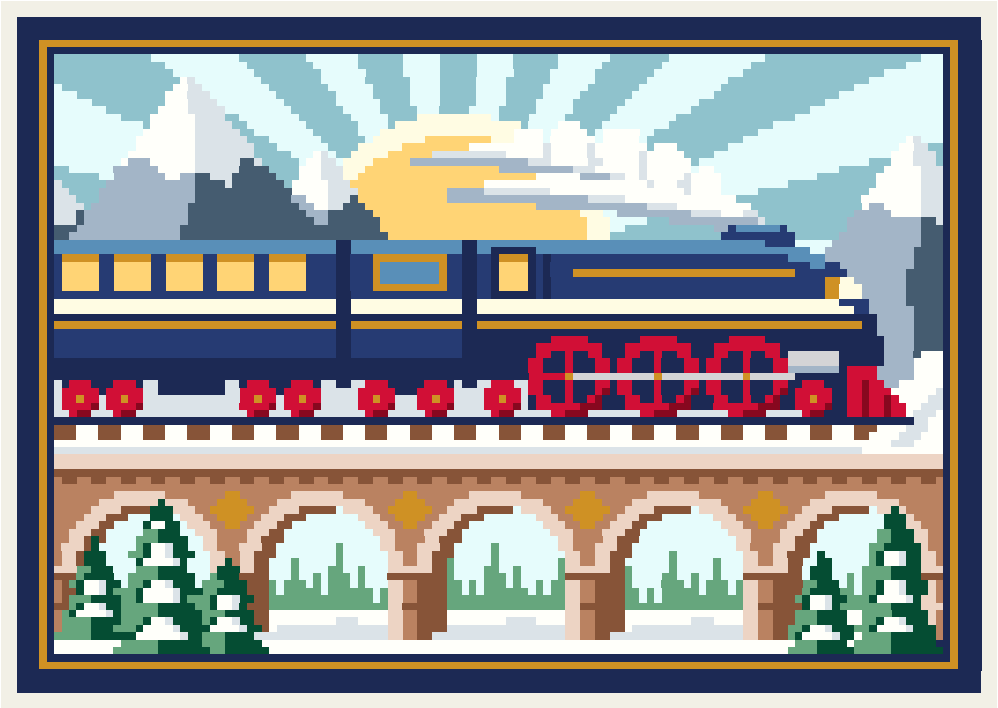
Art Deco train in the snow

Needlepoint pattern | 130 x 91 stitches | 10 x 7 in (25.4 x 17.8 cm) on 13 mesh | 20 colors



Thread key, DMC

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	939	Very Dark Navy Blue	2,543	25	4
■	747	Very Light Sky Blue	1,302	13	2
▲	BLANC	White	969	10	2
◆	598	Light Turquoise	826	8	2
▼	783	Medium Topaz	693	7	2
★	950	Light Desert Sand	626	6	1
❖	3753	Ultra Very Light Antique Blue	615	6	1
X	336	Navy Blue	585	6	1
O	632	Ultra Very Dark Desert Sand	552	6	1
+	407	Dark Desert Sand	502	5	1
=	932	Light Antique Blue	400	4	1
Z	3816	Celadon Green	369	4	1
A	743	Medium Yellow	363	4	1
V	349	Dark Coral	325	4	1
T	3823	Ultra Pale Yellow	301	3	1
N	500	Very Dark Blue Green	289	3	1
S	930	Dark Antique Blue	251	3	1
K	322	Dark Baby Blue	221	3	1
E	815	Medium Garnet	56	1	1
C	415	Pearl Gray	42	1	1

One chart square is one tent stitch over one canvas intersection.

Cut the canvas at least 14 x 11 in (35.6 x 27.9 cm) for 13 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

11,830 stitches in all. Start from the center: a red arrow above the chart marks the center column, and one to the left of it the center row. The arrows are on the pages those lines cross.

The chart is divided evenly over 2 pages. Where chart pages join, gray squares repeat two columns. The small picture at the top of each chart page shows which part it is.

Thread: six-strand floss, 7 or 8 strands in the needle on 13 mesh (counted at 8), about 27 skeins of 8.7 yd in all. Or pearl cotton size 3, 1 strand, about 21 skeins of 16.4 yd; or tapestry wool, 1 strand, about 24 skeins of 8.7 yd; or Persian wool, 2 strands, about 23 skeins of 8 yd. Wool is numbered differently: match it by eye. Needle: tapestry, size 20.

