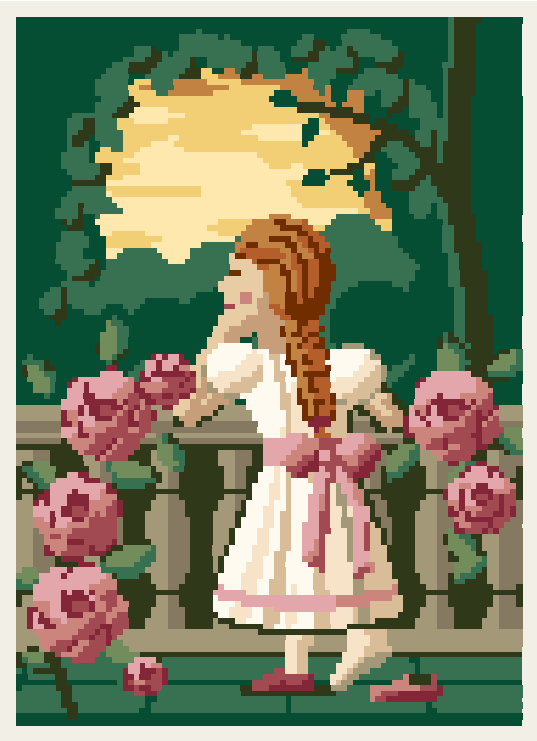
Vintage girl daydreaming on a railing

Needlepoint pattern | 90 x 126 stitches | 5 x 7 in (12.7 x 17.8 cm) on 18 mesh | 20 colors



Thread key, DMC

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	500	Very Dark Blue Green	2,560	18	3
□	501	Dark Blue Green	1,812	13	2
▲	934	Black Avocado Green	1,439	10	2
◆	642	Dark Beige Gray	759	6	1
▼	3821	Straw	525	4	1
★	745	Light Pale Yellow	512	4	1
❖	3354	Light Dusty Rose	460	4	1
X	3721	Dark Shell Pink	410	3	1
O	640	Very Dark Beige Gray	405	3	1
+	712	Cream	350	3	1
=	902	Very Dark Garnet	341	3	1
Z	223	Light Shell Pink	331	3	1
A	739	Ultra Very Light Tan	265	2	1
V	976	Medium Golden Brown	253	2	1
T	3046	Medium Yellow Beige	244	2	1
N	988	Medium Forest Green	214	2	1
S	300	Very Dark Mahogany	148	2	1
K	422	Light Hazelnut Brown	107	1	1
E	738	Very Light Tan	104	1	1
C	301	Medium Mahogany	101	1	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 9 x 11 in (22.9 x 27.9 cm) for 18 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

11,340 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 on 2 pages, each cut to what is stitched: bare canvas has no page, and a join falls on plain ground where it can. Pages 2 and 3 are turned on their side, for a part that is wider than it is tall. Where chart pages join, gray squares repeat two rows. 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 20 skeins of 27.3 yd; or Persian wool, 1 strand, about 20 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 87 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.

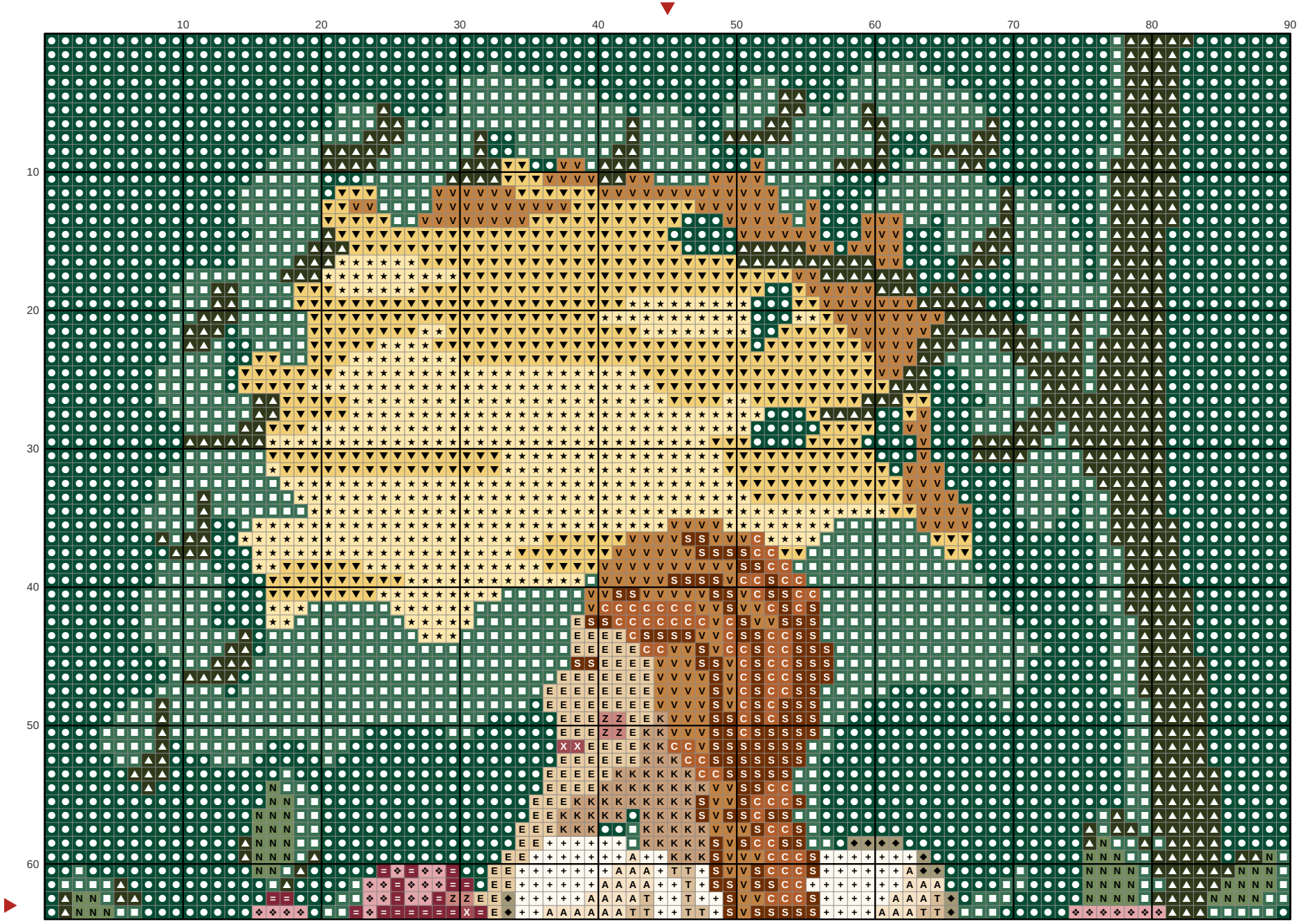
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Chart 1 of 2: columns 1 to 90, rows 1 to 64

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Chart 2 of 2: columns 1 to 90, rows 65 to 126; gray squares repeat rows 63 and 64

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