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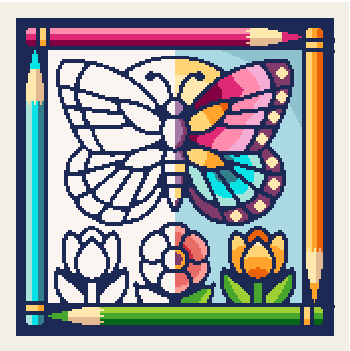
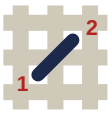
Needlepoint pattern | 160 x 160 stitches | 16 x 16 in (40.6 x 40.6 cm) on 10 mesh | 24 colors



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 5, column 80, row 80 (DMC 939): 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 939: 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, 10 mesh (10 threads to the inch), cut 20.5 in square (52.1 cm).

Needle: blunt tapestry, size 18. Also masking tape for the cut edges, and small scissors.

Thread: pearl cotton size 3, 24 colors, about 52 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 2 lengths together.

Make it a pillow: backing fabric, an insert the size of the stitching or an inch larger, and cord or piping for the edge. How to finish a pillow.

Thread list, DMC

			stitches	skeins
●	**939**	Very Dark Navy Blue	9,528	17
■	**3865**	Winter White	5,763	9
▲	**3761**	Light Sky Blue	1,692	3
◆	**743**	Medium Yellow	841	2
▼	**741**	Medium Tangerine	732	2
★	**3806**	Light Cyclamen Pink	662	1
❖	**745**	Light Pale Yellow	631	1
X	**3846**	Light Bright Turquoise	552	1
H	**702**	Kelly Green	535	1
+	**964**	Light Seagreen	535	1
=	**3804**	Dark Cyclamen Pink	521	1
Z	**552**	Medium Violet	490	1
A	**704**	Bright Chartreuse	448	1
V	**915**	Dark Plum	410	1
T	**946**	Medium Burnt Orange	404	1
N	**3765**	Very Dark Peacock Blue	371	1
S	**598**	Light Turquoise	338	1
K	**699**	Green	315	1
E	**3609**	Ultra Light Plum	237	1
C	**437**	Light Tan	228	1
P	**351**	Coral	161	1
U	**352**	Light Coral	105	1
L	**209**	Dark Lavender	87	1
2	**321**	Red	14	1

Skeins are estimates, with the two extra rows: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 10 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 80, rows 1 to 69

