Fairy ring with dancing fairies

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.7 × 4.5 in (11.9 × 11.4 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Fly stitch**, 2 strands
  Ferns
- **Stem stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Ferns, lilac stalks, lilac cap edges, cream cap edges, shell spiral, snail edge
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Lilac caps, stalks, russet caps, cream caps, turf, snail, snail shell, wings, skirts, hair
- **Split stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Stalk edges, russet cap edges, cream cap edges, snail edge, wing veins, wing edges, skirt hems, hair lights
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Gills, stalk collars, legs, slippers, arms, necks, bodices, sashes, faces, hair, backs
- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Gill lines, grass, eyes
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  Cap spots, moss ring, snail horns, violets, hair flowers
- **Back stitch**, 2 strands
  Snail horns
- **Lazy daisy stitch**, 2 strands
  Violets

In a 6 inch hoop the French knots and the shortest lazy daisy loops are drawn smaller than about 2 mm (a little over 1/16 in). Use one strand of floss for them there, or choose a larger hoop.

Floss

- **DMC 3346 Hunter Green**
  Turf (lighter), ferns (darker), moss ring (middle), grass
- **DMC 470 Light Avocado Green** Moss ring (light), ferns (lighter)
- **DMC 3862 Dark Mocha Beige**
  Stalk edges, cream cap edges and gill lines and 5 more parts
- **DMC 738 Very Light Tan**
  Gills, stalks (middle), snail (lighter) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 3836 Light Grape** Lilac caps (middle), skirts (shade 7 of 9)
- **DMC 3835 Medium Grape** Skirts (shade 3 of 9), lilac caps (dark)
- **DMC 153 Very Light Violet**
  Bodices, lilac caps (light), skirt hems (middle) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 3834 Dark Grape**
  Lilac cap edges, skirts (shade 1 of 9), slippers and sashes (dark)
- **DMC 712 Cream**
  Cream caps (lighter), cap spots, stalks (light) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 921 Copper**
  Russet caps and snail shell (middle), hair (light), hair lights (darker)
- **DMC 918 Dark Red Copper**
  Russet cap edges, russet caps (dark), hair (middle) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 3853 Dark Autumn Gold**
  Russet caps and snail shell (light), hair lights (lighter)
- **DMC 936 Very Dark Avocado Green**
  Turf (darker), moss ring (dark)
- **DMC 783 Medium Topaz** Skirts (shade 6 of 9), violets (darker)
- **DMC 3747 Very Light Blue Violet** Wings
- **DMC 3746 Dark Blue Violet** Wing edges and wing veins
- **DMC 3064 Desert Sand** Arms, legs, faces and necks (lighter)
- **DMC 782 Dark Topaz**
  Skirts (shade 4 of 9), slippers and sashes (light)
- **DMC 3822 Light Straw** Skirts (shade 9 of 9), skirt hems (light)
- **DMC 3371 Black Brown** Hair (dark), eyes
- **DMC 433 Medium Brown**
  Arms, legs, faces and necks (darker), backs
- **DMC 3350 Ultra Dark Dusty Rose**
  Skirts (shade 2 of 9), slippers and sashes (middle)
- **DMC 3687 Mauve** Skirts (shade 5 of 9)
- **DMC 3688 Medium Mauve** Skirts (shade 8 of 9), skirt hems (dark)

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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6 inch hoop

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25.4 mm

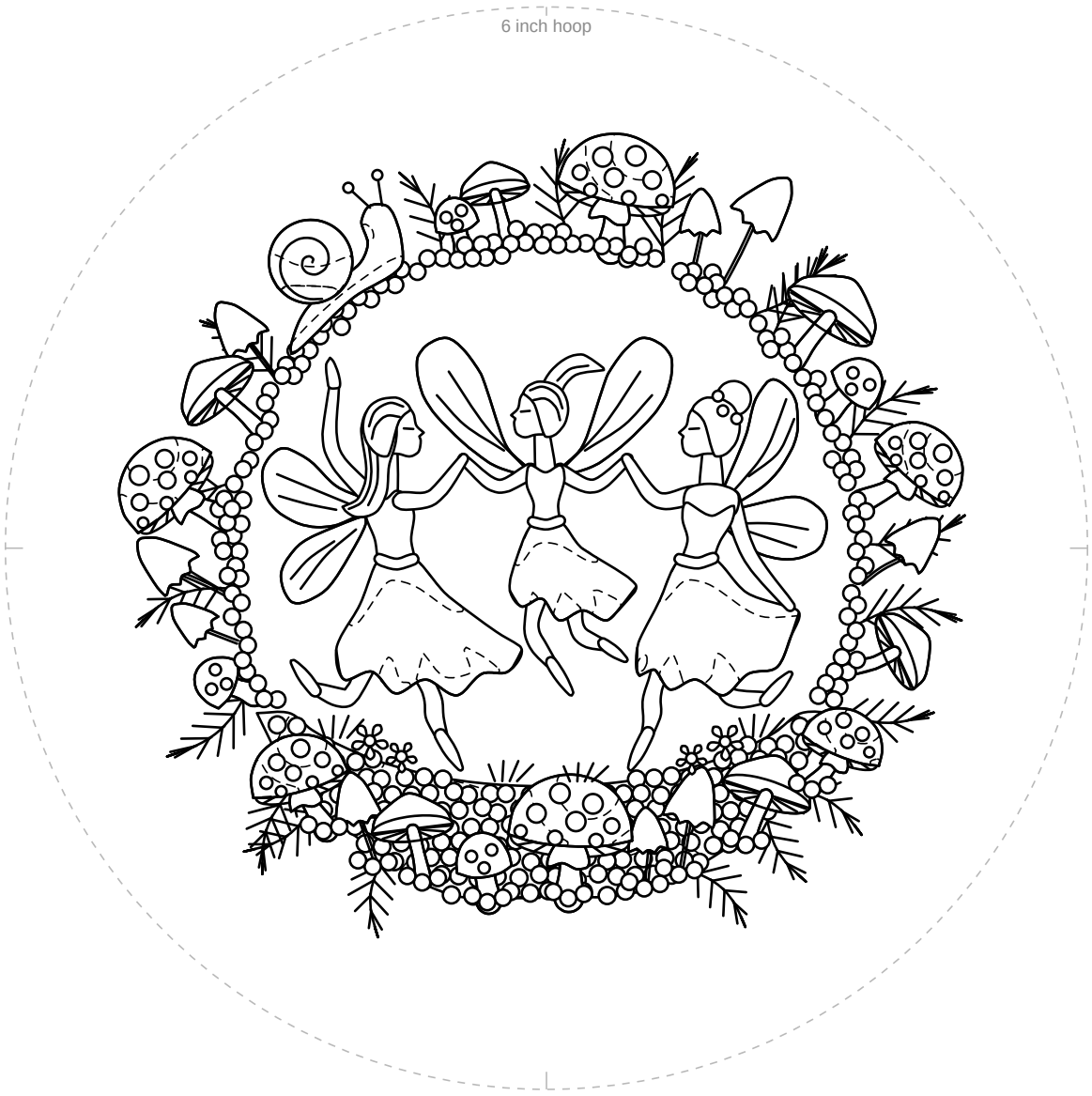
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