Mitten banner border with a rooster

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.9 × 2.4 in (12.4 × 6.1 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Whipped back stitch**, 5 strands
  Line
- **Turkey work**, 2 strands
  Pompoms
- **Herringbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Herringbone rows
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Stripes, mitten tips, thumb tips, mitten edges, cuffs, pegs, tail feathers, rooster body, rooster comb, beak, rooster head, wattle, and 3 more
- **Chain stitch**, 2 strands
  Cuff trim
- **Split stitch**, 2 strands
  Peg slots
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  Snow, trellis, eye, berries
- **Feather stitch**, 2 strands
  Feather rows

Floss

- **DMC 746 Off White**
  Mitten edges and line (lighter), cuffs (lightest), trellis (light) and 5 more parts
- **DMC 666 Bright Red**
  Scarlet ground and rooster body, cuffs (darkest), line (darker) and 10 more parts
- **DMC 3716 Very Light Rose**
  Mitten tips (lighter), feather rows (middle), snowflake rays and 6 more parts
- **DMC 3849 Light Teal Green**
  Teal ground, pine sprigs, stripes and wing, cuffs, tail feathers and cuff trim (dark)
- **DMC 741 Medium Tangerine**
  Mitten edges (darker), cuffs and tail feathers (light), neck feathers and 4 more parts
- **DMC 435 Very Light Brown** Pegs
- **DMC 3371 Black Brown** Peg slots, eye (darker)
- **DMC BLANC White** Snow

Stitches, continued

- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Scarlet ground, teal ground
- **Lazy daisy stitch**, 2 strands
  Snowflakes
- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Snowflake rays, legs, wing feathers
- **Trellis stitch**, 2 strands
  Trellis
- **Fern stitch**, 2 strands
  Pine sprigs
- **Stem stitch**, 3 strands
  Legs

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.

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.

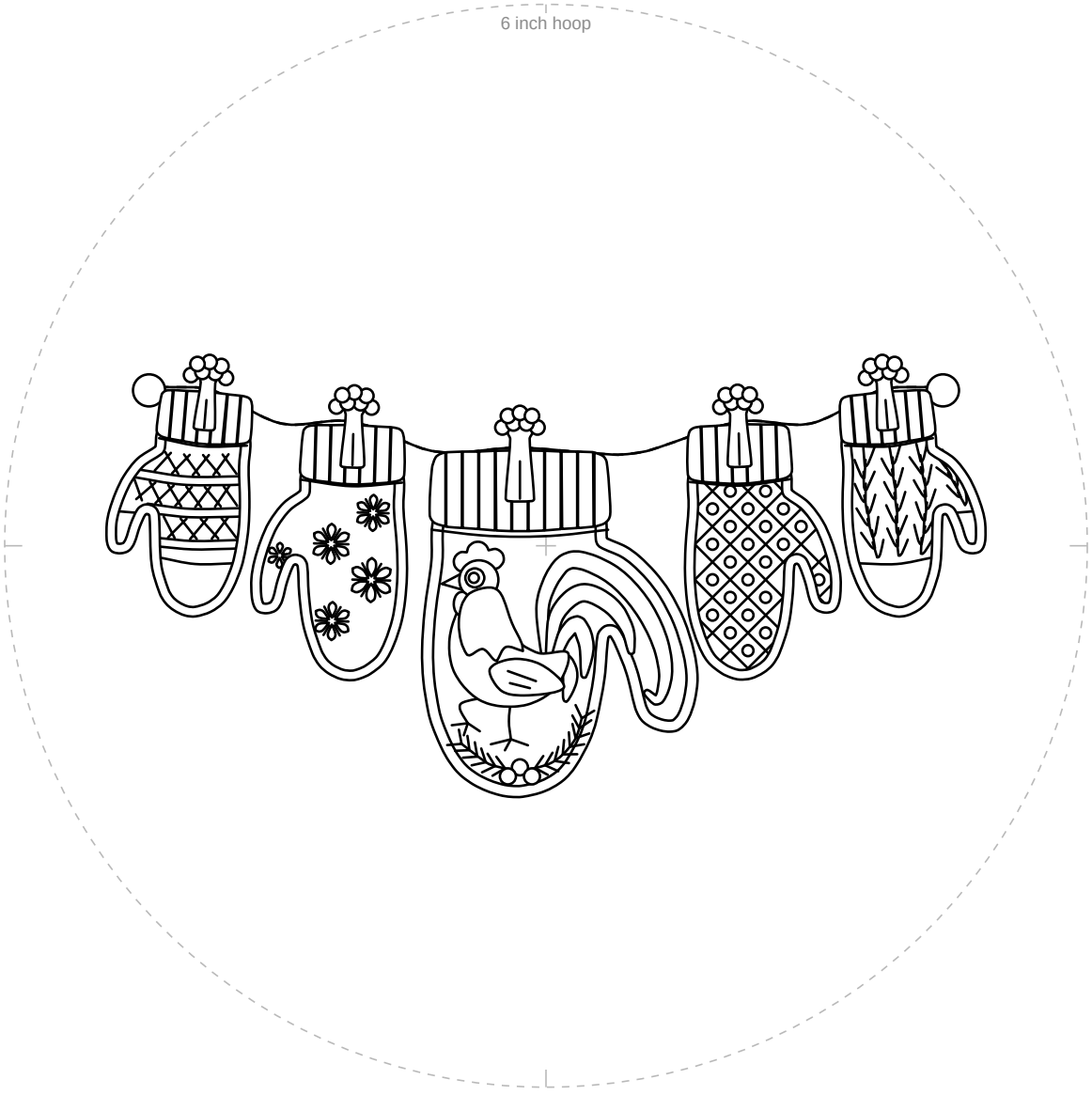
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1 in
25.4 mm

