Penguin with a giant snow cone

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.4 × 4.5 in (11.2 × 11.4 cm).



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

Stitch in this order

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

1. **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
   Snow, coat, belly, feet, face, cherry ice, lemon ice, blue ice, paper cone, flippers
2. **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
   Scarf, scarf stripes, cheeks, eyes, beak, hat ribs, paper stripes
3. **Padded satin stitch**, 2 strands
   Hat cuff, paper rim
4. **Split stitch**, strands by part on page 2
   Coat edge, feet edge, scarf edge, paper edge, flipper edge
5. **Stem stitch**, 2 strands
   Toe lines, smile
6. **Straight stitch**, strands by part on page 2
   Scarf fringe, eye lights, snowflakes
7. **French knot**
   strands by part on page 2, two wraps
   Eye lights, cherry ice, lemon ice, blue ice, snow flecks
8. **Turkey work**, 2 strands
   Pompom

Floss

- **1 DMC 3865 Winter White**
  Belly, snow, paper cone and hat cuff (light), face (lighter) and 6 more parts
- **2 DMC 3325 Light Baby Blue**
  Coat and flippers (light), snow, paper cone, belly and hat cuff (dark) and 2 more parts
- **3 DMC 3753 Ultra Very Light Antique Blue**
  Belly, snow, paper cone and hat cuff (middle), face (darker) and 3 more parts
- **4 DMC 312 Very Dark Baby Blue**
  Coat and flippers (dark), coat edge, paper edge, flipper edge and smile
- **5 DMC 334 Medium Baby Blue**
  Coat and flippers (middle)
- **6 DMC 721 Medium Orange Spice**
  Feet and beak (middle)
- **7 DMC 720 Dark Orange Spice**
  Feet edge and toe lines, feet and beak (dark)
- **8 DMC 722 Light Orange Spice** Feet and beak (light)
- **9 DMC 208 Very Dark Lavender**
  Scarf and hat ribs (dark), scarf edge
- **10 DMC 209 Dark Lavender**
  Hat ribs and scarf (middle), scarf fringe
- **11 DMC 211 Light Lavender** Scarf and hat ribs (light)
- **12 DMC 3708 Light Melon** Cheeks
- **13 DMC 939 Very Dark Navy Blue** Eyes
- **14 DMC 3801 Very Dark Melon** Cherry ice (middle)
- **15 DMC 321 Red** Cherry ice (dark)
- **16 DMC 3705 Dark Melon** Cherry ice (light)
- **17 DMC 727 Very Light Topaz** Lemon ice (middle)
- **18 DMC 726 Light Topaz** Lemon ice (dark)
- **19 DMC 3823 Ultra Pale Yellow** Lemon ice (light)
- **20 DMC 3846 Light Bright Turquoise**
  Blue ice (middle)
- **21 DMC 3843 Electric Blue**
  Paper stripes, blue ice (dark)
- **22 DMC 3761 Light Sky Blue** Blue ice (light)

Three ways onto dark fabric

1. **Light shines through it**
   Lay page 3 on a bright light box, tape the fabric over it and trace the lines with a white marking pencil or pen.
2. **No light shines through**
   Print page 3 on a sticky wash-away sheet, smooth it onto fabric that can be washed, stitch through both and rinse it away.
3. **White or yellow carbon paper**
   Lay it colored side down on the fabric with page 3 on top, tape the layers and trace firmly with a ballpoint pen. Go over a faint line with a white pencil.

Page 3 is the pattern at actual size (page 4 is its mirror, for an iron-on pen on a light fabric). Print it 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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8	DMC 722 Light Orange Spice	**16**	DMC 3705 Dark Melon		

How many strands

Split stitch. 2 strands: feet edge, paper edge, flipper edge; 1 strand: coat edge, scarf edge.
Straight stitch. 4 strands: eye lights; 3 strands: scarf fringe; 2 strands: snowflakes.
French knot. 2 strands: cherry ice, lemon ice, blue ice, snow flecks; 1 strand: eye lights.

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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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