Easy sun conure parrot with a hibiscus

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 3.5 × 3.4 in (8.9 × 8.6 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 921 Copper**
  Twig, belly and rump and flower heart, petal veins and tail feathers (darker)
- **DMC 703 Chartreuse**
  Leaves, wing edges, tail edges, flower stalk and leaf stalks
- **DMC 3705 Dark Melon**
  Hibiscus petals, petal veins (lighter)
- **DMC 712 Cream**
  Bill edge, eye ring and eye light, flower column (lighter)
- **DMC 725 Medium Light Topaz**
  Head and back, shoulder and wing coverts, flower column (darker)
- **DMC 740 Tangerine**
  Cheek and breast and wing feathers, tail feathers (lighter)
- **DMC 310 Black**
  Feet, bill and eye

Stitches

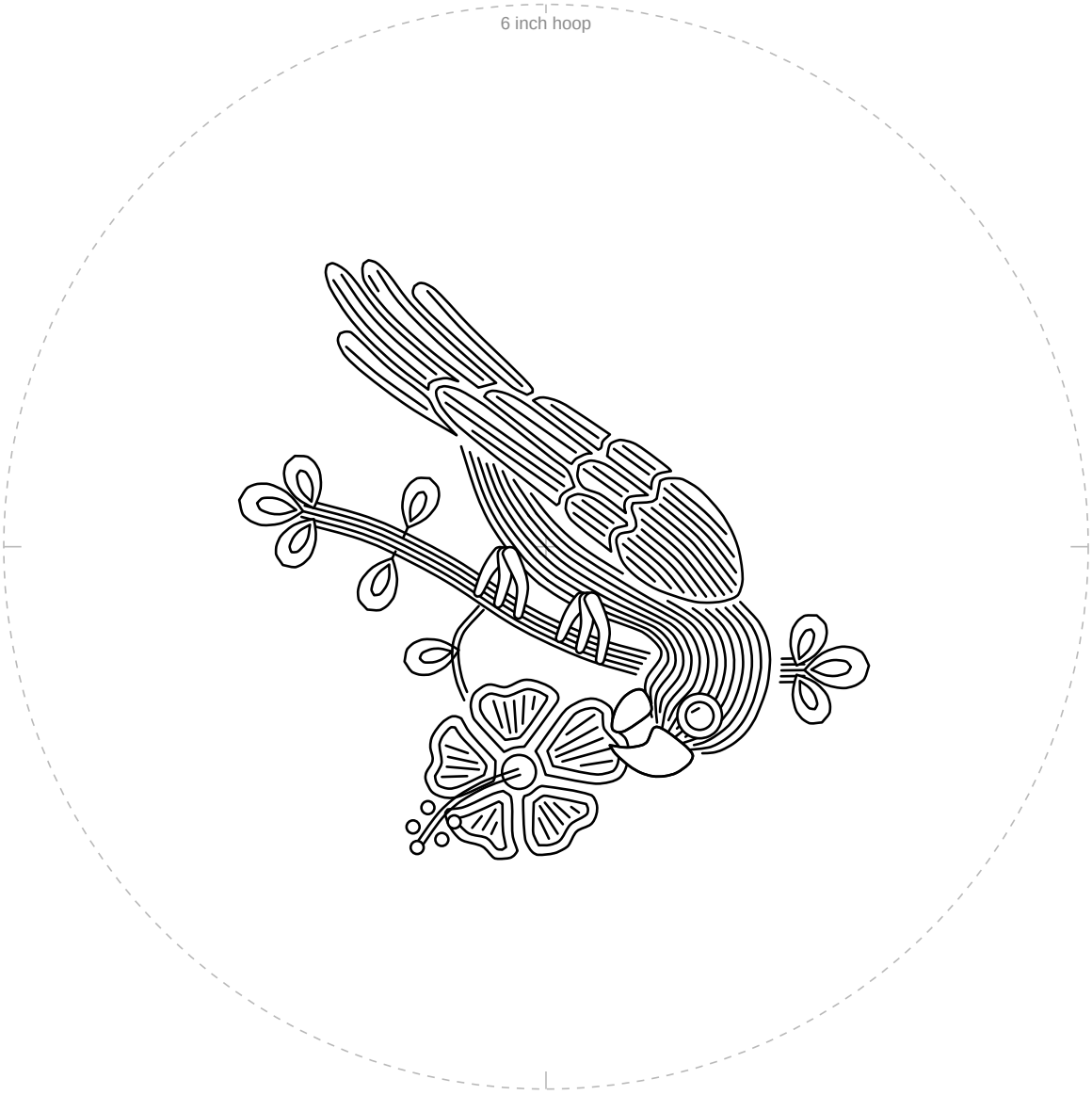
- **Stem stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Twig, leaf stalks, flower stalk, petal veins, flower column, tail edges, wing edges, bill edge
- **Lazy daisy stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
  Leaves
- **Chain stitch**, 2 strands
  Hibiscus petals, tail feathers, cheek and breast, belly and rump, head and back, wing feathers, wing coverts, shoulder
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Flower heart, feet, bill, eye ring, eye
- **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
  Flower column
- **Straight stitch**, 3 strands
  Eye light

