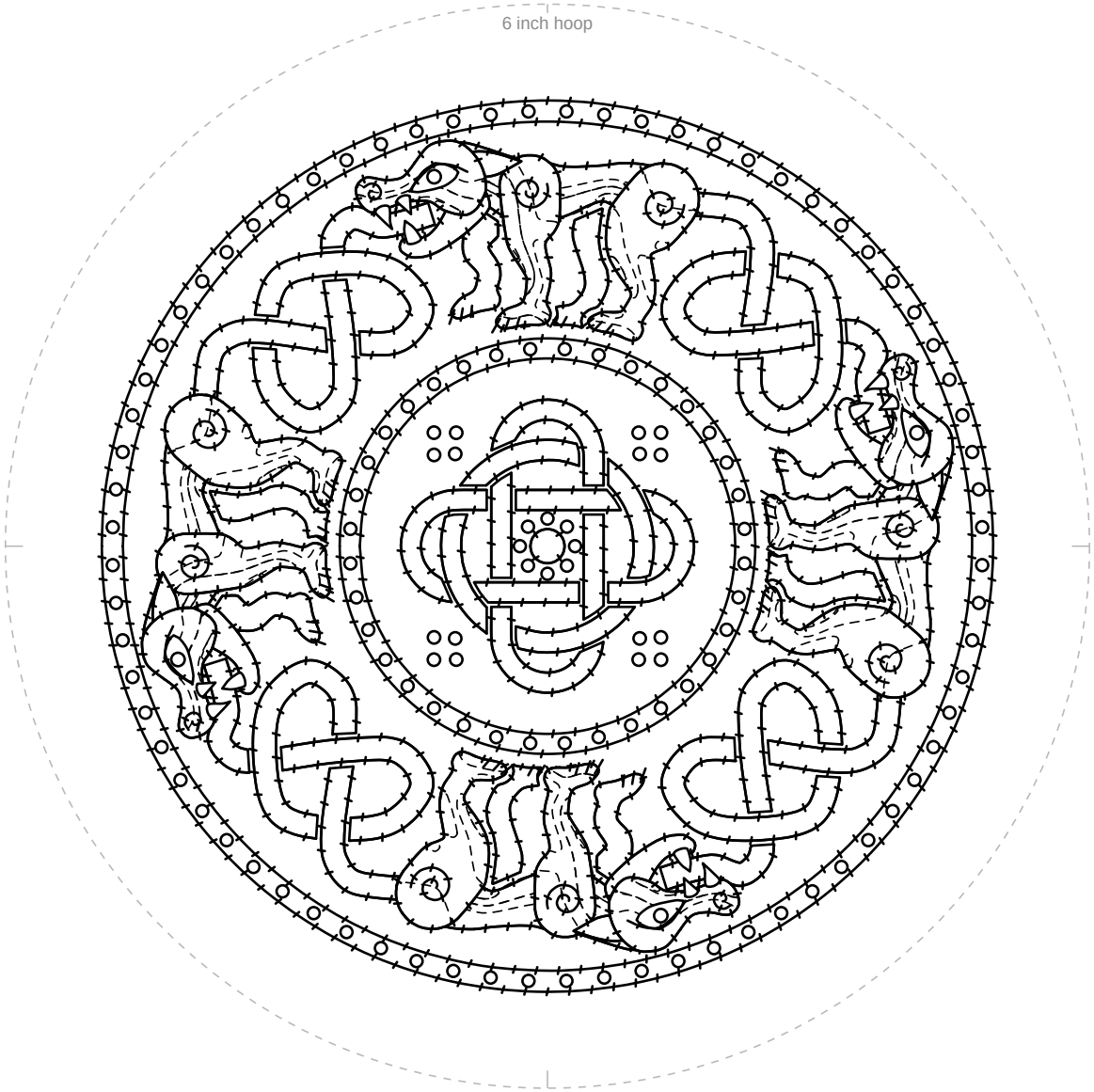
Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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