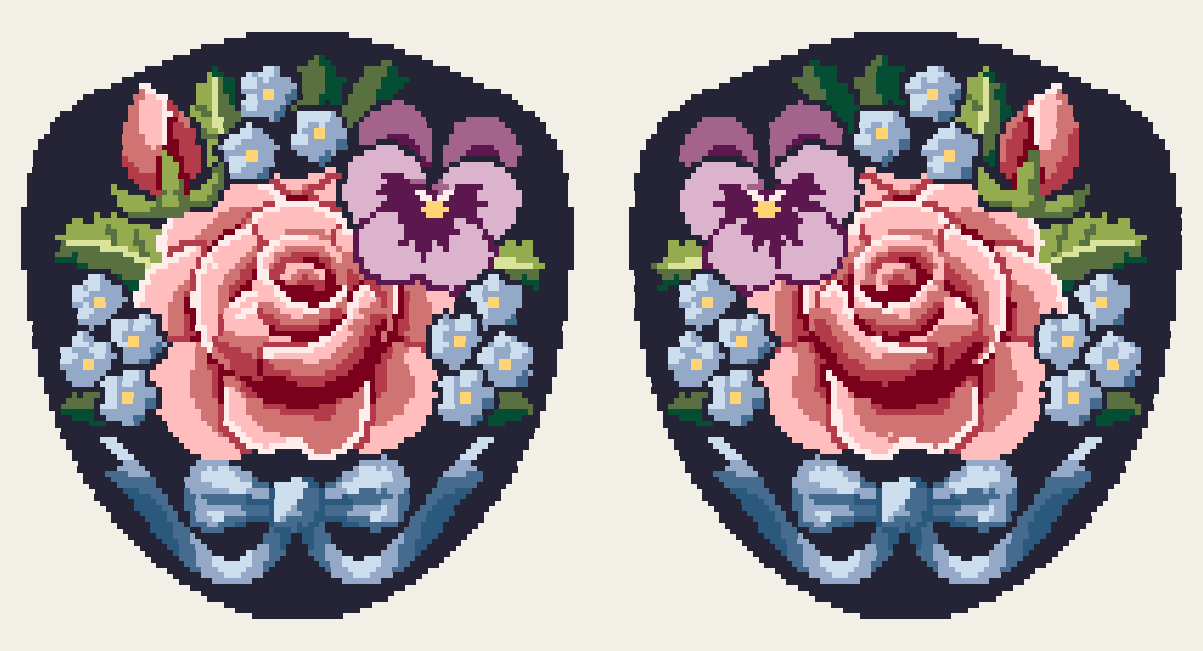
Vintage flower bouquet slipper vamps

Needlepoint pattern | 208 x 110 stitches | all pieces 11.6 x 6.1 in (29.4 x 15.5 cm) on 18 mesh | 18 colors



Thread key, DMC

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	**310**	Black	5,832	40	5
■	**3716**	Very Light Rose	1,418	10	2
▲	**809**	Delft Blue	1,362	10	2
◆	**961**	Dark Dusty Rose	1,156	8	1
▼	**554**	Light Violet	784	6	1
★	**326**	Very Dark Rose	765	6	1
❖	**3841**	Pale Baby Blue	762	6	1
X	**798**	Dark Delft Blue	654	5	1
O	**814**	Dark Garnet	560	4	1
+	**819**	Light Baby Pink	512	4	1
=	**987**	Dark Forest Green	480	4	1
Z	**550**	Very Dark Violet	406	3	1
A	**470**	Light Avocado Green	350	3	1
V	**553**	Violet	309	3	1
T	**803**	Ultra Very Dark Baby Blue	290	2	1
N	**500**	Very Dark Blue Green	237	2	1
S	**743**	Medium Yellow	110	1	1
K	**472**	Ultra Light Avocado Green	81	1	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 15.6 x 10.1 in (39.5 x 25.7 cm) for 18 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

16,068 stitches in all, in 2 pieces: the left 100 x 110, the right 100 x 110. Leave bare canvas between the pieces, as charted, and start each from its own center.

The chart is on 3 pages, each cut to what is stitched: bare canvas has no page, and a join falls on plain ground where it can. 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, 4 to 6 strands in the needle on 18 mesh (counted at 6), about 24 skeins of 8.7 yd in all. Or pearl cotton size 5, 1 strand, about 19 skeins of 27.3 yd; or Persian wool, 1 strand, about 19 skeins of 8 yd. Wool is numbered differently: match it by eye. Needle: tapestry, size 22.

