Chikankari style stitch sampler

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.

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.

Floss

- **DMC BLANC White**
  Stem stitch leaf and running stitch leaf, flower petals and stalks (lightest)
- **DMC 712 Cream**
  Herringbone leaf and chain stitch leaf, fishbone leaf (lighter) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 3770 Very Light Tawny**
  Padded satin leaf, fishbone leaf (darker), flower petals (middle) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 948 Very Light Peach**
  Trellis leaf, flower petals and stalks (dark)
- **DMC 967 Very Light Apricot**
  Knot leaf, flower petals and stalks (darkest)
- **DMC 3341 Apricot**
  Tie and flower heart

Stitches

- **Stem stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
  Stalks, flower stalk, stem stitch leaf, herringbone leaf, trellis leaf, flower petals
- **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Stalk leaves, fishbone leaf, flower petals
- **Padded satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Tie, padded satin leaf, flower petals, flower heart
- **Running stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
  Running stitch leaf, flower petals
- **Herringbone stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Herringbone leaf, flower petals
- **Chain stitch**, 2 strands
  Chain stitch leaf, flower petals
- **Trellis stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Trellis leaf, flower petals
- **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
  Knot leaf, flower petals

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6 inch hoop

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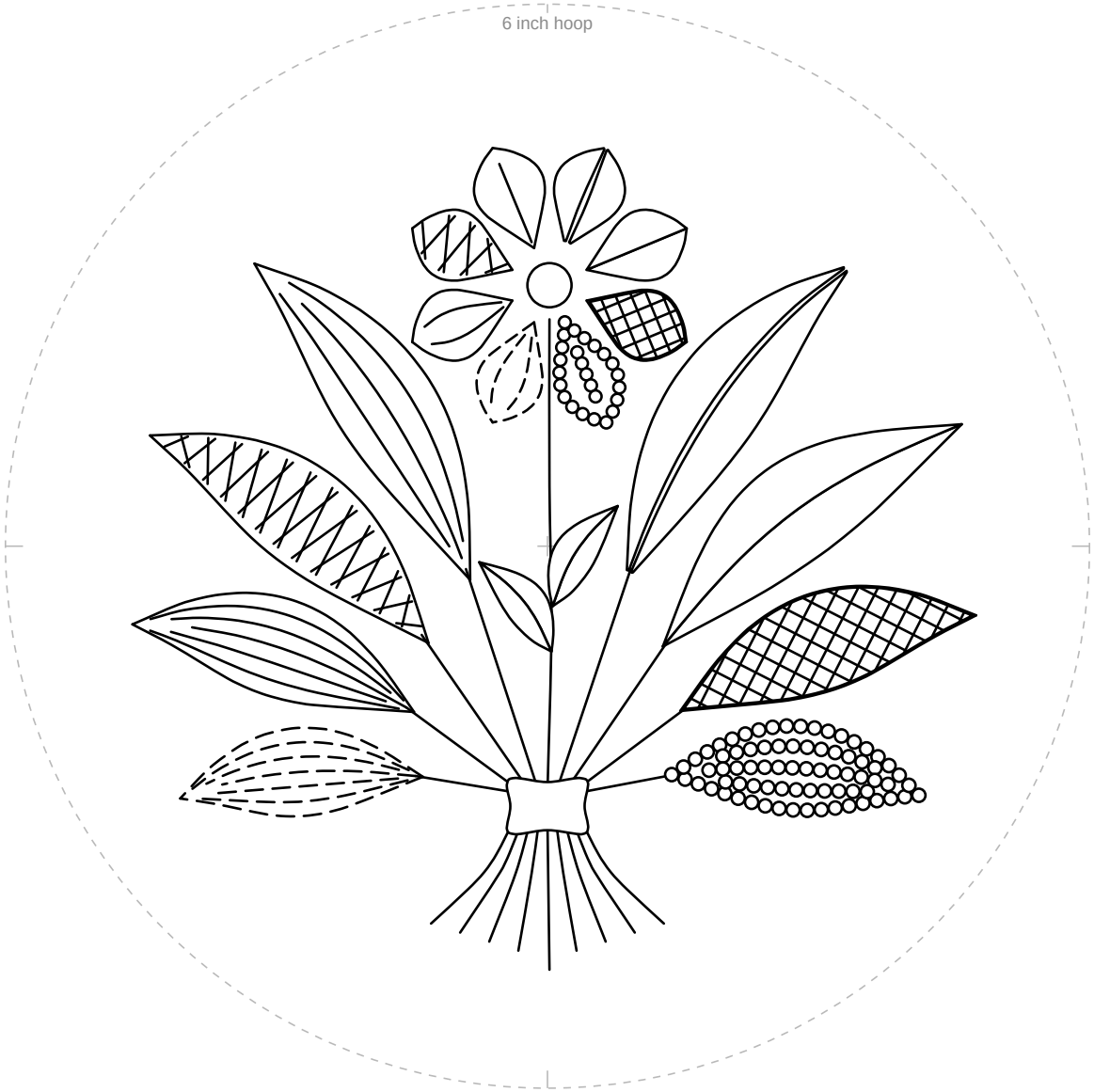

