# Balloon letters, letter A

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 3 × 4 in (7.6 × 10.2 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 915 Dark Plum**
  Foil (darkest), string and tie
- **DMC 3821 Straw**
  Seam (light), tied neck (lighter)
- **DMC 783 Medium Topaz**
  Seam (middle), tied neck (darker)
- **DMC 780 Ultra Very Dark Topaz**
  Seam (dark), folds
- **DMC 3806 Light Cyclamen Pink**
  Foil (middle light)
- **DMC 600 Very Dark Cranberry**
  Foil (dark)
- **DMC 3805 Cyclamen Pink**
  Foil (middle dark)
- **DMC 603 Cranberry**
  Foil (light)
- **DMC 605 Very Light Cranberry**
  Foil (lightest)
- **DMC 3865 Winter White**
  Lights

## Stitches

- **Stem stitch**, 3 strands
  String
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Tied neck, tie, seam, lights
- **Straight stitch**, 1 strand
  Folds
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Foil



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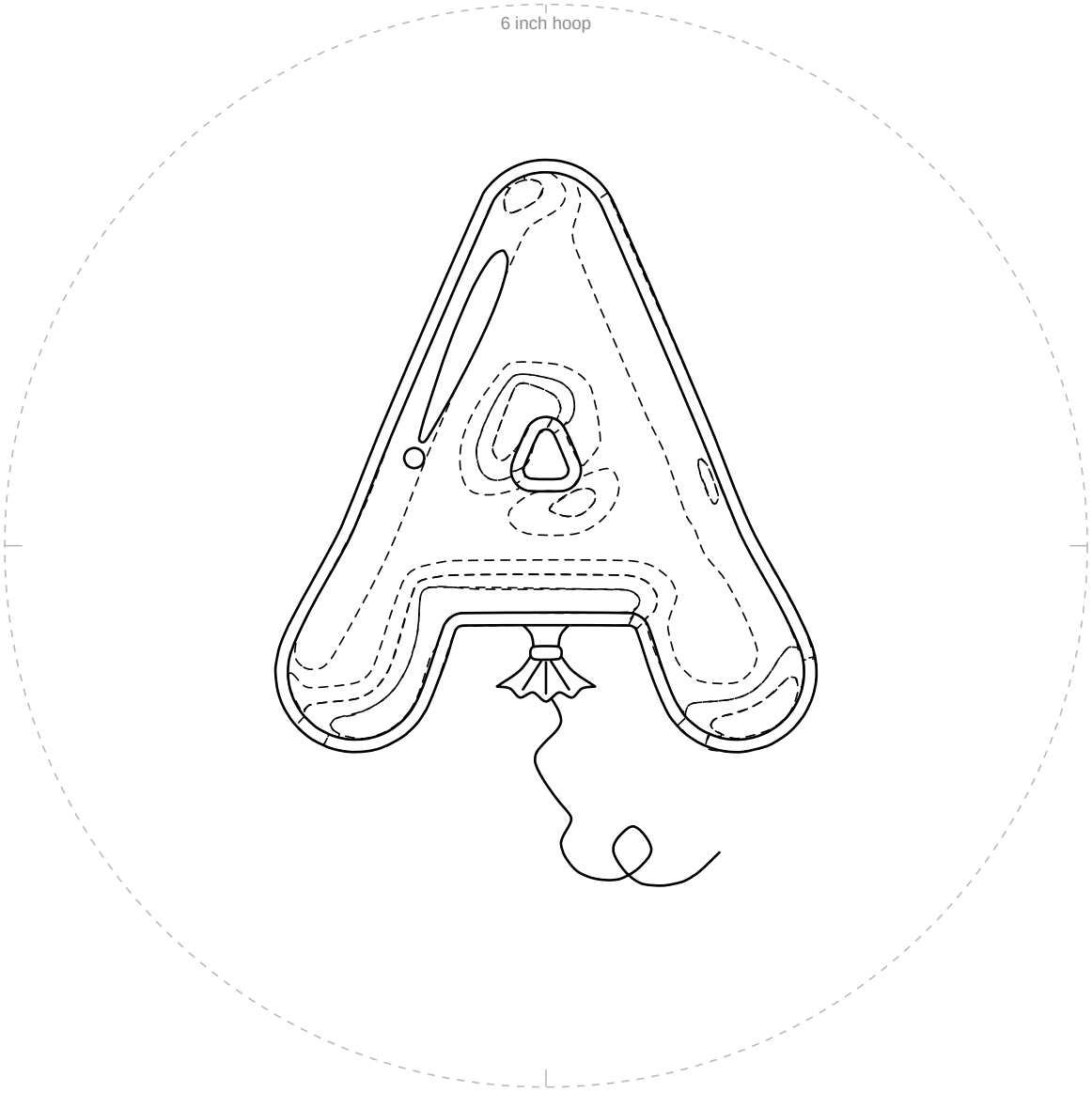
**6 inch hoop**

