Ho ho ho with gingerbread

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.9 × 4.3 in (12.4 × 10.9 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Bay leaves
- **Whipped back stitch**, 6 strands
  Twine
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Orange peel, orange pith, orange segments, star anise, cinnamon ties, sugar heart, gingham ribbon, ribbon backs, cheeks, bow tie, gold beads, words
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  Anise seeds, icing dots, icing eyes, icing buttons, icing on the letters
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Star cookies, cinnamon sticks, heart cookie, gingerbread man
- **Split stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
  Cookie edges, ribbon edges, words
- **Chain stitch**, 2 strands
  Icing
- **Stem stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Cinnamon rolls, ribbon edges, icing smile
- **Back stitch**, 1 strand
  Cinnamon rolls, cinnamon ties
- **Padded satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Bow knot, red beads
- **Straight stitch**, 1 strand
  Bead lights

Floss

- **DMC 3362 Dark Pine Green** Bay leaves (dark)
- **DMC 3013 Light Khaki Green** Bay leaves (light)
- **DMC 3363 Medium Pine Green** Bay leaves (middle)
- **DMC 976 Medium Golden Brown**
  Gingerbread man, heart cookie and star cookies (middle), twine (lighter)
- **DMC 300 Very Dark Mahogany**
  Cookie edges, twine (darker)
- **DMC 946 Medium Burnt Orange**
  Orange peel (darker)
- **DMC 971 Pumpkin**
  Orange peel (lighter), orange segments (dark)
- **DMC 744 Pale Yellow** Orange pith
- **DMC 741 Medium Tangerine**
  Orange segments (middle)
- **DMC 742 Light Tangerine** Orange segments (light)
- **DMC 632 Ultra Very Dark Desert Sand**
  Cinnamon sticks (dark), star anise (lighter)
- **DMC 3857 Dark Rosewood**
  Cinnamon rolls, star anise (darker)
- **DMC 783 Medium Topaz** Anise seeds
- **DMC 3826 Golden Brown**
  Star cookies, gingerbread man and heart cookie (dark)
- **DMC 977 Light Golden Brown**
  Gingerbread man, heart cookie and star cookies (light)
- **DMC BLANC White**
  Gingham ribbon (light), icing on the letters and icing and 5 more parts
- **DMC 321 Red**
  Gingham ribbon (dark), cinnamon ties and red beads (lighter) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 3773 Medium Desert Sand**
  Cinnamon sticks (middle)
- **DMC 3064 Desert Sand** Cinnamon sticks (light)
- **DMC 815 Medium Garnet**
  Words, ribbon edges and ribbon backs, cinnamon ties, red beads and bow tie (darker)
- **DMC 760 Salmon** Gingham ribbon (middle), cheeks
- **DMC 3820 Dark Straw** Gold beads (lighter)
- **DMC 782 Dark Topaz** Gold beads (darker)

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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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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