Blackwork sailing ship on the waves

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.7 × 4.6 in (11.9 × 11.7 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Wave hollow, masts, bowsprit, stern, gun ports, rails, stern windows, yards, pennants, wave ribbons, bow wave, foam claws, foam crest, and 2 more
- **Back stitch**, 1 strand
  Shrouds, port frames
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Hull, mizzen sail, main topsail, mainsail, fore topsail, foresail, spritsail
- **Stem stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
  Wales, stern edge, stem post, sail edges, gulls, lantern
- **Holbein stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Hull diaper, sail fillings
- **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
  Spray

Floss

- **DMC 3810 Dark Turquoise**
  Wave ribbons (dark), wave hollow (middle)
- **DMC 3851 Light Bright Green**
  Wave ribbons and wave hollow (light)
- **DMC 3809 Very Dark Turquoise**
  Wave ribbons (darkest), wave hollow (dark)
- **DMC 435 Very Light Brown**
  Hull (light), shrouds and stem post
- **DMC 3031 Very Dark Mocha Brown**
  Hull (dark), yards, masts, stern and bowsprit, wales (darker)
- **DMC 433 Medium Brown** Hull (middle)
- **DMC 738 Very Light Tan**
  Mainsail, foresail, mizzen sail and main topsail (dark) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 739 Ultra Very Light Tan**
  Mainsail, foresail, mizzen sail and fore topsail (middle) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3799 Very Dark Pewter Gray**
  Sail fillings, sail edges and gun ports
- **DMC 783 Medium Topaz**
  Rails, port frames and stern edge, lantern light and lantern (darker)
- **DMC 742 Light Tangerine**
  Lantern light and lantern (lighter), stern windows
- **DMC 712 Cream**
  Main topsail, mainsail, foresail, fore topsail, spritsail and mizzen sail (light)
- **DMC 349 Dark Coral** Pennants
- **DMC 959 Medium Seagreen**
  Wave ribbons (lightest)
- **DMC 747 Very Light Sky Blue**
  Foam crest and bow wave (lighter), gulls
- **DMC 3865 Winter White**
  Foam crest and bow wave (darker), foam claws and spray

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

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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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