Small Texas bluebonnet sprig

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 3 × 4.1 in (7.6 × 10.4 cm).



Which color goes where.

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 3362 Dark Pine Green**
  Leaves (darker), stems and leaf stalks
- **DMC 3364 Pine Green**
  Leaves (lighter), calyx
- **DMC 341 Light Blue Violet**
  Banner petals (lighter), wing petals (light), young florets, white tips (darker)
- **DMC 3865 Winter White**
  White tips and petal flecks (lighter)
- **DMC 799 Medium Delft Blue**
  Banner petals (darker), wing petals (middle)
- **DMC 820 Very Dark Royal Blue**
  Wing petals (dark), ladybug line, ladybug legs, ladybug spots and ladybug head
- **DMC 817 Very Dark Coral Red**
  Ladybug wings, petal flecks (darker)

Stitches

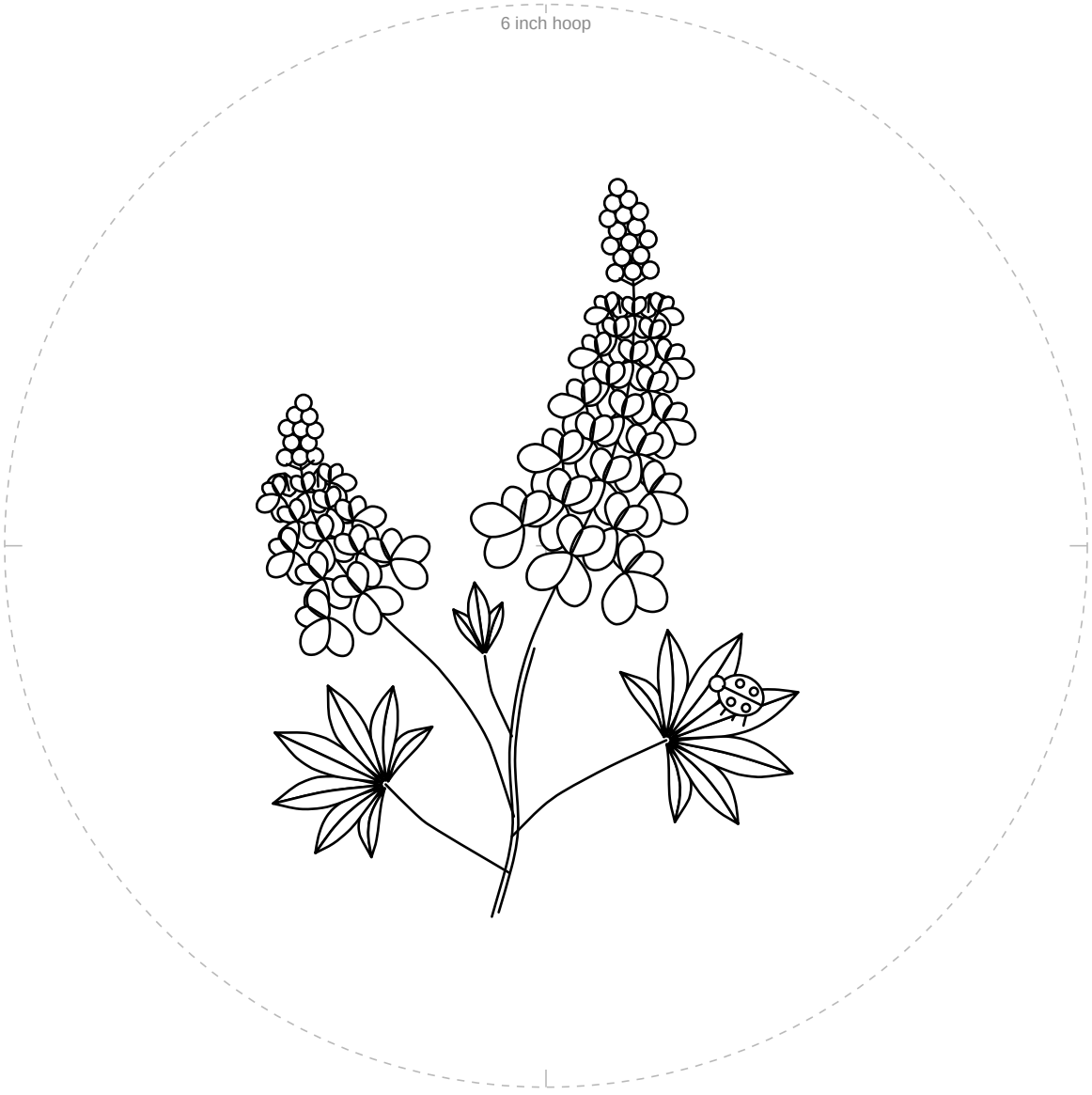
- **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Leaves
- **Stem stitch**, 2 to 4 strands
  Leaf stalks, stems
- **Lazy daisy stitch**, 3 strands
  Young florets
- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Young florets, petal flecks, calyx, ladybug legs, ladybug line
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Banner petals, wing petals, ladybug wings
- **French knot**, 1 to 3 strands, two wraps
  White tips, ladybug head, ladybug spots