Yards and skeins are estimates: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 18 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color (about 118 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.

When it is stitched: also have a finisher, or the fabric and cord to make it up yourself. Ask before you stitch the edge: some finishes take extra rows. "Ways to finish needlepoint" is a guide linked from this pattern's page.

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Chart 1 of 3: columns 2 to 70, rows 4 to 107

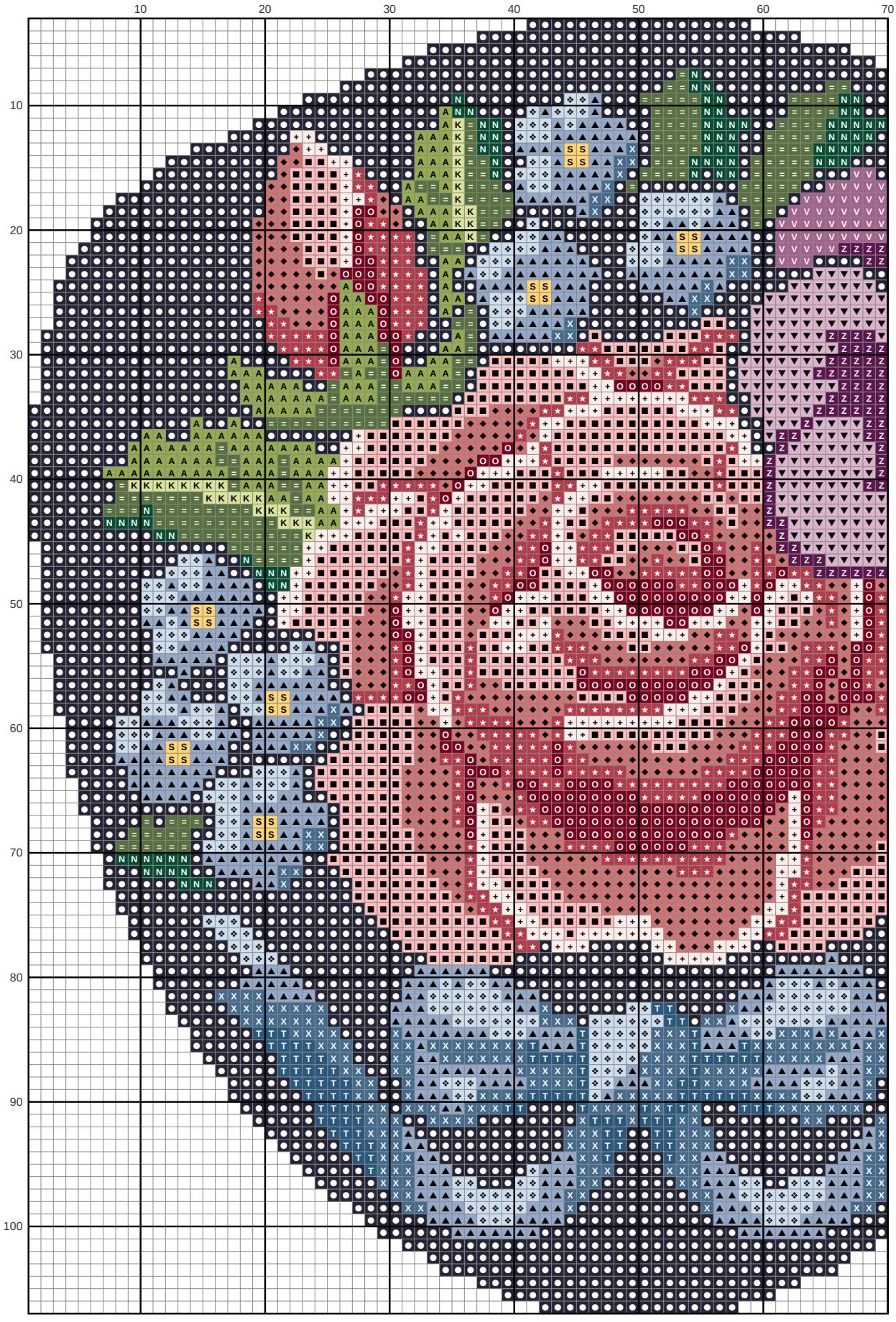

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Chart 2 of 3: columns 71 to 139, rows 4 to 107; gray squares repeat columns 69 and 70

