Newfoundland dog with forget-me-nots

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.7 × 4.5 in (11.9 × 11.4 cm).



Which color goes where: by number on page 2.
Fabric: blush pink cotton or linen.

Stitch in this order

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

1. **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
   Chest, ruff, ears, head, chin, tongue, muzzle, nose, leaves
2. **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
   Mouth, nose, nostrils, eye rims, eye corners, eyes, pupils, eye lights, buds, forget-me-nots, fallen floret
3. **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
   Leaves
4. **Stem stitch**, strands by part on page 2
   Mouth line, stems, leaves
5. **Split stitch**, strands by part on page 2
   Eyelid light, ear edges
6. **Straight stitch**, 1 strand
   Flower stars
7. **French knot**
   strands by part on page 2, two wraps
   Whisker dots, buds, flower hearts

Floss

- **1 DMC 310 Black**
  Chest (dark), muzzle (darkest), head and ears (shade 1 of 7) and 10 more parts
- **2 DMC 3799 Very Dark Pewter Gray**
  Head, ruff and ears (shade 3 of 7), chest (middle), muzzle (dark) and 2 more parts
- **3 DMC 3750 Very Dark Antique Blue**
  Ruff, head and ears (shade 5 of 7), muzzle (middle), chest (light)
- **4 DMC 930 Dark Antique Blue**
  Ruff, head and ears (shade 6 of 7), muzzle and nose (light)
- **5 DMC 931 Medium Antique Blue**
  Head, ruff and ears (shade 7 of 7), eyelid light, muzzle (lightest)
- **6 DMC 898 Very Dark Coffee Brown**
  Ruff, head and ears (shade 2 of 7), eye corners, eyes (dark)
- **7 DMC 801 Dark Coffee Brown**
  Ruff, ears and head (shade 4 of 7), eyes (middle)
- **8 DMC 3733 Dusty Rose** Tongue (darker)
- **9 DMC 761 Light Salmon** Tongue (lighter)
- **10 DMC 932 Light Antique Blue** Nose (lightest)
- **11 DMC 780 Ultra Very Dark Topaz** Eyes (light)
- **12 DMC 3865 Winter White** Flower stars and eye lights
- **13 DMC 3363 Medium Pine Green**
  Leaves (dark), stems
- **14 DMC 799 Medium Delft Blue**
  Forget-me-nots and fallen floret (dark), buds (lighter)
- **15 DMC 798 Dark Delft Blue**
  Forget-me-nots and fallen floret (darkest), buds (darker)
- **16 DMC 522 Fern Green** Leaves (light)
- **17 DMC 3362 Dark Pine Green** Leaves (darkest)
- **18 DMC 524 Very Light Fern Green**
  Leaves (lightest)
- **19 DMC 809 Delft Blue**
  Forget-me-nots and fallen floret (light)
- **20 DMC 3325 Light Baby Blue**
  Forget-me-nots and fallen floret (lightest)
- **21 DMC 3820 Dark Straw** Flower hearts

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. A fine broken line inside a shape is where two shades meet: trace it, do not stitch it.

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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5	DMC 931 Medium Antique Blue	12	DMC 3865 Winter White	19	DMC 809 Delft Blue
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7	DMC 801 Dark Coffee Brown	14	DMC 799 Medium Delft Blue	21	DMC 3820 Dark Straw

How many strands

Stem stitch. 2 strands: mouth line, stems; 1 strand: leaves.
Split stitch. 2 strands: ear edges; 1 strand: eyelid light.
French knot. 2 strands: buds, flower hearts; 1 strand: whisker dots.

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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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