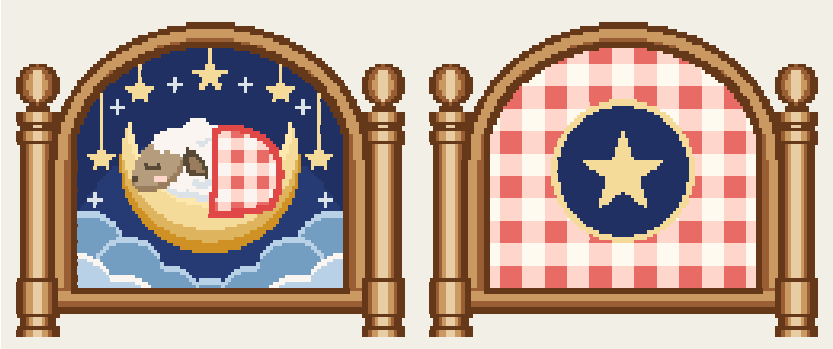
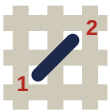
Doll bed headboard for plastic mesh

Needlepoint pattern | 250 x 100 stitches | all pieces 25 x 10 in (63.5 x 25.4 cm) on 10 mesh | 21 colors



How to stitch it



1. Each square is one tent stitch, up at 1, down at 2. Lines in continental, right to left, the canvas upside down for the next row; wide areas in basketweave.
2. Cut 18 in of thread. Start and end it without a knot left behind.
3. Mark the middle of each canvas. It is that piece's outlined square: start there. Count threads, not holes.
4. Go on from it: picture first, background last. Gray squares are on two pages: stitch them once. Empty squares stay bare.
5. Last, two more rows all round each piece in DMC 801: the seam hides them.

First time? How to needlepoint: flossfield.com/needlepoint/guides/how-to-start/
How to read a chart: flossfield.com/needlepoint/guides/how-to-read-a-chart/

What you need

Canvas: blank mono canvas, 10 mesh (10 threads to the inch), a piece for each: front and back each 16.5 in wide x 14.5 in high.

Needle: blunt tapestry, size 18. Also masking tape for the cut edges, and small scissors.

Thread: pearl cotton size 3, 21 colors, about 46 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 2 lengths together.

Make it a stand-up: backing fabric, stuffing, an oval of board for the base, pellets to weight it, and cord. How to finish a stand-up.

Thread list, DMC

			stitches	skeins
●	801	Dark Coffee Brown	3,796	9
■	823	Dark Navy Blue	2,834	5
▲	436	Tan	2,426	4
◆	353	Peach	2,263	4
▼	434	Light Brown	1,474	3
★	351	Coral	1,182	2
❖	3822	Light Straw	985	2
X	712	Cream	898	2
H	738	Very Light Tan	880	2
+	334	Medium Baby Blue	671	2
=	336	Navy Blue	662	1
Z	3865	Winter White	409	1
A	3325	Light Baby Blue	378	1
V	783	Medium Topaz	211	1
T	3820	Dark Straw	206	1
N	350	Medium Coral	187	1
S	841	Light Beige Brown	118	1
K	3753	Ultra Very Light Antique Blue	104	1
E	745	Light Pale Yellow	59	1
C	840	Medium Beige Brown	50	1
P	838	Very Dark Beige Brown	45	1

Skeins are estimates, with the two extra rows: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 10 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color.

Thread colors are approximate screen matches to DMC numbers. Check against real thread before you buy.

