Bath then bed, tub in slippers

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 3.7 × 4.5 in (9.4 × 11.4 cm).



Which color goes where: by number on page 2.

Stitch in this order

Filled parts from the back of the picture forward, then lines and knots.

1. **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
   Tub feet, slipper soles, slipper cuffs, slipper pompoms, rim, inside of the tub, duck bill, cheek, nightcap, cap band, cap pompom, and 3 more
2. **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
   Slippers, foam, duck, duck wing, tub
3. **Stem stitch**, strands by part on page 2
   Tub feet edge, slipper edge, rim edge, foam edge, duck outline, bill line, closed eye, cap edge, tub edge, moon edge, bubbles
4. **Straight stitch**, strands by part on page 2
   Closed eye, bubble lights
5. **Chain stitch**, 3 strands
   Chain band
6. **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
   Slipper cuffs, slipper pompoms, cap band, cap pompom

Floss

- **1 DMC 3809 Very Dark Turquoise**
  Rim and tub feet (middle)
- **2 DMC 3808 Ultra Very Dark Turquoise**
  Rim edge, letters, tub edge, tub feet edge and closed eye, tub feet and rim (dark)
- **3 DMC 597 Turquoise**
  Inside of the tub, foam edge and bubbles, tub (dark), tub feet and rim (light)
- **4 DMC 350 Medium Coral**
  Slippers (middle), nightcap (darker), letter stars
- **5 DMC 347 Very Dark Salmon**
  Slippers (dark), slipper soles, slipper edge, cap edge and bill line
- **6 DMC 352 Light Coral** Slippers (light), cheek
- **7 DMC 712 Cream**
  Slipper cuffs, cap band and cap pompom, nightcap (lighter)
- **8 DMC 726 Light Topaz**
  Duck and duck wing (light), moon and stars and slipper pompoms
- **9 DMC BLANC White**
  Foam (lighter), chain band and bubble lights
- **10 DMC 3811 Very Light Turquoise**
  Tub (light), foam (darker)
- **11 DMC 782 Dark Topaz**
  Duck outline and moon edge, duck (darkest), duck wing (dark)
- **12 DMC 783 Medium Topaz**
  Duck (dark), duck wing (middle)
- **13 DMC 727 Very Light Topaz** Duck (lightest)
- **14 DMC 970 Light Pumpkin** Duck bill (darker)
- **15 DMC 741 Medium Tangerine** Duck bill (lighter)
- **16 DMC 598 Light Turquoise** Tub (middle)

Three ways to transfer the pattern

1. **Fabric you can see through**
   Tape page 3 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 3 on top, tape the layers and trace the lines firmly with a ballpoint pen.
3. **Iron-on: the lines stay**
   Go over the lines of page 4, the mirrored page, with an iron-on transfer pen, lay it ink side down on the fabric and press with a dry iron, as the pen's packet says.

Pages 3 and 4 are the pattern at actual size. Print them at 100% with scaling turned off. Then put the fabric in the hoop: inner ring under, drawing up, tight as a drum.

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6 inch hoop

How to read it

Floss is six strands. Cut 18 inches (45 cm), pull out the number given one at a time, and lay them together.

Begin with no knot on the back where it is seen and washed, as on a towel, a napkin or clothes; for a piece in a hoop a small knot is fine. End each thread by whipping it around the backs of four or five stitches, with one small hitch.

Each small ring is one French knot. A fine broken line inside a shape is where two shades meet: trace it, do not stitch it.

A number on the picture is a color of the list of floss on page 1. The fine lines on the colors show which way the stitches lie.

Every stitch in pictures: flossfield.com/embroidery/stitches. The first time: flossfield.com/embroidery/guides/how-to-start.



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How many strands

Stem stitch. 3 strands: closed eye, tub edge, bubbles; 2 strands: tub feet edge, slipper edge, rim edge, foam edge, duck outline, bill line, cap edge; 1 strand: moon edge.
Straight stitch. 3 strands: bubble lights; 2 strands: closed eye.

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Print at 100% and check the square below with a ruler. Fold the fabric in four: the folds meet the four ticks of the ring.



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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