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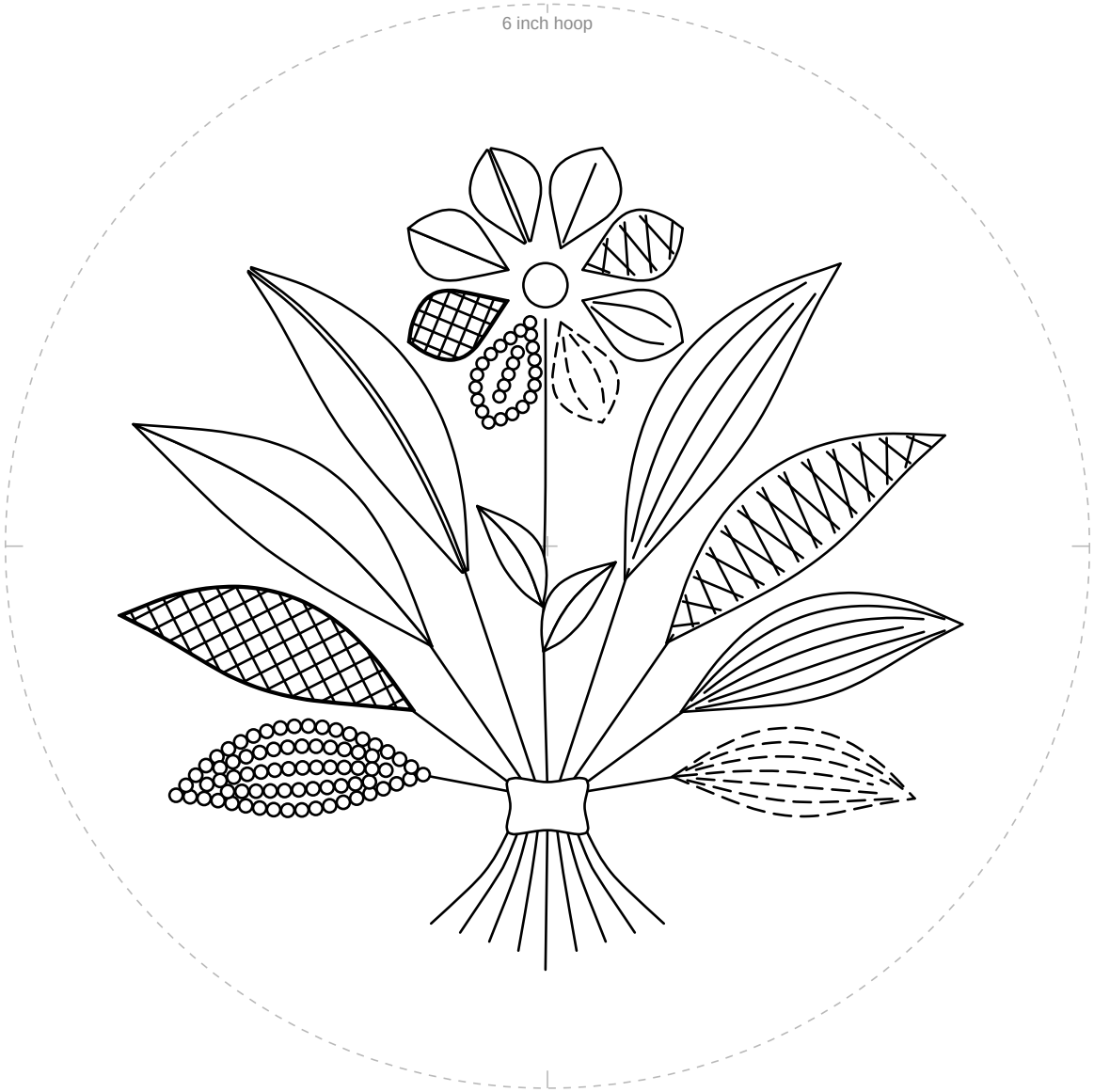
Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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