Mermaid silhouette swimming in moonlight

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



Which color goes where.

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 3809 Very Dark Turquoise** Water (darkest), top
- **DMC 3810 Dark Turquoise** Water (dark)
- **DMC 597 Turquoise** Water (middle dark), fin rays
- **DMC 598 Light Turquoise**
  Water (middle light), scales (darker)
- **DMC 964 Light Seagreen** Water (light)
- **DMC 747 Very Light Sky Blue** Water (lightest)
- **DMC 677 Very Light Old Gold** Moon (light)
- **DMC 3820 Dark Straw**
  Moon (darkest), border, moon edge and girdle, scales (lighter), fish (darker)
- **DMC 676 Light Old Gold** Moon (dark), fish (lighter)
- **DMC 746 Off White** Moon (lightest)
- **DMC 3750 Very Dark Antique Blue** Kelp (darker)
- **DMC 3808 Ultra Very Dark Turquoise** Kelp (lighter)
- **DMC 939 Very Dark Navy Blue**
  Mermaid and fish eyes, tail fin (dark)
- **DMC 3834 Dark Grape** Hair (middle)
- **DMC 154 Very Dark Grape** Hair (dark)
- **DMC 3835 Medium Grape** Hair (light)
- **DMC 3836 Light Grape** Hair lights
- **DMC 823 Dark Navy Blue** Tail fin (middle)
- **DMC 336 Navy Blue** Tail fin (light)

Stitches

- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Water, moon, kelp, hair, tail fin, mermaid
- **Split stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Moon edge, hair lights, fin rays
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Fish, top
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  Fish eyes, girdle
- **Fly stitch**, 1 strand
  Scales
- **Stem stitch**, 4 strands
  Border

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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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