Blue and white blender with blueberries

Needlepoint pattern | 90 x 126 stitches | 5 x 7 in (12.7 x 17.8 cm) on 18 mesh | 11 colors



Thread key

			stitches	yards	skeins of floss
●	**DMC 3841**	Pale Baby Blue	4,114	29	4
■	**DMC BLANC**	White	1,618	12	2
▲	**DMC 939**	Very Dark Navy Blue	1,423	10	2
◆	**DMC 336**	Navy Blue	985	7	1
▼	**DMC 3325**	Light Baby Blue	863	6	1
★	**DMC 3755**	Baby Blue	696	5	1
❖	**DMC 799**	Medium Delft Blue	444	4	1
X	**DMC 798**	Dark Delft Blue	355	3	1
O	**DMC 322**	Dark Baby Blue	351	3	1
+	**DMC 334**	Medium Baby Blue	283	2	1
=	**DMC 3840**	Light Lavender Blue	208	2	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 16 skeins of 8.7 yd in all. Or pearl cotton size 5, 1 strand, about 12 skeins of 27.3 yd; or Persian wool, 1 strand, about 12 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 83 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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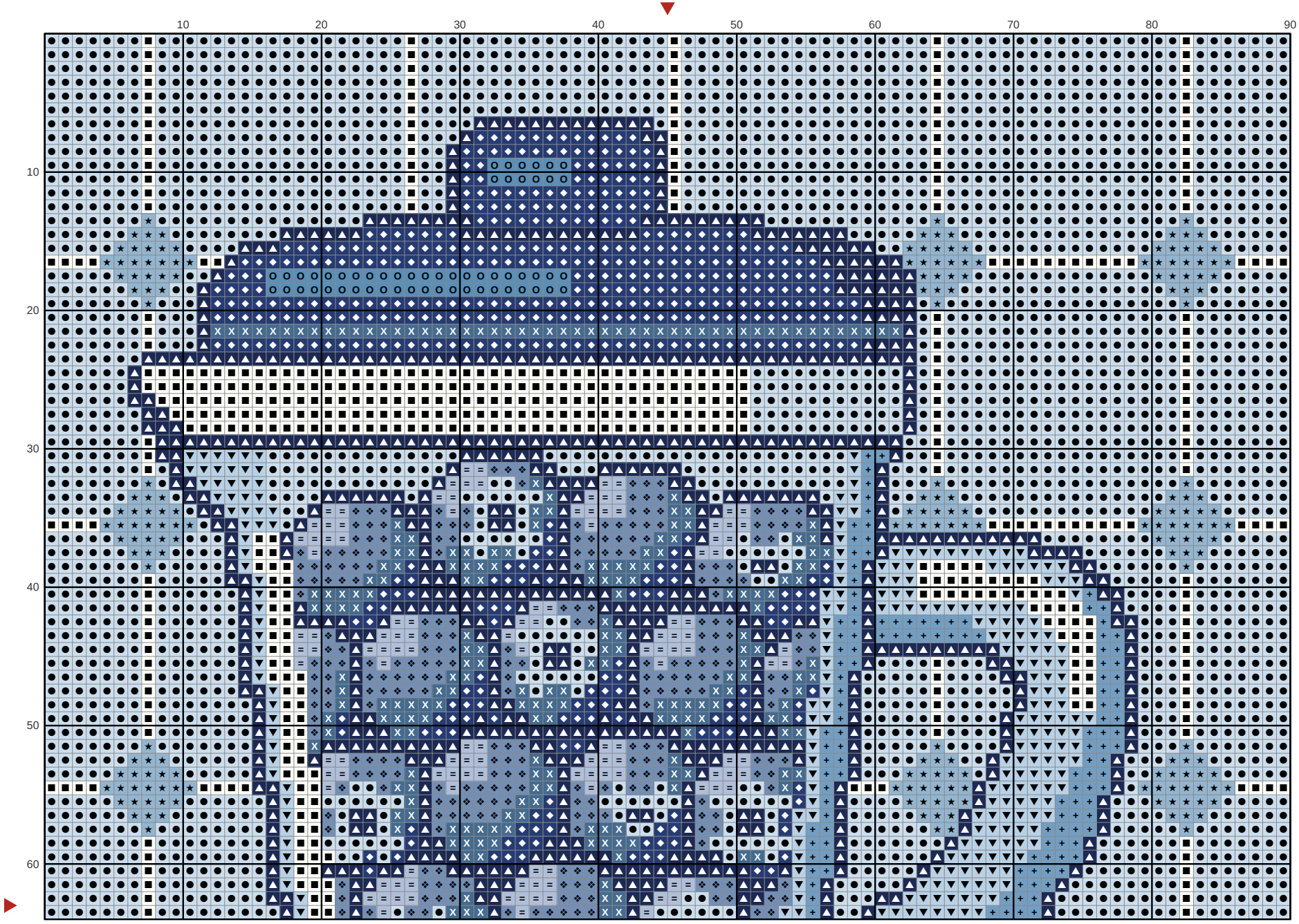

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Chart 2 of 2: columns 1 to 90, rows 65 to 126; gray squares repeat rows 63 and 64

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