Beach bath robe monogram frame

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.6 × 4.8 in (11.7 × 12.2 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Kelp blades, kelp floats, rope, shell ears, scallop, shell hinge, crab legs, crab arms, eye stalks, crab eyes
- **Stem stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Kelp veins, kelp stems, shell ribs, shell edge
- **Split stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Rope twists, starfish edge, shell edge, crab legs edge, crab edge, smile
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Starfish, crab claws, crab shell
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  Starfish knots, crab spots, eye lights, pearls

In a 6 inch hoop the French knots are drawn smaller than about 2 mm (a little over 1/16 in). Use one strand of floss for them there, or choose a larger hoop.

Floss

- **DMC 598 Light Turquoise** Kelp blades (light), kelp floats
- **DMC 3809 Very Dark Turquoise** Kelp blades (darkest)
- **DMC 3808 Ultra Very Dark Turquoise**
  Kelp veins and kelp stems
- **DMC 3811 Very Light Turquoise** Kelp blades (lightest)
- **DMC 597 Turquoise** Kelp blades (dark)
- **DMC 739 Ultra Very Light Tan**
  Rope (light), starfish knots and pearls
- **DMC 437 Light Tan** Rope (dark)
- **DMC 738 Very Light Tan** Rope (middle)
- **DMC 336 Navy Blue** Rope twists
- **DMC 3821 Straw** Starfish (light)
- **DMC 780 Ultra Very Dark Topaz**
  Starfish edge, starfish (dark)
- **DMC 783 Medium Topaz** Starfish (middle)
- **DMC 353 Peach** Scallop (lightest), shell ears (lighter)
- **DMC 352 Light Coral**
  Scallop (light), crab claws and crab shell (lightest), shell ears (darker), crab spots
- **DMC 347 Very Dark Salmon**
  Shell edge and shell ribs, scallop (darkest), shell hinge (darker)
- **DMC 351 Coral**
  Crab shell and crab claws (light), crab arms and shell hinge (lighter), scallop (dark)
- **DMC 349 Dark Coral**
  Crab legs and eye stalks, crab shell and crab claws (dark), crab arms (darker)
- **DMC 498 Dark Red** Crab legs edge, crab edge and smile
- **DMC 817 Very Dark Coral Red**
  Crab shell and crab claws (darkest)
- **DMC 823 Dark Navy Blue** Crab eyes
- **DMC BLANC White** Eye lights

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.

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6 inch hoop

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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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