Birthday princess, crown and peonies

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.7 × 4.9 in (11.9 × 12.4 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Ribbon, buds, sepals, peony petals, far points, stones, peony throats, turned rims, words
- **Split stitch**, 1 strand
  Ribbon edges, petal edges, crown edge, words
- **Stem stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Stems, filler stems, crown edge
- **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Leaves
- **Straight stitch**, 1 strand
  Filler stems, stone lights
- **French knot**, 1 to 3 strands, two wraps
  Filler flowers, peony hearts, pearls
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Crown
- **Padded satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Crown band, stones

Floss

- **DMC 932 Light Antique Blue** Ribbon (lighter)
- **DMC 930 Dark Antique Blue**
  Ribbon edges, stones (middle)
- **DMC 931 Medium Antique Blue** Ribbon (darker)
- **DMC 520 Dark Fern Green**
  Leaves (darkest), stems, sepals (darker)
- **DMC 522 Fern Green** Leaves (dark), filler stems
- **DMC 524 Very Light Fern Green**
  Leaves (lightest)
- **DMC 523 Light Fern Green**
  Leaves (light), sepals (lighter)
- **DMC 3865 Winter White**
  Peony petals (shade 7 of 7), filler flowers, pearls and stone lights
- **DMC 3731 Very Dark Dusty Rose**
  Peony petals (shade 3 of 7), petal edges and buds (light)
- **DMC 3350 Ultra Dark Dusty Rose**
  Peony petals (shade 2 of 7), petal edges and buds (dark), stones (light)
- **DMC 3733 Dusty Rose**
  Peony petals (shade 4 of 7), petal edges and buds (lightest), turned rims (darker)
- **DMC 814 Dark Garnet**
  Words, peony petals (shade 1 of 7), petal edges (darkest) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 151 Very Light Dusty Rose**
  Peony petals (shade 5 of 7), turned rims (lighter)
- **DMC 818 Baby Pink** Peony petals (shade 6 of 7)
- **DMC 782 Dark Topaz**
  Crown, crown band and peony hearts (dark)
- **DMC 3820 Dark Straw**
  Crown (light), crown band and peony hearts (middle)
- **DMC 3822 Light Straw**
  Crown band and peony hearts (light), crown (lightest)
- **DMC 780 Ultra Very Dark Topaz**
  Crown edge (lighter), far points, crown (darkest)

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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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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