Easy soup bowl border for an apron

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.6 × 2.4 in (11.7 × 6.1 cm).



Which color goes where.

Floss

- **DMC 336 Navy Blue**
  Bowl outlines, cloth edge, handles, scallops and bowl petals and 3 more parts
- **DMC BLANC White**
  Bowls, bowl rims and cream
- **DMC 334 Medium Baby Blue**
  Checks, steam and bowl shadows, bowl stripes (lighter)
- **DMC 471 Very Light Avocado Green**
  Soup (middle), basil leaves and soup leaves (lighter)
- **DMC 742 Light Tangerine**
  Soup (light)
- **DMC 321 Red**
  Tomatoes, steam hearts, hem knots and bowl hearts, soup (dark)
- **DMC 987 Dark Forest Green**
  Thyme leaves, tomato tops and thyme stems, basil leaves (darker) and 3 more parts

Stitches

- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Handles, bowl feet, bowls, bowl shadows, bowl stripes, bowl rims, soup, bowl petals, bowl hearts, bowl leaves, cream, soup leaves, steam, and 5 more
- **Stem stitch**, 2 to 4 strands
  Bowl outlines, tomato outlines, tomato tops, thyme stems, cloth edge, scallops
- **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
  Peas, hem knots
- **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Basil leaves

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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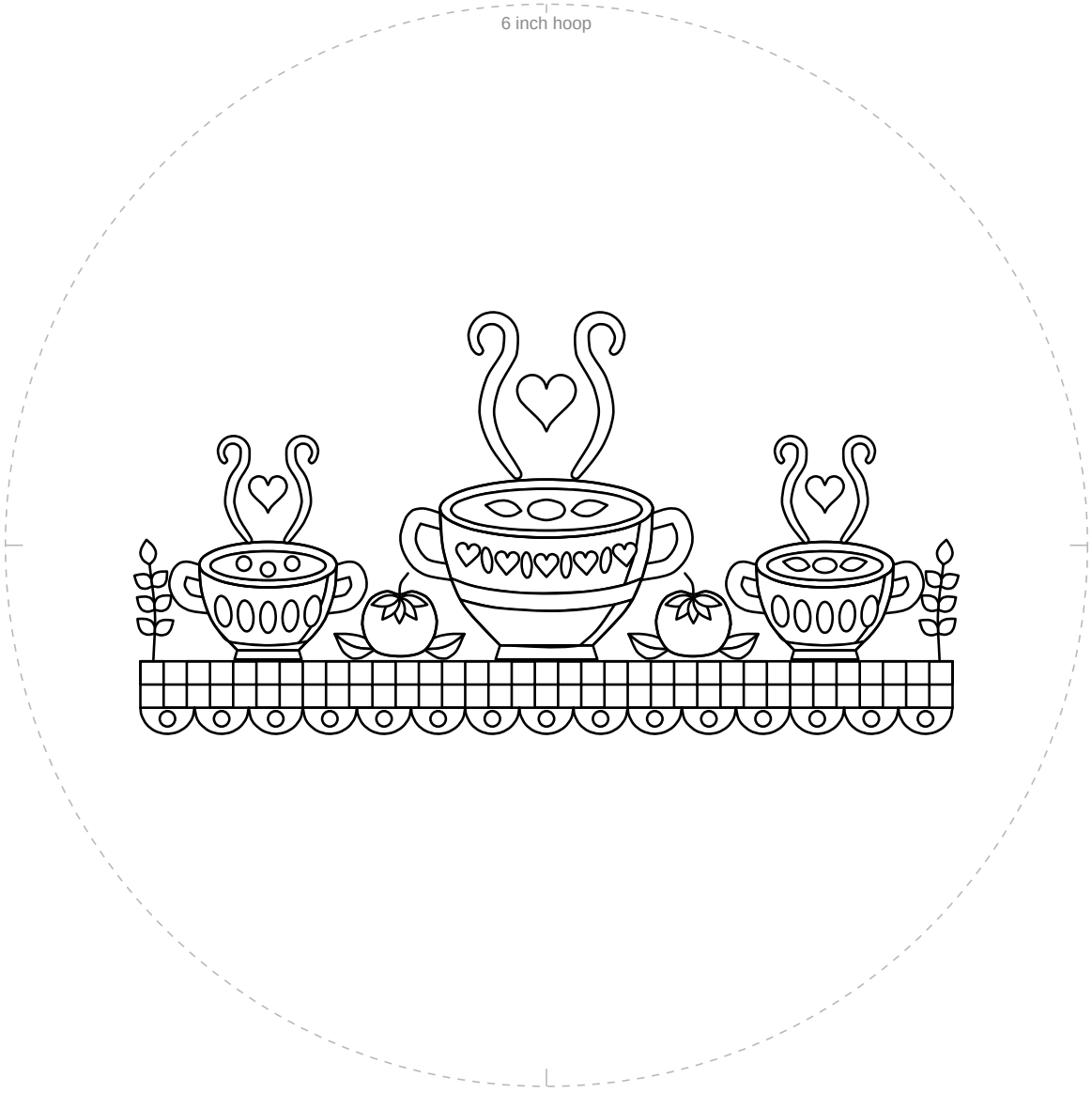

