Christmas tree sketch with gifts

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 3.8 × 4.8 in (9.7 × 12.2 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Fir needles, bauble caps, bauble light, floor shadow
- **Stem stitch**, 2 strands
  Boughs, bauble shade, gift stripes
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Baubles, star, gift paper, ribbon, gift lid, bow tails, bow loops, bow insides, bow knot
- **Back stitch**, 1 strand
  Star edge
- **Split stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Gift outlines, bow edges

Floss

- **DMC 500 Very Dark Blue Green**
  Fir needles (darkest)
- **DMC 501 Dark Blue Green**
  Fir needles and gift paper (dark), gift lid (shade 2 of 8)
- **DMC 3799 Very Dark Pewter Gray**
  Boughs, gift outlines and floor shadow
- **DMC 3364 Pine Green**
  Fir needles (lightest), gift lid (shade 6 of 8)
- **DMC 3363 Medium Pine Green**
  Fir needles (light), gift paper (middle light), gift lid (shade 4 of 8)
- **DMC 782 Dark Topaz**
  Bow edges and bauble shade (lighter), ribbon (middle dark), star edge and 3 more parts
- **DMC 321 Red**
  Baubles (darker), gift paper (middle dark), gift stripes (lighter) and 5 more parts
- **DMC 815 Medium Garnet**
  Gift paper (darkest), bow edges and gift stripes (darker) and 4 more parts
- **DMC BLANC White**
  Gift paper (lightest), gift lid (shade 8 of 8), bauble light
- **DMC 3820 Dark Straw**
  Baubles, bow tails and bow knot (lighter), ribbon and bow loops (light), star (middle)
- **DMC 3822 Light Straw**
  Bow loops and ribbon (lightest), star (light)
- **DMC 3801 Very Dark Melon**
  Bow loops (dark), ribbon (middle light), gift lid (shade 5 of 8)
- **DMC 762 Very Light Pearl Gray**
  Gift paper (light), gift lid (shade 7 of 8)

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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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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