

EASTER EGG ORNAMENT

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DESIGN SIZE: 37W X 51H

MATERIALS NEEDED:

- Kreinik Very Fine (#4) Braid 091 Star Yellow
- Kreinik Fine (#8) Braid 094 Star Blue
- Kreinik Cord 001C Silver
- Kreinik 1/8" Ribbon 195 Sunburst
- DMC embroidery floss in white, 989, 3716
- Mill Hill Glass Seed Beads #00145 Pink
- Kreinik Custom Corder for making trims
- 3-inch oval Stik N Puffs for finishing
- 28-ct Antique White Alma Cloth from Wichelt, two 8" x 8" cuts

INSTRUCTIONS:

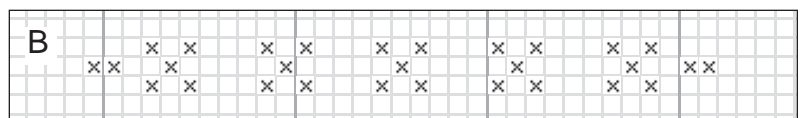
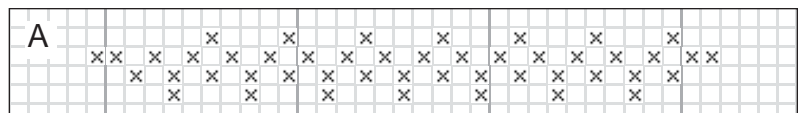
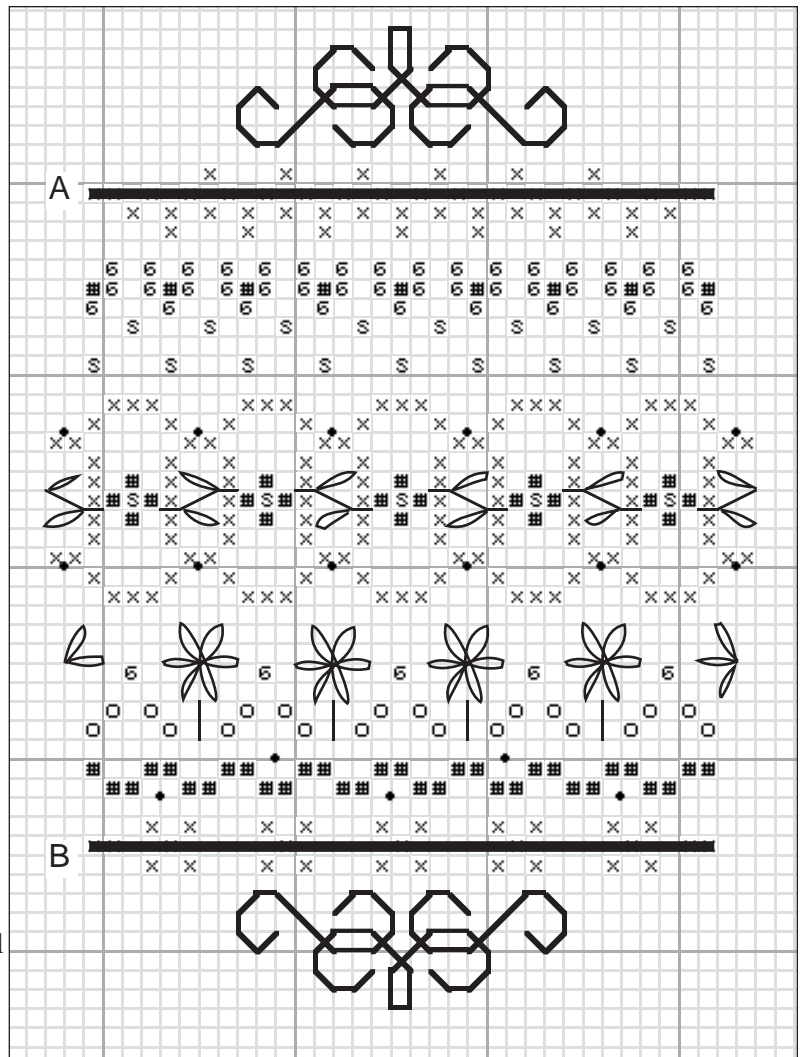
Each square on the chart equals two fabric threads. Work all stitches as per chart/color key. When couching flourishes of Star Blue, work twin scrolls first, then couch center scroll over the top.

To make the laid threads for couching the horizontal bands, twist six 12-inch lengths of Very Fine (#4) Braid 091 Star Yellow using the Kreinik Custom Corder. Repeat twice to make two lengths, following manufacturer's instructions that come with the corder. The outer trim is also made using this tool, by twisting together five 36-inch lengths of Kreinik 1/8" Ribbon 195 Sunburst.

When stitching and trim are complete, use pattern and instructions provided with Stik N Puffs to finish ornament. Hanger is an 8-inch length of 1/8" Ribbon 195 Sunburst. Ornament is backed with the remaining Stik N Puff and unworked Alma Cloth.

COLOR KEY:

- ✕ DMC white (4 strands)
- DMC 989 (one strand)
- ⊞ DMC 3716 (2 strands)
- ⊚ #4 Braid 091 (one strand)
- French Knot with #8 Braid 094 (one strand, wrap once)
- Mill Hill pink seed bead (attach with two strands DMC 3716)
- ▨ Couching flourishes: lay one strand #8 Braid 094 and couch with Cord 001C (one strand)
- ▩ Couching horizontal lines: lay 6-strand-twisted #4 Braid 091 and couch with DMC white cross stitches (4 strands)
see diagrams A & B for detail on where to place couching cross stitches
- Work lazy daisy stitches, straight stitches, and backstitch with DMC 989 (one strand)



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