Santa belt Christmas countdown

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
  Coat, belt, night sky, far hills, fir trees, near hills, snowy ground
- **Split stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Fold lines, path, buckle corners
- **Turkey work**, 2 strands
  Fur front
- **Stem stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
  Coat edge, belt rim, chimney smoke, buckle edge
- **Padded satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Belt edges, cottage roof, buckle
- **Back stitch**, 1 strand
  Belt stitching, cottage roof edge
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Eyelets, moon, cottage walls, cottage chimney, lit windows, cottage door
- **Straight stitch**, 2 strands
  Snow on the firs
- **French knot**, 1 strand, two wraps
  Falling snow

Floss

- **DMC 321 Red** Coat (middle)
- **DMC 814 Dark Garnet**
  Coat (darkest), coat edge and fold lines
- **DMC 498 Dark Red** Coat (dark), cottage door
- **DMC 666 Bright Red** Coat (light)
- **DMC 3801 Very Dark Melon** Coat (lightest)
- **DMC BLANC White**
  Fur front and snowy ground (light), cottage roof, snow on the firs and falling snow
- **DMC 318 Light Steel Gray** Fur front (dark)
- **DMC 415 Pearl Gray** Fur front (middle)
- **DMC 3799 Very Dark Pewter Gray** Belt (middle)
- **DMC 3371 Black Brown** Belt (dark)
- **DMC 413 Dark Pewter Gray** Belt stitching, belt (light)
- **DMC 310 Black** Belt edges and belt rim
- **DMC 3820 Dark Straw** Buckle (middle), eyelets
- **DMC 322 Dark Baby Blue**
  Night sky (lightest), far hills (darker), path and cottage roof edge
- **DMC 939 Very Dark Navy Blue** Night sky (darkest)
- **DMC 823 Dark Navy Blue** Night sky (dark)
- **DMC 312 Very Dark Baby Blue** Night sky (light)
- **DMC 3822 Light Straw**
  Buckle and buckle corners (light), moon and lit windows
- **DMC 334 Medium Baby Blue**
  Near hills (darker), far hills (lighter), snowy ground (dark)
- **DMC 500 Very Dark Blue Green** Fir trees (darker)
- **DMC 501 Dark Blue Green** Fir trees (lighter)
- **DMC 3325 Light Baby Blue**
  Near hills (lighter), snowy ground (middle), chimney smoke
- **DMC 780 Ultra Very Dark Topaz**
  Buckle edge, cottage walls and cottage chimney, buckle corners (dark)
- **DMC 782 Dark Topaz** Buckle (dark), buckle corners (middle)

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.

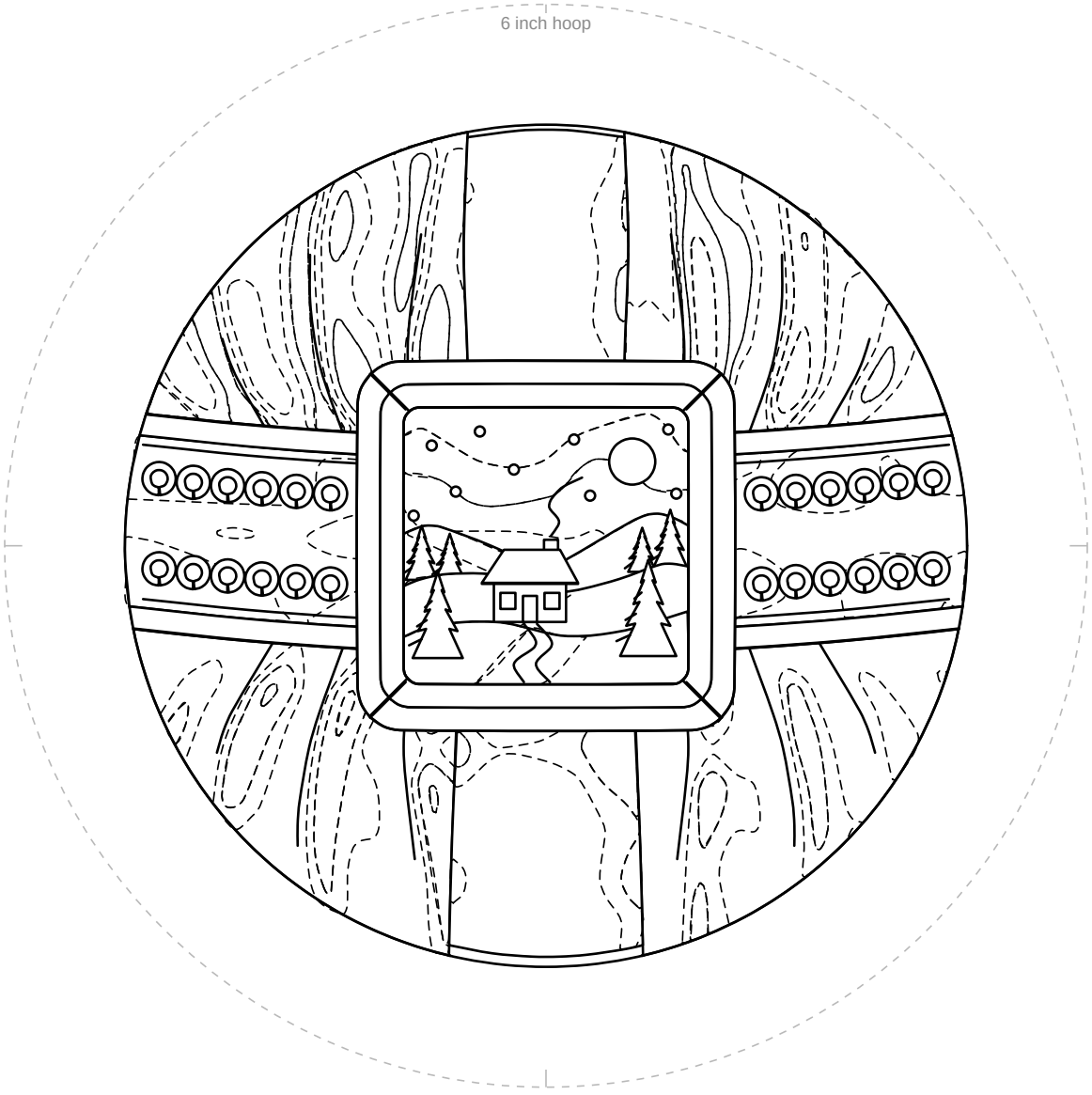
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25.4 mm

