3D jack-o'-lantern pumpkin by candle

Needlepoint pattern | 204 x 150 stitches | all pieces 11.3 x 8.3 in (28.8 x 21.2 cm) on 18 mesh | 20 colors



Thread key, DMC

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	**3862**	Dark Mocha Beige	1,476	11	2
■	**920**	Medium Copper	1,443	10	2
▲	**921**	Copper	1,334	10	2
◆	**3853**	Dark Autumn Gold	1,266	9	1
▼	**3864**	Light Mocha Beige	1,178	9	1
★	**3854**	Medium Autumn Gold	1,087	8	1
❖	**918**	Dark Red Copper	1,081	8	1
X	**3031**	Very Dark Mocha Brown	1,006	7	1
O	**3051**	Dark Green Gray	996	7	1
+	**3053**	Green Gray	972	7	1
=	**3857**	Dark Rosewood	712	5	1
Z	**154**	Very Dark Grape	617	5	1
A	**741**	Medium Tangerine	588	5	1
V	**3052**	Medium Green Gray	567	4	1
T	**3855**	Light Autumn Gold	522	4	1
N	**946**	Medium Burnt Orange	298	3	1
S	**3348**	Light Yellow Green	256	2	1
K	**743**	Medium Yellow	218	2	1
E	**934**	Black Avocado Green	215	2	1
C	**3823**	Ultra Pale Yellow	80	1	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 15.3 x 12.3 in (38.9 x 31.3 cm) for 18 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

15,912 stitches in all, in 3 pieces: the front 98 x 114, the back 98 x 114, the base 54 x 28.
Leave bare canvas between the pieces, as charted, and start each from its own center.

The chart is on 4 pages, each cut to what is stitched: bare canvas has no page, and a join falls on plain ground where it can. Pages 2, 3, 4 and 5 are turned on their side, for a part that is wider than it is tall. 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, 4 to 6 strands in the needle on 18 mesh (counted at 6), about 23 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 119 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 an ornament: also have board, thin batting, backing fabric and twisted cord. Stitch two or three extra rows of background all round: the edge of the board takes them. "How to finish an ornament" is a guide linked from this pattern's page.

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Chart 1 of 4: columns 4 to 102, rows 4 to 76

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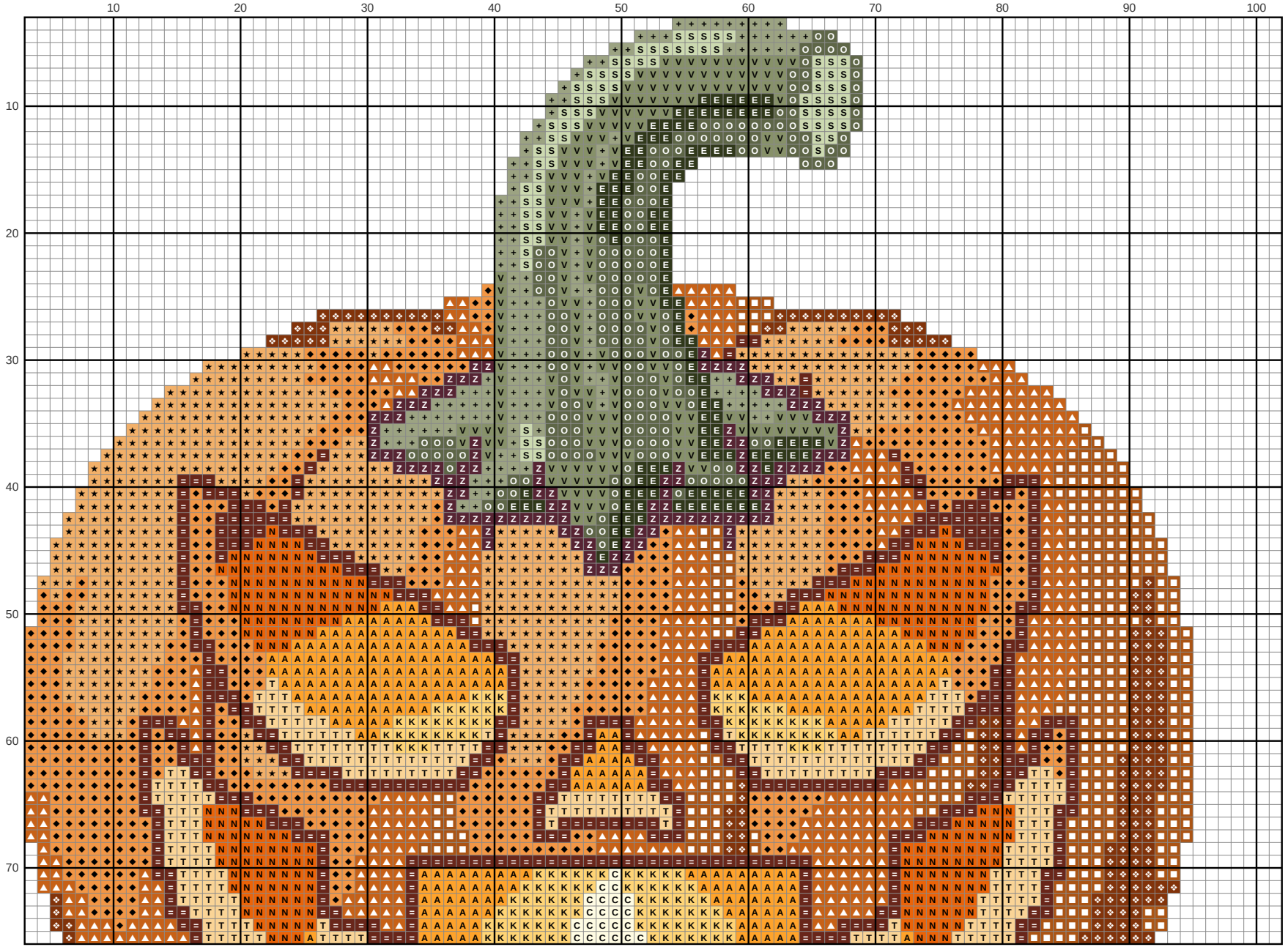

