Livestock, cow, pig, sheep and goat

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 5 × 5 in (12.7 × 12.7 cm).



Which color goes where: by number on page 2.

Stitch in this order

Filled parts from the back of the picture forward, then lines, loops and knots.

1. **Satin stitch**, strands by part on page 2
   Rim scallops, band tulips, tulip hearts, tree tulips, tree trunk, cow legs, hooves, udder and muzzle, cow tail, cow coat, and 25 more
2. **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
   Leaves
3. **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
   Fleece
4. **Stem stitch**, strands by part on page 2
   Rim line, tree branches, cow tail, cow outline, goat outline, pig tail, pig outline, fleece edge, tree trunk
5. **Chain stitch**, strands by part on page 2
   Band lines, cow coat seams
6. **Back stitch**, strands by part on page 2
   Cow outline, eye lines, goat coat chevrons, nostrils and mouths
7. **Straight stitch**, strands by part on page 2
   Nostrils and mouths, bird legs
8. **Running stitch**, 2 strands
   Pig coat rings
9. **Lazy daisy stitch**, strands by part on page 2
   Band sprigs, cow coat daisies, pig daisy
10. **French knot**
    strands by part on page 2, two wraps
    Rim knots, cow coat knots, pupils, goat coat knots, pig daisy, fleece

In a 6 inch hoop the French knots and 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

- **1 DMC 920 Medium Copper**
  Rim scallops, cow coat and cow legs (lighter), tree tulips (middle) and 3 more parts
- **2 DMC 783 Medium Topaz**
  Tulip hearts, rim knots, cow coat knots and goat coat knots and 3 more parts
- **3 DMC 3750 Very Dark Antique Blue**
  Rim scallops (darker), goat coat and goat legs, band tulips (dark) and 6 more parts
- **4 DMC 3346 Hunter Green**
  Rim line, band lines, tree branches and tree trunk, leaves (darker)
- **5 DMC 3347 Medium Yellow Green** Leaves (lighter)
- **6 DMC 3722 Medium Shell Pink**
  Pig coat (darker), band sprigs, pig legs (lighter) and 8 more parts
- **7 DMC 918 Dark Red Copper**
  Cow coat and cow legs (darker), cow outline and cow tail
- **8 DMC 3371 Black Brown**
  Sheep face, hooves, sheep legs, eye lines, sheep ear and bird legs and 2 more parts
- **9 DMC 712 Cream**
  Fleece (light), pig coat rings, cow coat seams and cow coat daisies and 3 more parts
- **10 DMC 760 Salmon**
  Pig coat (lighter), pig head and cow coat scallops and 2 more parts
- **11 DMC 422 Light Hazelnut Brown**
  Fleece (dark), fleece edge and horns
- **12 DMC 221 Very Dark Shell Pink**
  Pig outline, pig legs (darker), nostrils and mouths (dark)
- **13 DMC 3752 Very Light Antique Blue**
  Goat coat chevrons, goat beard and goat ear, bird wings (lighter) and 1 more part
- **14 DMC 739 Ultra Very Light Tan** Fleece (middle)

Three ways to transfer the pattern

1. **Fabric you can see through**
   Tape page 3 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 3 on top, tape the layers and trace the lines firmly with a ballpoint pen.
3. **Iron-on: the lines stay**
   Go over the lines of page 4, the mirrored page, with an iron-on transfer pen, lay it ink side down on the fabric and press with a dry iron, as the pen's packet says.

Pages 3 and 4 are the pattern at actual size. Print them at 100% with scaling turned off. Then put the fabric in the hoop: inner ring under, drawing up, tight as a drum.

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6 inch hoop

How to read it

Floss is six strands. Cut 18 inches (45 cm), pull out the number given one at a time, and lay them together.

Inside a filled shape start with two or three tiny stitches, which the filling covers. Start a line with a small knot on the back. End each thread by running the needle under the backs of a few stitches.

Each small ring is one French knot. Each small loop is one lazy daisy: come up at its point. A dashed line is running stitch.

A number on the picture is a color of the list of floss on page 1. The fine lines on the colors show which way the stitches lie.

Every stitch in pictures: flossfield.com/embroidery/stitches. The first time: flossfield.com/embroidery/guides/how-to-start.



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How many strands

Satin stitch. 2 strands: rim scallops, band tulips, tulip hearts, tree tulips, tree trunk, cow legs, hooves, udder and muzzle, cow tail, cow coat, cow coat scallops, cow ear, horns, cow head, blaze, goat legs, goat tail, goat coat, goat neck, goat beard, goat head, goat ear, pig legs, pig coat, pig head, pig snout, pig ear, sheep legs, sheep face, sheep ear, foot heart, birds, bird wings, bills; 1 strand: eyes.
Stem stitch. 4 strands: tree trunk; 3 strands: rim line, tree branches, cow tail, pig tail; 1 or 3 strands: fleece edge; 2 strands: cow outline, goat outline; 1 or 2 strands: pig outline.
Chain stitch. 3 strands: band lines; 1 strand: cow coat seams.
Back stitch. 2 strands: goat coat chevrons, nostrils and mouths; 1 strand: cow outline, eye lines.
Straight stitch. 1 or 2 strands: nostrils and mouths; 1 strand: bird legs.
Lazy daisy stitch. 2 strands: band sprigs, pig daisy; 1 strand: cow coat daisies.
French knot. 2 strands: rim knots, goat coat knots, pig daisy, fleece; 1 or 2 strands: cow coat knots; 1 strand: pupils.

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Print at 100% and check the square below with a ruler. Fold the fabric in four: the folds meet the four ticks of the ring.



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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