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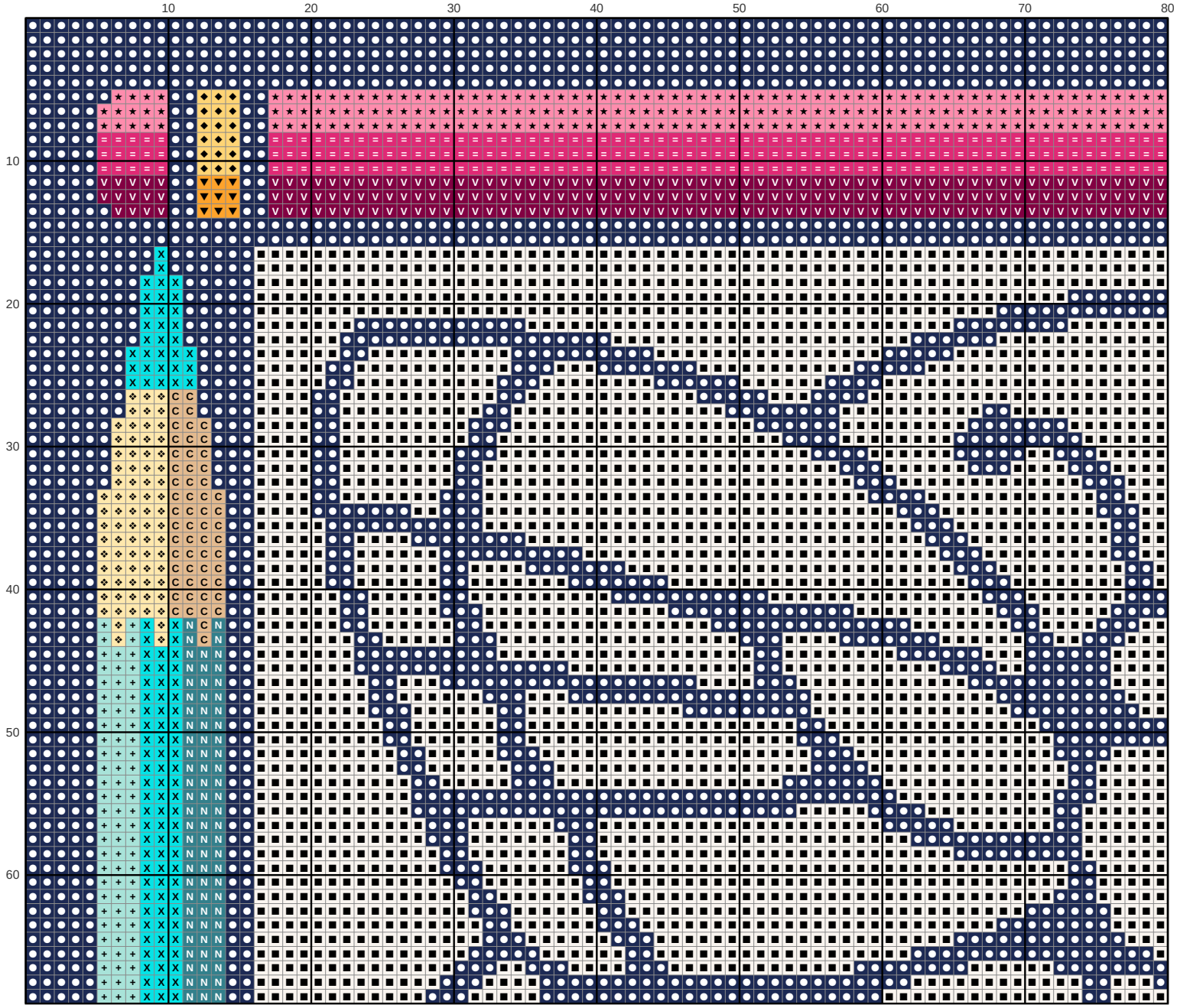

Key

- **DMC 939** Very Dark Navy Blue
- **DMC 3865** Winter White
- **DMC 743** Medium Yellow
- **DMC 741** Medium Tangerine
- **DMC 3806** Light Cyclamen Pink
- **DMC 745** Light Pale Yellow
- **DMC 3846** Light Bright Turquoise
- **DMC 964** Light Seagreen
- **DMC 3804** Dark Cyclamen Pink
- **DMC 915** Dark Plum
- **DMC 3765** Very Dark Peacock Blue
- **DMC 437** Light Tan

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Columns 81 to 160, rows 1 to 69. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again

