Victorian rooster and poppies on black

Needlepoint pattern | 180 x 180 stitches | 18 x 18 in (45.7 x 45.7 cm) on 10 mesh | 23 colors



Thread key, DMC

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	**310**	Black	15,980	197	24
■	**500**	Very Dark Blue Green	2,485	31	4
▲	**400**	Dark Mahogany	1,313	17	2
◆	**606**	Bright Orange-Red	1,276	16	2
▼	**938**	Ultra Dark Coffee Brown	1,223	16	2
★	**300**	Very Dark Mahogany	1,062	14	2
❖	**561**	Very Dark Jade	950	12	2
X	**3847**	Dark Teal Green	913	12	2
O	**817**	Very Dark Coral Red	781	10	2
+	**3820**	Dark Straw	761	10	2
=	**976**	Medium Golden Brown	727	9	2
Z	**3346**	Hunter Green	592	8	1
A	**608**	Bright Orange	561	7	1
V	**3347**	Medium Yellow Green	532	7	1
T	**471**	Very Light Avocado Green	526	7	1
N	**934**	Black Avocado Green	441	6	1
S	**921**	Copper	408	6	1
K	**3849**	Light Teal Green	391	5	1
E	**815**	Medium Garnet	382	5	1
C	**745**	Light Pale Yellow	358	5	1
P	**799**	Medium Delft Blue	305	4	1
U	**797**	Royal Blue	264	4	1
L	**820**	Very Dark Royal Blue	169	3	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 22 x 22 in (55.9 x 55.9 cm) for 10 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

32,400 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 5 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 or columns. The small picture at the top of each chart page shows which part it is.

Thread: pearl cotton size 3, 2 strands in the needle on 10 mesh, about 58 skeins of 16.4 yd in all. Or six-strand floss, 8 to 10 strands, about 87 skeins of 8.7 yd; or tapestry wool, 1 strand, about 57 skeins of 8.7 yd; or Persian wool, 3 strands, about 60 skeins of 8 yd. Wool is numbered differently: match it by eye. Needle: tapestry, size 16 or 18.

Yards and skeins are estimates: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 10 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color (about 411 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 5: columns 1 to 90, rows 1 to 74

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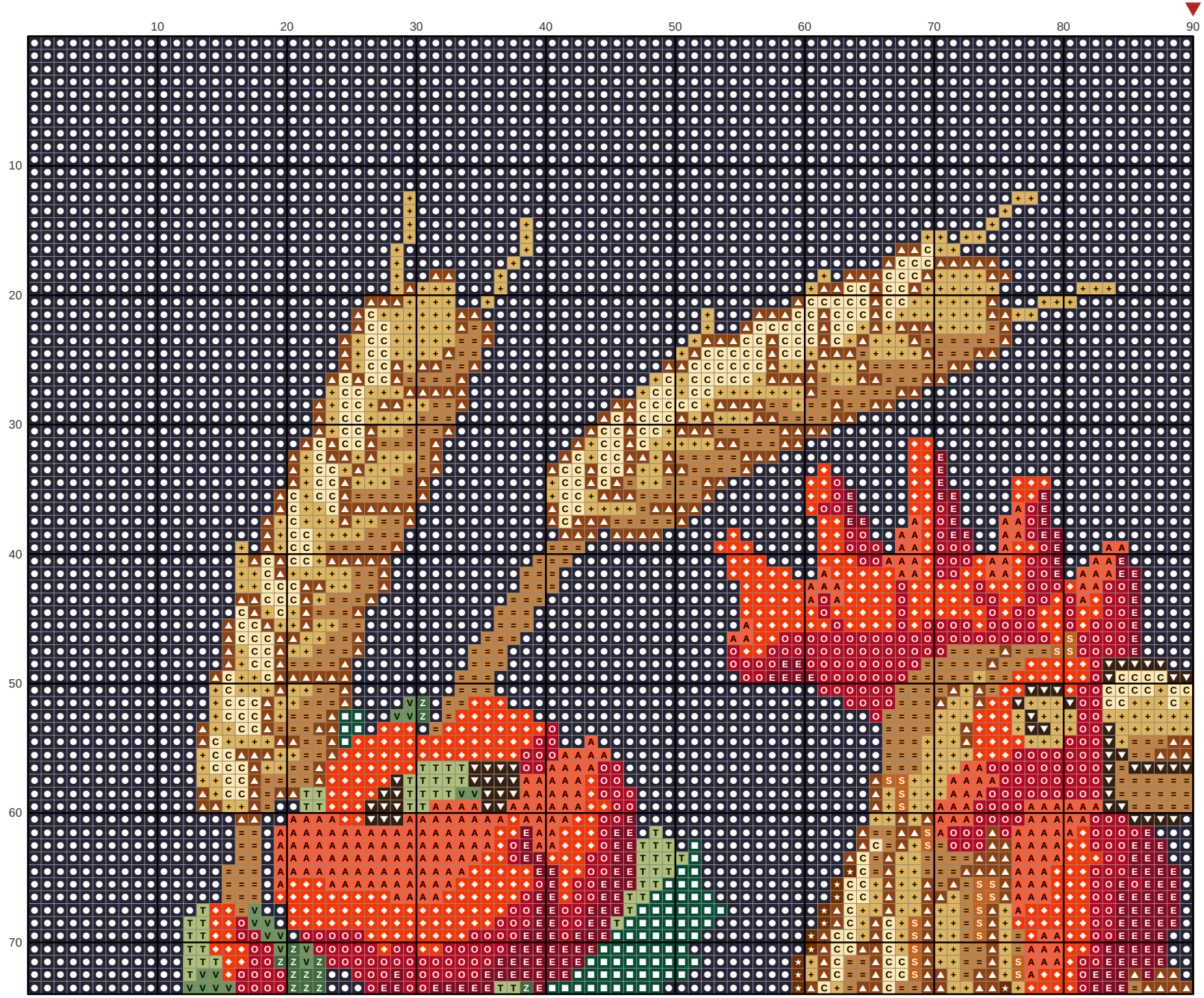

