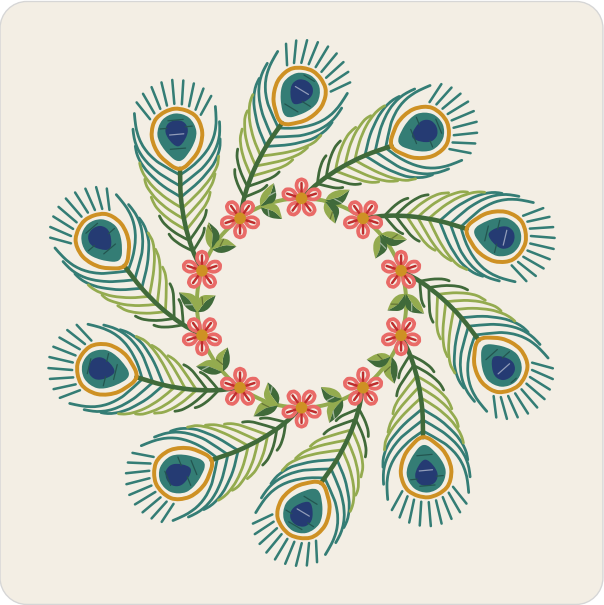
Easy peacock feather wreath

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.6 × 4.8 in (11.7 × 12.2 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 3847 Dark Teal Green**
  Barbs (middle), eyes and crown barbs
- **DMC 470 Light Avocado Green**
  Barbs (light), ring, leaves (lighter)
- **DMC 3346 Hunter Green**
  Barbs (dark), shafts, leaves (darker)
- **DMC 783 Medium Topaz**
  Eye rings and flower hearts
- **DMC 336 Navy Blue**
  Eye hearts
- **DMC 351 Coral**
  Flowers (lighter)
- **DMC 347 Very Dark Salmon**
  Flowers (darker)

Stitches

- **Back stitch**, 3 strands
  Barbs
- **Straight stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
  Crown barbs, flowers
- **Stem stitch**, 3 to 4 strands
  Shafts, eye rings, ring
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Eyes, eye hearts
- **Split stitch**, 1 strand
  Eyes, eye hearts
- **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Leaves
- **Lazy daisy stitch**, 3 strands
  Flowers
- **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
  Flower hearts

Work it in this order

1. Stitch the filled parts first, what lies behind before what lies in front of it.
2. Then stitch the lines: stems, veins and outlines over the edges of the filled parts.
3. Keep the knots for the end, so that the hoop and your hand do not flatten them.

The thread
Inside a filled shape start with two or three tiny stitches, which the filling covers: a knot shows as a bump. A line may start with a small knot on the back or one of the knotless starts. End each thread by running the needle under the backs of a few stitches.

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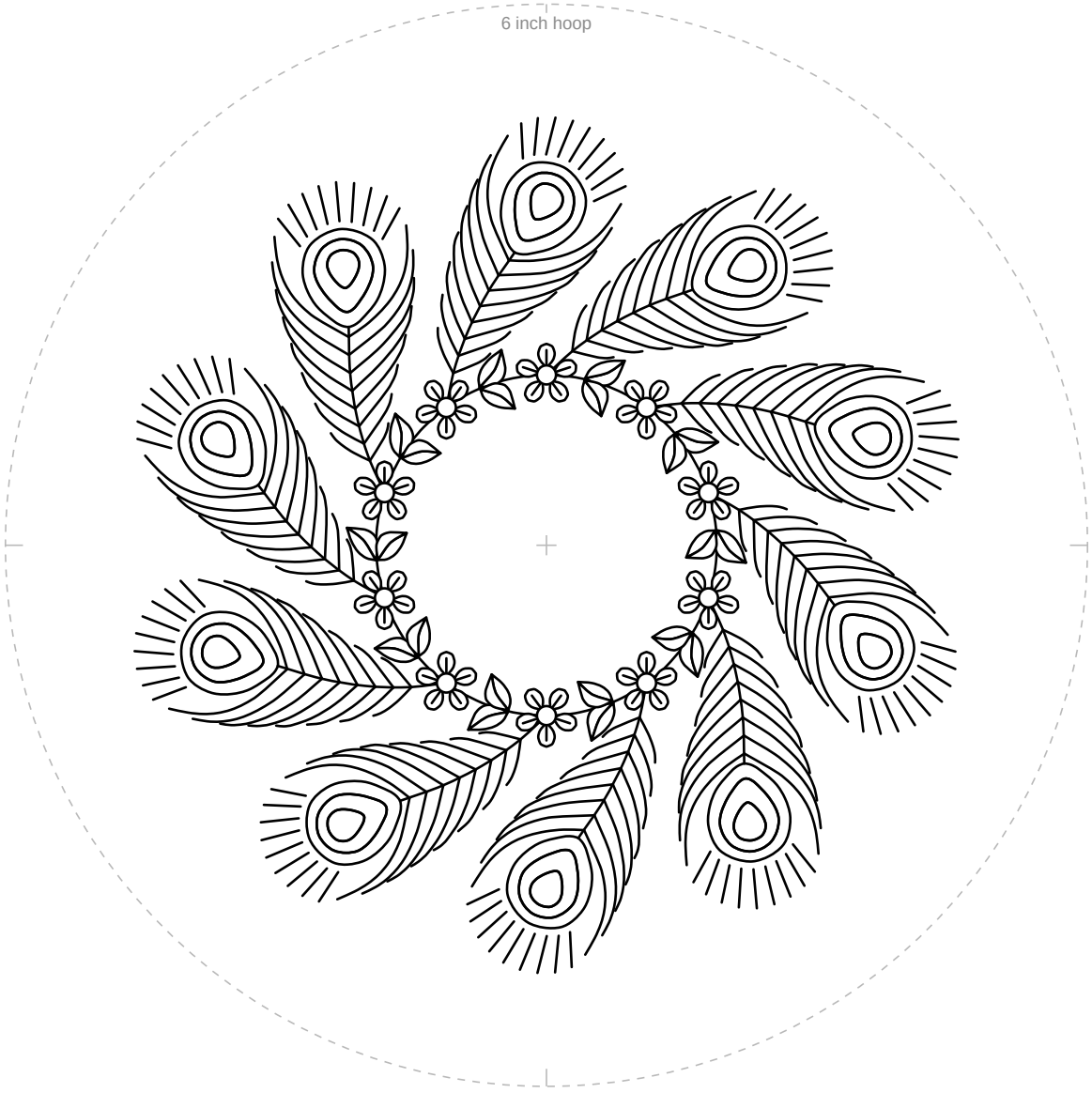