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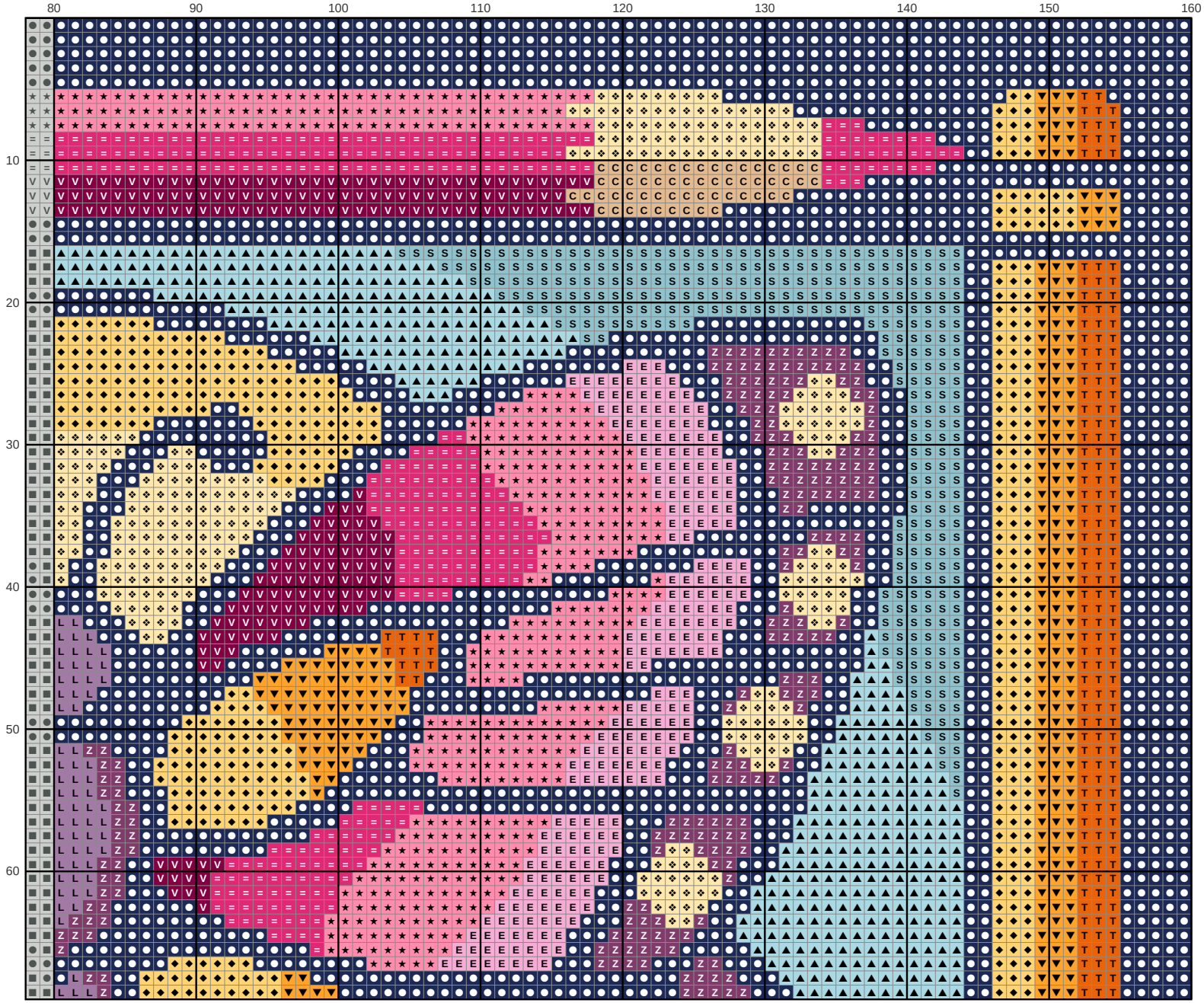

Key

- DMC 939 — Very Dark Navy Blue
- DMC 3761 — Light Sky Blue
- DMC 743 — Medium Yellow
- DMC 741 — Medium Tangerine
- DMC 3806 — Light Cyclamen Pink
- DMC 745 — Light Pale Yellow
- DMC 3804 — Dark Cyclamen Pink
- DMC 552 — Medium Violet
- DMC 915 — Dark Plum
- DMC 946 — Medium Burnt Orange
- DMC 598 — Light Turquoise
- DMC 3609 — Ultra Light Plum
- DMC 437 — Light Tan
- DMC 209 — Dark Lavender

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Needlepoint pattern

Columns 1 to 54, rows 70 to 160. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again

