Striped sunset rug

Needlepoint pattern | 132 x 180 stitches | 13.2 x 18 in (33.5 x 45.7 cm) on 10 mesh | 14 colors



Thread key, DMC

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	**154**	Very Dark Grape	6,830	85	11
■	**972**	Deep Canary	3,504	44	6
▲	**3837**	Ultra Dark Lavender	2,600	33	4
◆	**3705**	Dark Melon	2,600	33	4
▼	**3750**	Very Dark Antique Blue	1,632	21	3
★	**3804**	Dark Cyclamen Pink	1,336	17	3
❖	**3810**	Dark Turquoise	832	11	2
X	**3808**	Ultra Very Dark Turquoise	832	11	2
O	**946**	Medium Burnt Orange	766	10	2
+	**352**	Light Coral	726	9	2
=	**3823**	Ultra Pale Yellow	608	8	1
Z	**970**	Light Pumpkin	588	8	1
A	**744**	Pale Yellow	490	7	1
V	**598**	Light Turquoise	416	6	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 17.2 x 22 in (43.7 x 55.9 cm) for 10 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

23,760 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 divided evenly over 4 pages. 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 43 skeins of 16.4 yd in all. Or six-strand floss, 8 to 10 strands, about 63 skeins of 8.7 yd; or tapestry wool, 1 strand, about 40 skeins of 8.7 yd; or Persian wool, 3 strands, about 45 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 303 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 4: columns 1 to 66, rows 1 to 90

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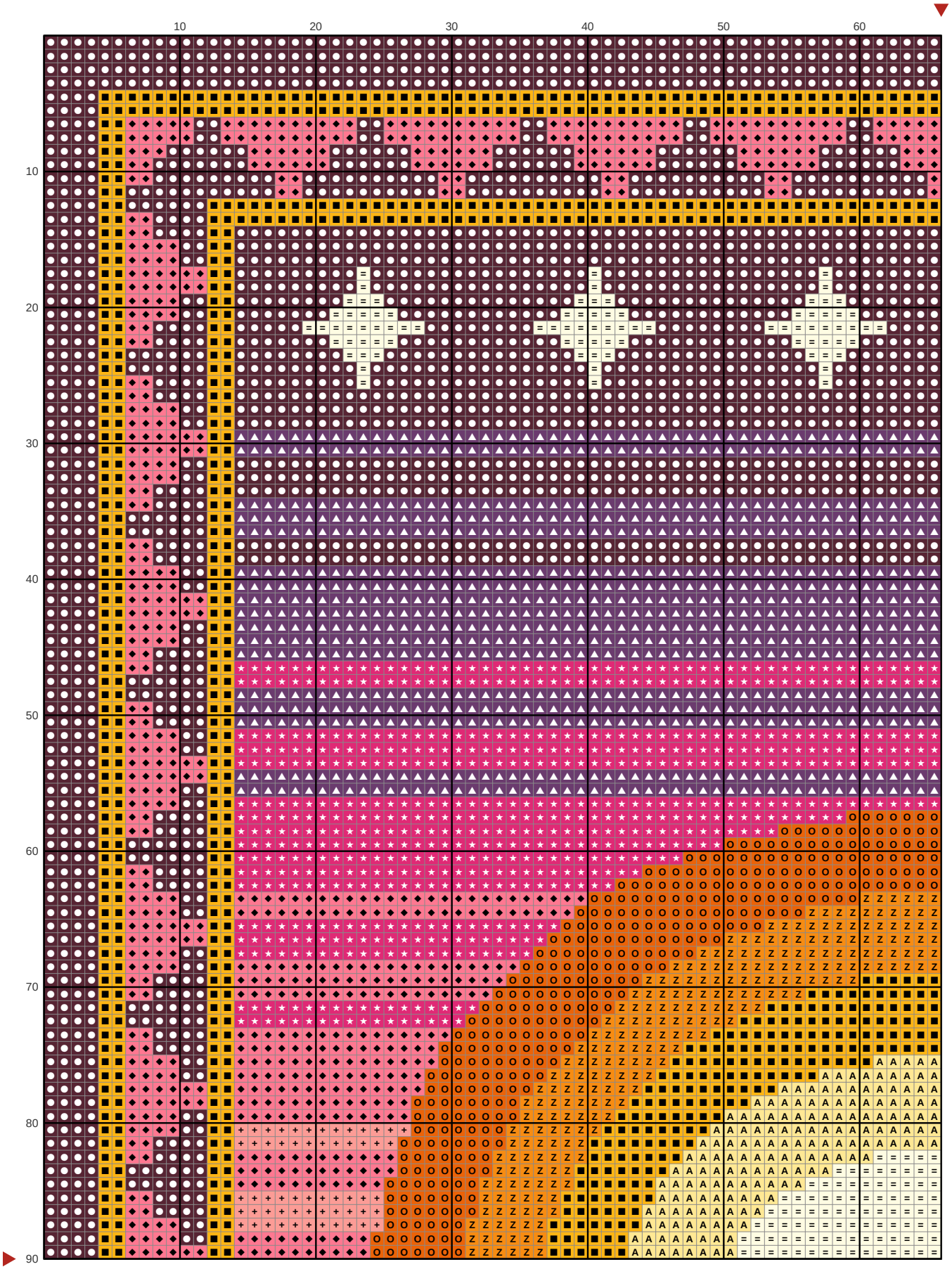

