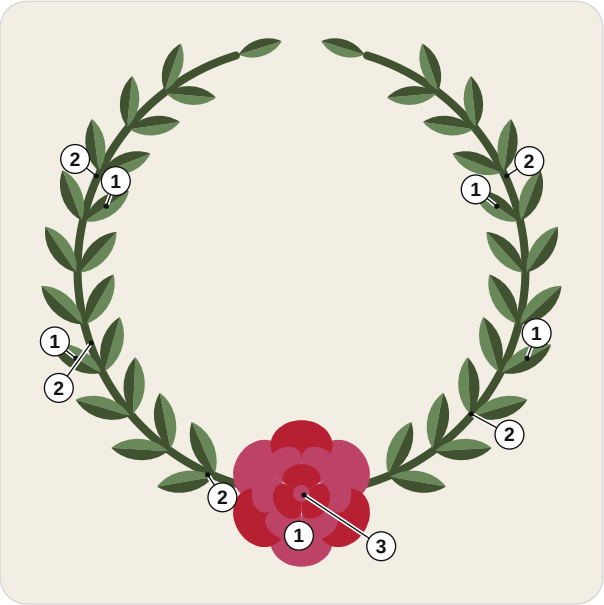
Camellia laurel wreath

6 inch (15 cm) hoop, 4.1 × 4.2 in (10.4 × 10.7 cm)



A number is a row of the list.

Floss

- **DMC 986 Very Dark Forest Green**
  Branches and darker half of each leaf
- **DMC 320 Medium Pistachio Green**
  Lighter half of each leaf
- **DMC 3350 Ultra Dark Dusty Rose**
  Camellia back petals, camellia middle petals and camellia bud
- **DMC 304 Medium Red**
  Camellia outer petals and camellia inner petals

What you need

A 6 inch (15 cm) hoop.

A 9 inch (23 cm) square of white or light cotton or linen.

An embroidery needle, size 7.

One skein of each color (an estimate from the drawing's lines and shapes).

A water-soluble pen, and small scissors.

Onto the fabric

Fabric you can see through: page 2 taped to a sunny window, the fabric over it; trace.

Other fabric: dressmaker's carbon paper, colored side down, page 2 on top; trace with a ballpoint.

Iron-on pen: go over page 3, the mirrored page, and press it ink side down as the pen's packet says. The lines stay.

Then hoop it, inner ring under, tight as a drum.

How to read it

Floss has six strands: cut 18 inches (45 cm), pull out the number named one at a time, and lay them together.

Start a filling with tiny stitches, a line with a small knot; end under stitches on the back.

Every stitch in pictures: flossfield.com/embroidery/stitches.

New to this: flossfield.com/embroidery/guides/how-to-start.

Stitch in this order

Where a stitch page says otherwise, follow this list.

1. **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
   Leaves (each half slanted to the center vein, in its own color), camellia back petals, camellia outer petals, camellia middle petals, camellia inner petals



Stitch in this order, continued

2. **Stem stitch**, 2 or 3 strands
   Branches

3. **French knot**
   2 strands, two wraps
   Camellia bud



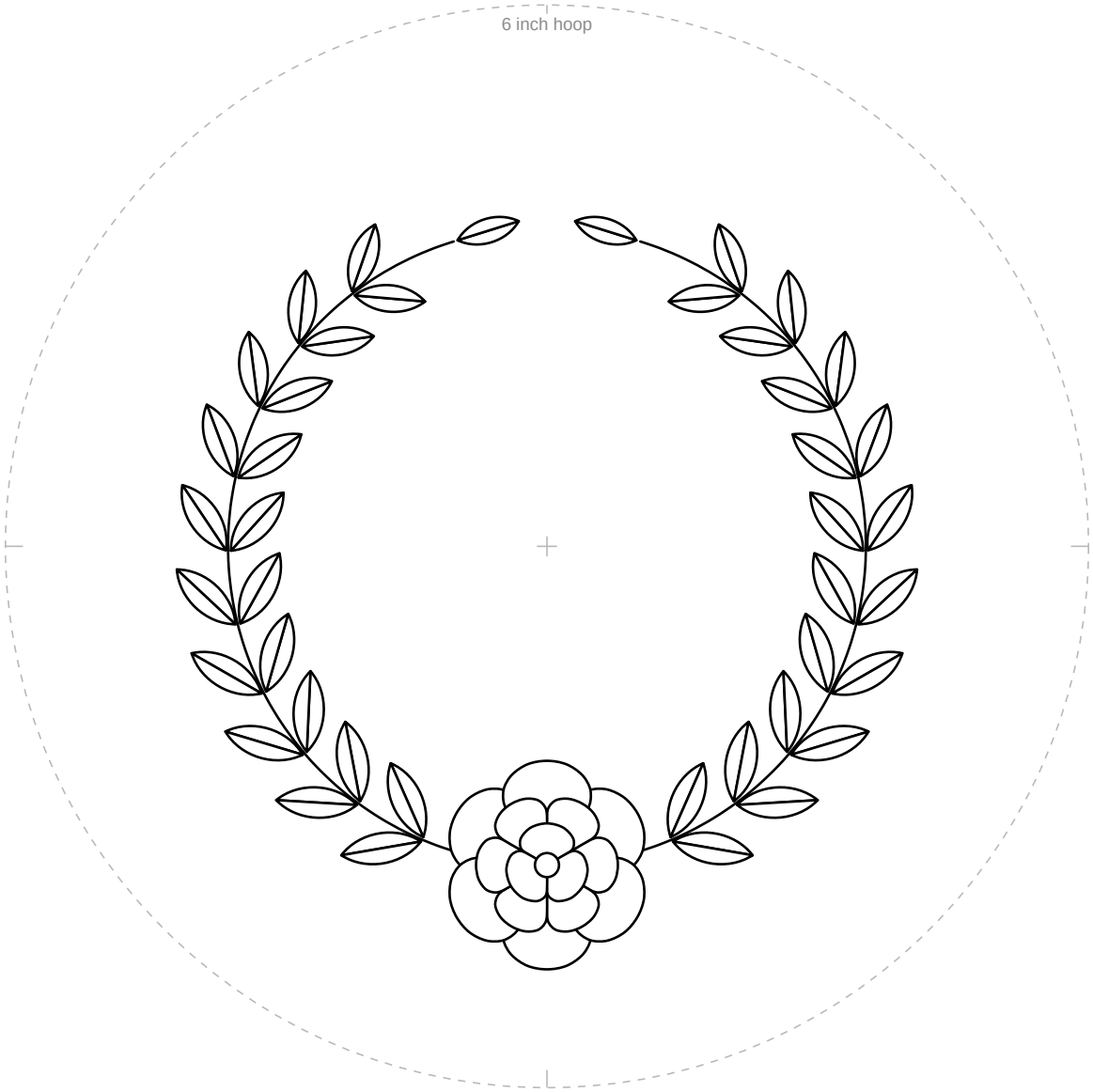
Take out lines that still show, press face down, finish the hoop or sew a pillow.

