Victorian roses dollhouse rug

Needlepoint pattern | 72 x 108 stitches | 4 x 6 in (10.2 x 15.2 cm) on 18 mesh | 14 colors



Thread key, DMC

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	**310**	Black	2,525	18	2
■	**498**	Dark Red	773	6	1
▲	**814**	Dark Garnet	763	6	1
◆	**729**	Medium Old Gold	713	5	1
▼	**936**	Very Dark Avocado Green	498	4	1
★	**352**	Light Coral	440	4	1
❖	**347**	Very Dark Salmon	385	3	1
X	**3347**	Medium Yellow Green	334	3	1
O	**780**	Ultra Very Dark Topaz	317	3	1
+	**353**	Peach	307	3	1
=	**351**	Coral	267	2	1
Z	**3348**	Light Yellow Green	218	2	1
A	**793**	Medium Cornflower Blue	163	2	1
V	**341**	Light Blue Violet	73	1	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 8 x 10 in (20.3 x 25.4 cm) for 18 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

7,776 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 15 skeins of 8.7 yd in all. Or pearl cotton size 5, 1 strand, about 14 skeins of 27.3 yd; or Persian wool, 1 strand, about 14 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 62 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.

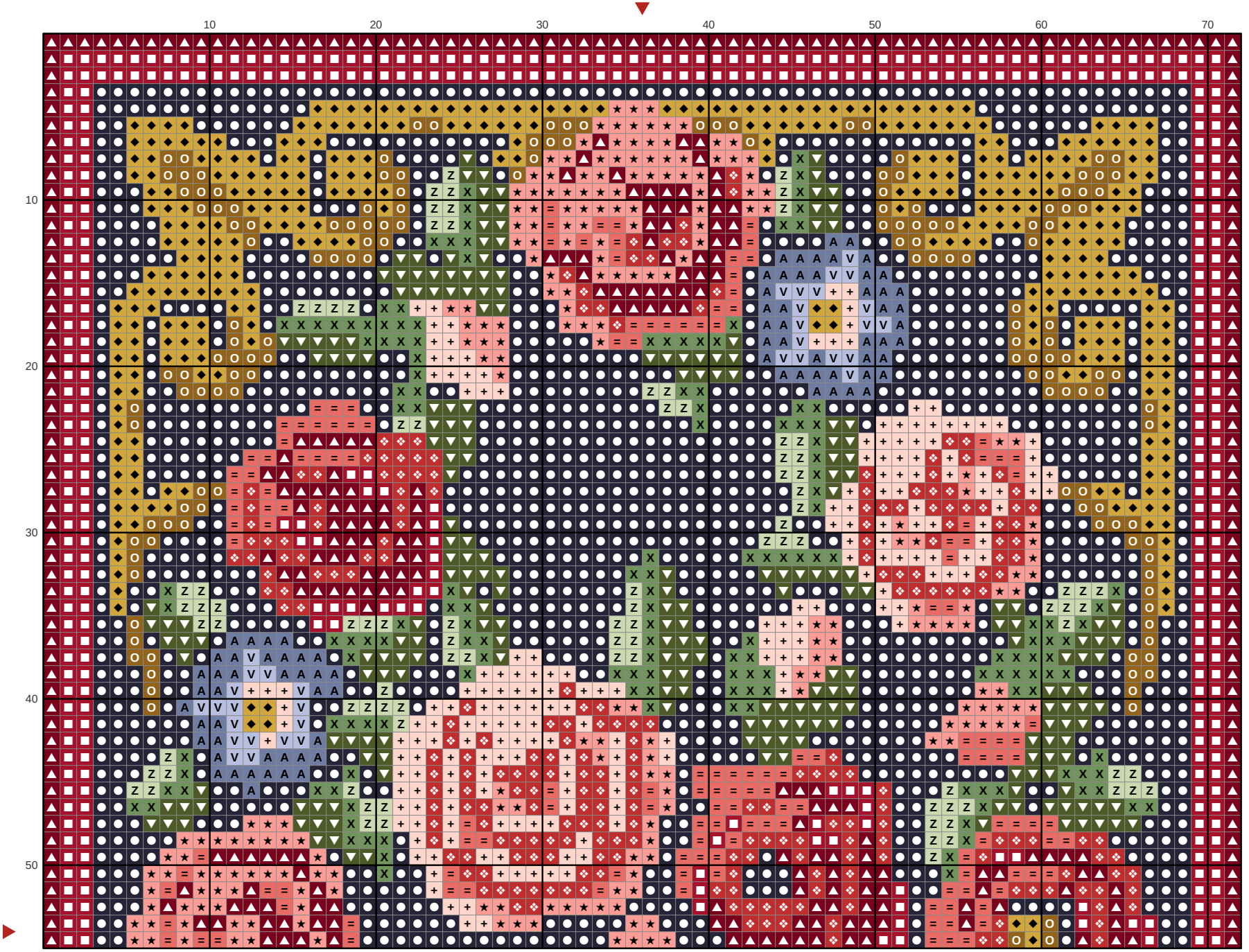
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Chart 1 of 2: columns 1 to 72, rows 1 to 55

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Chart 2 of 2: columns 1 to 72, rows 56 to 108; gray squares repeat rows 54 and 55

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