Dumpster fire with a raccoon

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

- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Water tank legs, window frames, window sills, fire escape, bricks, and 2 more
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Water tank, water tank roof, lit window, wheels, dumpster ribs, dents, and 7 more
- **Stem stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Roof edges, window frames, fire escape, puddle edge, lid edge, and 15 more
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Rooftops, alley floor, shadows, puddle, fire in the puddle, dumpster lid, and 13 more
- **Split stitch**, 1 strand
  Flame edges
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  Embers, stars
- **Chain stitch**, 2 strands
  Border

Floss

- **DMC 3740 Dark Antique Violet**
  Alley floor (lightest), rooftops (light) and 9 more parts
- **DMC 791 Very Dark Cornflower Blue**
  Alley floor (dark), rooftops (middle), water tank (darker)
- **DMC 939 Very Dark Navy Blue**
  Rooftops (dark), shadows and 5 more parts
- **DMC 743 Medium Yellow** Flames (shade 7 of 9) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 970 Light Pumpkin**
  Flames (shade 5 of 9), inside (lightest) and 10 more parts
- **DMC 3750 Very Dark Antique Blue** Alley floor (light) and 10 more parts
- **DMC 745 Light Pale Yellow** Flames (shade 8 of 9) and 5 more parts
- **DMC 900 Dark Burnt Orange** Flames (shade 3 of 9) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 498 Dark Red**
  Flames (shade 2 of 9), flame edges (dark) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 814 Dark Garnet** Flame edges (darkest) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3808 Ultra Very Dark Turquoise**
  Dumpster front (middle) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3810 Dark Turquoise**
  Dumpster front and dumpster lid (light) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 598 Light Turquoise**
  Dumpster lid (lightest), dumpster rim (lighter), dent edges
- **DMC 946 Medium Burnt Orange**
  Flames (shade 4 of 9), embers (darkest)
- **DMC 741 Medium Tangerine** Flames (shade 6 of 9) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3823 Ultra Pale Yellow**
  Flames (shade 9 of 9), marshmallow (light) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 3371 Black Brown**
  Crate (dark), raccoon tail (darkest) and 9 more parts
- **DMC 646 Dark Beaver Gray**
  Raccoon body and raccoon tail (light) and 5 more parts
- **DMC 801 Dark Coffee Brown**
  Crate (middle), crate posts (darker), twig and rust
- **DMC 434 Light Brown**
  Crate (light), crate posts (lighter), marshmallow edge
- **DMC 844 Ultra Dark Beaver Gray**
  Raccoon tail and raccoon head (dark) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 648 Light Beaver Gray**
  Raccoon tail and raccoon body (lightest) and 2 more parts

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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1 in
25.4 mm

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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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