Giraffe baby milestone bib, twelve spots

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 3.2 × 4.3 in (8.1 × 10.9 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Mane, coat, spots, ears, face, muzzle
- **Trellis stitch**, 2 strands
  Spots
- **Stem stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
  Spots, outline, lashes, mouth, sprig
- **Chain stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
  Spots, foot line
- **Woven filling stitch**, 3 strands
  Spots
- **Fly stitch**, 2 strands
  Spots
- **Herringbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Spots
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Spots, inner ears, horns, eyes, eye lights, nostrils, forget-me-not
- **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
  Spots, flower center
- **Buttonhole stitch**, 2 strands
  Spots
- **Back stitch**, 3 strands
  Spots
- **Padded satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Spots, horn tips
- **Straight stitch**, 3 strands
  Forelock
- **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Leaves

Floss

- **DMC 920 Medium Copper**
  Spots (shade 2 of 7), mane, foot line and forelock, eyes (lighter)
- **DMC 712 Cream** Coat, face and ears (light), eye lights
- **DMC 738 Very Light Tan**
  Coat, face and ears (dark), muzzle (darker), horns
- **DMC 739 Ultra Very Light Tan**
  Face, coat and ears (middle), muzzle (lighter)
- **DMC 402 Very Light Mahogany**
  Spots (shade 5 of 7)
- **DMC 3821 Straw** Spots (shade 7 of 7), flower center
- **DMC 918 Dark Red Copper**
  Spots (shade 1 of 7), horn tips and mouth
- **DMC 356 Medium Terra Cotta**
  Spots (shade 3 of 7), nostrils
- **DMC 758 Very Light Terra Cotta**
  Spots (shade 6 of 7), inner ears
- **DMC 3328 Dark Salmon** Spots (shade 4 of 7)
- **DMC 437 Light Tan** Outline
- **DMC 3371 Black Brown** Eyes (darker), lashes
- **DMC 3345 Dark Hunter Green**
  Leaves (darker), sprig
- **DMC 3347 Medium Yellow Green** Leaves (lighter)
- **DMC 799 Medium Delft Blue** Forget-me-not

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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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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