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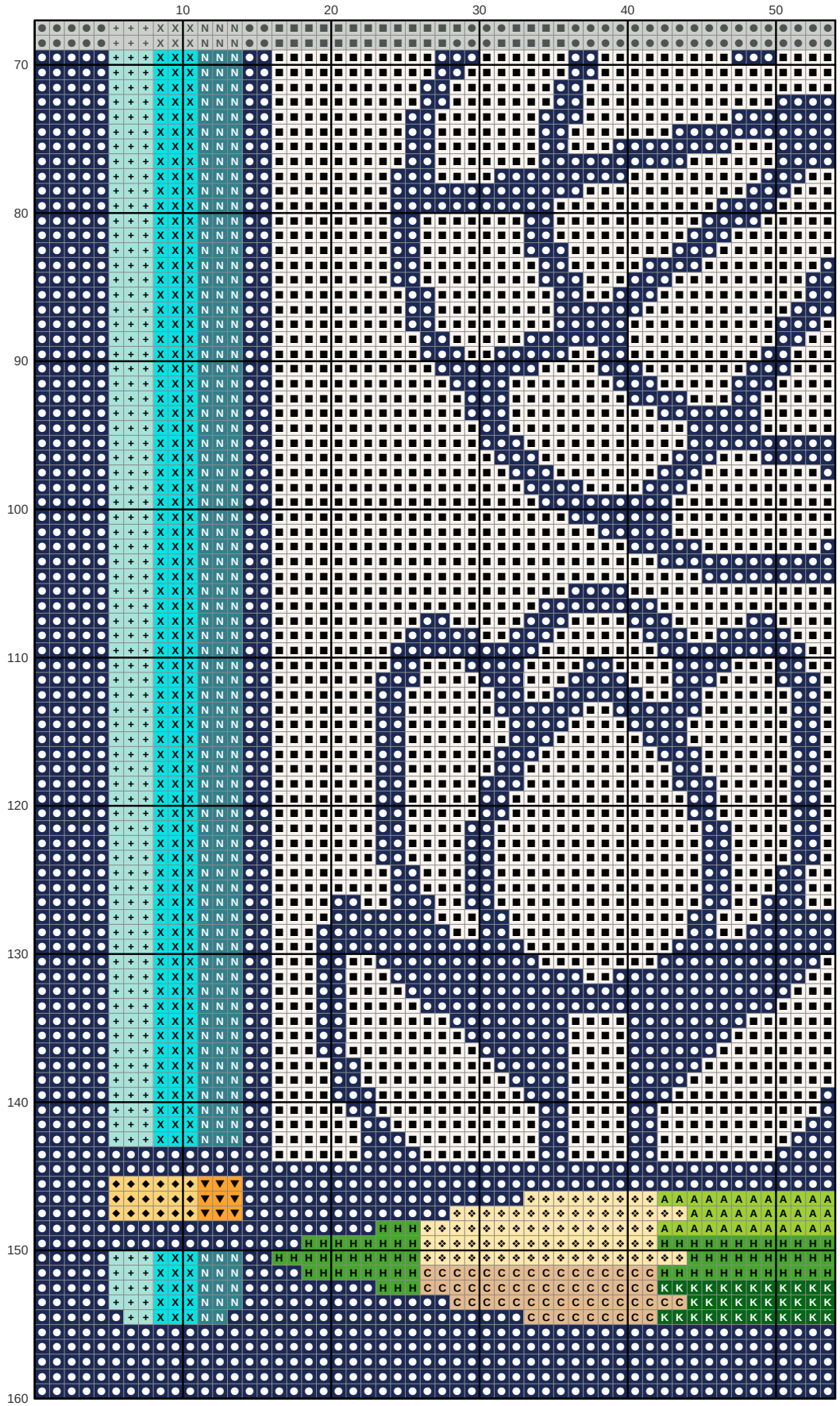

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- **DMC 741** Medium Tangerine
- **DMC 745** Light Pale Yellow
- **X DMC 3846** Light Bright Turquoise
- **H DMC 702** Kelly Green
- **+ DMC 964** Light Seagreen
- **A DMC 704** Bright Chartreuse
- **N DMC 3765** Very Dark Peacock Blue
- **K DMC 699** Green
- **C DMC 437** Light Tan

