King and queen of hearts cards

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.3 × 3.7 in (10.9 × 9.4 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Long and short stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Card faces, king face, king hair, king beard, and 4 more
- **Stem stitch**, 2 to 4 strands
  Card shade, card edges, king robe seams, and 11 more
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Heart pips, king robe bands, king face, king crown, and 15 more
- **Split stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Heart pip edges, hand lines, rose edges
- **Feather stitch**, 2 strands
  King robe feather stitch, queen robe feather stitch
- **Lazy daisy stitch**, 2 strands
  King robe lazy daisies, queen robe lazy daisies, and 2 more
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  King robe daisy centers, eyes, crown jewels, and 6 more
- **Chain stitch**, 2 to 5 strands
  King robe chain rows, card frames, queen braids, and 3 more
- **Back stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Face lines, beard lines, crown edges
- **Straight stitch**, 2 to 4 strands
  Face lines, eyes, king brows, hand lines
- **Herringbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Queen robe herringbone, king sleeve herringbone
- **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Rose leaves, sepals

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.

Floss

- **DMC 712 Cream** Card faces and 5 more parts
- **DMC 3033 Very Light Mocha Brown** Card shade
- **DMC 783 Medium Topaz**
  Card edges, queen crown and king crown (darker)
- **DMC 321 Red** King robe bands (dark) and 8 more parts
- **DMC 815 Medium Garnet** Rose petals (dark) and 9 more parts
- **DMC 3820 Dark Straw** King robe bands (light) and 17 more parts
- **DMC 3809 Very Dark Turquoise**
  Queen robe bands (middle) and 7 more parts
- **DMC 433 Medium Brown** Queen face (light) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 434 Light Brown** King face (middle), king hand (darker)
- **DMC 435 Very Light Brown** King face (light), king hand (lighter)
- **DMC 415 Pearl Gray** King hair and king beard (middle)
- **DMC 414 Dark Steel Gray**
  King hair and king beard (dark), beard lines
- **DMC 762 Very Light Pearl Gray** King hair (light) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 898 Very Dark Coffee Brown**
  Queen face (dark) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3865 Winter White** Eyes (lighter)
- **DMC 310 Black** Queen braids and 4 more parts
- **DMC 780 Ultra Very Dark Topaz**
  Crown edges, queen robe seams (darker)
- **DMC 3801 Very Dark Melon** Rose petals (light) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 598 Light Turquoise** Queen robe feather stitch
- **DMC 3808 Ultra Very Dark Turquoise**
  King sleeve edges and 2 more parts
- **DMC 801 Dark Coffee Brown**
  Queen face (middle), queen hand (darker)
- **DMC 3345 Dark Hunter Green**
  Rose leaves and sepals (darker), rose stem
- **DMC 471 Very Light Avocado Green**
  Rose leaves and sepals (lighter)

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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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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