Peacock mirror frame

Needlepoint pattern | 130 x 156 stitches | 10 x 12 in (25.4 x 30.5 cm) on 13 mesh | 14 colors



Thread key, DMC

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	**154**	Very Dark Grape	6,576	63	10
■	**729**	Medium Old Gold	2,396	23	4
▲	**500**	Very Dark Blue Green	1,966	19	3
◆	**3847**	Dark Teal Green	1,844	18	3
▼	**995**	Dark Electric Blue	630	6	1
★	**782**	Dark Topaz	522	5	1
❖	**823**	Dark Navy Blue	458	5	1
X	**780**	Ultra Very Dark Topaz	238	3	1
O	**3849**	Light Teal Green	160	2	1
+	**797**	Royal Blue	122	2	1
=	**3822**	Light Straw	98	1	1
Z	**3766**	Light Peacock Blue	36	1	1
A	**712**	Cream	18	1	1
V	**310**	Black	8	1	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 14 x 16 in (35.6 x 40.6 cm) for 13 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

15,072 stitches in all, inside the outline: the chart is 130 x 156 at its widest and tallest. 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 4 pages. Where chart pages join, gray squares repeat two rows or 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 30 skeins of 8.7 yd in all. Or pearl cotton size 3, 1 strand, about 20 skeins of 16.4 yd; or tapestry wool, 1 strand, about 27 skeins of 8.7 yd; or Persian wool, 2 strands, about 22 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 150 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.

Frame it: also have acid-free board and a frame. "How to frame needlepoint" is a guide linked from this pattern's page.

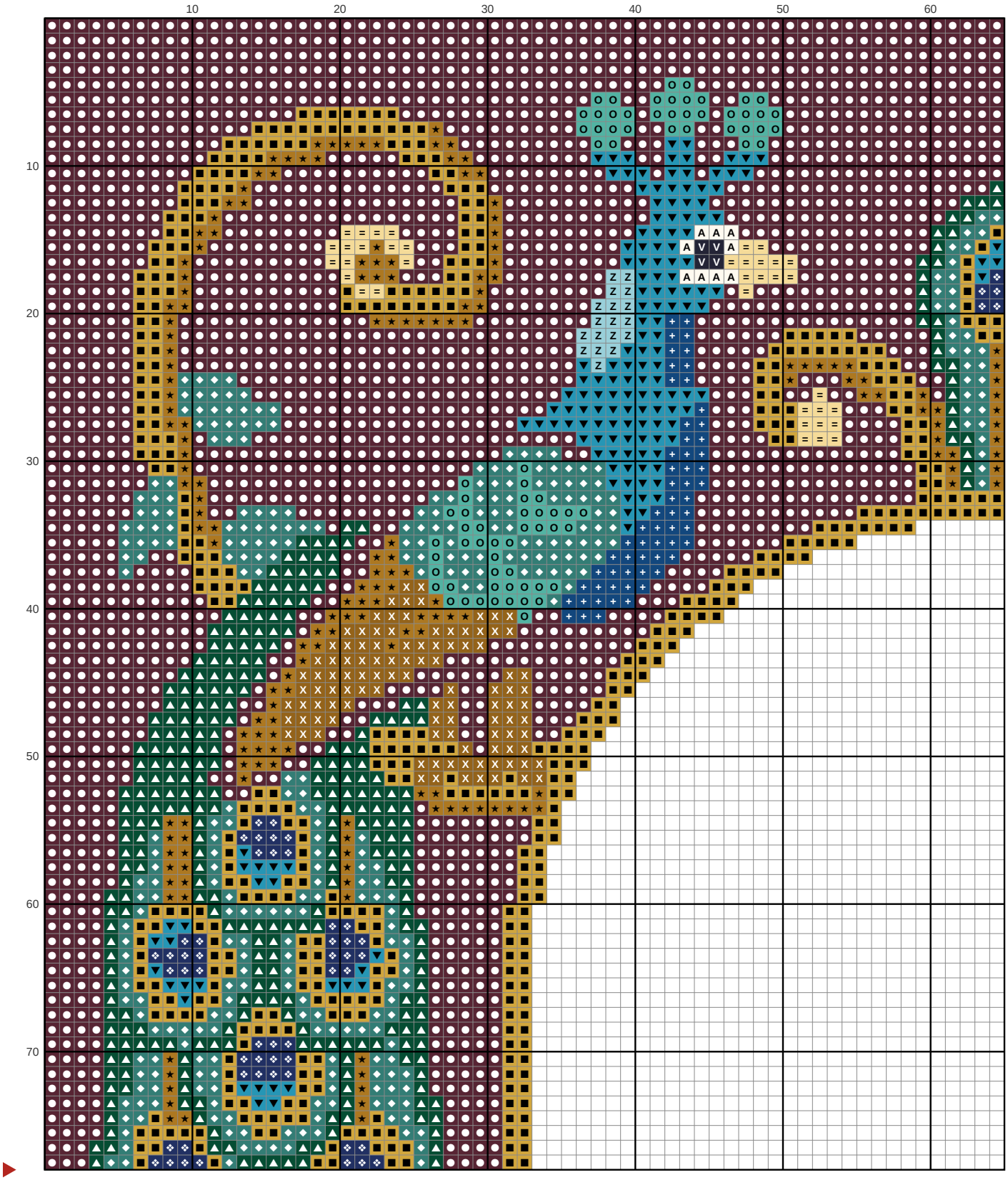
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Chart 1 of 4: columns 1 to 65, rows 1 to 78