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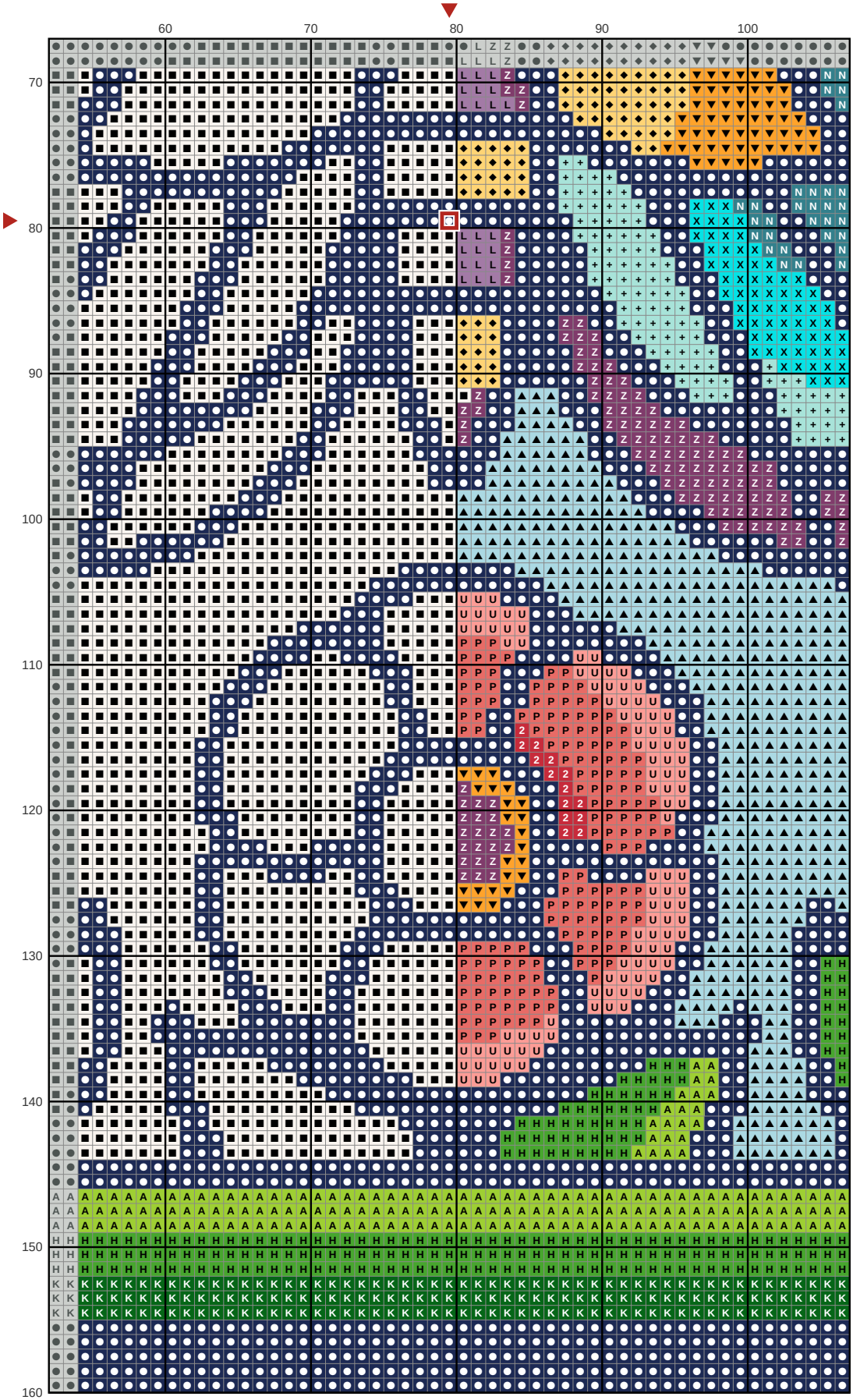
Columns 55 to 107, rows 70 to 160. Start at the red outline. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again



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- **DMC 3761** Light Sky Blue
- **DMC 743** Medium Yellow
- **DMC 741** Medium Tangerine
- **DMC 3846** Light Bright Turquoise
- **DMC 702** Kelly Green
- **DMC 964** Light Seagreen
- **DMC 552** Medium Violet
- **DMC 704** Bright Chartreuse
- **DMC 3765** Very Dark Peacock Blue
- **DMC 699** Green
- **DMC 351** Coral
- **DMC 352** Light Coral
- **DMC 209** Dark Lavender
- **DMC 321** Red