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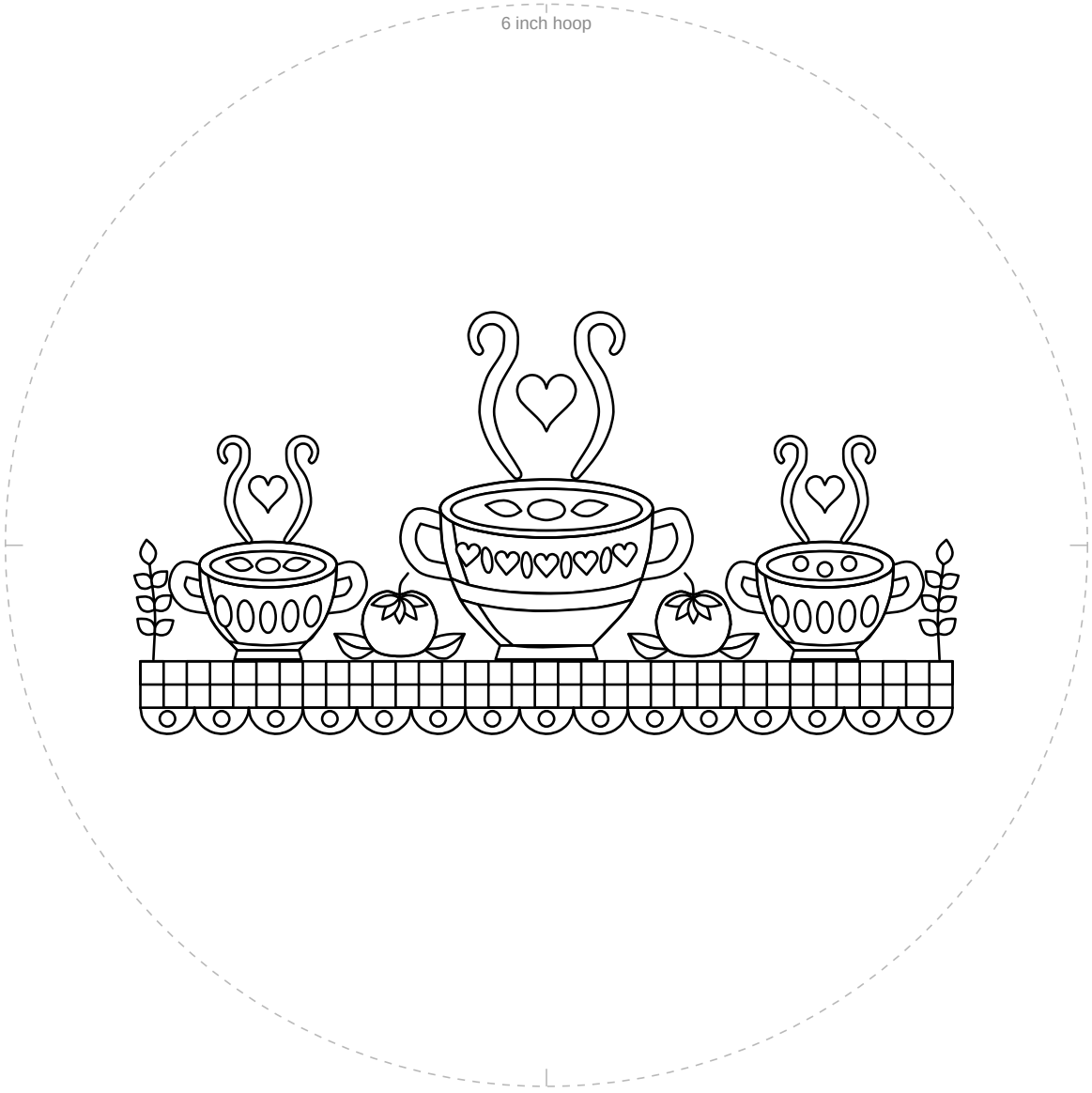
Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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