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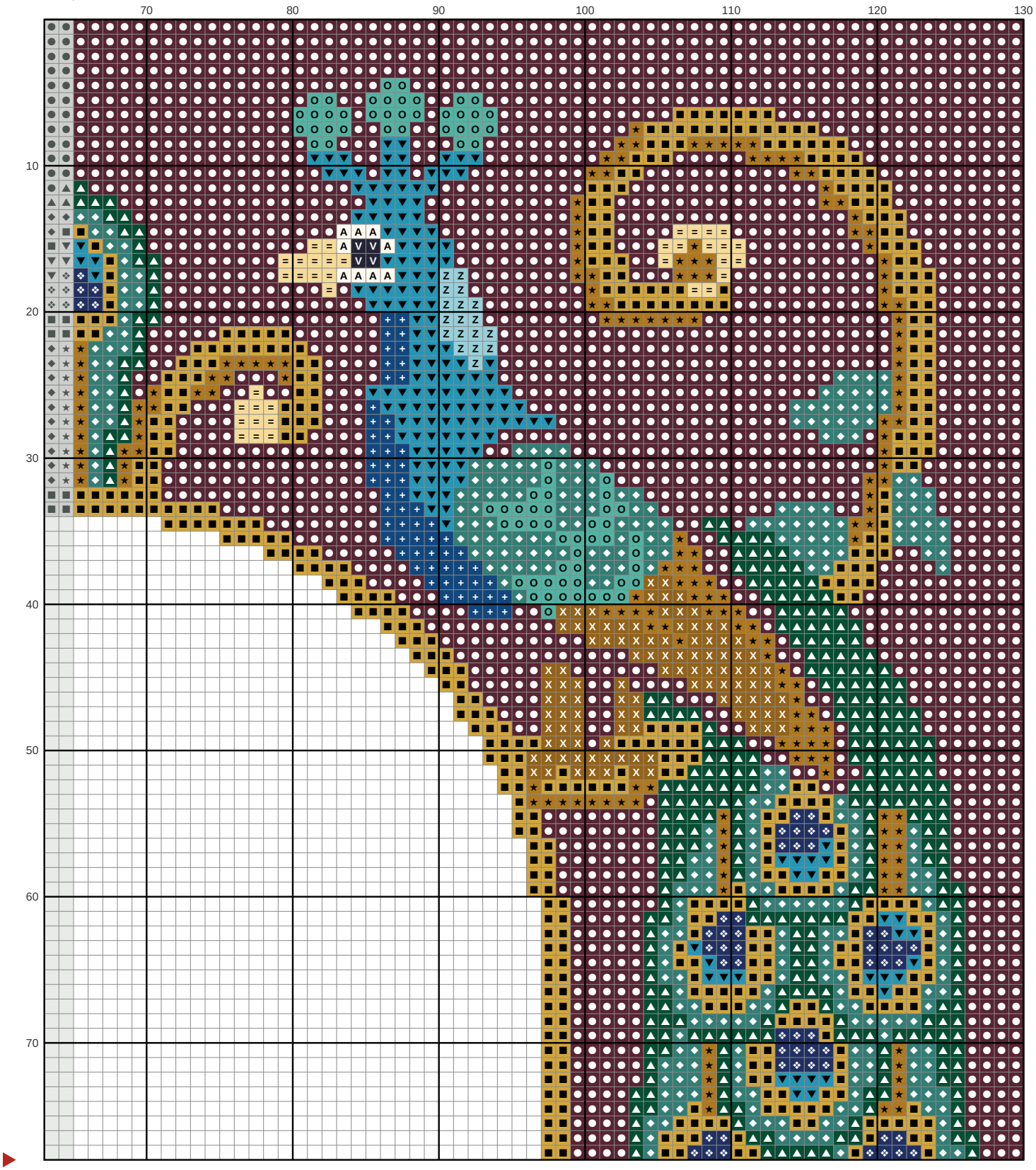


