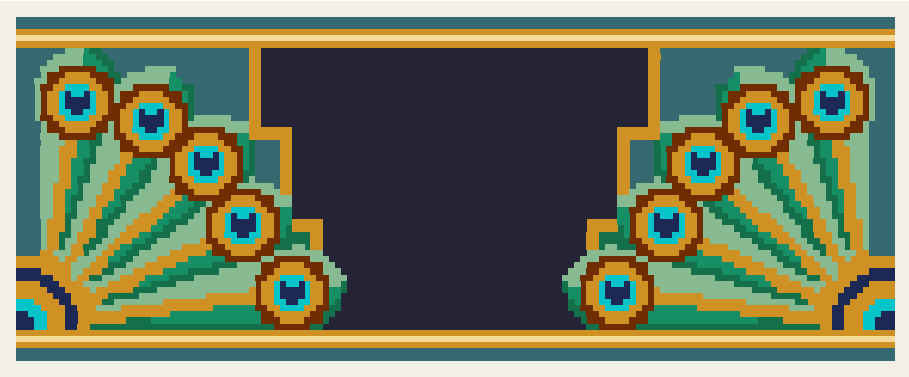
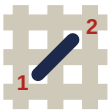
Peacock feather stocking cuff

Needlepoint pattern | 143 x 56 stitches | 11 x 4.3 in (27.9 x 10.9 cm) on 13 mesh | 10 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 on page 2, column 72, row 28 (DMC 310): start there. Count threads, not holes.
4. Go on from it: picture first, background last. Gray squares are on two pages: stitch them once.
5. Last, two more rows all round in DMC 3808: the seam 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, 13 mesh (13 threads to the inch), cut 15.5 in wide x 9 in high (39.4 x 22.9 cm).

Needle: blunt tapestry, size 20. Also masking tape for the cut edges, and small scissors.

Thread: six-strand floss, 10 colors, about 18 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 7 strands (8 if canvas shows).

Put it on a stocking: a cloth stocking or the cloth for one, thin cotton for a lining, and a loop. The chart is the front of the cuff: measure across the mouth of your stocking before you stitch the ends.
How to make a stocking cuff.

Thread list

			stitches	skeins of floss
●	**DMC 310**	Black	2,328	4
■	**DMC 783**	Medium Topaz	1,778	3
▲	**DMC 3808**	Ultra Very Dark Turquoise	1,218	3
◆	**DMC 954**	Nile Green	794	2
▼	**DMC 300**	Very Dark Mahogany	464	1
★	**DMC 909**	Very Dark Emerald Green	392	1
❖	**DMC 911**	Medium Emerald Green	326	1
X	**DMC 3822**	Light Straw	286	1
H	**DMC 3845**	Medium Bright Turquoise	228	1
+	**DMC 939**	Very Dark Navy Blue	194	1

Skeins are estimates, with the two extra rows: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 13 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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Columns 1 to 76, rows 1 to 56. Start at the red outline

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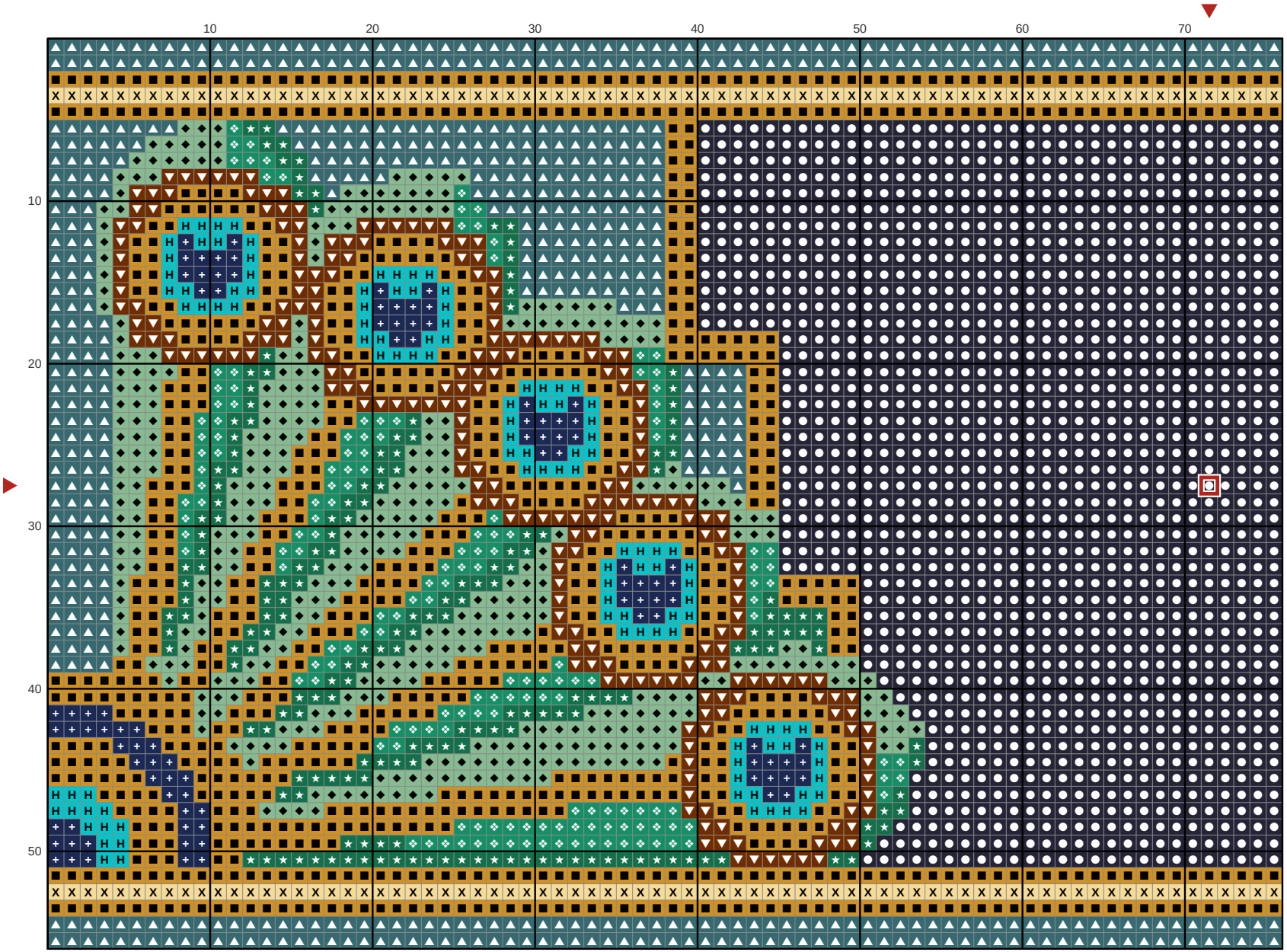