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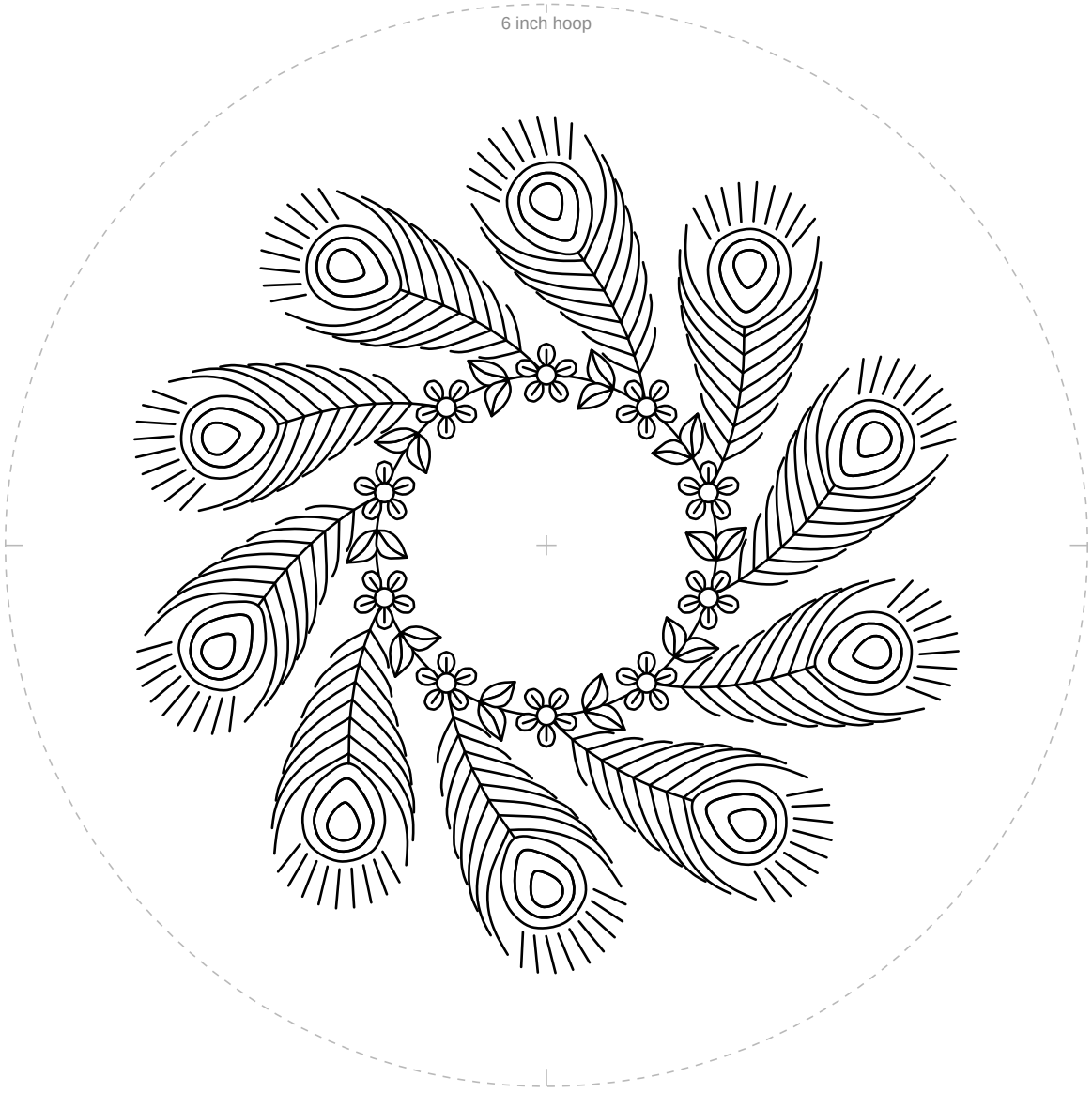
Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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