Key

- **DMC 310** Black
- **DMC 500** Very Dark Blue Green
- **DMC 400** Dark Mahogany
- **DMC 606** Bright Orange-Red
- **DMC 938** Ultra Dark Coffee Brown
- **DMC 300** Very Dark Mahogany
- **DMC 817** Very Dark Coral Red
- **DMC 3820** Dark Straw
- **DMC 976** Medium Golden Brown
- **DMC 3346** Hunter Green
- **DMC 608** Bright Orange
- **DMC 3347** Medium Yellow Green
- **DMC 471** Very Light Avocado Green
- **DMC 921** Copper
- **DMC 815** Medium Garnet
- **DMC 745** Light Pale Yellow

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Chart 2 of 5: columns 91 to 180, rows 1 to 74; gray squares repeat columns 89 and 90

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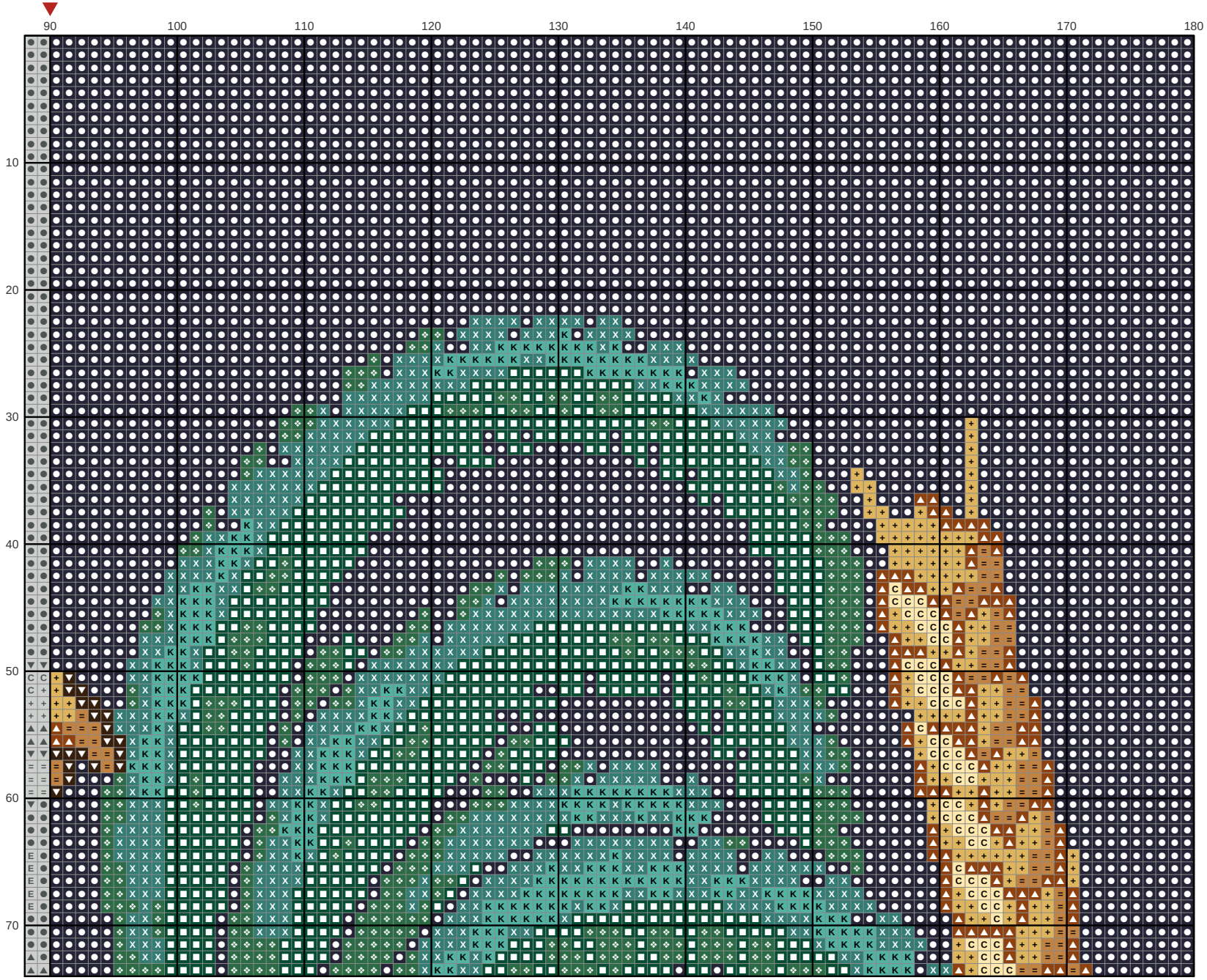