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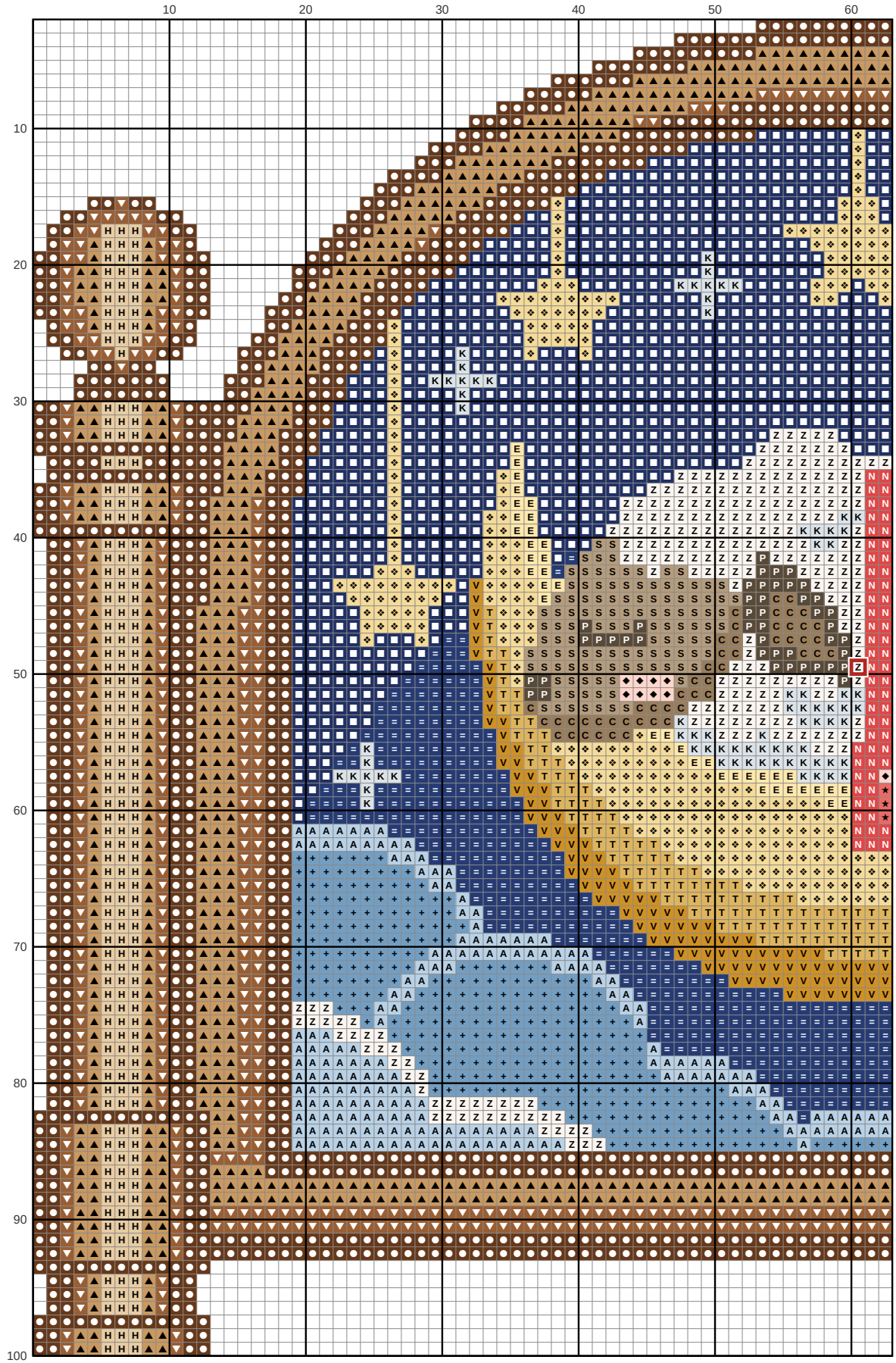
Columns 1 to 63, rows 3 to 100. Start at the red outline



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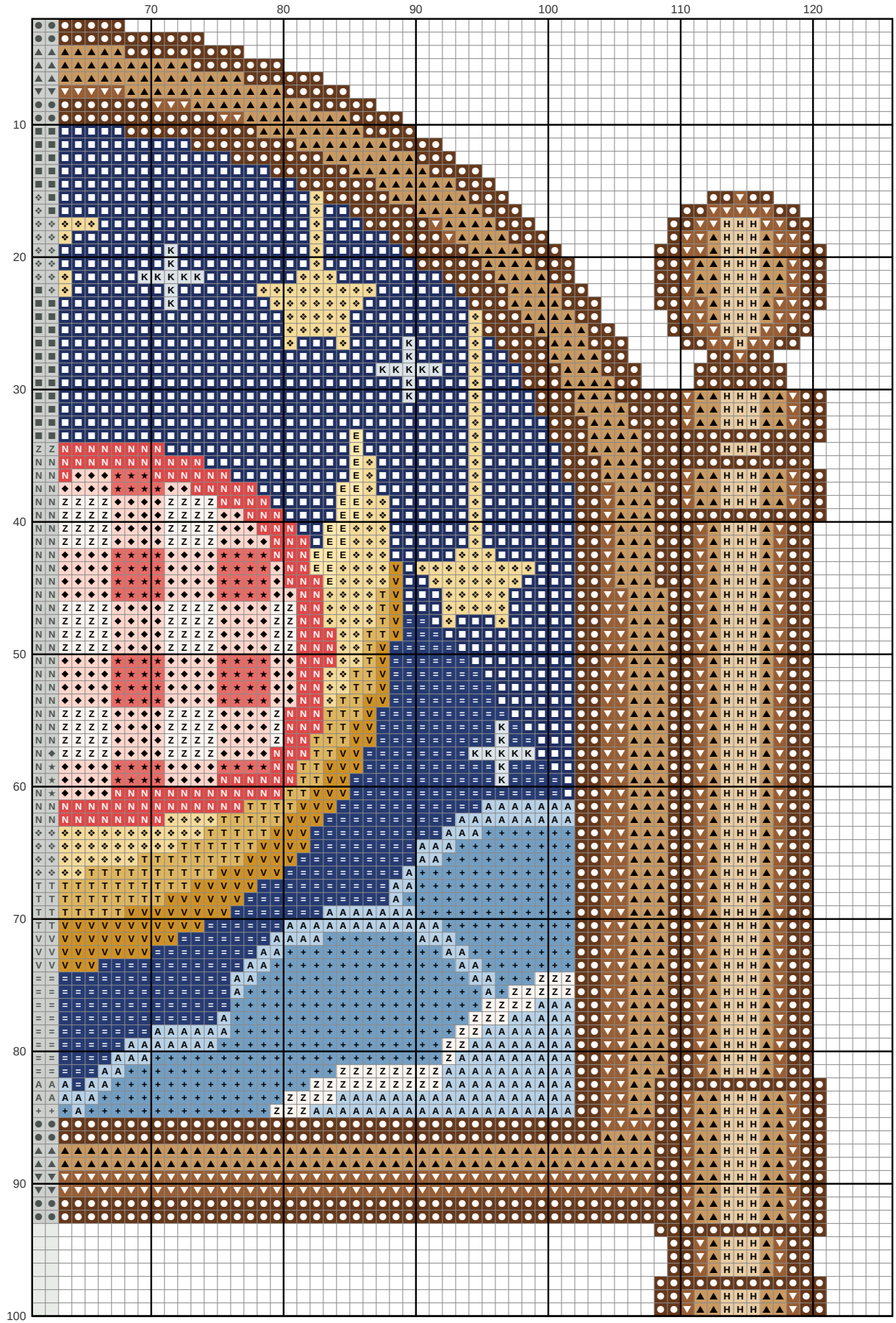

