# Slavic goddess with two birds

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.3 × 4.9 in (10.9 × 12.4 cm).



Which color goes where.

## Stitches

- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Cradle stems, cradle leaves, tulips, tulip hearts, boots, boot trims, base heart, skirt border, hem, skirt stripes, wheat, skirt triangles, and 34 more
- **Straight stitch**, 2 strands
  Berry stalks, lacing, crests
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  Berries, band seeds, belt beads, necklace, crown beads, crown pendants, blossom hearts, crests
- **Stem stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
  Wheat stems, vest edges, bird feet, wing edges
- **Split stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Hand lines, face edge, eyelids, brows
- **Chain stitch**, 2 strands
  Crown edge

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.

## Floss

- **DMC 815 Medium Garnet**
  Cradle stems, tree branches, bird feet and tree trunk, crests (darker) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 336 Navy Blue**
  Blue band, cradle leaves, vest, crown, skirt triangles and wings and 6 more parts
- **DMC 783 Medium Topaz**
  Wheat, tulip hearts, wing edges and base heart, sleeve bands (darker) and 17 more parts
- **DMC 347 Very Dark Salmon**
  Sleeves, birds, tulips, hem and skirt border, tail feathers (lighter) and 10 more parts
- **DMC 951 Light Tawny**
  Hands, face and neck
- **DMC 433 Medium Brown**
  Hand lines, face edge and eyelids
- **DMC 712 Cream**
  Shirt front and eyes, sleeve bands and breast feathers (lighter)
- **DMC 780 Ultra Very Dark Topaz**
  Hair, braids and brows
- **DMC 3712 Medium Salmon**
  Cheeks
- **DMC 3755 Baby Blue**
  Wing feathers

## 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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**6 inch hoop**

Print at 100% (actual size). Do not scale or fit to page. Check the square below with a ruler before you trace.




**1 in**
25.4 mm

Check square: 1 inch (25.4 mm) on each side.
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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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