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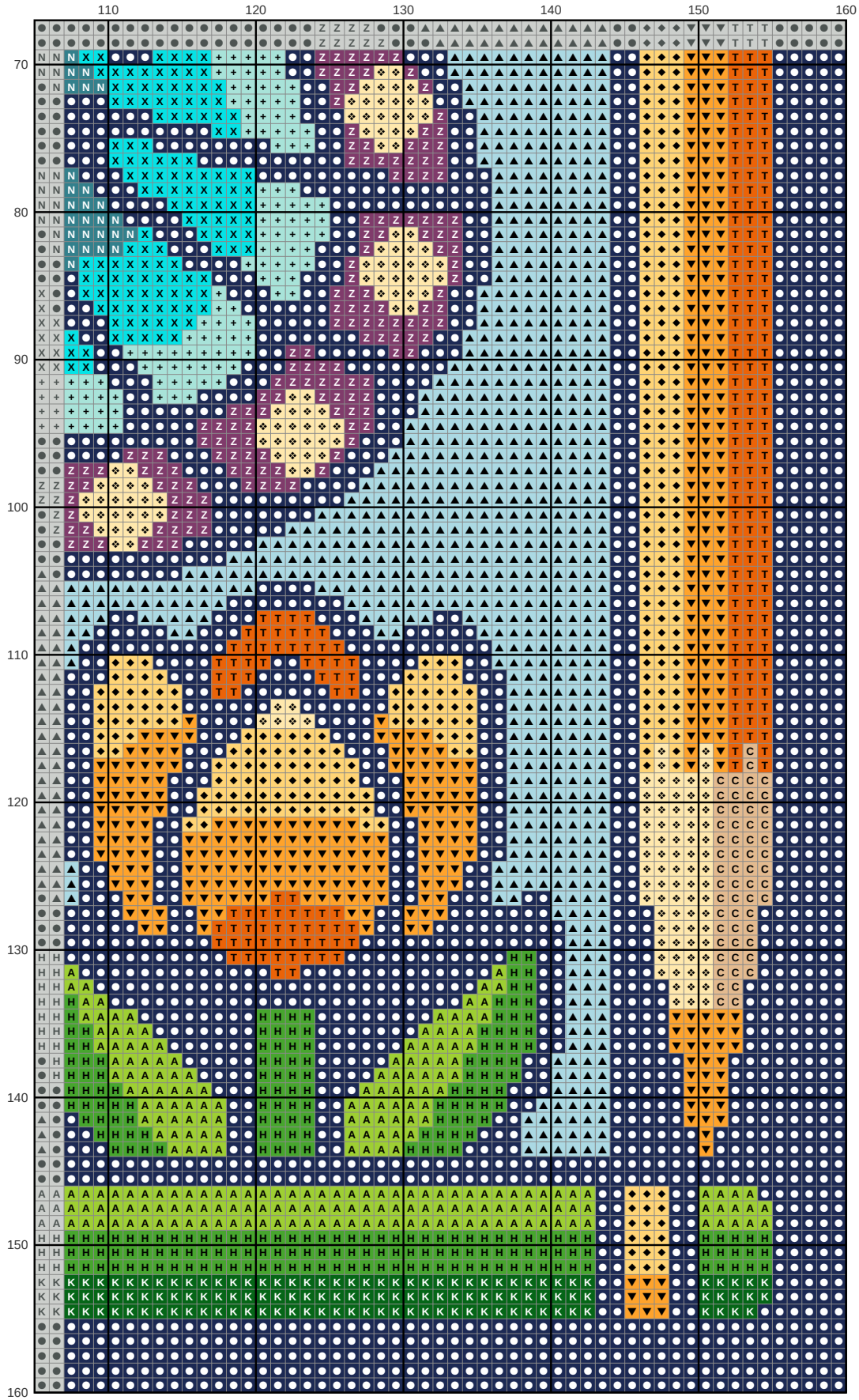

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