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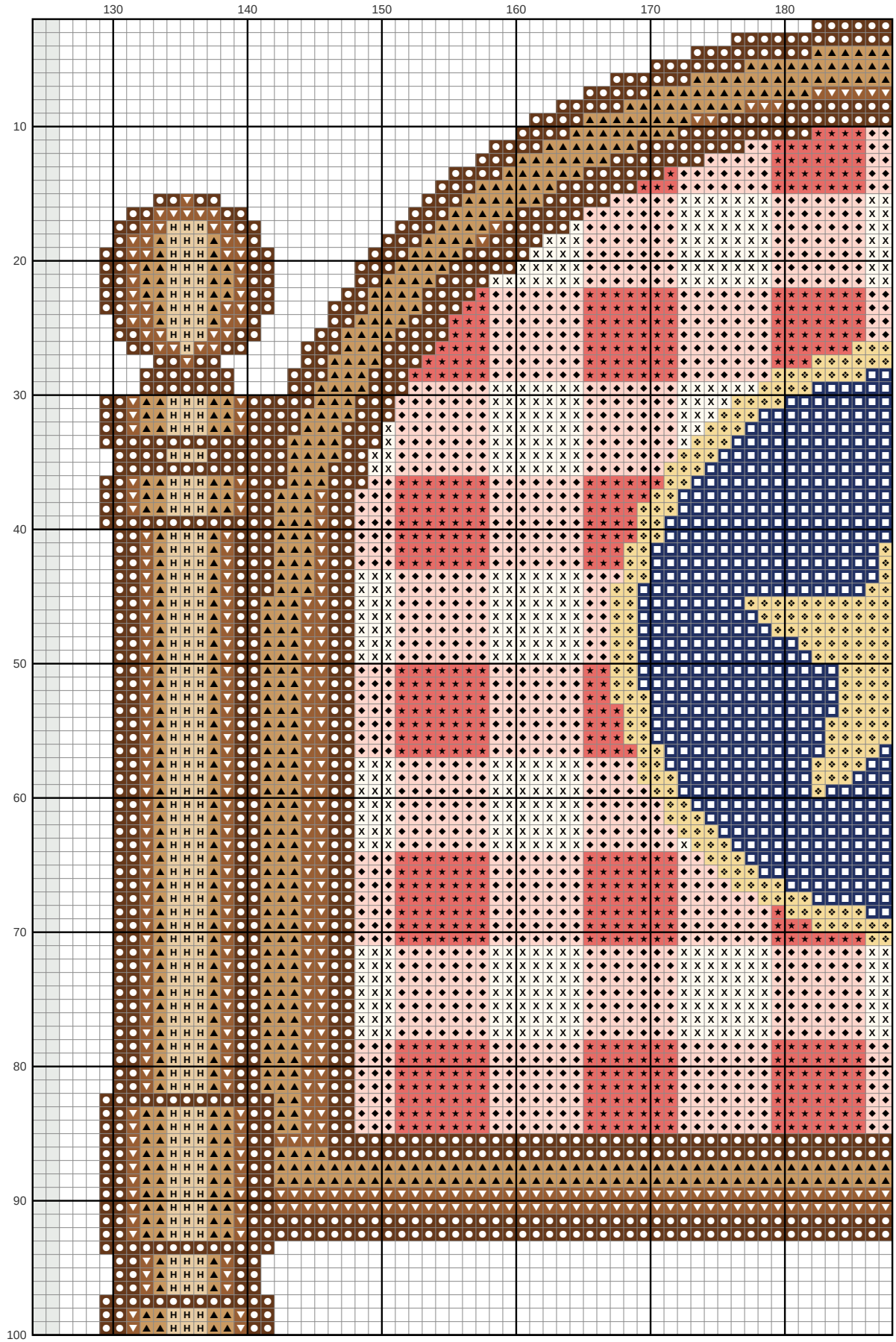

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