Easy schnauzer for a felt ornament

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



Which color goes where: by number on page 2.
Fabric: dark green cotton or linen.

Three ways onto dark fabric

1. **Light shines through it**
   Lay page 3 on a bright light box, tape the fabric over it and trace the lines with a white marking pencil or pen.
2. **No light shines through**
   Print page 3 on a sticky wash-away sheet, smooth it onto fabric that can be washed, stitch through both and rinse it away.
3. **White or yellow carbon paper**
   Lay it colored side down on the fabric with page 3 on top, tape the layers and trace firmly with a ballpoint pen. Go over a faint line with a white pencil.

Page 3 is the pattern at actual size (page 4 is its mirror, for an iron-on pen on a light fabric). Print it at 100% with scaling turned off. Then put the fabric in the hoop: inner ring under, drawing up, tight as a drum.

Floss

- **1 DMC 3347 Medium Yellow Green**
  Laurel leaves and laurel stems
- **2 DMC 321 Red**
  Bow tie, inner ring, bow tie knot and berries
- **3 DMC 318 Light Steel Gray**
  Face and nose light
- **4 DMC 317 Pewter Gray**
  Ears
- **5 DMC 415 Pearl Gray**
  Beard
- **6 DMC 3865 Winter White**
  Mustache, edge, brows, bow dots and eye lights
- **7 DMC 310 Black**
  Nose, eyes and mouth

Stitch in this order

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

1. **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
   Laurel leaves
2. **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
   Eyes, nose, mouth
3. **Blanket stitch**, 4 strands
   Edge
4. **Stem stitch**, 3 strands
   Laurel stems
5. **Back stitch**, 5 strands
   Bow tie, bow tie knot, face, ears, beard, mustache, brows
6. **Chain stitch**, strands by part on page 2
   Bow tie, bow tie knot, face, ears, beard, mustache, brows, inner ring
7. **French knot**, strands by part on page 2, two wraps
   Eye lights, nose light, berries, bow dots

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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.

Inside a filled shape start with two or three tiny stitches, which the filling covers. Start a line with a small knot on the back. End each thread by running the needle under the backs of a few stitches.

Each small ring is one French knot.

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

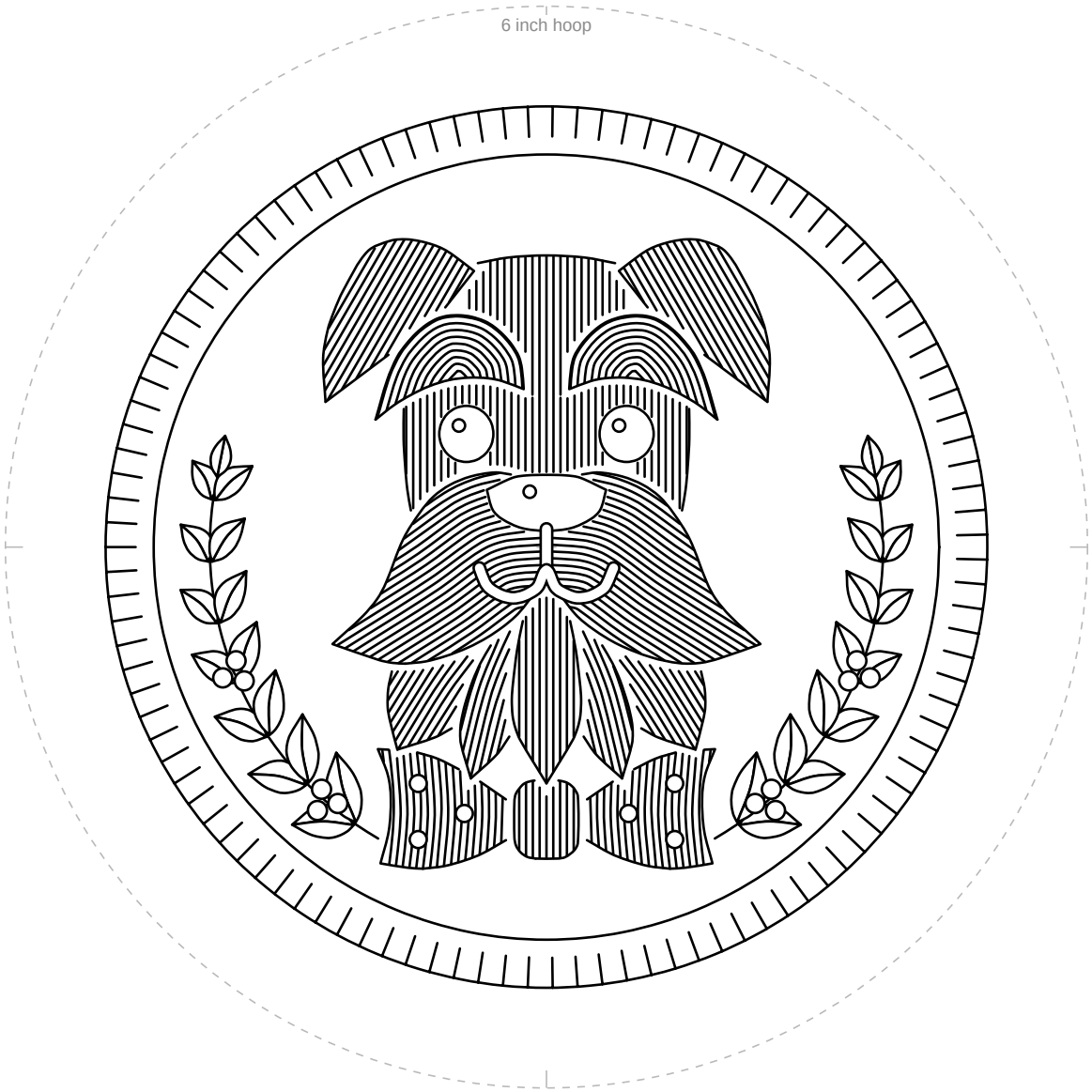
Chain stitch. 4 strands: inner ring; 3 strands: bow tie, bow tie knot, face, ears, beard, mustache, brows.
French knot. 4 strands: berries; 3 strands: bow dots; 2 strands: eye lights, nose light.

