

Blackwork Dragonfly

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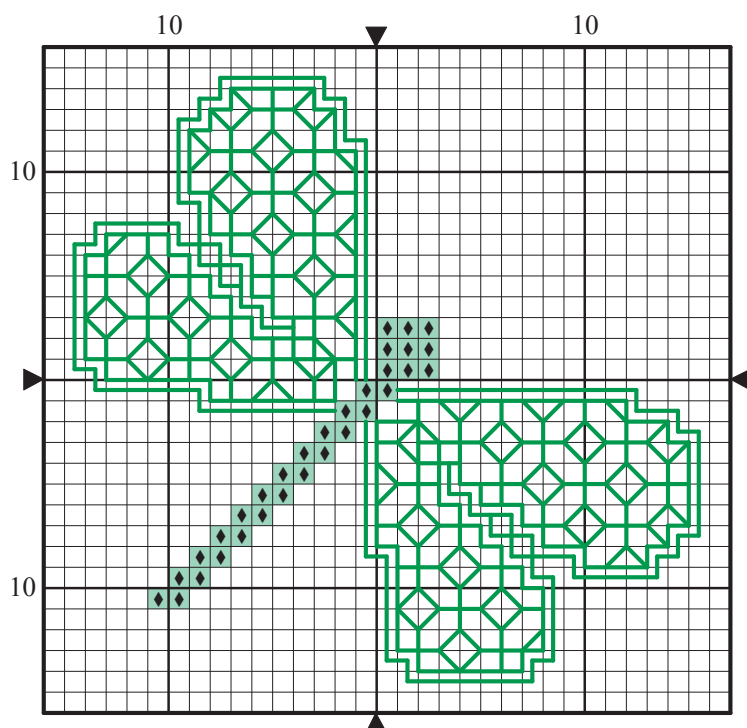
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Want to try your hand at blackwork? Well, this is the place to start! Using just one colour, you can create this beautiful and intricate dragonfly in no time at all.

We thought this little one would be great company for a pretty plant. Just back your project with iron-on interfacing, trim to shape, then fix to a stick (like a lollystick or wooden rod) to make a plant poke.

(Design by Rhona Norrie, originally appeared in issue 251 of *The World of Cross Stitching*).

For more spring-themed designs, check out *The World of Cross Stitching* issue 291 (March 2020), which goes on sale 24 January 2020.



Blackwork Dragonfly key

✕ Cross stitch in two strands

	DMC	Anchor	Madeira	
◆	943	188	1203	emerald

✕ Backstitch in one strand

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STITCH COUNT 30 high x 31 wide

DESIGN AREA 14 HPI (28-count evenweave) – 5.5x5.5cm (2¼x2¼in)

This design was stitched using DMC stranded cotton