Coffee cup sleeve with leaves and beans

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.6 × 2.1 in (11.7 × 5.3 cm).



Which color goes where: by number on page 2.

Stitch in this order

Filled parts from the back of the picture forward, then lines and knots.

1. **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
   Beans, leaves
2. **Padded satin stitch**, 2 strands
   Ripening cherries, cherries
3. **Stem stitch**, strands by part on page 2
   Strip line, leaf veins, branch
4. **Chain stitch**, 5 strands
   Rim
5. **Split stitch**, 2 strands
   Bean creases
6. **Straight stitch**, 1 strand
   Leaf veins

Floss

- **1 DMC 898 Very Dark Coffee Brown**
  Rim, strip line and cherry eyes
- **2 DMC 801 Dark Coffee Brown**
  Beans (darker), branch
- **3 DMC 433 Medium Brown** Beans (lighter)
- **4 DMC 739 Ultra Very Light Tan** Bean creases
- **5 DMC 3346 Hunter Green** Leaves (middle)
- **6 DMC 3347 Medium Yellow Green** Leaves (light)
- **7 DMC 3345 Dark Hunter Green** Leaves (dark)
- **8 DMC 3348 Light Yellow Green** Leaf veins
- **9 DMC 727 Very Light Topaz**
  Ripening cherries (light)
- **10 DMC 783 Medium Topaz** Ripening cherries (dark)
- **11 DMC 3820 Dark Straw** Ripening cherries (middle)
- **12 DMC 722 Light Orange Spice**
  Cherries (shade 8 of 8)
- **13 DMC 920 Medium Copper**
  Cherries (shade 4 of 8)
- **14 DMC 720 Dark Orange Spice**
  Cherries (shade 6 of 8)
- **15 DMC 721 Medium Orange Spice**
  Cherries (shade 7 of 8)
- **16 DMC 666 Bright Red** Cherries (shade 5 of 8)
- **17 DMC 498 Dark Red** Cherries (shade 2 of 8)
- **18 DMC 321 Red** Cherries (shade 3 of 8)
- **19 DMC 815 Medium Garnet** Cherries (shade 1 of 8)

Stitches, continued

7. **French knot**, 1 strand, two wraps
   Cherry eyes

Three ways to transfer the pattern

1. **Fabric you can see through**
   Tape page 3 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 3 on top, tape the layers and trace the lines firmly with a ballpoint pen.
3. **Iron-on: the lines stay**
   Go over the lines of page 4, the mirrored page, with an iron-on transfer pen, lay it ink side down on the fabric and press with a dry iron, as the pen's packet says.

Pages 3 and 4 are the pattern at actual size. Print them at 100% with scaling turned off. Then put the fabric in the hoop: inner ring under, drawing up, tight as a drum.

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6 inch hoop

How to read it

Floss is six strands. Cut 18 inches (45 cm), pull out the number given one at a time, and lay them together.

Begin with no knot on the back where it is seen and washed, as on a towel, a napkin or clothes; for a piece in a hoop a small knot is fine. End each thread by whipping it around the backs of four or five stitches, with one small hitch.

Each small ring is one French knot. A fine broken line inside a shape is where two shades meet: trace it, do not stitch it.

A number on the picture is a color of the list of floss on page 1. The fine lines on the colors show which way the stitches lie.

Every stitch in pictures: flossfield.com/embroidery/stitches. The first time: flossfield.com/embroidery/guides/how-to-start.



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How many strands

Stem stitch. 5 strands: branch; 3 strands: strip line; 1 strand: leaf veins.

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Print at 100% and check the square below with a ruler. Fold the fabric in four: the folds meet the four ticks of the ring.



1 in
25.4 mm

Check square: 1 inch (25.4 mm) on each side.
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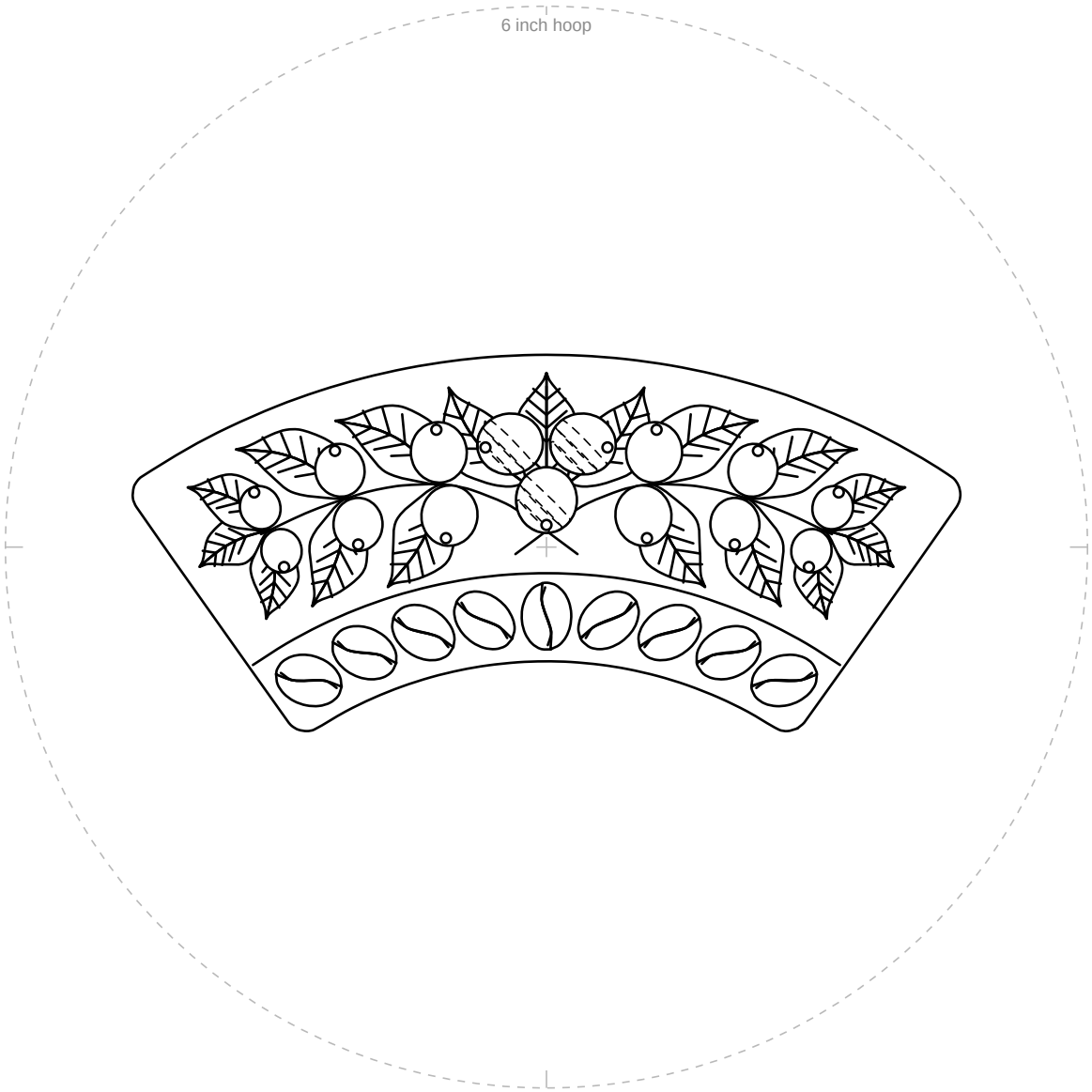
Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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