Cardinal lace border for a dresser scarf

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.3 × 2.8 in (10.9 × 7.1 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Net, bars, berry lights, eye light, feet
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Scalloped edge, rings, end cords, heading cord, holly leaves, bill, eye
- **Stem stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
  Edge cords, twigs
- **Padded satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Scallop leaves, berries
- **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
  Bar picots, flower heart
- **Buttonhole stitch**, 3 strands
  Heading
- **Lazy daisy stitch**, 2 strands
  Picots
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Bough, tail, body, head, wing feathers, wing coverts, shoulder, mask, poinsettia
- **Split stitch**, 1 strand
  Feather edges, crest feathers, bract edges

Floss

- **DMC 3865 Winter White**
  Scalloped edge, rings, heading, net, edge cords and scallop leaves and 6 more parts
- **DMC 739 Ultra Very Light Tan**
  Poinsettia (light), bar picots
- **DMC 321 Red**
  Body and head (dark), shoulder (middle), berries, tail (lighter)
- **DMC 350 Medium Coral**
  Head (light), feather edges (lighter), body (lightest), bill (darker), berry lights
- **DMC 435 Very Light Brown**
  Bough (middle), twigs
- **DMC 433 Medium Brown** Feet, bough (dark)
- **DMC 437 Light Tan**
  Bract edges (darker), poinsettia (darkest), bough (light)
- **DMC 320 Medium Pistachio Green**
  Holly leaves (darker)
- **DMC 368 Light Pistachio Green**
  Holly leaves (lighter)
- **DMC 815 Medium Garnet**
  Wing feathers, tail, feather edges and wing coverts (darker) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 666 Bright Red**
  Body and shoulder (light), head (middle)
- **DMC 498 Dark Red**
  Wing coverts and wing feathers (lighter)
- **DMC 310 Black** Mask and eye
- **DMC 352 Light Coral** Bill (lighter)
- **DMC 738 Very Light Tan**
  Poinsettia (dark), bract edges (lighter), bract veins
- **DMC 3820 Dark Straw** Flower heart

Stitches, continued

- **Back stitch**, 1 strand
  Bract veins

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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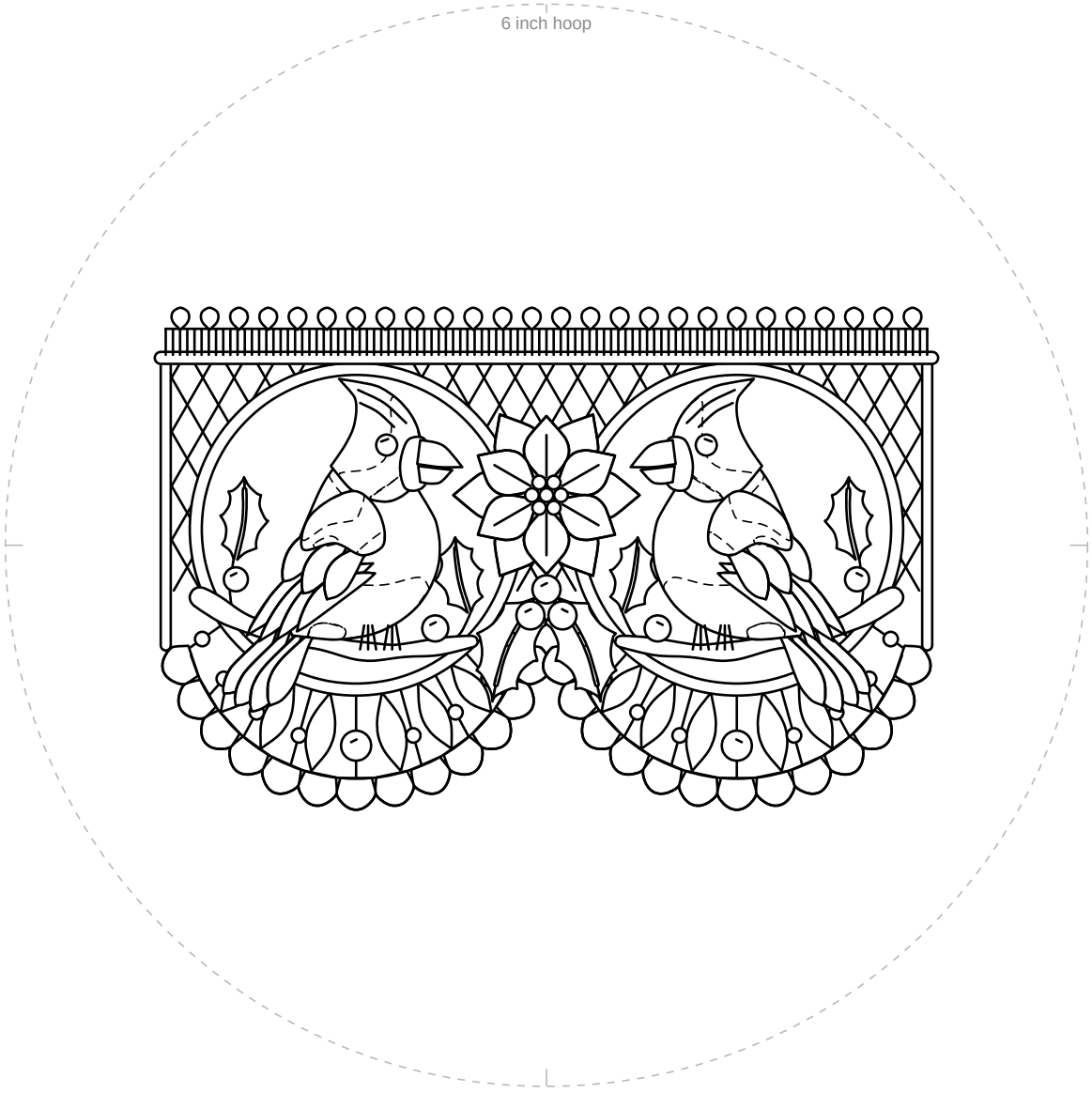