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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

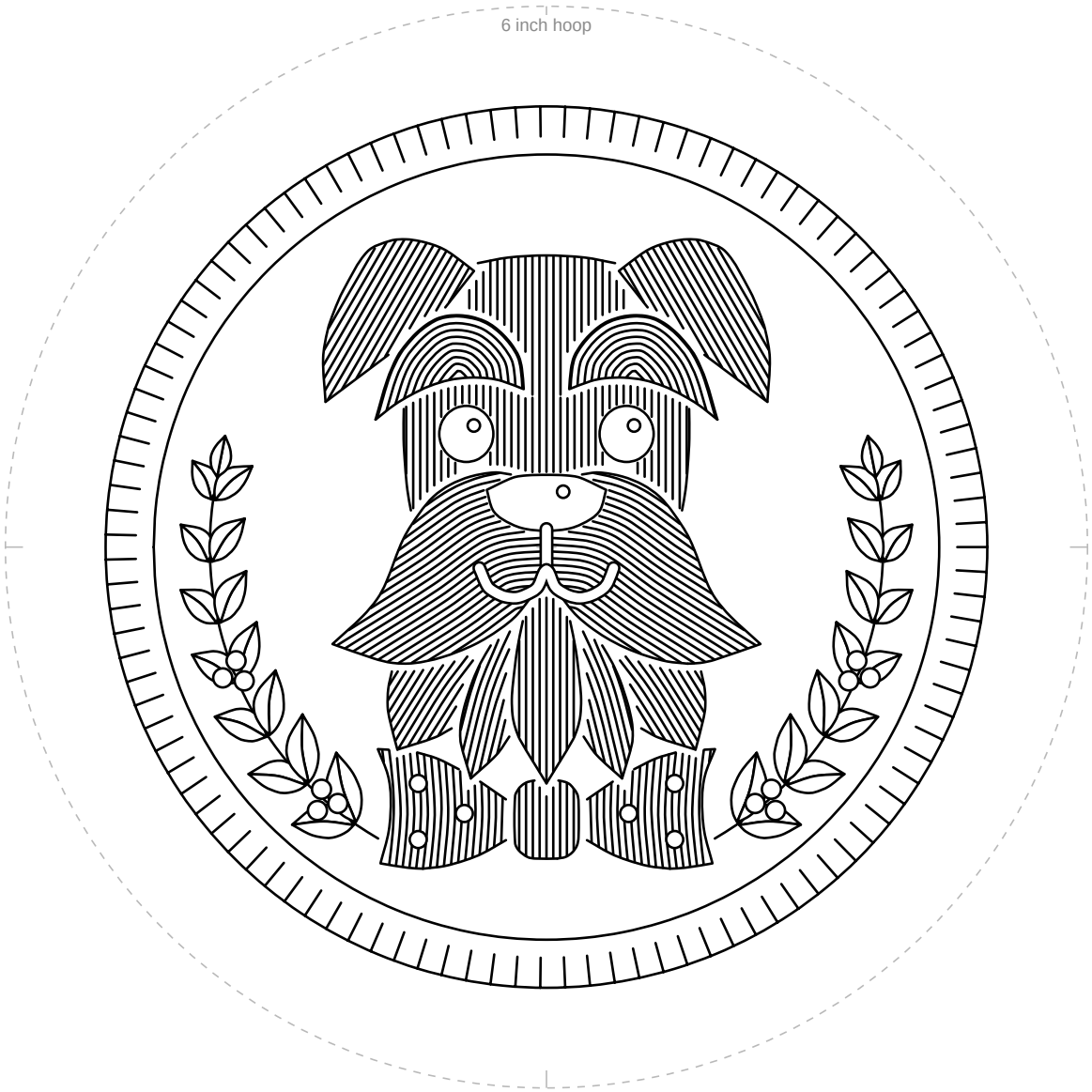
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Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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