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

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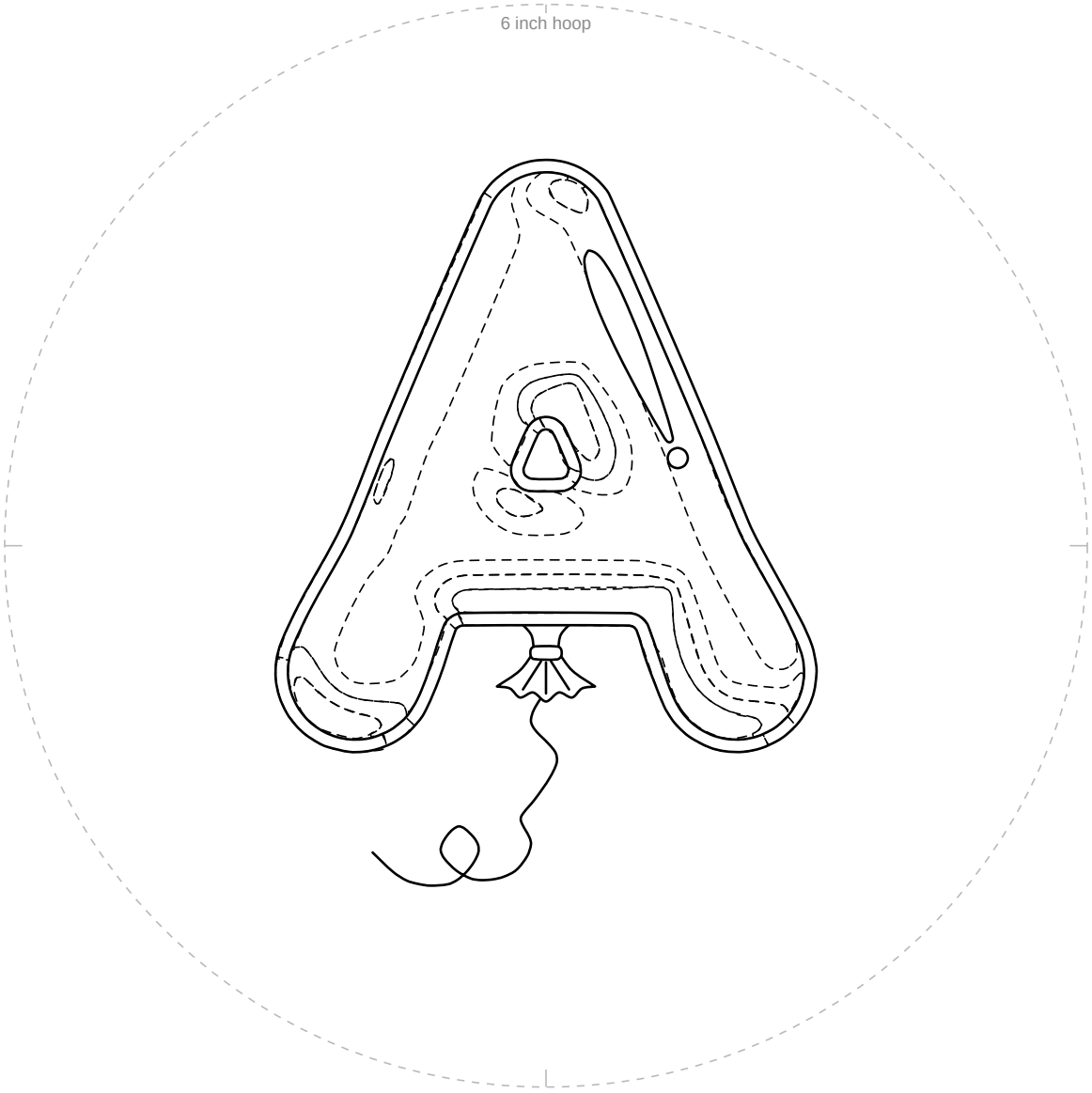
Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.

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