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- **DMC 561** Very Dark Jade
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- **DMC 3820** Dark Straw
- **DMC 976** Medium Golden Brown
- **DMC 3849** Light Teal Green
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Chart 3 of 5: columns 1 to 60, rows 75 to 180; gray squares repeat rows 73 and 74

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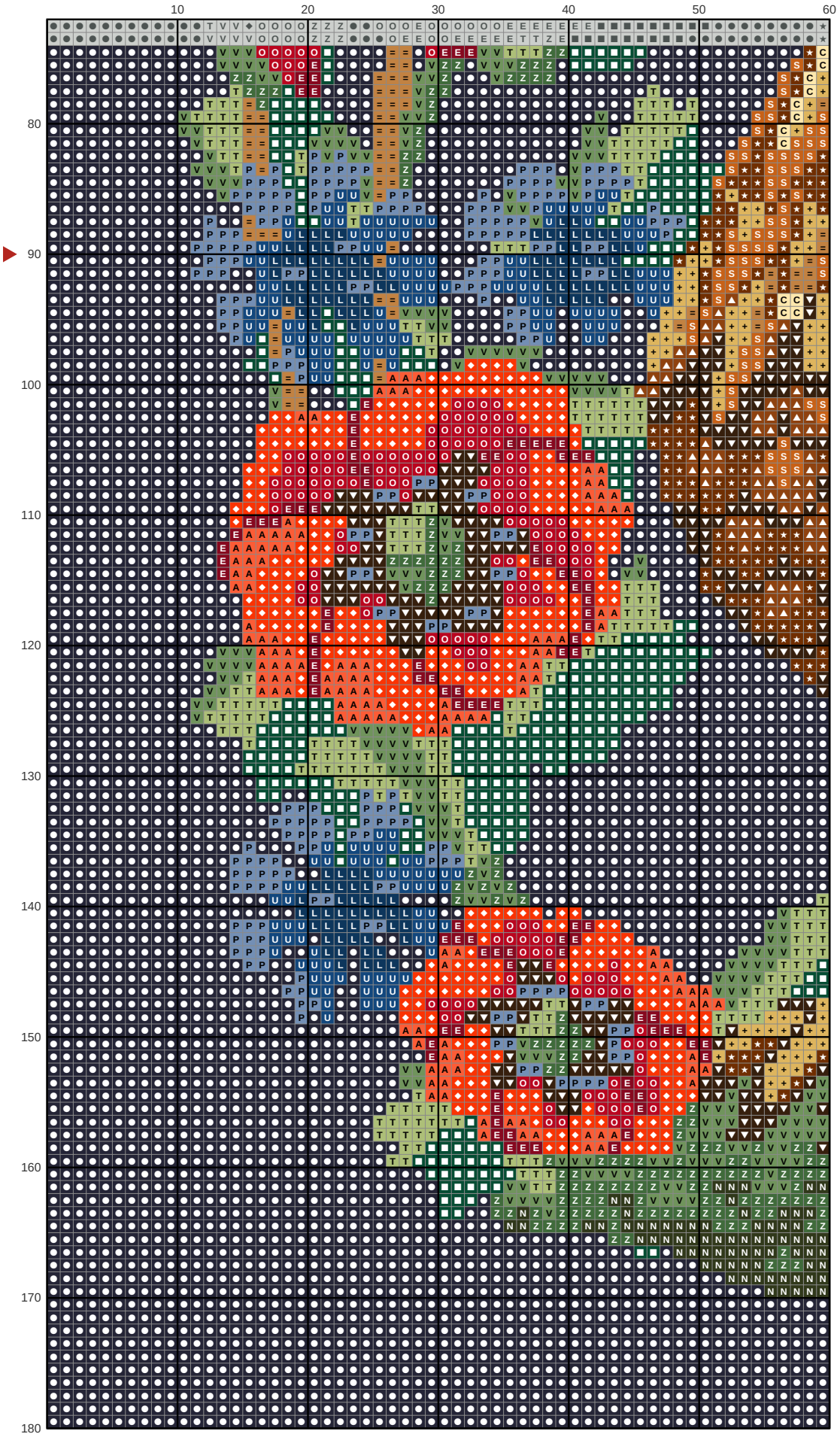

