Ginger cat and mouse

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



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Stem stitch**, 1 to 4 strands
  Side stems, great leaf edge, upper leaf edge, and 10 more
- **Long and short stitch**, 2 strands
  Great leaf, upper leaf, upper leaf curl, hillocks, and 20 more
- **Trellis stitch**, 1 strand
  Great leaf trellis, hillock trellis, bloom trellis, and 1 more
- **Chain stitch**, 2 strands
  Great leaf vein, upper leaf vein, hillock rows
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Main stem, stripes, inner ears, eyes, pupils, nose, and 6 more
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  Hillock knots, eye lights, mouse nose, seeds, and 2 more
- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Toes, whiskers, mouse whiskers
- **Split stitch**, 1 strand
  Paw edges
- **Back stitch**, 1 strand
  Mouth
- **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Little strawberry cap, calyx, strawberry caps, leaves

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 3363 Medium Pine Green** Upper leaf (middle) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 3362 Dark Pine Green** Hillocks (shade 4 of 10) and 7 more parts
- **DMC 932 Light Antique Blue** Great leaf (light) and 5 more parts
- **DMC 3750 Very Dark Antique Blue**
  Bloom petals (shade 1 of 10) and 9 more parts
- **DMC 3820 Dark Straw** Bloom petals (shade 8 of 10) and 9 more parts
- **DMC 931 Medium Antique Blue**
  Hillocks (shade 6 of 10) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3364 Pine Green** Upper leaf (light) and 7 more parts
- **DMC 934 Black Avocado Green**
  Hillocks (shade 1 of 10) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3721 Dark Shell Pink** Hillocks (shade 3 of 10) and 6 more parts
- **DMC 221 Very Dark Shell Pink**
  Bloom petals (shade 2 of 10) and 8 more parts
- **DMC 3722 Medium Shell Pink** Hillocks (shade 7 of 10) and 9 more parts
- **DMC 224 Very Light Shell Pink** Strawberries (lightest) and 7 more parts
- **DMC 977 Light Golden Brown** Body and thigh (light) and 5 more parts
- **DMC 301 Medium Mahogany** Body (darkest) and 7 more parts
- **DMC 3776 Light Mahogany**
  Body, head and thigh (dark) and 7 more parts
- **DMC 3827 Pale Golden Brown**
  Body and hind foot (lightest) and 5 more parts
- **DMC 300 Very Dark Mahogany**
  Cat outline and stripes and 6 more parts
- **DMC 712 Cream** Bib (lighter) and 6 more parts
- **DMC 738 Very Light Tan** Paws (darker) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 3371 Black Brown** Mouse outline and eye rims and 4 more parts
- **DMC 3862 Dark Mocha Beige** Mouse ears, mouse (dark)
- **DMC 3864 Light Mocha Beige** Mouse (light), mouse paws
- **DMC 3863 Medium Mocha Beige** Mouse (middle)

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



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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