Santa carrying a stocking in the snow

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.8 × 4.8 in (12.2 × 12.2 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Long and short stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Night sky, moon, far hills, far firs, snow slopes, firs, lane, near bank, and 6 more
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  Stars, snow on the firs, fur trim, hood tip
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Village walls, village roofs, lit windows, fir trunks, footprints, boots, and 9 more
- **Back stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Timbers, lantern, drum cord
- **Split stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Lane tracks, hood edge, stocking edge
- **Stem stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
  Lantern, little fir, round edge
- **Straight stitch**, 3 strands
  Lantern flame, little fir
- **Chain stitch**, 2 strands
  Stocking stripe
- **Turkey work**, 2 strands
  Stocking cuff

In a 6 inch hoop the widest satin stitch shape is 1/2 in (13 mm) across. Satin stitches longer than about 12 mm (just under 1/2 in) tend to work loose: divide the shape into sections, or work it in long and short stitch.

In a 6 inch hoop the French knots are drawn smaller than about 2 mm (a little over 1/16 in). Use one strand of floss for them there, or choose a larger hoop.

Floss

- **DMC 3746 Dark Blue Violet** Night sky (light), far hills (dark)
- **DMC 939 Very Dark Navy Blue**
  Firs (dark), night sky (darkest) and 6 more parts
- **DMC 791 Very Dark Cornflower Blue** Night sky (dark)
- **DMC 792 Dark Cornflower Blue**
  Night sky (middle), footprints (darker)
- **DMC 341 Light Blue Violet**
  Snow slopes (dark), far hills (middle) and 5 more parts
- **DMC 3865 Winter White**
  Lane (light), moon (middle) and 7 more parts
- **DMC 3747 Very Light Blue Violet**
  Snow slopes (middle), far hills (light) and 7 more parts
- **DMC 3756 Ultra Very Light Baby Blue**
  Lane, near bank and snow slopes (lightest) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3041 Medium Antique Violet**
  Village walls (lighter), firs and far firs (light)
- **DMC 3740 Dark Antique Violet**
  Firs (middle), boots (lighter) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3822 Light Straw**
  Lantern light (light), lit windows and 3 more parts
- **DMC 793 Medium Cornflower Blue**
  Snow slopes (darkest), round edge and 2 more parts
- **DMC 712 Cream** Lantern light (lightest) and 7 more parts
- **DMC 842 Very Light Beige Brown**
  Lantern light (darkest) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 918 Dark Red Copper** Coat and hood (light), drum (dark)
- **DMC 300 Very Dark Mahogany** Coat and hood (dark), hood edge
- **DMC 920 Medium Copper** Coat and hood (lightest), drum (middle)
- **DMC 938 Ultra Dark Coffee Brown** Coat and hood (darkest)
- **DMC 500 Very Dark Blue Green**
  Little fir, mitten, stocking heel and stocking toe (darker)
- **DMC 502 Blue Green**
  Stocking toe, mitten, little fir and stocking heel (lighter)
- **DMC 783 Medium Topaz** Lantern glass (darker), drum bands
- **DMC 321 Red** Stocking (light)
- **DMC 814 Dark Garnet** Stocking (dark), stocking edge
- **DMC 498 Dark Red** Stocking (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.

Pages 2 and 3 are the pattern at actual size. Print them at 100% with scaling turned off.

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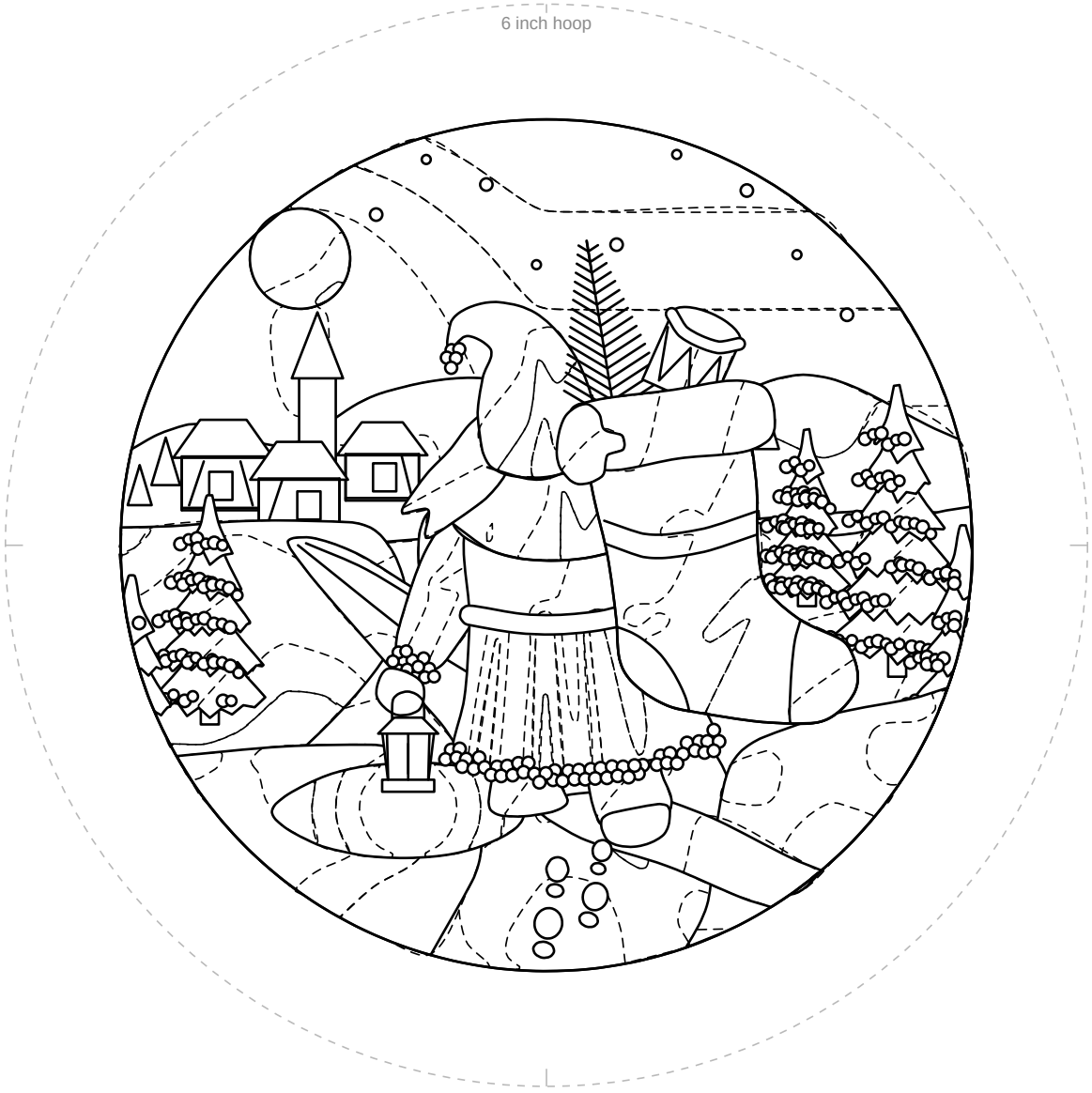

1 in
25.4 mm

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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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