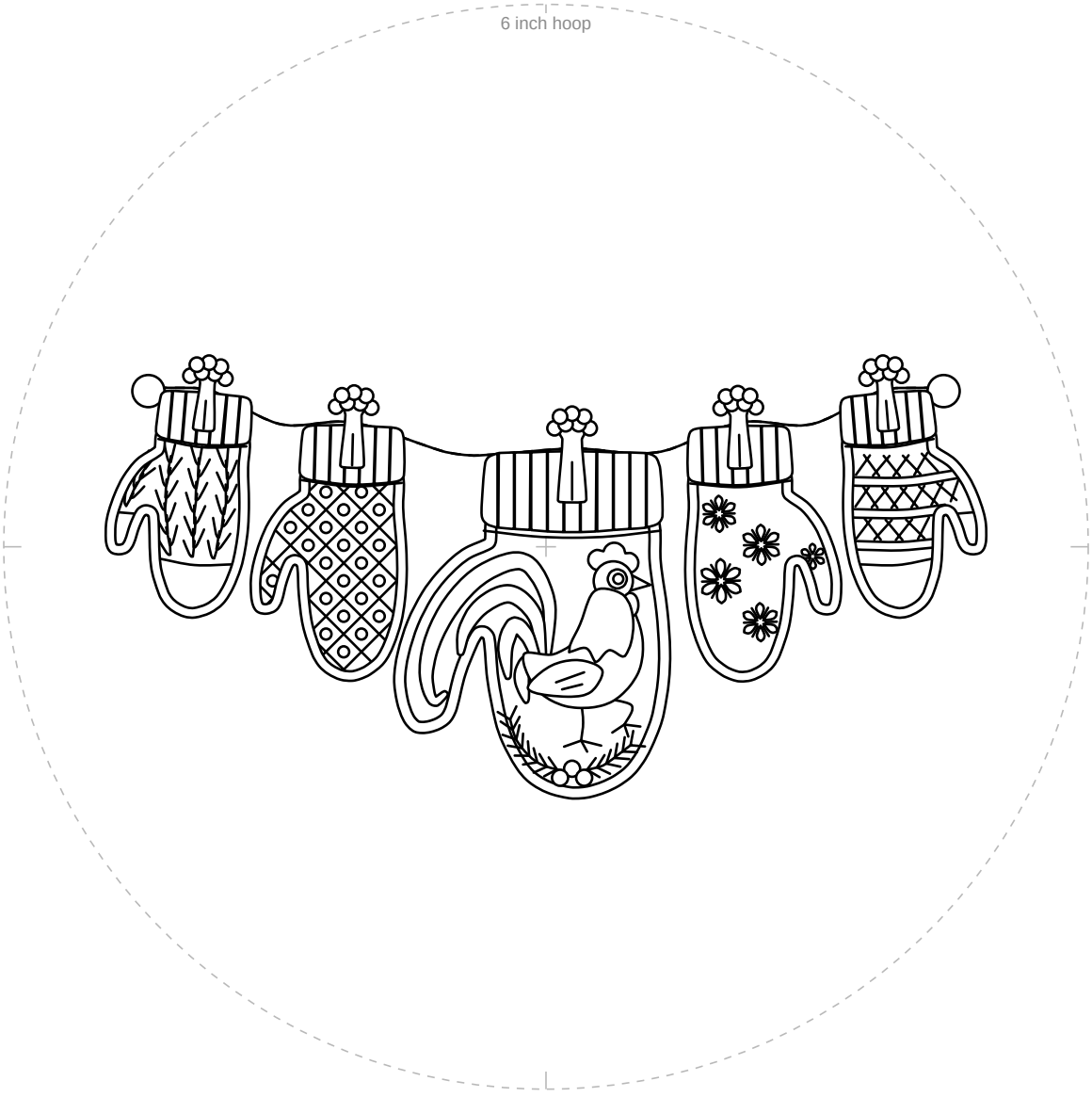
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Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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