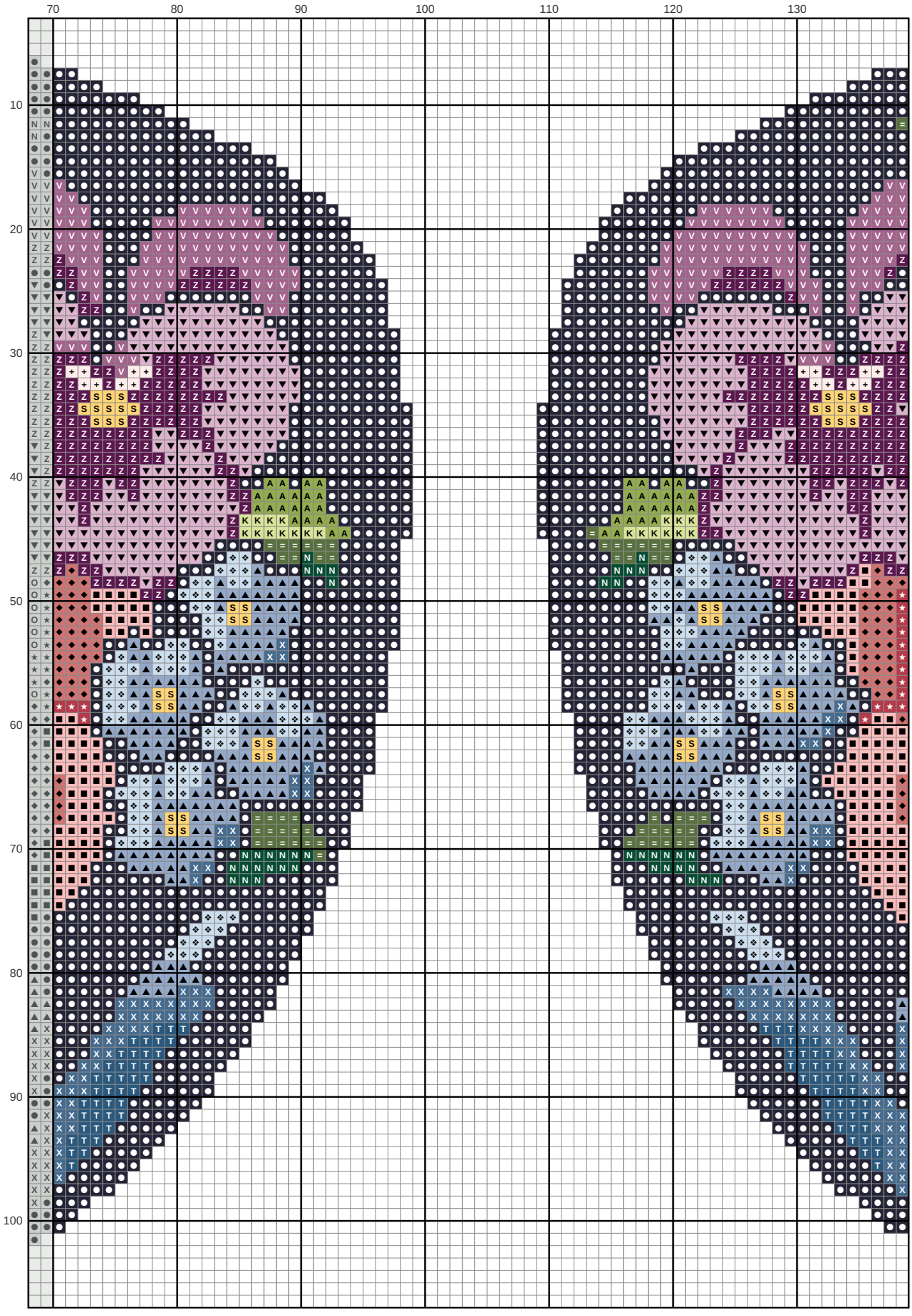

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Chart 3 of 3: columns 140 to 207, rows 4 to 107; gray squares repeat columns 138 and 139

