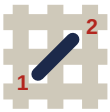
Art Deco palm tree

Needlepoint pattern | 72 x 72 stitches | 4 x 4 in (10.2 x 10.2 cm) on 18 mesh | 16 colors



How to stitch it



1. Each square is one tent stitch, up at 1, down at 2. Lines in continental, right to left, the canvas upside down for the next row; wide areas in basketweave.
2. Cut 18 in of thread. Start and end it without a knot left behind.
3. Mark the middle of the canvas. It is the outlined square, column 36, row 36 (DMC 3371): start there. Count threads, not holes.
4. Go on from it: picture first, background last. End the thread before crossing another color.
5. Last, two more rows all round in DMC 3371: the board's edge hides them.

First time? How to needlepoint: flossfield.com/needlepoint/guides/how-to-start/
How to read a chart: flossfield.com/needlepoint/guides/how-to-read-a-chart/

What you need

Canvas: blank mono canvas, 18 mesh (18 threads to the inch), cut 8.5 in square (21.6 cm).

Needle: blunt tapestry, size 22. Also masking tape for the cut edges, and small scissors.

Thread: six-strand floss, 16 colors, about 17 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 4 strands (5 or 6 if canvas shows).

Make it an ornament: board, thin batting, backing fabric and twisted cord.
How to finish an ornament.

Thread list, DMC

			stitches	skeins
●	**3371**	Black Brown	1,638	2
■	**783**	Medium Topaz	563	1
▲	**742**	Light Tangerine	454	1
◆	**964**	Light Seagreen	450	1
▼	**3847**	Dark Teal Green	302	1
★	**745**	Light Pale Yellow	290	1
❖	**721**	Medium Orange Spice	278	1
X	**3849**	Light Teal Green	222	1
H	**150**	Ultra Very Dark Dusty Rose	218	1
+	**350**	Medium Coral	194	1
=	**3843**	Electric Blue	156	1
Z	**823**	Dark Navy Blue	146	1
A	**500**	Very Dark Blue Green	108	1
V	**801**	Dark Coffee Brown	69	1
T	**3823**	Ultra Pale Yellow	52	1
N	**435**	Very Light Brown	44	1

Skeins are estimates, with the two extra rows: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 18 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color.

Thread colors are approximate screen matches to DMC numbers. Check against real thread before you buy.

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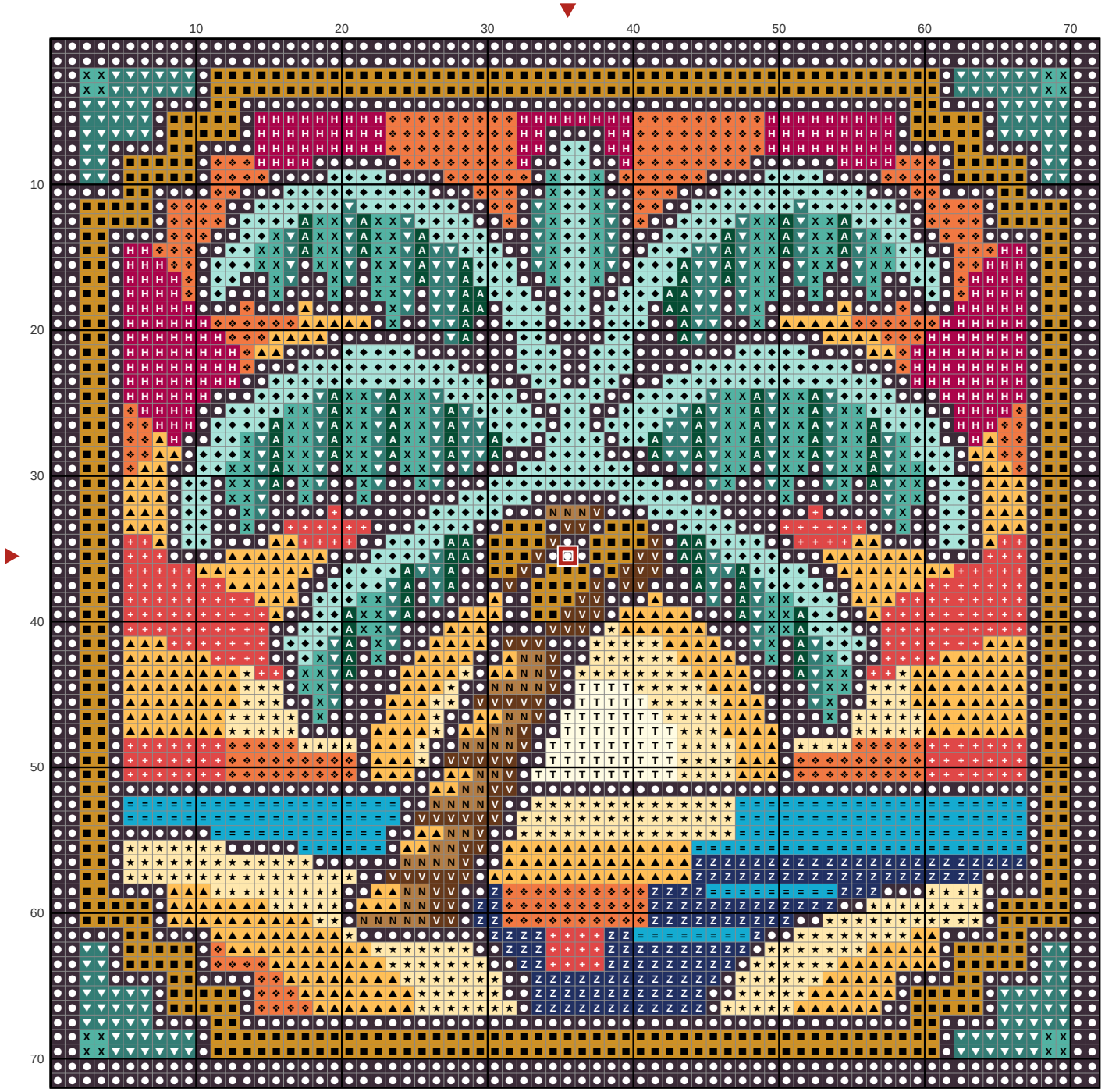
Chart: 72 x 72 stitches. Start at the red outline



Key

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- \+ **DMC 350** Medium Coral
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