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Chart 2 of 4: columns 67 to 132, rows 1 to 90; gray squares repeat columns 65 and 66

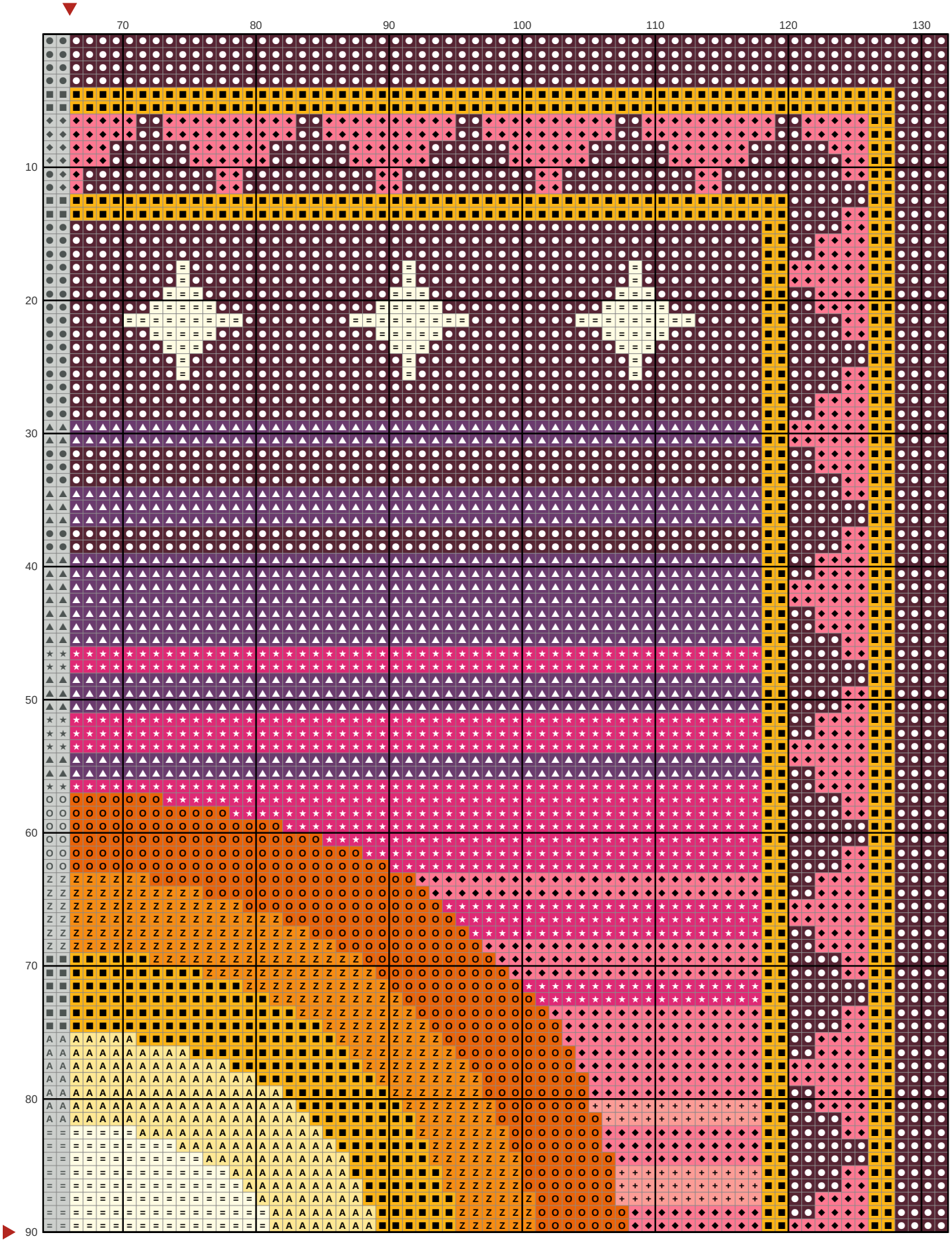

