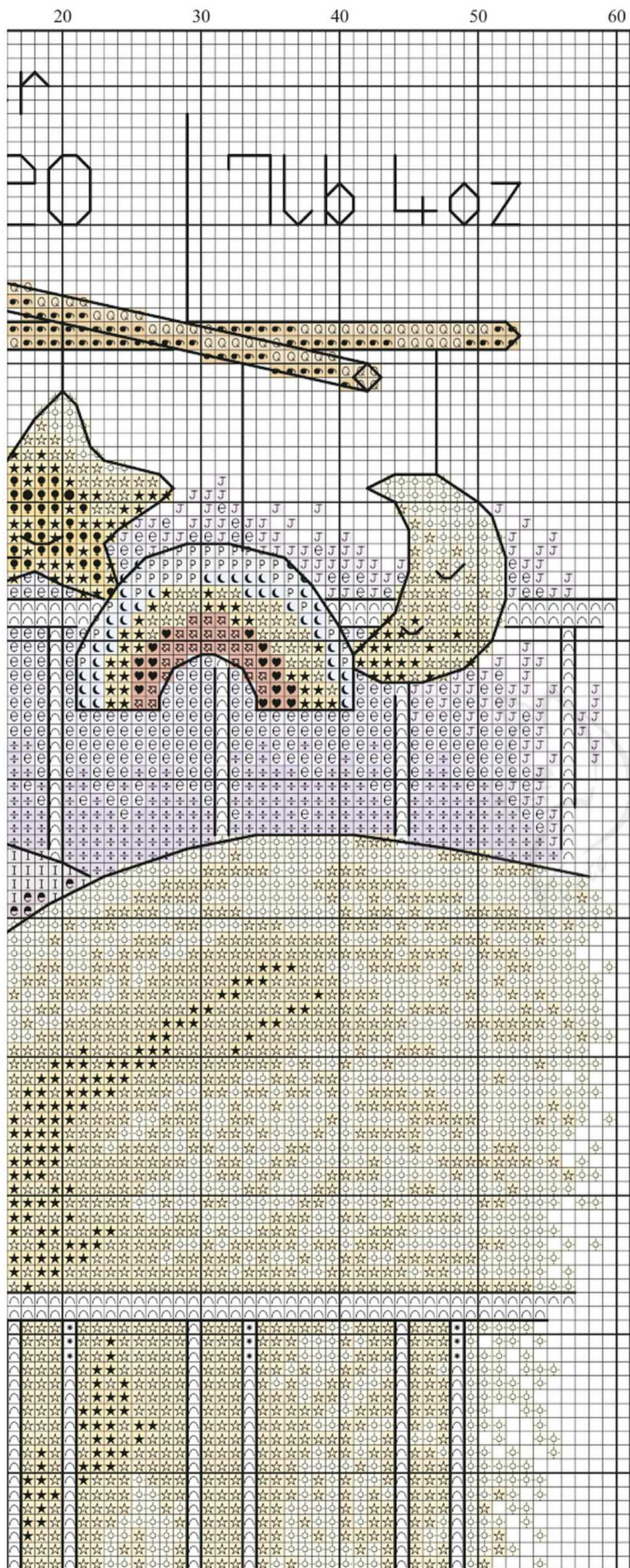


Bear Birth Sampler chart (top left)



Bear Birth Sampler chart (top right)

## Bear Birth Sampler key

### ✕ Cross stitch in two strands

|   | DMC   | Anchor | Madeira |                  |
|---|-------|--------|---------|------------------|
| ∩ | blanc | 2      | 2402    | white            |
| w | 224   | 894    | 813     | shell pink       |
| A | 225   | 271    | 814     | light shell pink |
| ♥ | 350   | 11     | 213     | dark coral       |
| ☒ | 351   | 10     | 214     | coral            |
| ☛ | 415   | 398    | 1802    | grey             |
| ● | 436   | 1045   | 2011    | tan              |
| Q | 437   | 362    | 2012    | light tan        |
| s | 712   | 926    | 2101    | cream            |
| b | 739   | 366    | 2014    | dark cream       |
| ☉ | 743   | 302    | 113     | dark yellow      |
| ★ | 744   | 301    | 112     | yellow           |
| ☆ | 745   | 300    | 111     | light yellow     |
| ◊ | 746   | 275    | 2511    | v light yellow   |
| * | 762   | 234    | 1709    | light grey       |
| ☼ | 840   | 1084   | 1912    | dk mink brown    |
| ▬ | 841   | 1082   | 1911    | mink brown       |
| K | 842   | 1080   | 1910    | lt mink brown    |
| x | 3033  | 391    | 1908    | beige            |
| ● | 3042  | 871    | 2612    | antique mauve    |
| ☾ | 3325  | 129    | 907     | powder blue      |
| I | 3743  | 870    | 2611    | lt antique mauve |
| ■ | 3799  | 236    | 1713    | charcoal grey    |
| P | 3841  | 9159   | 1001    | baby blue        |

### ✕ Half cross stitch in two strands

|   |    |     |      |            |
|---|----|-----|------|------------|
| e | 25 | 342 | 801  | lilac      |
| ÷ | 26 | 108 | 2711 | purple     |
| J | 27 | 869 | 1804 | mauve grey |

### ✕ Backstitch in one strand

|   |      |     |      |               |
|---|------|-----|------|---------------|
| — | 3799 | 236 | 1713 | charcoal grey |
|---|------|-----|------|---------------|

### ✕ French knots in one strand

|   |      |     |      |               |
|---|------|-----|------|---------------|
| ● | 3799 | 236 | 1713 | charcoal grey |
|---|------|-----|------|---------------|

**STITCH COUNT** 127 high x 120 wide

**DESIGN AREA** 14 HPI (28-count evenweave) – 23x22cm (9x8¾in)

**SKEINS NEEDED** 2x745 (light yellow)

**ILLUSTRATION CONVERTED BY** Fiona Baker

**STITCHED BY** Sheila Webb

This design was stitched using DMC stranded cotton

“I like to stitch birth samplers for my friends’ new babies, but have to be careful not to go too big on one design or I will need to go big on all of them. This size is perfect. I can just imagine this sweet little bear displayed on a nursery wall.”



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