Cat asleep under an autumn tree

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



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Lazy daisy stitch**, 3 strands
  Leaf fringe, daisy rows
- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Leaf fringe, daisy rows, grass, paw, whiskers
- **Chain stitch**, 3 strands
  Chain rows, ground
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Satin rows, ground, stripes, paw, ear linings, muzzle, nose
- **Herringbone stitch**, 3 strands
  Herringbone rows
- **Fly stitch**, 3 strands
  Fly rows
- **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
  Knot rows, ground
- **Stem stitch**, 2 to 4 strands
  Twigs, leaf stalks, face
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Trunk and roots, back, haunch, tail, tail tip, ears, head
- **Split stitch**, 2 strands
  Bark outline, cat outline
- **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Falling leaves, red leaf

Floss

- **DMC 3852 Very Dark Straw**
  Leaf fringe, daisy rows and satin rows (lightest), ground (lighter) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 721 Medium Orange Spice**
  Leaf fringe, daisy rows, chain rows and herringbone rows (light) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 919 Red Copper**
  Satin rows, chain rows and leaf fringe (middle dark) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 730 Very Dark Olive Green**
  Ground (darker), daisy rows (dark), leaf fringe (middle light) and 6 more parts
- **DMC 817 Very Dark Coral Red**
  Leaf fringe, satin rows and chain rows (dark), fly rows (lighter) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 3834 Dark Grape**
  Leaf fringe, satin rows and chain rows (darkest), fly rows (darker) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 433 Medium Brown**
  Trunk and roots (middle), twigs
- **DMC 898 Very Dark Coffee Brown**
  Bark outline, trunk and roots (dark)
- **DMC 435 Very Light Brown** Trunk and roots (light)
- **DMC 3799 Very Dark Pewter Gray**
  Back and haunch (darkest), cat outline, stripes and face, tail tip and paw (darker)
- **DMC 414 Dark Steel Gray**
  Back and haunch (dark), ears, tail tip (lighter), head (darkest)
- **DMC 318 Light Steel Gray**
  Haunch and back (middle), head and tail (dark)
- **DMC 415 Pearl Gray**
  Head, back and haunch (light), tail (middle)
- **DMC 3865 Winter White**
  Tail (light), back, haunch and head (lightest), paw (lighter), muzzle and whiskers
- **DMC 3773 Medium Desert Sand** Ear linings and nose
- **DMC 815 Medium Garnet**
  Red leaf (darker), leaf stalks (darkest)

Stitches, continued

- **Back stitch**, 2 strands
  Face

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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