Penguins under the southern lights

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



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Far curtain of light, high curtain of light, near curtain of light, far mountains, ice cliff, snow, trodden path, near drift, and 7 more
- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Fading rays, footprints, penguins far off, feet, gold patches, bill stripe, stars
- **Split stitch**, 1 strand
  Green light on the crests, wind ridges, rim of light
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Penguins far off, flippers, head, white sides, feet, gold patches, bill, chick face
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  Eyes, stars
- **Stem stitch**, 2 strands
  Edge

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 964 Light Seagreen**
  Near curtain of light and far curtain of light (shade 8 of 8) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 333 Very Dark Blue Violet**
  Fading rays, near curtain of light and far curtain of light (shade 1 of 8)
- **DMC 553 Violet**
  Near curtain of light and far curtain of light (shade 2 of 8)
- **DMC 209 Dark Lavender**
  Near curtain of light and far curtain of light (shade 4 of 8) and 1 more part
- **DMC 554 Light Violet**
  Near curtain of light and far curtain of light (shade 6 of 8) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 3813 Light Blue Green**
  Snow (dark), near curtain of light (shade 7 of 8) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 959 Medium Seagreen**
  Near curtain of light and far curtain of light (shade 5 of 8) and 1 more part
- **DMC 943 Medium Aquamarine**
  Near curtain of light and far curtain of light (shade 3 of 8) and 1 more part
- **DMC 3807 Cornflower Blue**
  Far mountains (dark), shadows on the snow (darker), footprints
- **DMC 793 Medium Cornflower Blue**
  Ice cliff (darkest), edge, back (light), far mountains (middle) and 5 more parts
- **DMC 341 Light Blue Violet**
  Snow (darkest), ice cliff (dark), trodden path (lighter) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 211 Light Lavender**
  Ice cliff (light), near drift (dark)
- **DMC BLANC White**
  White sides (light), snow, near drift and ice cliff (lightest), stars and chick face
- **DMC 3753 Ultra Very Light Antique Blue**
  Snow, chick and near drift (light), white sides (middle), chick flippers (lighter)
- **DMC 310 Black**
  Back and flippers (dark), head, feet, penguins far off, bill and eyes
- **DMC 742 Light Tangerine** Gold patches
- **DMC 3750 Very Dark Antique Blue**
  Back and flippers (middle)
- **DMC 318 Light Steel Gray** Chick (middle)

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6 inch hoop

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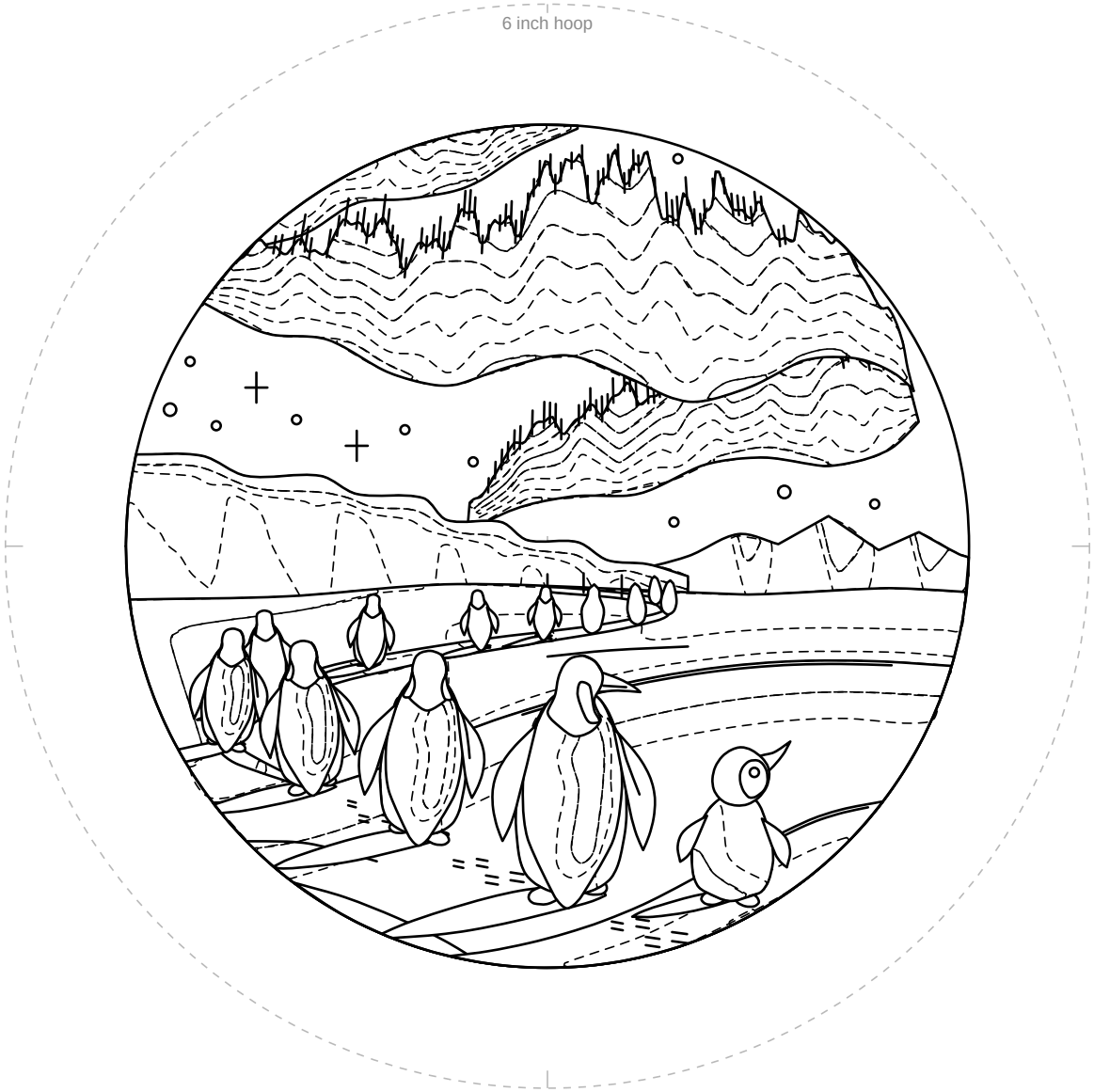
Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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