

Cherry Blossom



Approximate Framed Area 14.3ins x 9.5ins (36cm x 24cm)

**This Blackwork design pack contains chart and instructions
This design can be stitched on 14 count Aida or 28 count Evenweave**



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Cross Stitch in:

■	Black	310
♡	Gold	Blending Filament
✂	Pewter Grey vy dk	3799
✦	Dark Grey	3799 + 310

Back Stitch in:

—————	Black	310
—————	Gold	Blending Filament
—————	Pewter Grey vy dk	3799
—————	Dark Grey	3799 + 310
—————	Steel Grey dk	414
—————	Topaz + Black	Gold Blending Filament + 310

The blending filament used is Gold 7 in the Madeira Glissengloss range.

Additional Information

When sorting the DMC threads please note that the DMC colours used in this design are as follows:-

310 --- Black
3799----Dark Grey
414-----Medium Grey

Cherry Blossom Stitching Notes

Approximate Design Size 14.3 INS x 9.5 ins (36cms x 24cms)

This design can be stitched on 14 count aida or 27/28 count evenweave over 2 x 2 threads and is stitched in Blackwork (worked in backstich or stab- stitch) and cross-stitch .

The 4 small arrows, one appearing at the edge of each of 4 pages of the chart, are to enable you to centre the design on your fabric. Please note that to make moving from 1 page of the chart to another easier there is a 2 line shaded overlap on pages 2-4, where the adjoining 2 lines from the previous page are duplicated

General

In the Blackwork part of the design the thicker lines, usually outlines are stitched in 2 strands of the appropriate colour, the thinner lines e.g. the infill patterns are stitched in 1 strand. Where darker lines appear over the infill pattern e.g. on the ladies' sleeves these should be put in after the underlying infill pattern is completed.

Cross-stitches are in 2 strands of the thread shown in the key. Where a half-stitch is used a diagonal line is shown across the square with the appropriate symbol behind it.

Where a shade other than Black is used in the Blackwork part of this design, instructions for each section are given below

Lady on the right.

The infill design on her underskirt is in 1 strand of DMC 3799.



Lady kneeling on the left.

The infill pattern of her gown is in 1 strand of DMC 3799.



The infill pattern on her sash or obi is stitched in 1 strand of Gold blending filament and 1 strand of DMC 310..



The infill pattern on the cuffs of her sleeves is in 1 strand of DMC 414 .

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The cherry blossom appearing at the top right hand of the design should be stitched in 1 or 2 strands of DMC 3799 depending on the thickness of the line.







