# Blessed Mother Mary in profile

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.4 × 5 in (11.2 × 12.7 cm).



Which color goes where.

## Stitches

- **Whipped back stitch**, 4 strands
  Halo
- **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
  Halo knots, stamens
- **Stem stitch**, 2 to 4 strands
  Hair, neckline, tunic, tunic folds, sleeve, veil edge, mantle, mantle folds, flower stems, stalks
- **Split stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Face, lips, lowered lid, brow, neck, hands, fingers, bell outlines, leaf veins
- **Straight stitch**, 1 strand
  Lashes
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Cuff, veil edge, bells, leaves, tie

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 783 Medium Topaz**
  Halo, halo knots, cuff, tie and stamens
- **DMC 801 Dark Coffee Brown**
  Hair (darker)
- **DMC 434 Light Brown**
  Hair (lighter)
- **DMC 632 Ultra Very Dark Desert Sand**
  Hands, face, fingers, neck, brow, lowered lid and lashes
- **DMC 3722 Medium Shell Pink**
  Sleeve, tunic, neckline and lips
- **DMC 223 Light Shell Pink**
  Tunic folds
- **DMC 3325 Light Baby Blue**
  Veil edge (lighter)
- **DMC 312 Very Dark Baby Blue**
  Veil edge (darker), mantle
- **DMC 334 Medium Baby Blue**
  Mantle folds
- **DMC 3362 Dark Pine Green**
  Leaves (darkest), leaf veins, flower stems and stalks
- **DMC BLANC White**
  Bells
- **DMC 931 Medium Antique Blue**
  Bell outlines
- **DMC 3363 Medium Pine Green**
  Leaves (dark)
- **DMC 3364 Pine Green**
  Leaves (light)
- **DMC 3348 Light Yellow Green**
  Leaves (lightest)

## 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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**6 inch hoop**

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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