Dandelion flower, leaf and root

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.6 × 4.9 in (11.7 × 12.4 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Split stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Outlined leaves, leaf veins, root rings, petal stripes
- **Stem stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Midribs, rootlets, leaf veins
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Root, leaves, stems, bud petals, petals
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Bracts, flower cup, bee stripes, bee head, bee wings
- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Heart of the bloom, bee legs, bee eye light, feelers
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  Heart of the bloom, stigmas, gold dust
- **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Young leaves
- **Padded satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Bee abdomen
- **Turkey work**, 1 strand
  Bee fuzz

Floss

- **DMC 937 Medium Avocado Green**
  Leaves (shade 3 of 7), outlined leaves and flower cup, bracts and young leaves (dark)
- **DMC 3052 Medium Green Gray**
  Leaves (shade 4 of 7), leaf veins (darker), bracts (light), midribs (middle)
- **DMC 3726 Dark Antique Mauve**
  Stems (darker), midribs (dark)
- **DMC 840 Medium Beige Brown** Root (light)
- **DMC 3031 Very Dark Mocha Brown**
  Root (darkest), bee abdomen, root rings, bee head, bee legs and feelers
- **DMC 3781 Dark Mocha Brown**
  Root (dark), wing edges and rootlets
- **DMC 842 Very Light Beige Brown**
  Root (lightest), bee wings and bee eye light
- **DMC 935 Dark Avocado Green**
  Leaves (shade 1 of 7), bracts (darkest)
- **DMC 470 Light Avocado Green**
  Leaves (shade 6 of 7), stems (lighter), bracts (lightest), young leaves (middle)
- **DMC 472 Ultra Light Avocado Green**
  Leaves (shade 7 of 7), leaf veins (lighter), midribs and young leaves (light)
- **DMC 3051 Dark Green Gray** Leaves (shade 2 of 7)
- **DMC 3053 Green Gray** Leaves (shade 5 of 7), petal stripes
- **DMC 743 Medium Yellow**
  Petals (middle), bud petals (dark), bee fuzz (lighter), stigmas and 2 more parts
- **DMC 741 Medium Tangerine**
  Petals (dark), heart of the bloom (lighter), bee fuzz (darker), bud petals (darkest)
- **DMC 307 Lemon** Petals and bud petals (light)
- **DMC 445 Light Lemon** Petals and bud petals (lightest)
- **DMC 921 Copper** Petals (darkest), heart of the bloom (darker)

Stitches, continued

- **Back stitch**, 1 strand
  Wing edges

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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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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