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Chart 2 of 4: columns 66 to 130, rows 1 to 78; gray squares repeat columns 64 and 65

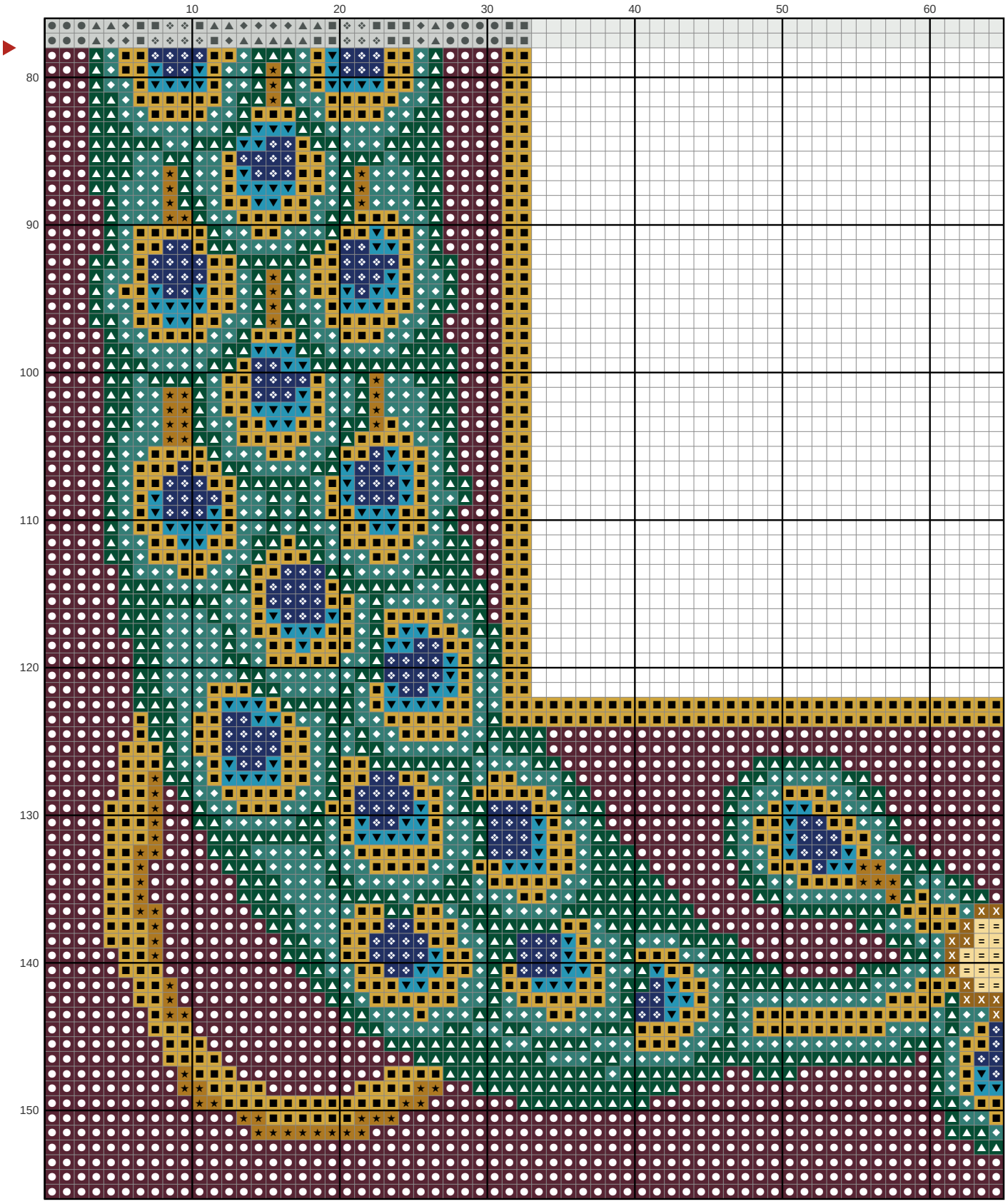


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Chart 3 of 4: columns 1 to 65, rows 79 to 156; gray squares repeat rows 77 and 78

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Chart 4 of 4: columns 66 to 130, rows 79 to 156; gray squares repeat columns 64 and 65 and rows 77 and 78

