Easy paprika border for curtains

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.4 × 2.6 in (11.2 × 6.6 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 895 Very Dark Hunter Green**
  Leaves and vine (darker), pepper caps and stems
- **DMC 470 Light Avocado Green**
  Leaves and vine (lighter), scallop loops, sepals and green peppers
- **DMC 321 Red**
  Peppers (lighter), scallops
- **DMC 815 Medium Garnet**
  Peppers (darker), border lines
- **DMC 351 Coral**
  Pepper lights
- **DMC 3865 Winter White**
  Blossoms
- **DMC 3820 Dark Straw**
  Blossom hearts

Stitches

- **Stem stitch**, 3 to 6 strands
  Vine, stems, scallops
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Peppers, pepper lights, pepper caps, sepals, blossoms, green peppers
- **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Leaves
- **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
  Blossom hearts
- **Lazy daisy stitch**, 3 strands
  Scallop loops
- **Chain stitch**, 3 strands
  Border lines

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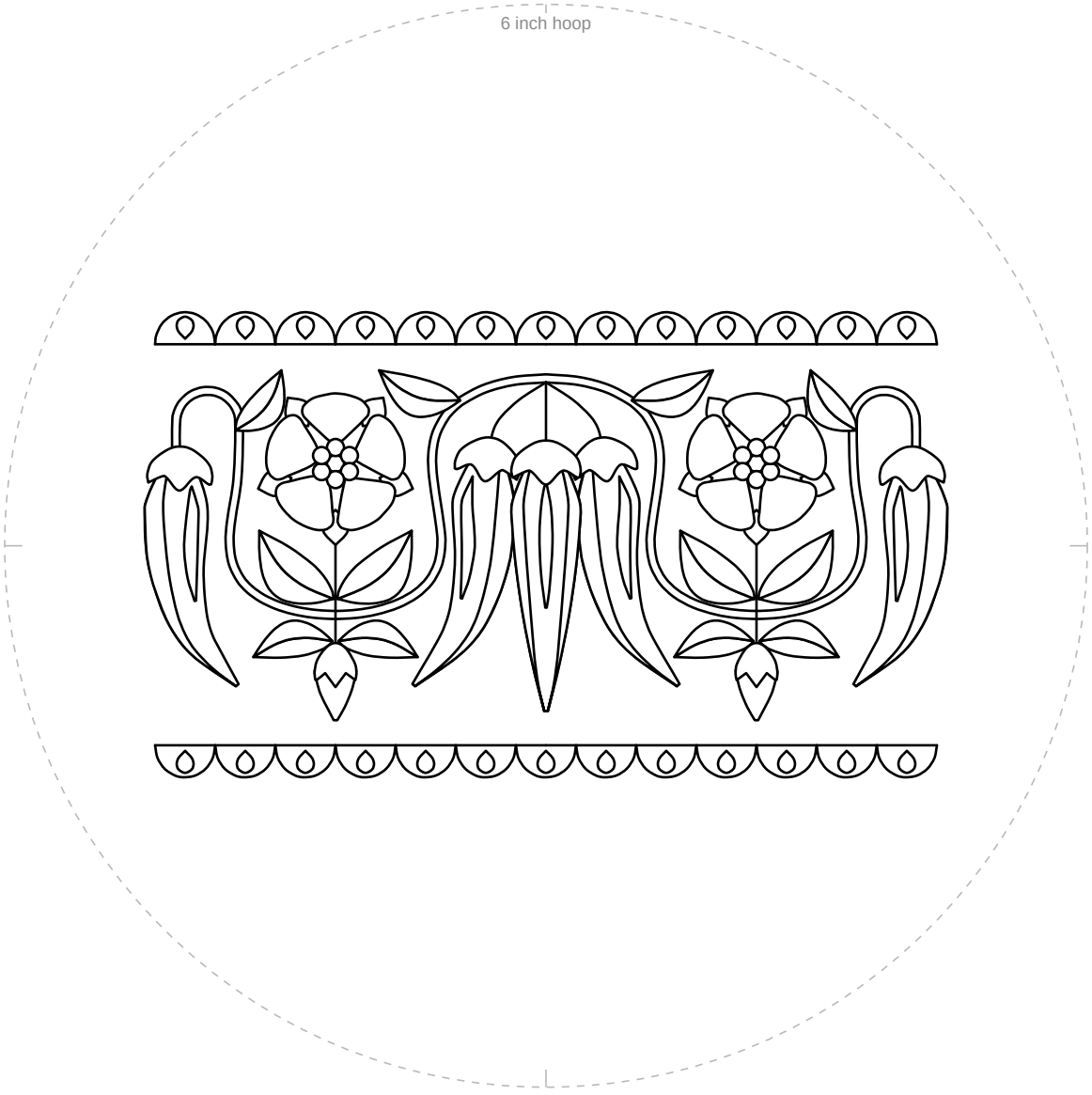

