Wizard of Oz silver shoes

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



Which color goes where: by number on page 2.
Fabric: indigo cotton or linen.

Stitch in this order

Filled parts from the back of the picture forward, then lines and knots.

1. **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
   Bricks, poppy buds, bud sepals, poppy hearts, daisy petals, daisy hearts, grass, linings, soles, heel tips, bows, bow loops, buckles, and 2 more
2. **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
   Leaves
3. **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
   Poppy petals, heels, shoes
4. **Chain stitch**, 3 strands
   Rim
5. **Stem stitch**, strands by part on page 2
   Stems, leaves, toplines, back seams
6. **Straight stitch**, 2 strands
   Star rays, sparks
7. **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
   Poppy stamens, daisy hearts

Floss

- **1 DMC 3821 Straw** Bricks (lightest), buckles
- **2 DMC 782 Dark Topaz** Bricks (darkest)
- **3 DMC 3820 Dark Straw**
  Bricks (light), rim, daisy hearts, star rays and sparks
- **4 DMC 3852 Very Dark Straw**
  Bricks (dark), buckle centers
- **5 DMC 3363 Medium Pine Green**
  Stems, leaves and grass (dark)
- **6 DMC 989 Forest Green**
  Leaves and grass (light), bud sepals (lighter)
- **7 DMC 3364 Pine Green**
  Leaves and grass (middle), poppy hearts, bud sepals (darker)
- **8 DMC 321 Red**
  Poppy petals (dark), linings (lighter), poppy buds
- **9 DMC 815 Medium Garnet**
  Linings (darker), poppy petals (darkest)
- **10 DMC 350 Medium Coral** Poppy petals (light)
- **11 DMC 351 Coral** Poppy petals (lightest)
- **12 DMC 3799 Very Dark Pewter Gray**
  Soles, poppy stamens and heel tips
- **13 DMC B5200 Snow White**
  Daisy petals, stars and toplines (lighter), shoes and heels (lightest)
- **14 DMC 762 Very Light Pearl Gray**
  Shoes and heels (light), daisy petals (darker)
- **15 DMC 415 Pearl Gray**
  Shoes (middle light), stars and toplines (darker), heels (middle)
- **16 DMC 318 Light Steel Gray**
  Shoes (middle dark), heels (dark)
- **17 DMC 414 Dark Steel Gray**
  Shoes (dark), back seams, heels (darkest)
- **18 DMC 317 Pewter Gray** Shoes (darkest)
- **19 DMC 932 Light Antique Blue** Bows (middle)
- **20 DMC 931 Medium Antique Blue**
  Bows (dark), bow loops
- **21 DMC 3753 Ultra Very Light Antique Blue**
  Bows (light)

Three ways onto dark fabric

1. **Light shines through it**
   Lay page 3 on a bright light box, tape the fabric over it and trace the lines with a white marking pencil or pen.
2. **No light shines through**
   Print page 3 on a sticky wash-away sheet, smooth it onto fabric that can be washed, stitch through both and rinse it away.
3. **White or yellow carbon paper**
   Lay it colored side down on the fabric with page 3 on top, tape the layers and trace firmly with a ballpoint pen. Go over a faint line with a white pencil.

Page 3 is the pattern at actual size (page 4 is its mirror, for an iron-on pen on a light fabric). Print it at 100% with scaling turned off. Then put the fabric in the hoop: inner ring under, drawing up, tight as a drum.

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6 inch hoop

How to read it

Floss is six strands. Cut 18 inches (45 cm), pull out the number given one at a time, and lay them together.

Inside a filled shape start with two or three tiny stitches, which the filling covers. Start a line with a small knot on the back. End each thread by running the needle under the backs of a few stitches.

Each small ring is one French knot. A fine broken line inside a shape is where two shades meet: trace it, do not stitch it.

A number on the picture is a color of the list of floss on page 1. The fine lines on the colors show which way the stitches lie.

Every stitch in pictures: flossfield.com/embroidery/stitches. The first time: flossfield.com/embroidery/guides/how-to-start.



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How many strands

Stem stitch. 2 or 3 strands: stems, toplines; 1 strand: leaves, back seams.

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Print at 100% and check the square below with a ruler. Fold the fabric in four: the folds meet the four ticks of the ring.



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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