Polar bear with Christmas tree garland

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.4 × 4.2 in (11.2 × 10.7 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 3865 Winter White**
  Bear fur (light), snow, snowflakes, popcorn and pot, bowl (lighter) and 7 more parts
- **DMC 321 Red**
  Fir boughs (light), outline, scarf and bowl (darker), bird (lighter) and 5 more parts
- **DMC 815 Medium Garnet**
  Trunk, bird wing, garland string, nose, toes and face, bird (darker) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 814 Dark Garnet**
  Fir boughs (dark)
- **DMC 498 Dark Red**
  Fir boughs (middle)
- **DMC 415 Pearl Gray**
  Bear fur, far paws and ears (dark)
- **DMC 762 Very Light Pearl Gray**
  Bear fur and far paws (middle), ears (light)

Stitches

- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Snow, trunk, pot, pot band, pot rim, star, scarf, eye, hearts, bowl, bird, bird breast, bird wing, bird bill
- **Stem stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Outline, ears, face
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Fir boughs, far paws, ears, bear fur
- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Scarf fringe, eye light, toes, bird legs, snowflakes
- **Padded satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Scarf, nose, cranberries
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  Popcorn, cranberries, bird eye
- **Back stitch**, 1 strand
  Garland string

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6 inch hoop

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1 in
25.4 mm

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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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