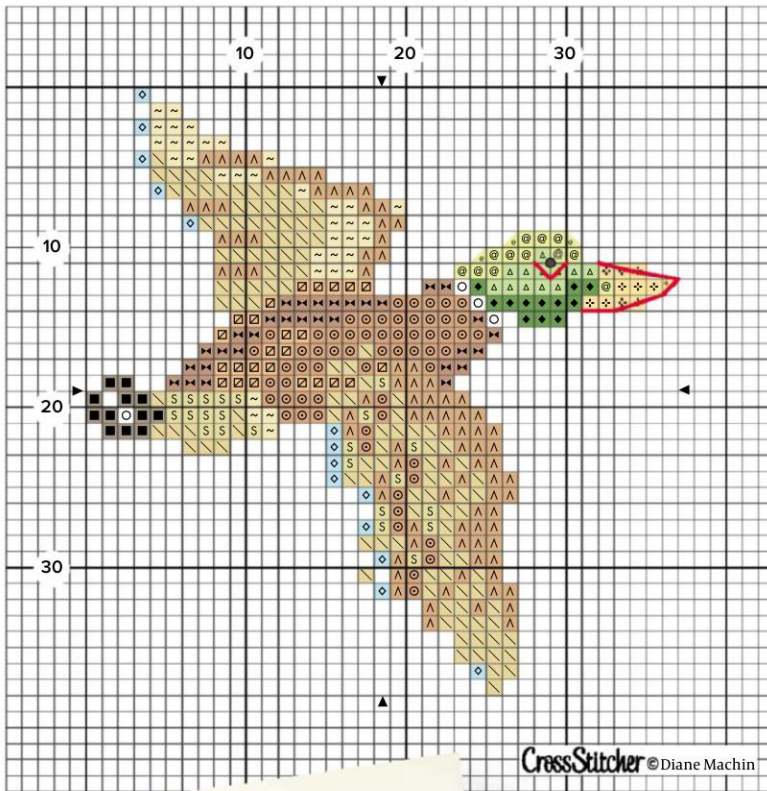


DUCKS IN A ROW



Materials

- 28 count antique white Brittny evenweave, ref. 3270/101; 23x23cm (9x9in); 20x20cm (8x8in); 18x18cm (7x7in)
 - Stranded cotton as listed in the key
 - Size 24 tapestry needle
 - Wooden embroidery hoops; 15cm (6in), 13cm (5in) and 10cm (4in) diameter
- For stockist details see page 86

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Cross stitch in two strands

●●	300	357	2304
⊙⊙	301	1049	2306
◀▶	400	351	2305
D D	728	305	108
S S	733	280	1611
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◆◆	904	258	1413
△△	906	256	1411
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✦✦	972	298	107
■ ■	3021	905	1904
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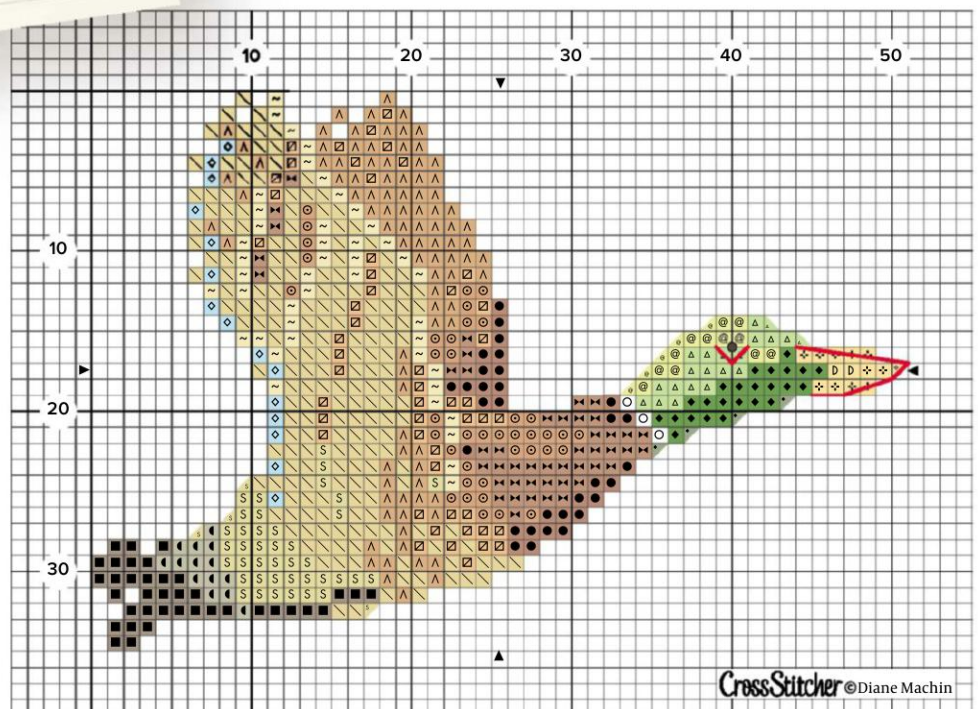
Backstitch in one strand

—	3021	905	1904
	beaks, eyes		

French knots in one strand

●	3021	905	1904
	eyes		

For a different look, switch to a dark grey thread colour throughout and stitch all three ducks in silhouette instead!





How to... frame your work in a hoop

Step 1



TRIM your stitching and a fabric piece into a circle slightly larger than your hoop. Place the inside hoop beneath the two pieces and the outer hoop on top. Centre and press over your work. Pull taut and tighten the screw.

Step 2



TURN your stitching to the reverse and cut a piece of felt to fit inside the inner circle. Place the felt inside the hoop. You can use a bit of fabric glue to keep it in place. The felt will pad your stitching, and stop anything showing through.

Step 3



USE a glue gun or double-sided tape to begin attaching the first layer of fabric, pulling taut as you go. Repeat for the second layer. Cut a second felt layer to fit over the back of your hoop. Secure with glue or small neat stitches.

Designed by: Diane Machin

Stitch count: 35 high x 51 wide; 29 high x 45 wide; 38 high x 37 wide

Design size: 9x6cm (3½x2½in); 5x8cm (2x3¼in); 8x7cm (3¼x2¾in)

Stitch time: 10 hours for all three

These designs were stitched on 28 count evenweave over two threads of fabric.