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- DMC 921 Copper
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- DMC 799
- DMC 797 Royal Blue
- DMC 820

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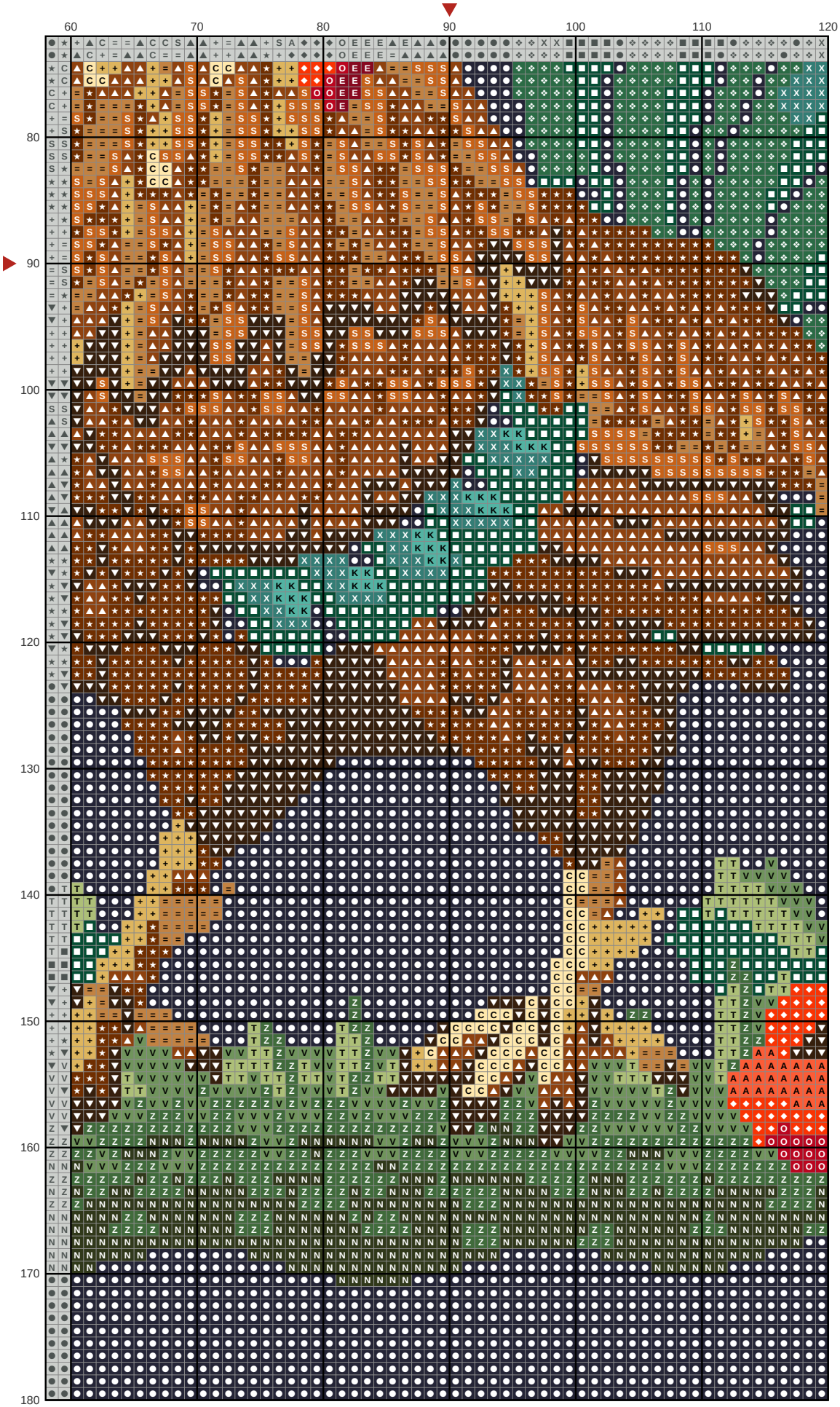
Chart 4 of 5: columns 61 to 120, rows 75 to 180; gray squares repeat columns 59 and 60 and rows 73 and 74