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Chart 2 of 4: columns 103 to 201, rows 4 to 76; gray squares repeat columns 101 and 102

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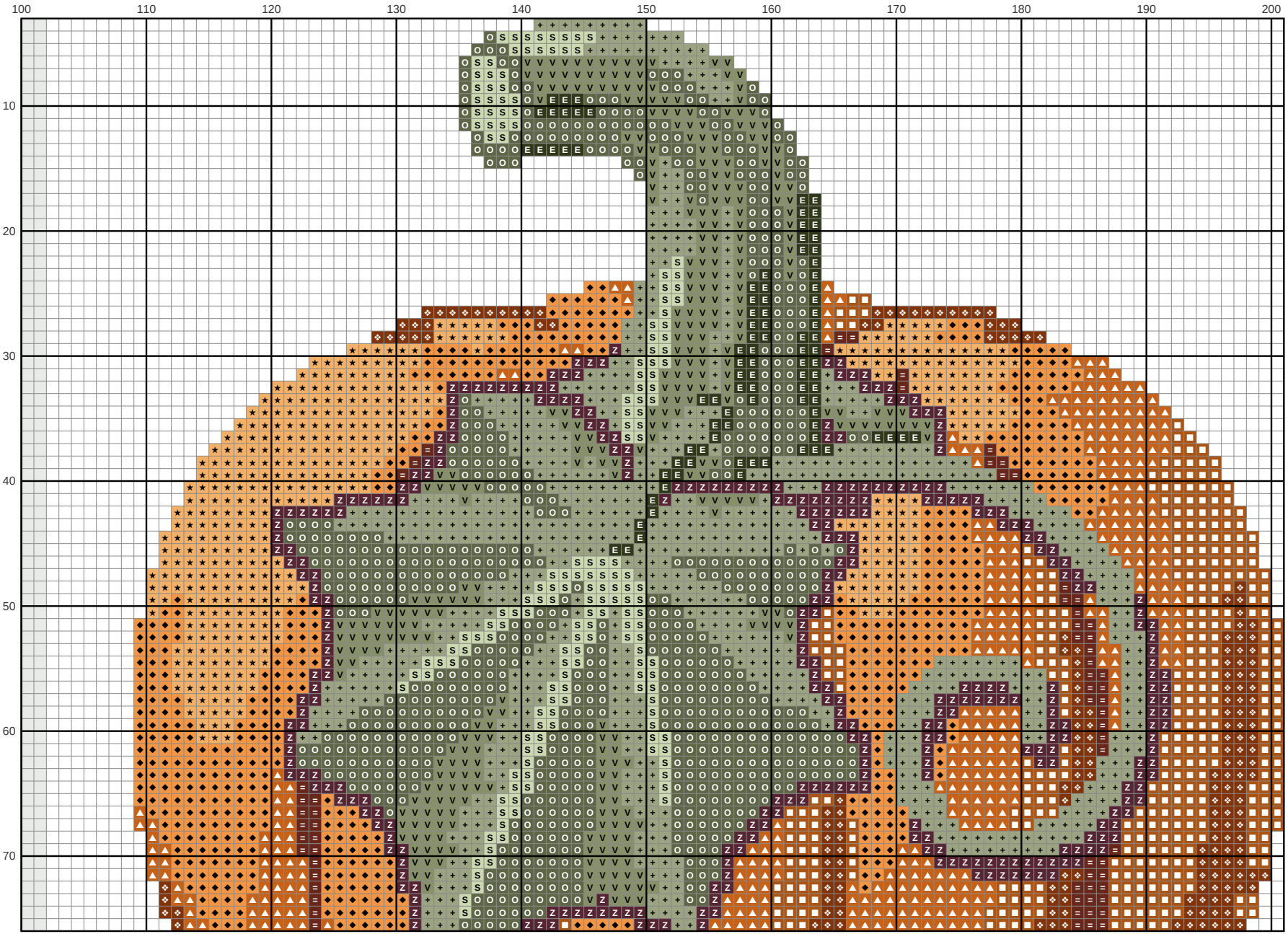

