Beginner flower stitch sampler

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.

Stitches

- **Stem stitch**, 2 to 5 strands
  Flower stems, stem stitch row, ring
- **Lazy daisy stitch**, 3 strands
  Lupine, lupine leaves, thistle leaves, rose leaves, little daisies, bee wings, tiny tulips
- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 4 strands
  Lupine, lupine leaves, daisy petals, hollyhock sepals, hollyhock rays, thistle leaves, thistle, thistle base, bell clappers, bell caps, and 5 more
- **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Tulip leaves, hollyhock leaves
- **Fern stitch**, 3 strands
  Daisy leaves
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Tulip, daisy petals, hollyhock eye, thistle base, bells, bell leaves, rose petals, bee, bee stripes
- **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
  Daisy center, hollyhock eye, bell clappers, little daisies, bee stripes, knot row
- **Buttonhole stitch**, 2 strands
  Hollyhock

Floss

- **DMC 3345 Dark Hunter Green**
  Ring, flower stems and crest of the hill, tulip leaves (darker) and 7 more parts
- **DMC 3837 Ultra Dark Lavender**
  Lupine and thistle (darker), bee stripes and bee path
- **DMC 352 Light Coral**
  Hollyhock and herringbone row, tulip (lighter), daisy petals (darker) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3347 Medium Yellow Green**
  Feather row, daisy leaves and lupine leaves, tulip leaves (lighter) and 6 more parts
- **DMC 350 Medium Coral**
  Tulip (darker), rose petals and hollyhock rays, tiny tulips (middle) and 2 more parts
- **DMC BLANC White**
  Daisy petals and little daisies (lighter), tiny tulips (light), bee wings
- **DMC 742 Light Tangerine**
  Daisy center, bells, bee and knot row, whipped row (lighter) and 2 more parts

Stitches, continued

- **Woven wheel stitch**, 4 strands
  Rose center
- **Running stitch**, 2 strands
  Bee path
- **Chain stitch**, 4 strands
  Crest of the hill
- **Herringbone stitch**, 3 strands
  Herringbone row
- **Whipped back stitch**, 4 strands
  Whipped row
- **Feather stitch**, 3 strands
  Feather row

In a 6 inch hoop 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.

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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Print at 100% (actual size). Do not scale or fit to page. Check the square below with a ruler before you trace.



1 in
25.4 mm

Check square: 1 inch (25.4 mm) on each side.
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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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