Yards and skeins are estimates: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 13 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color (about 122 yards in all, as the thread lies in the needle).

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

Make it a pillow: also have backing fabric, an insert the size of the stitching or an inch larger, and cord or piping for the edge. The seam takes the last two rows: stitch two extra rows all round, or keep the edge plain. "How to finish a pillow" is a guide linked from this pattern's page.

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Chart 1 of 2: columns 1 to 65, rows 1 to 91

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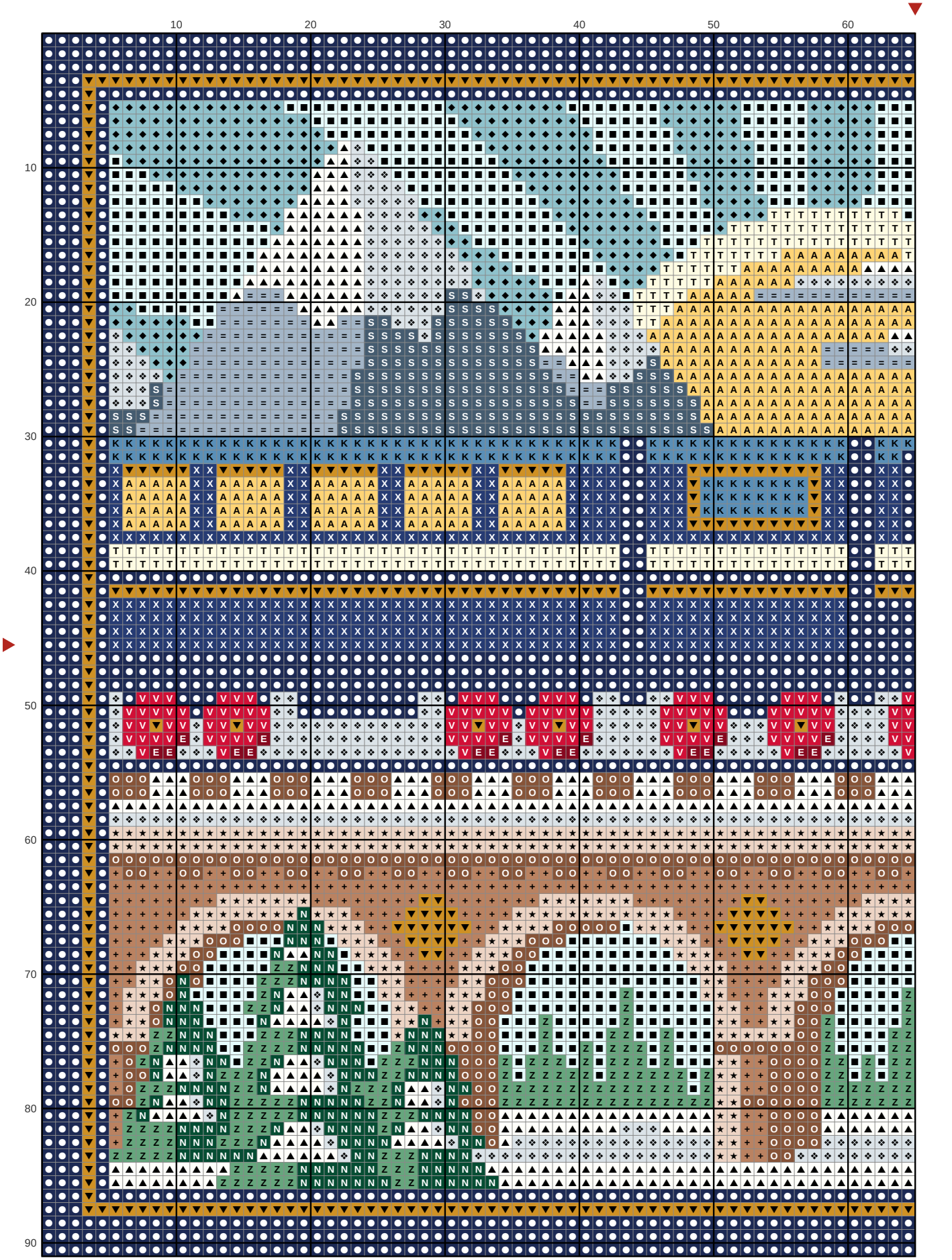

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Chart 2 of 2: columns 66 to 130, rows 1 to 91; gray squares repeat columns 64 and 65