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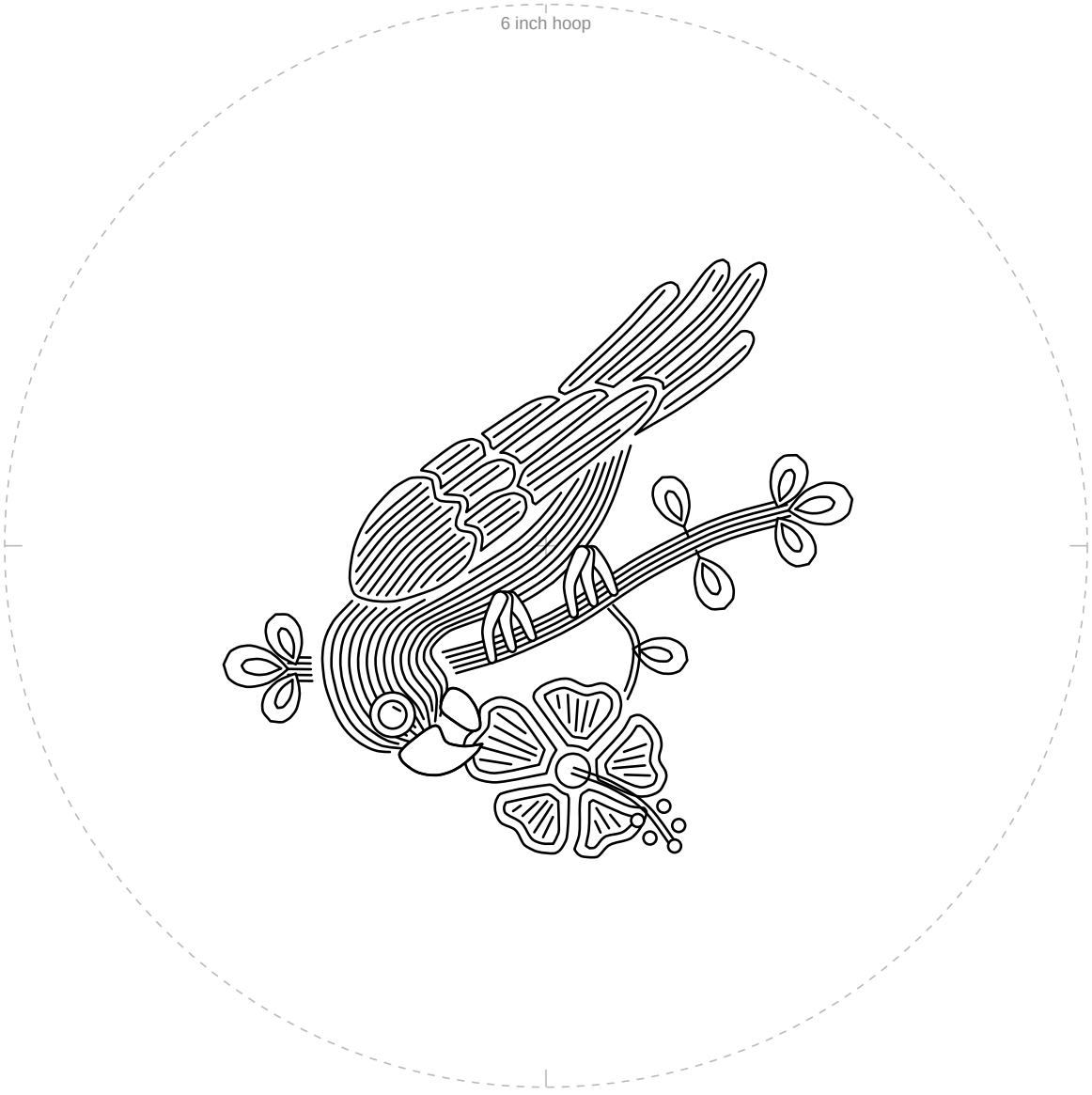
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Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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