Baby in a manger candy cane ornament

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.4 × 4.6 in (11.2 × 11.7 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Stem stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Hanging loop, candy canes, manger boards, blanket, hair, shirt, clasp, bow
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Candy canes, straw, hay, shirt, face, hair, cheeks, hand, star, clasp, bow, lamb legs, lamb faces
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Straw, hay, face, manger boards, blanket, fleece
- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Halo, nose, hand, hanging thread, small stars, lamb features
- **Split stitch**, 1 strand
  Face, hand, clasp, lamb legs, lamb faces
- **Back stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Manger boards, blanket hem, closed eyes, brows, mouth, lamb features
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  Nails, fleece, lamb features

Floss

- **DMC 3820 Dark Straw**
  Clasp (middle), hanging loop and hanging thread
- **DMC 3865 Winter White**
  Candy canes (light), shirt (lighter), fleece (lightest), blanket hem
- **DMC 321 Red** Candy canes (middle)
- **DMC 815 Medium Garnet** Candy canes (dark), mouth
- **DMC 676 Light Old Gold** Straw (darker), hay (middle)
- **DMC 3822 Light Straw**
  Straw and star (lighter), hay and clasp (light), small stars and halo
- **DMC 3828 Hazelnut Brown**
  Hay and clasp (dark), star (darker)
- **DMC 3064 Desert Sand** Face (light), hand (lighter)
- **DMC 3772 Very Dark Desert Sand**
  Face (dark), hand (darker), nose
- **DMC 407 Dark Desert Sand** Face (middle)
- **DMC 801 Dark Coffee Brown**
  Manger boards (dark), lamb faces and lamb legs (darker), nails
- **DMC 434 Light Brown**
  Manger boards (middle), fleece (darkest)
- **DMC 436 Tan** Manger boards (light), fleece (dark)
- **DMC 502 Blue Green** Blanket (dark)
- **DMC 501 Dark Blue Green**
  Blanket (darkest), bow (darker)
- **DMC 503 Medium Blue Green**
  Blanket (light), bow (lighter)
- **DMC 504 Very Light Blue Green** Blanket (lightest)
- **DMC 3371 Black Brown**
  Hair, lamb features, closed eyes and brows
- **DMC 3712 Medium Salmon** Cheeks
- **DMC 3753 Ultra Very Light Antique Blue**
  Fleece (light), shirt (darker)
- **DMC 842 Very Light Beige Brown**
  Lamb faces and lamb legs (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.

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6 inch hoop

Print at 100% (actual size). Do not scale or fit to page. Check the square below with a ruler before you trace.



1 in
25.4 mm

Check square: 1 inch (25.4 mm) on each side.
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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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