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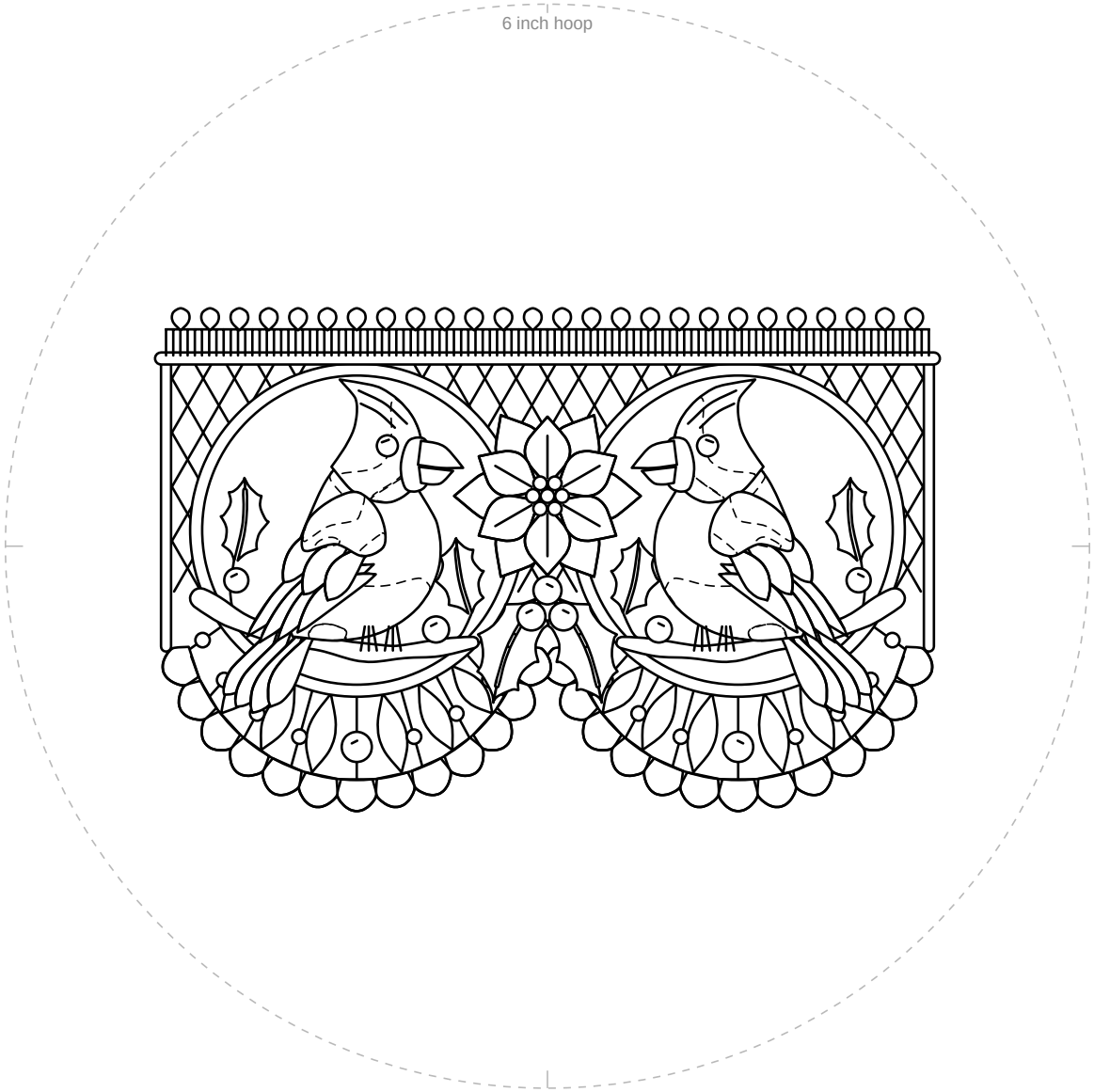
Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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