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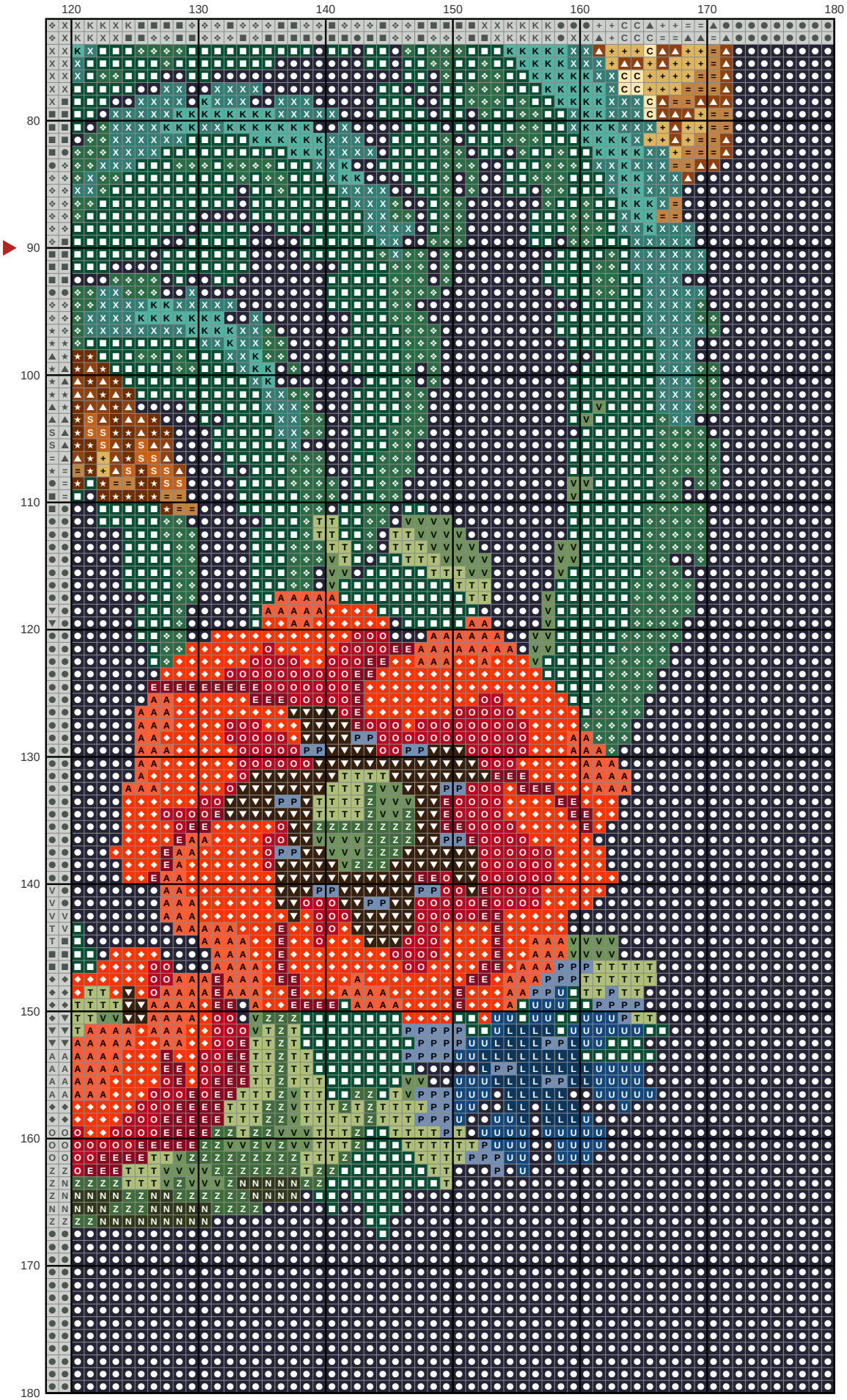

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