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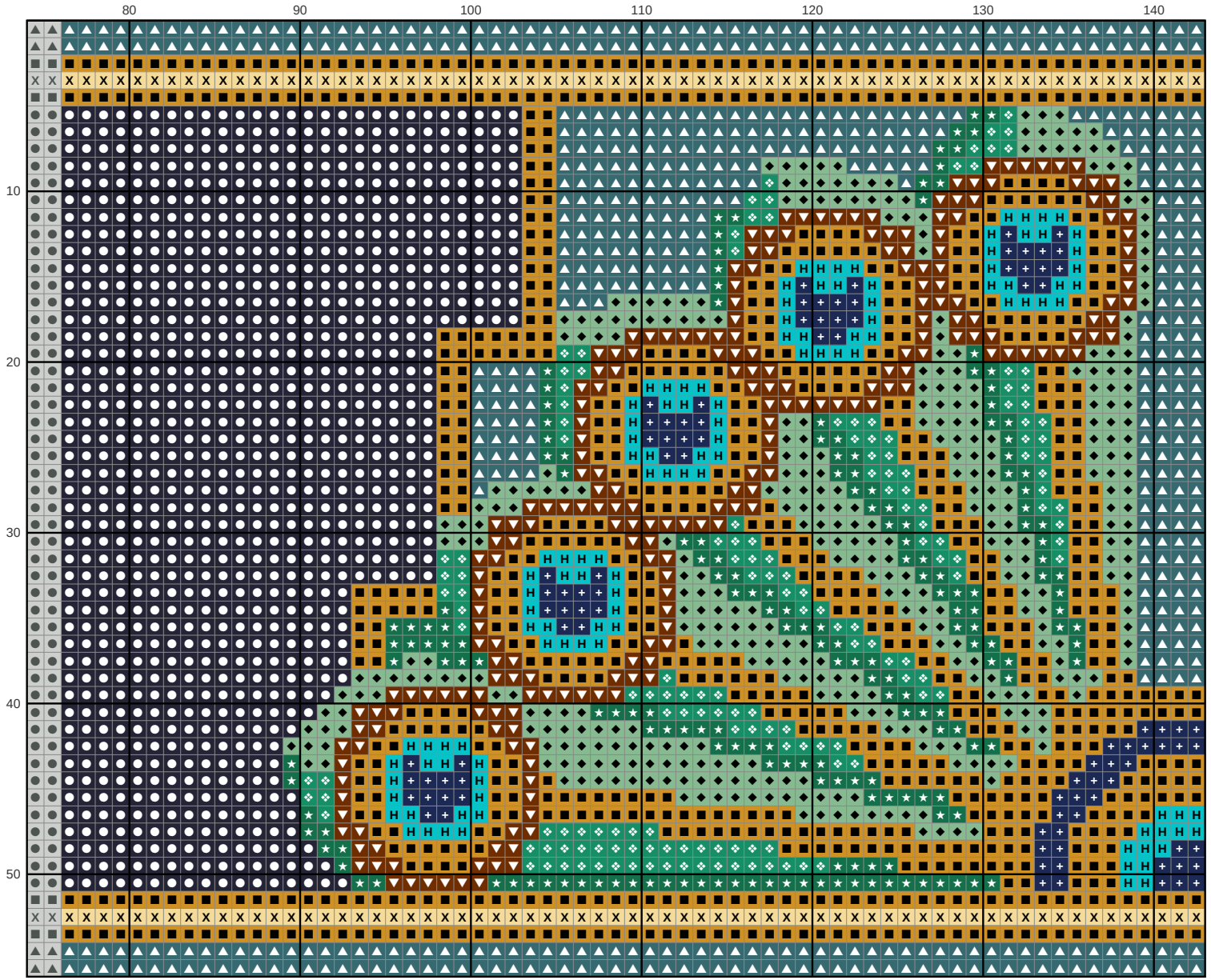

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