Redwork crock of kitchen tools

6 inch (15 cm) hoop, 4.6 × 4.6 in (11.7 × 11.7 cm)



A number is a row of the list.

What you need

A 6 inch (15 cm) hoop.

A 9 inch (23 cm) square of white or light cotton or linen.

Embroidery needles, size 9, and size 5 for 4 strands.

One skein (an estimate from the drawing's lines and shapes).

A water-soluble pen, and small scissors.

Onto the fabric

Fabric you can see through: page 2 taped to a sunny window, the fabric over it; trace.

Other fabric: dressmaker's carbon paper, colored side down, page 2 on top; trace with a ballpoint.

Iron-on pen: go over page 3, the mirrored page, and press it ink side down as the pen's packet says. The lines stay.

Then hoop it, inner ring under, tight as a drum.

How to read it

Floss has six strands: cut 18 inches (45 cm), pull out the number named one at a time, and lay them together.

The back is seen: no knots. Start with tiny stitches; end around the backs of four or five stitches.

Every stitch in pictures: flossfield.com/embroidery/stitches.

New to this: flossfield.com/embroidery/guides/how-to-start.

Floss

DMC 321 Red
Hare, checked cloth, walnuts, whisk, crock rim, rolling pin, pastry brush, turner, ladle, bird, crock, crock bands, wooden spoon, crock mouth, fringe, crock handles, ferns, walnut leaves and shadow

Stitch in this order

Where a stitch page says otherwise, follow this list.

1. **Stem stitch**
   4 strands: crock rim
   2 strands: lines of the turner
   3 strands: lines of the whisk

2. **Back stitch**, 2 strands
   Lines of the whisk

3. **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
   Checked cloth, crock mouth, turner, wooden spoon, ladle, pastry brush, whisk, shadow, crock bands, hare (DMC 321), walnuts, bird



4. **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
   Hare (DMC 321)



5. **Straight stitch**
   2 strands: fringe, ferns (DMC 321)
   3 strands: lines of the bird



6. **Stem stitch**
   4 strands: edges of the checked cloth, crock (DMC 321)
   2 strands: rolling pin (DMC 321), lines of the wooden spoon, crock handles, ferns (DMC 321), walnut leaves (DMC 321)
   3 strands: lines of the ladle, lines of the pastry brush, lines of the walnuts, lines of the bird

7. **Back stitch**, 1 strand
   Rolling pin (DMC 321), lines of the wooden spoon, lines of the ladle, lines of the pastry brush, lines of the crock bands, crock (DMC 321), lines of the walnuts, walnut leaves (DMC 321)

8. **French knot**, 1 strand, two wraps
   Knots of the hare



Take out lines that still show, press face down, finish the hoop or sew a pillow.

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6 inch hoop

Print at 100% and measure the square. Trace the black lines only. The gray ring is the hoop: fold the fabric in four and lay the folds on its ticks.
On the drawing a ring is one French knot: mark a dot.



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6 inch hoop

For an iron-on pen only. Go over the lines, press ink side down.



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