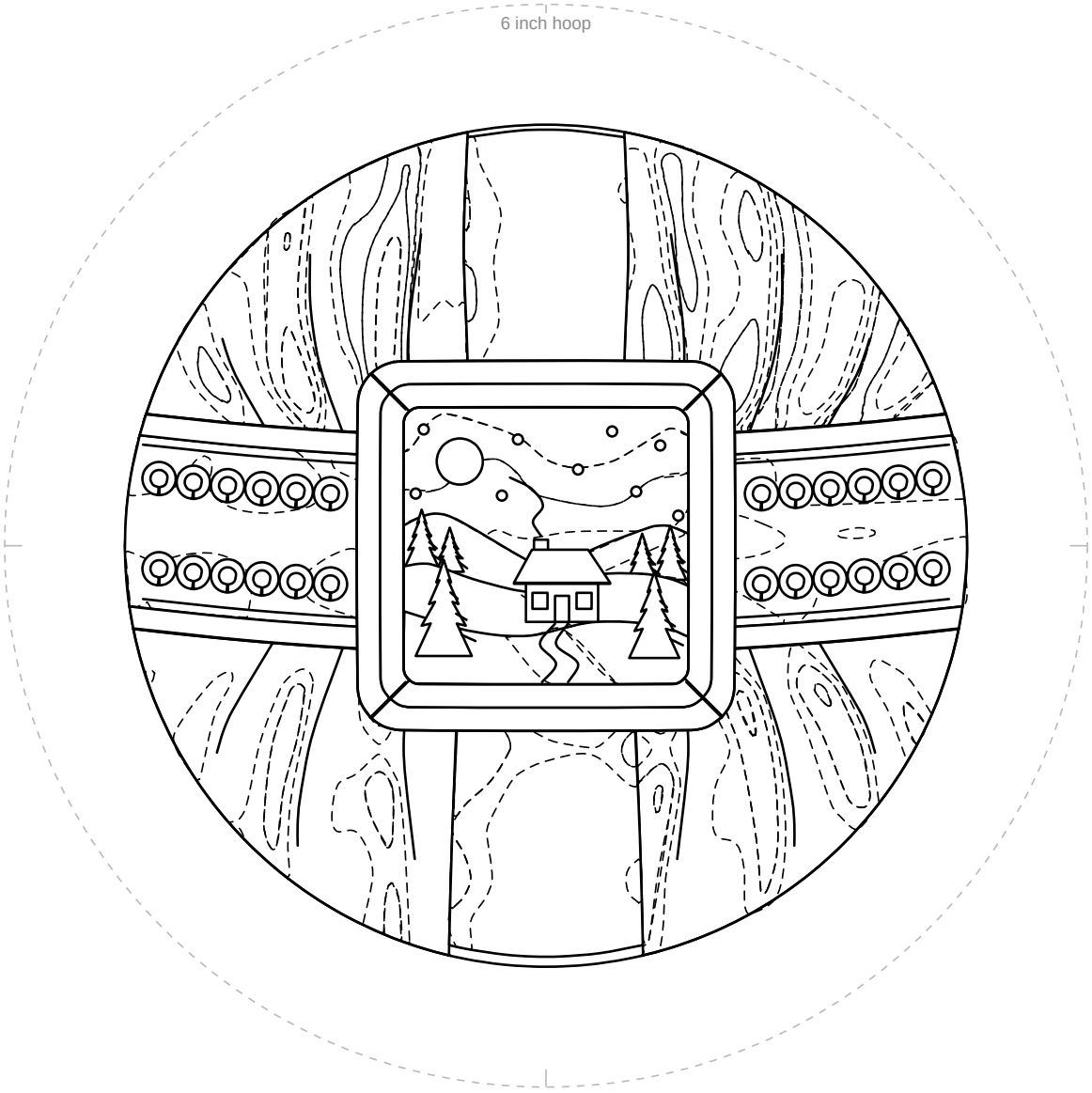
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Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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