Two kittens in a basket

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.4 × 4.3 in (11.2 × 10.9 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Ground shadow, handle, inside of the basket, rim, gray fur, white fur, ear linings, blanket, ginger fur, willow weave, cream fur, butterfly wings
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Handle, rim, eye rims, eyes, pupils, eye lights, noses, willow weave, handle bindings, paw pads, wing spots, butterfly body
- **Stem stitch**, 2 to 4 strands
  Inside of the basket, foot of the basket, blanket hem, closed eyes
- **Straight stitch**, 1 strand
  Ear tufts, eye lights
- **Split stitch**, 1 strand
  Mouths, whiskers, toes, wing edges, antennae
- **French knot**, 1 strand, two wraps
  Whisker spots, wing spots

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.

Floss

- **DMC 317 Pewter Gray**
  Gray fur and ground shadow (dark), wing edges, mouths and butterfly body (lighter)
- **DMC 318 Light Steel Gray**
  Gray fur (light), ground shadow (middle), toes and whisker spots (lighter)
- **DMC 415 Pearl Gray**
  White fur (dark), gray fur (lightest), whiskers (darker) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 433 Medium Brown**
  Willow weave, rim and handle (darkest), inside of the basket (middle) and 1 more part
- **DMC 435 Very Light Brown**
  Handle, rim, willow weave and handle bindings (dark), inside of the basket (light)
- **DMC 437 Light Tan**
  Willow weave, handle and rim (light), handle bindings (middle)
- **DMC 738 Very Light Tan**
  Willow weave, handle and rim (lightest), handle bindings (light)
- **DMC 3371 Black Brown**
  Inside of the basket (dark), eye rims, pupils and closed eyes
- **DMC 3799 Very Dark Pewter Gray**
  Gray fur (darkest), wing spots and antennae, butterfly body (darker)
- **DMC 762 Very Light Pearl Gray** White fur and butterfly wings (middle)
- **DMC 3865 Winter White**
  White fur, cream fur and butterfly wings (light), whiskers (lighter) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3778 Light Terra Cotta** Ear linings and noses (darker), paw pads
- **DMC 758 Very Light Terra Cotta** Ear linings and noses (lighter)
- **DMC 3348 Light Yellow Green** Eyes (lighter)
- **DMC 3346 Hunter Green** Eyes (darker)
- **DMC 931 Medium Antique Blue** Blanket (dark)
- **DMC 930 Dark Antique Blue** Blanket (darkest)
- **DMC 932 Light Antique Blue** Blanket (light)
- **DMC 3752 Very Light Antique Blue** Blanket (lightest)
- **DMC 400 Dark Mahogany** Ginger fur (darkest), mouths and toes (darker)
- **DMC 301 Medium Mahogany** Ginger fur (dark), whisker spots (darker)
- **DMC 3776 Light Mahogany** Ginger fur (middle)
- **DMC 402 Very Light Mahogany** Ginger fur (light), cream fur (dark)
- **DMC 3856 Ultra Very Light Mahogany**
  Ginger fur (lightest), cream fur (middle), ear tufts (darker)

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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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