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Anchor Stranded Cotton 8m No. 4635000- #(Colour n°)













N° 5



20x20cm

Flower field

MATERIALS

• natural (unbleached) cotton fabric 30x30cm

TOOLS

• scissors

INSTRUCTIONS PREPARATION

Print out and transfer the pattern template to your fabric.

Use 3 strands of the 6strands of embroidery floss throughout the entire pattern unless stated otherwise.

FLOWER #1

Use stem stitch in dark green (879) to embroider the stem of the plant. Then make the little pink petals by embroidering short satin stitches in light pink (31) and dark pink (35). You can mix and match the colors as you like. I made some petals light pink only, then some in dark pink and some half and half.

FLOWER #2

With stem stitch in dark green (879) embroider the stem of the flower. Then add the leaves with the same dark green in satin stitch. Always make the longest stitch first, then stitch each side. This makes the leaves look more symmetrical than working from one side to the other. To make the leaves more interesting, add 3 stitches in turquoise (187) at the base of each leaf. To make the flower, split stitch around all the lines of the petals in light pink (31). Then add the pistils with pistil stitch in light yellow (292).

FLOWER #3

The greenery on this flower is worked the same way as flower #2. Use dark green (879) and stem stitch for all the stem parts. Then add the leaves in satin stitch in dark green (879). Use the medium green (877) for the 3 stitches at the base of each leaf.

To make the flower, first use yellow (297) and satin stitch to work the circle right at the top of the

flower. Then, use pistil stitch in the same color to embroider the pistils. Fill out the pink petals by using the encroaching satin stitch. Blend the 3 pinks (31, 33, 35) from the darkest to the lightest, starting at the bottom of the petals. I made one row of dark pink, then one row of the medium pink and filled the rest of the space with the light pink thread.

FLOWER #4

First, embroider the stems with the medium green (877) in stem stitch. Then, add the thin leafy bits by using 1 strand of embroidery floss in the same color. Set each leaf very close to the previous one without them touching each other.

For the flowers, make the petals first. Use the full 6 strands of light yellow (292) in satin stitch to embroider across the entire length of the petals. Fill out all of the petal shapes. Then, use 3 strands of yellow (297) and make two long stitches over the already stitched petals. For the outline, use stem stitch to work around all of the petals in yellow (297).

The last step is adding lots of french knots to the top area. Use yellow (297) for this. To add a bit of shading, mix the light yellow and yellow threads occasionally. For example 2 strands of yellow plus one strand of light yellow. This is optional but I find that for such a large shape entirely stitched in french knots, you can have a bit fun with the colors at least.

FLOWER #5

This flower ist stitch almost the same way as flower #1. Embroider the stems in the same way.

Then use medium pink (33) for the petals. In this case, embroider over each petal 3 times to make it look more fluffy/textured. If you are not tired of french knots yet, you an add a french knot in the middle of each tiny flower in a color you like (light yellow and light pink would work great for this).

FLOWER #6

Embroider the stems with stem stitch in turquoise (187). Use the satin stitch for the leaves in the same color. Then, stitch the outer petals with yellow (297) first. Each petal consists of 2-3 stitches worked over the exact same line. Then, add the light yellow (292) parts by embroidering from side to side over the center. This should look like a little star when it is finished.

FLOWER #7

For this little twig, use dark green (879) and stem stitch for the stem and embroider the leaves in satin stitch.

FLOWER #8

Embroider the stem just like for flower #7. Then make 2 short stitches in dark green (879) for the leaves. To make the round flower head, use light yellow (292) and stitch both circles with french knots.

FLOWER #9

For this small flower, embroider the stems in stem stitch using the color turquoise (187). Then add the pistils with pistil stitch in yellow (297)

FLOWER #10

Using the medium green (877), outline the shape and stem using stem stitch. Then, fill the area in between with light yellow (292) in satin stitch.

FLOWER #11

For the last flower, use turquoise (187) for the stem and leaves. The stem is done in stem stitch and the leaves are embroidered with satin stitch. Sprinkle on some french knots in dark pink (35).







WASHING INSTRUCTIONS

All our threads are produced in accordance with Oeko-Tex standards. PH values are tested and all our colour dye lots adhere to Global fastness standards.

However, it is important to follow our thread washing instructions. Particularly with dark colors, excess dye can remain on the thread. To minimise any potential bleeding of excess dyestuff it is important to wash the products in THE HOTTEST TEMPERATURE possible, in accordance with the specifications of the fabrics, and use a large amount of water. Please make sure that you also follow the fabric washing instructions where appropriate. As a precaution, you can also use decolorating sheets that you can find in any supermarket.











FLOWERS NUMBERS



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