Mexican style roses and dahlias on black

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.7 × 4.4 in (11.9 × 11.2 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Stem stitch**, 1 to 4 strands
  Stems, leaves, sprays, zinnia stem
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Leaves, zinnia petals, coral rosebud, dahlia bud, white rosebud, coral rose petals, white rose petals, dahlia petals
- **Straight stitch**, 1 strand
  Sprays, white rose heart
- **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
  Spray blossoms, dahlia heart
- **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Calyx
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Calyx, coral rose rolled rims
- **Split stitch**, 1 strand
  Dahlia petal edges

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 501 Dark Blue Green** Leaves and calyx (dark), stems
- **DMC 500 Very Dark Blue Green**
  Leaves and calyx (darkest)
- **DMC 502 Blue Green**
  Leaves and calyx (light), sprays and zinnia stem
- **DMC 503 Medium Blue Green** Leaves and calyx (lightest)
- **DMC 745 Light Pale Yellow**
  Zinnia petals (lightest), spray blossoms (lighter)
- **DMC 3856 Ultra Very Light Mahogany**
  White rose petals and white rosebud (dark), spray blossoms (darker)
- **DMC 783 Medium Topaz** Zinnia petals (dark)
- **DMC 725 Medium Light Topaz** Zinnia petals (light)
- **DMC 780 Ultra Very Dark Topaz** Zinnia petals (darkest)
- **DMC 349 Dark Coral**
  Coral rose petals and coral rosebud (dark)
- **DMC 815 Medium Garnet**
  Coral rose petals, dahlia petals and dahlia bud (darkest) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 351 Coral**
  Coral rose petals and coral rosebud (light), coral rose rolled rims (darker)
- **DMC 353 Peach**
  Coral rose petals and coral rosebud (lightest), coral rose rolled rims (lighter)
- **DMC 326 Very Dark Rose**
  Dahlia petals (middle), dahlia bud (light)
- **DMC 601 Dark Cranberry**
  Dahlia petals (light), dahlia bud (lightest)
- **DMC 902 Very Dark Garnet**
  Dahlia petals and dahlia bud (dark), dahlia heart (lighter)
- **DMC 3778 Light Terra Cotta**
  White rose petals and white rosebud (darkest), white rose heart
- **DMC 3770 Very Light Tawny**
  White rose petals and white rosebud (light)
- **DMC 3865 Winter White**
  White rose petals and white rosebud (lightest)
- **DMC 603 Cranberry**
  Dahlia petal edges (darker), dahlia petals (lightest)
- **DMC 605 Very Light Cranberry**
  Dahlia petal edges (lighter)

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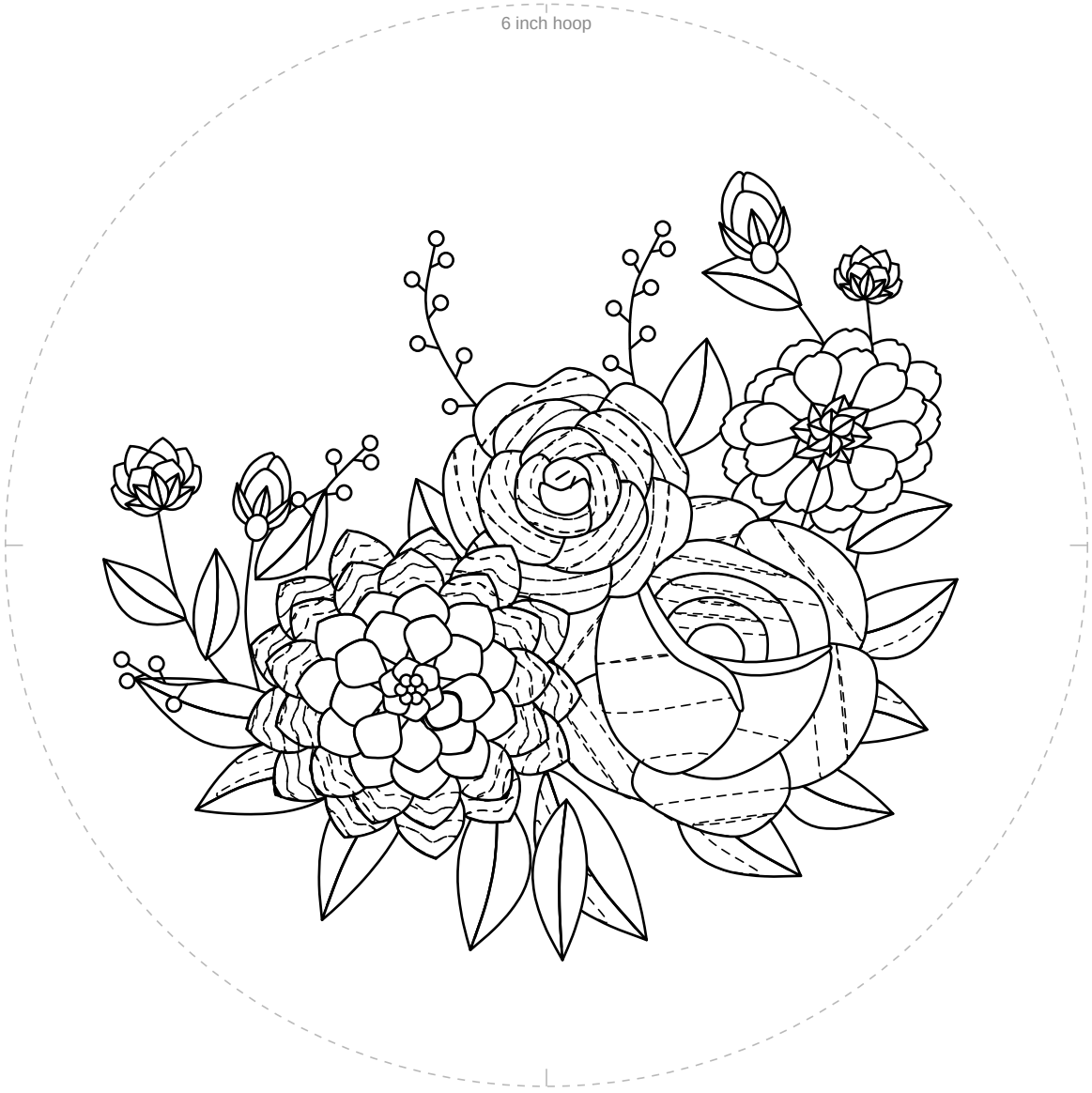

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Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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