Garden fairy in a petal skirt

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



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Thorns, stamens, fingers, mouth, berry lights
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Cane, flower petals, legs, arms, back, skirt petals, and 3 more
- **Stem stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Stalks, leaves, wing edges, bodice edge, petal edges, and 2 more
- **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Leaves, sash ends
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Buds, sepals, calyx, hands, bodice, sash, sash knot, and 3 more
- **Padded satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Berries, braid
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  Berry beads, calyx, anthers, flower hearts, stamens, and 1 more
- **Split stitch**, 1 strand
  Petal edges, leg edges, arm edges, face edge
- **Trellis stitch**, 1 strand
  Wings
- **Buttonhole stitch**, 1 strand
  Petal hems
- **Back stitch**, 1 strand
  Wing edges, eye, eyebrow
- **Chain stitch**, 2 strands
  Braid
- **Couching**, 6 strands
  Basket handle

In a 6 inch hoop the French knots 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 801 Dark Coffee Brown**
  Leg edges and arm edges and 5 more parts
- **DMC 433 Medium Brown**
  Cane (middle), legs (darker) and 5 more parts
- **DMC 435 Very Light Brown**
  Cane (light), arms (lighter) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 3362 Dark Pine Green**
  Leaves (dark), stalks and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3364 Pine Green**
  Leaves (middle), sepals and 6 more parts
- **DMC 472 Ultra Light Avocado Green**
  Leaves and calyx (light), bodice edge
- **DMC 3865 Winter White** Wings (lighter) and 6 more parts
- **DMC 762 Very Light Pearl Gray**
  Flower petals (darker) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 814 Dark Garnet** Berries (darker) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 150 Ultra Very Dark Dusty Rose**
  Big berry beads (middle), berry beads (dark)
- **DMC 3832 Medium Raspberry**
  Big berry beads (light) and 1 more part
- **DMC 817 Very Dark Coral Red**
  Skirt petals (darkest) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 351 Coral** Skirt petals (light) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 352 Light Coral**
  Petal hems (lighter) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 318 Light Steel Gray**
  Petal edges (lighter) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 3820 Dark Straw** Wings (darker) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 310 Black** Hair, braid (darker) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 350 Medium Coral** Skirt petals (dark)
- **DMC 413 Dark Pewter Gray**
  Thimble (darkest) and 4 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

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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