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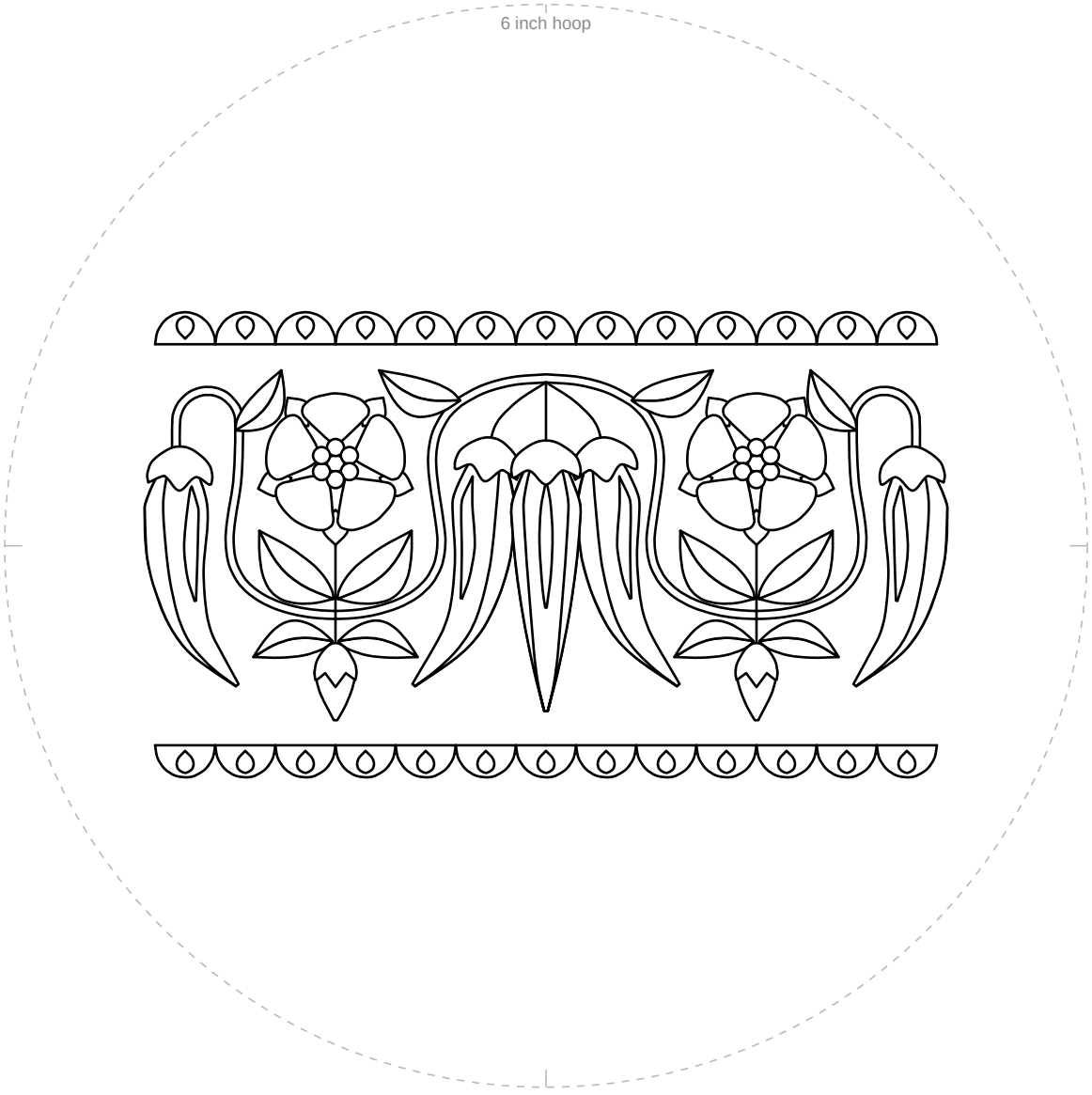
Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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