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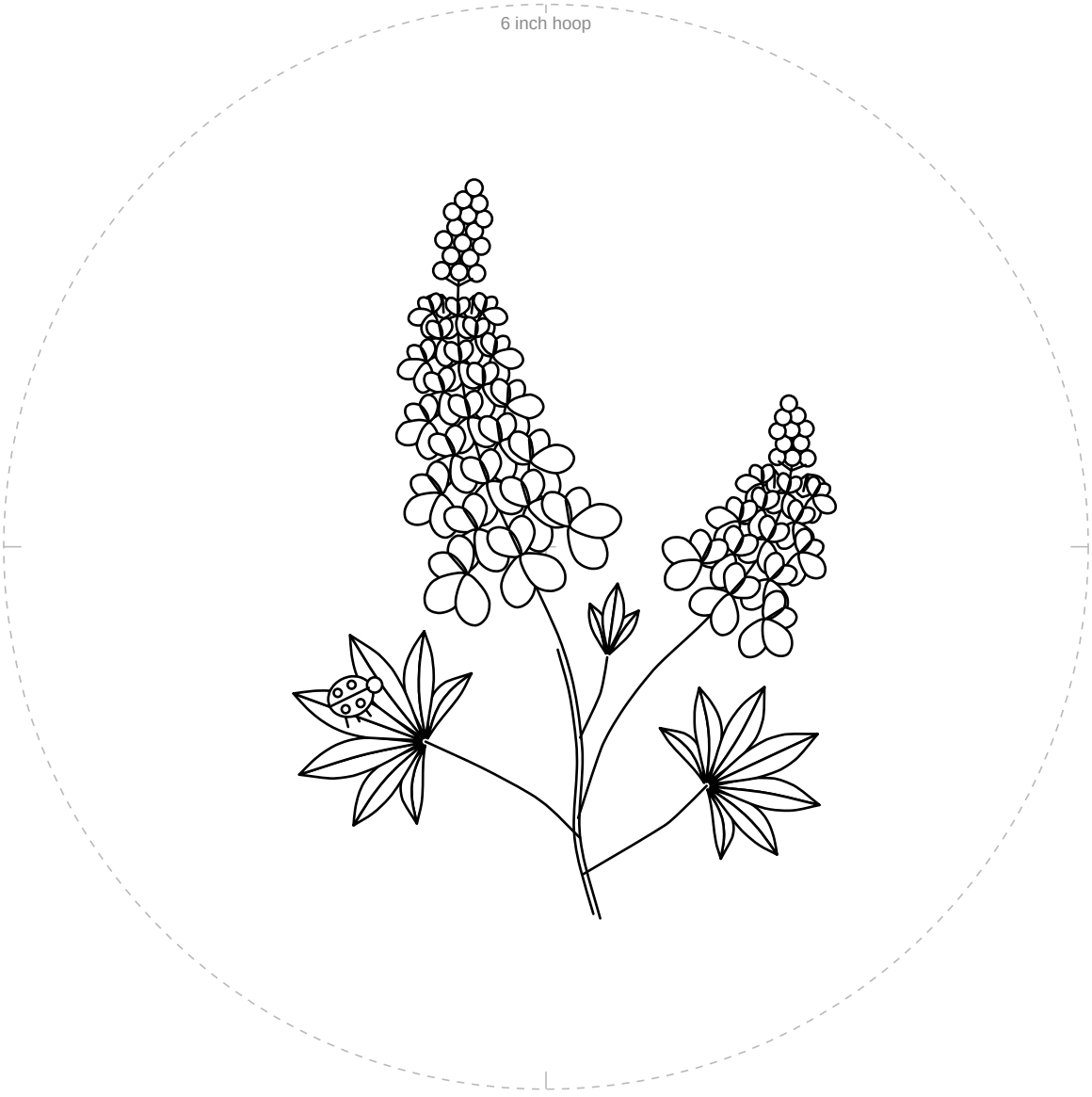
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Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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