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Chart 3 of 4: columns 7 to 102, rows 77 to 150; gray squares repeat rows 75 and 76

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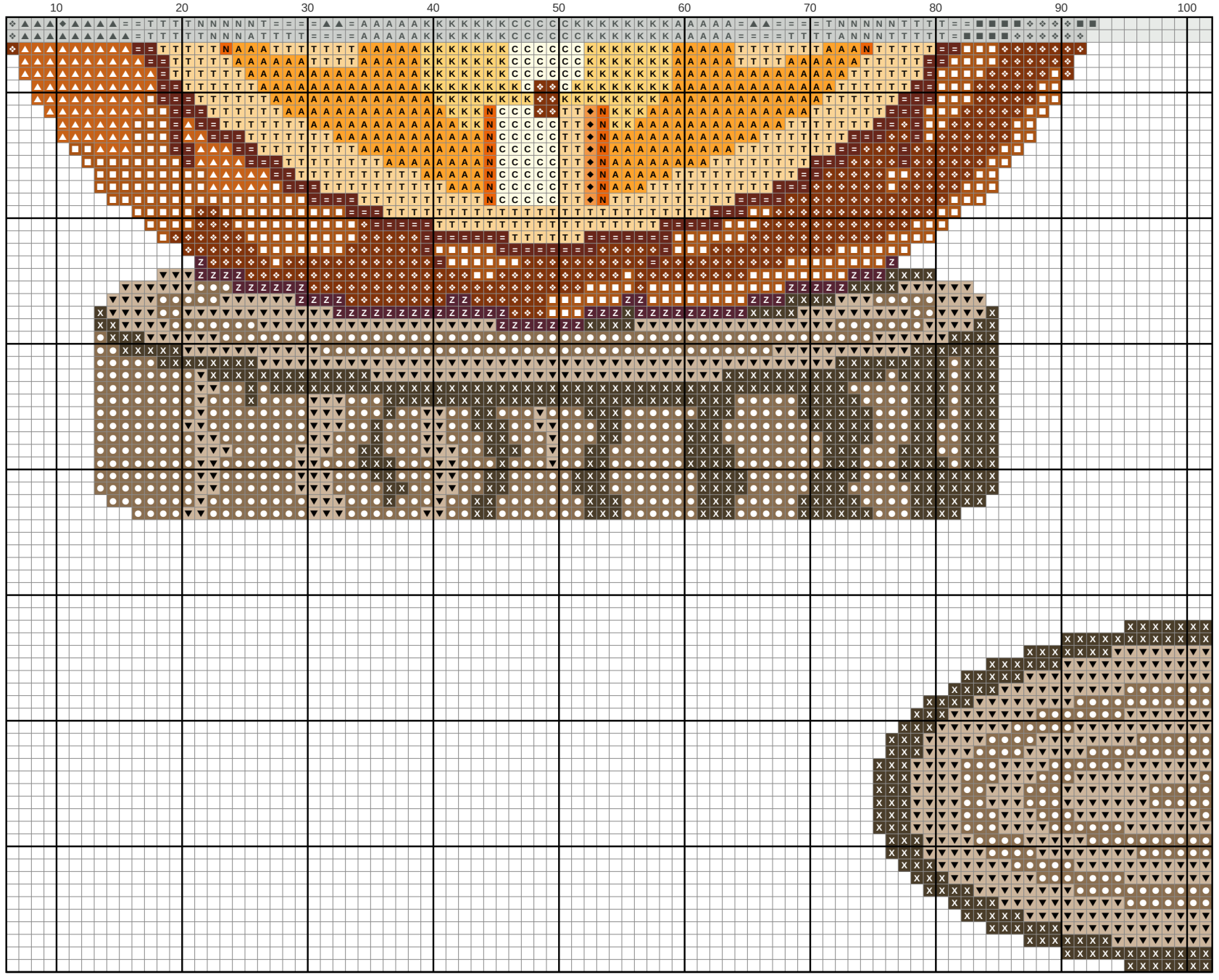

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Chart 4 of 4: columns 103 to 198, rows 77 to 150; gray squares repeat columns 101 and 102 and rows 75 and 76