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6 inch hoop

Print at 100% and measure the square. Trace the black lines only. The gray ring is the hoop: fold the fabric in four and lay the folds on its ticks.
On the drawing a ring is one French knot: mark a dot.



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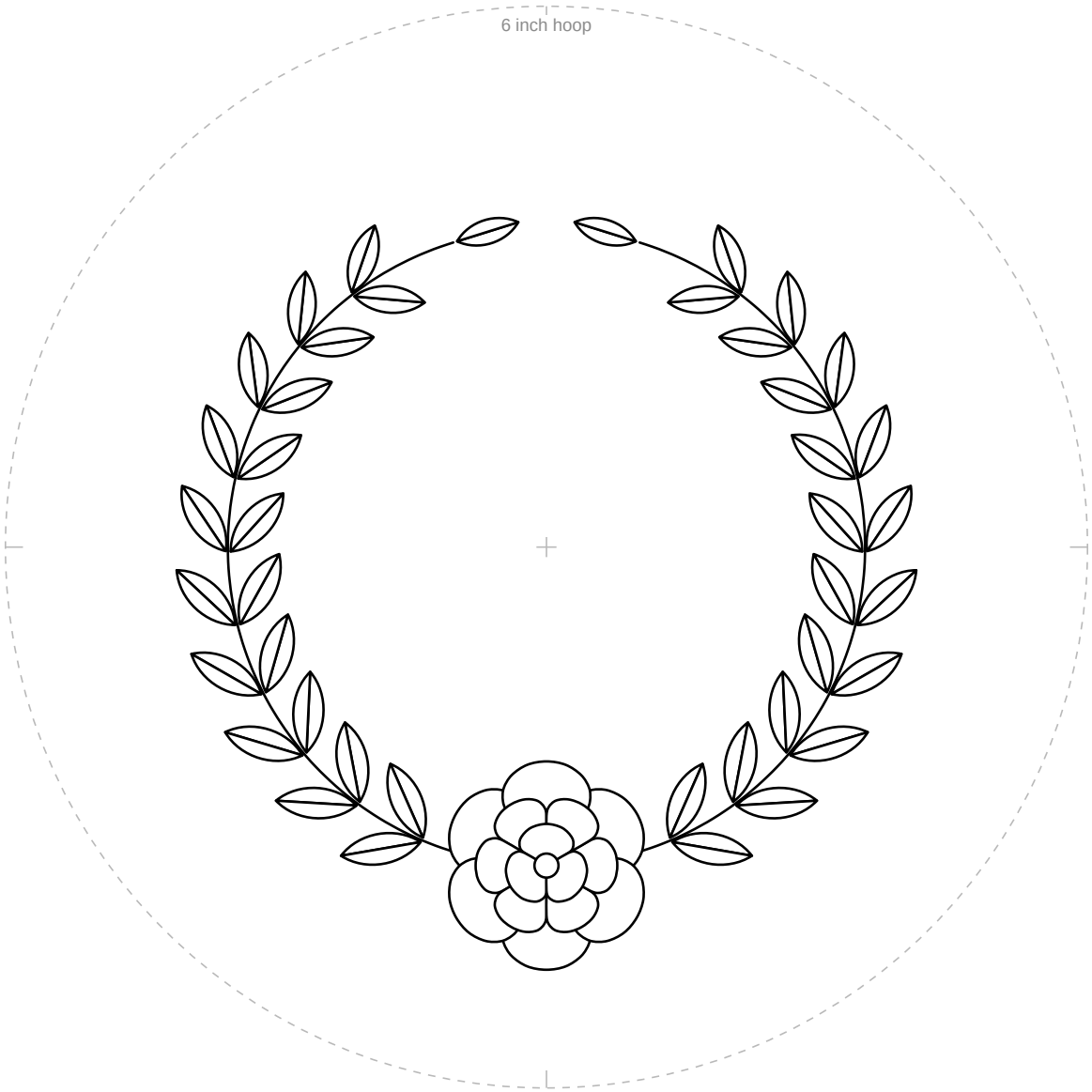
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For an iron-on pen only. Go over the lines, press ink side down.



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