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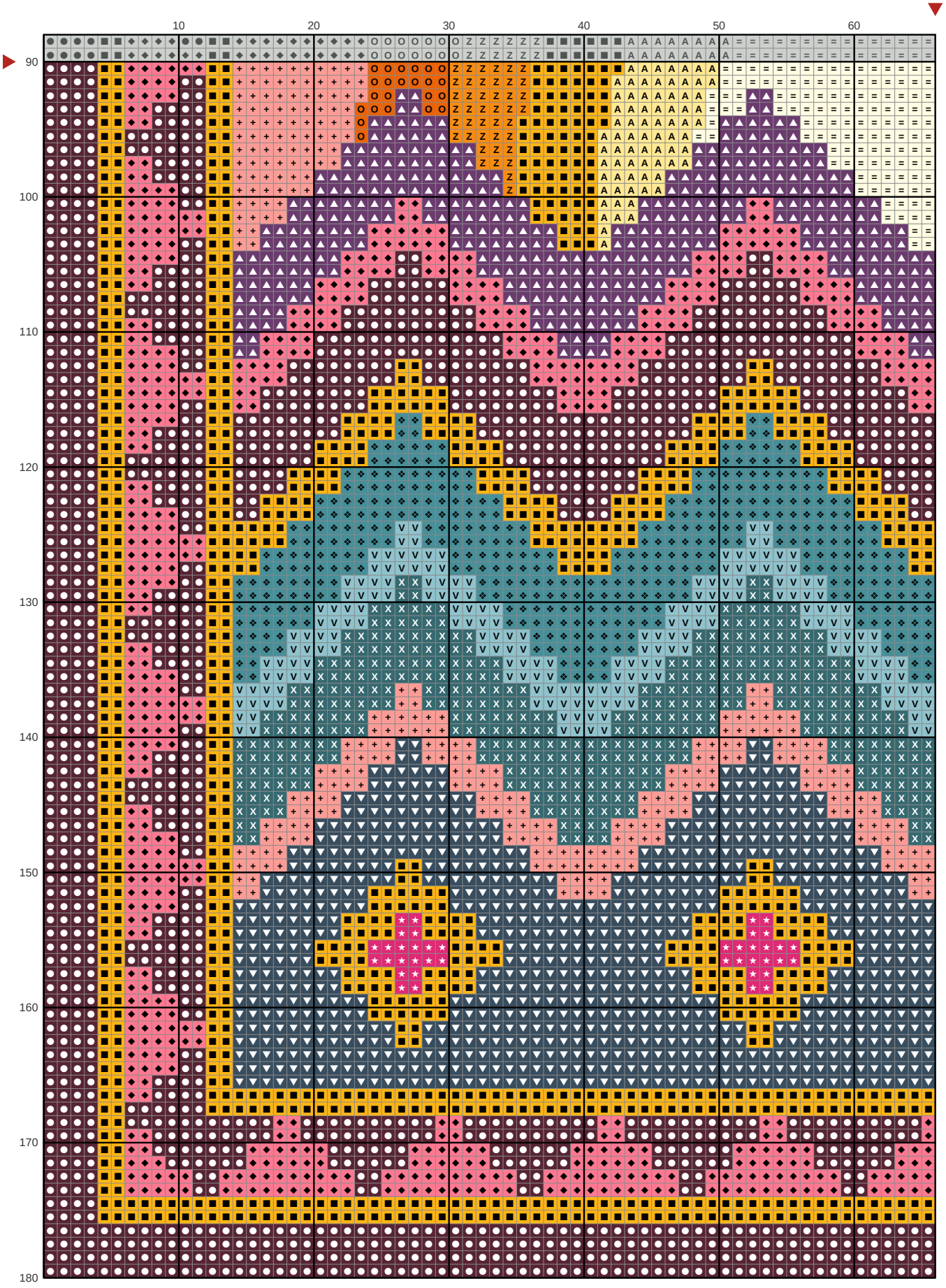
Chart 3 of 4: columns 1 to 66, rows 91 to 180; gray squares repeat rows 89 and 90



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