Self portrait in a hoop

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.4 × 4.7 in (11.2 × 11.9 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Chain stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
  Pullover, gold braid, sleeve
- **Stem stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Shoulder line, eyelid crease, nostril, ear, and 4 more
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Armhole seam, collar edges, brow, eyelid, lash line, and 10 more
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Neck, face, silver hair, ear, plum patch, hand, sleeve
- **Woven filling stitch**, 3 strands
  Collar, gold patch
- **Blanket stitch**, 1 strand
  Lace, patch edge
- **Split stitch**, 1 strand
  Profile line, lips, ear, hair seams, open petal, and 2 more
- **Straight stitch**, 2 strands
  Lashes
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  Bead knots, button earring, flower heart
- **Feather stitch**, 1 strand
  Jade feathering
- **Padded satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Button earring
- **Woven wheel stitch**, 4 strands
  Chignon heart

Floss

- **DMC 742 Light Tangerine**
  Pullover (light), gold patch and 4 more parts
- **DMC 743 Medium Yellow**
  Pullover (lightest) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 782 Dark Topaz** Pullover (dark) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 780 Ultra Very Dark Topaz**
  Hoop edge, sleeve (dark) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 915 Dark Plum** Plum patch and 6 more parts
- **DMC 3772 Very Dark Desert Sand**
  Neck (light), hand (dark) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 898 Very Dark Coffee Brown**
  Finger lines (darker) and 6 more parts
- **DMC 632 Ultra Very Dark Desert Sand**
  Neck (middle) and 5 more parts
- **DMC 3848 Medium Teal Green**
  Jade ribbons (lighter), collar and 2 more parts
- **DMC 718 Plum** Plum ribbons (light) and 6 more parts
- **DMC 712 Cream**
  Jade feathering and patch edge and 8 more parts
- **DMC 3064 Desert Sand** Face, hand and ear (light)
- **DMC 407 Dark Desert Sand**
  Hand (middle), face (dark) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 437 Light Tan** Face, hand and ear (lightest)
- **DMC 154 Very Dark Grape**
  Plum ribbons (dark), lash line and 2 more parts
- **DMC 3721 Dark Shell Pink** Lips (light)
- **DMC 415 Pearl Gray** Silver hair (light)
- **DMC 413 Dark Pewter Gray**
  Hair seams (darker), silver hair (darkest)
- **DMC 318 Light Steel Gray**
  Silver hair (dark), hair seams (lighter)
- **DMC 762 Very Light Pearl Gray**
  Silver hair (lightest), needle
- **DMC 3847 Dark Teal Green**
  Jade ribbons (darker), ribbon tails (light)
- **DMC 739 Ultra Very Light Tan** Wooden hoop (light)
- **DMC 436 Tan** Wooden hoop (dark)
- **DMC 738 Very Light Tan** Wooden hoop (middle)

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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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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