Monkey rug with a tree of life

Needlepoint pattern | 180 x 270 stitches | 18 x 27 in (45.7 x 68.6 cm) on 10 mesh | 22 colors



Thread key, DMC

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	939	Very Dark Navy Blue	10,390	128	16
■	712	Cream	9,826	121	15
▲	350	Medium Coral	4,026	50	7
◆	3862	Dark Mocha Beige	2,679	33	5
▼	413	Dark Pewter Gray	2,451	31	4
★	318	Light Steel Gray	2,130	27	4
❖	3815	Dark Celadon Green	2,113	27	4
X	3816	Celadon Green	1,983	25	3
O	414	Dark Steel Gray	1,959	25	3
+	817	Very Dark Coral Red	1,618	20	3
=	415	Pearl Gray	1,569	20	3
Z	3817	Light Celadon Green	1,378	17	3
A	352	Light Coral	1,314	17	2
V	3371	Black Brown	1,237	16	2
T	801	Dark Coffee Brown	893	11	2
N	353	Peach	738	10	2
S	3863	Medium Mocha Beige	676	9	2
K	3864	Light Mocha Beige	579	8	1
E	739	Ultra Very Light Tan	338	5	1
C	3782	Light Mocha Brown	322	4	1
P	782	Dark Topaz	277	4	1
U	3822	Light Straw	104	2	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 22 x 31 in (55.9 x 78.7 cm) for 10 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

48,600 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 8 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 85 skeins of 16.4 yd in all. Or six-strand floss, 8 to 10 strands, about 125 skeins of 8.7 yd; or tapestry wool, 1 strand, about 78 skeins of 8.7 yd; or Persian wool, 3 strands, about 89 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 610 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 8: columns 1 to 90, rows 1 to 69

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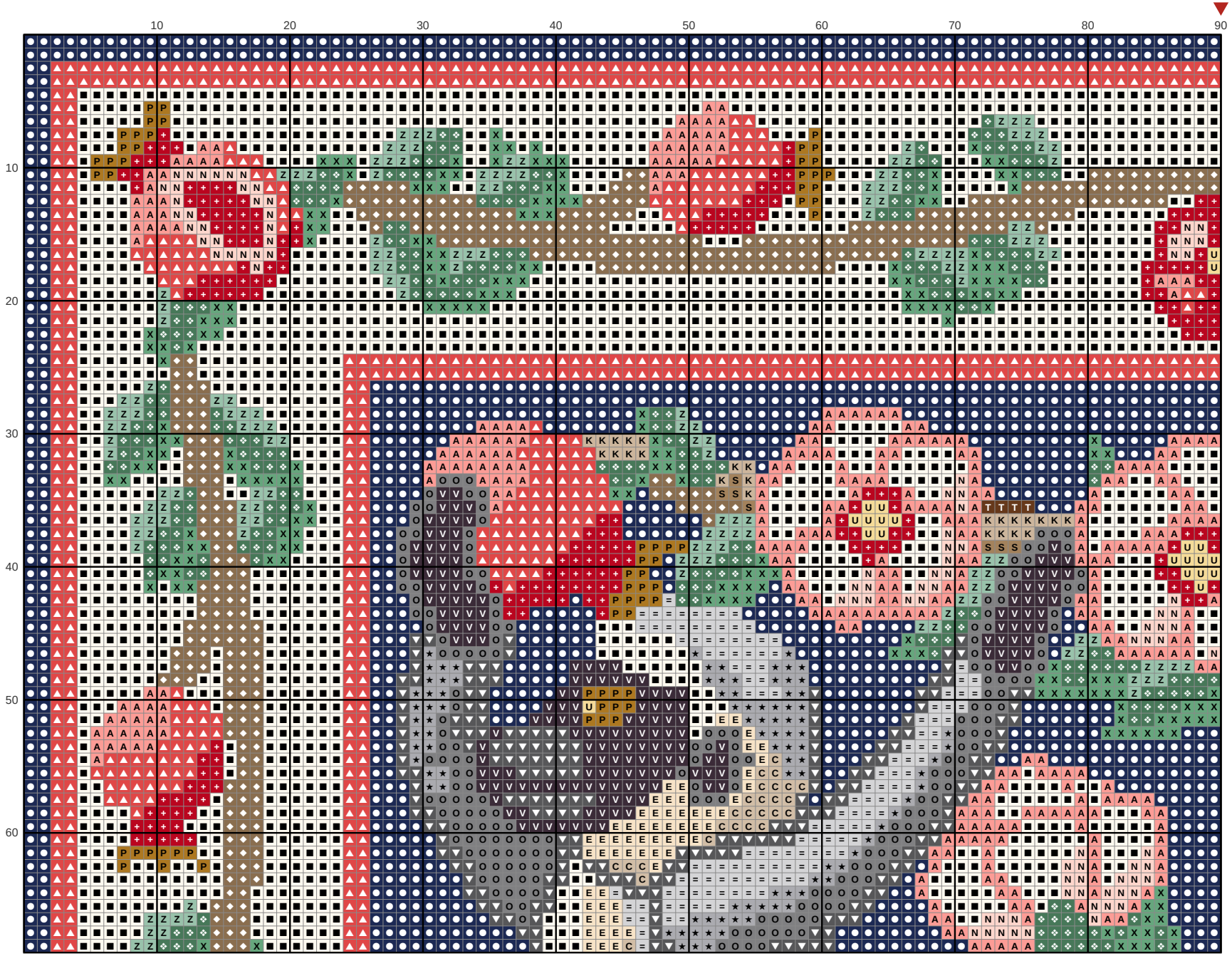

Key

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- DMC 712 Cream
- DMC 350 Medium Coral
- DMC 3862
- DMC 413
- DMC 318
- DMC 3815
- DMC 3816
- DMC 414
- DMC 817
- DMC 415 Pearl Gray
- DMC 3817
- DMC 352 Light Coral
- DMC 3371 Black Brown
- DMC 801
- DMC 353 Peach
- DMC 3863
- DMC 3864
- DMC 739
- DMC 3782
- DMC 782 Dark Topaz
- DMC 3822 Light Straw

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Chart 2 of 8: columns 91 to 180, rows 1 to 69; gray squares repeat columns 89 and 90

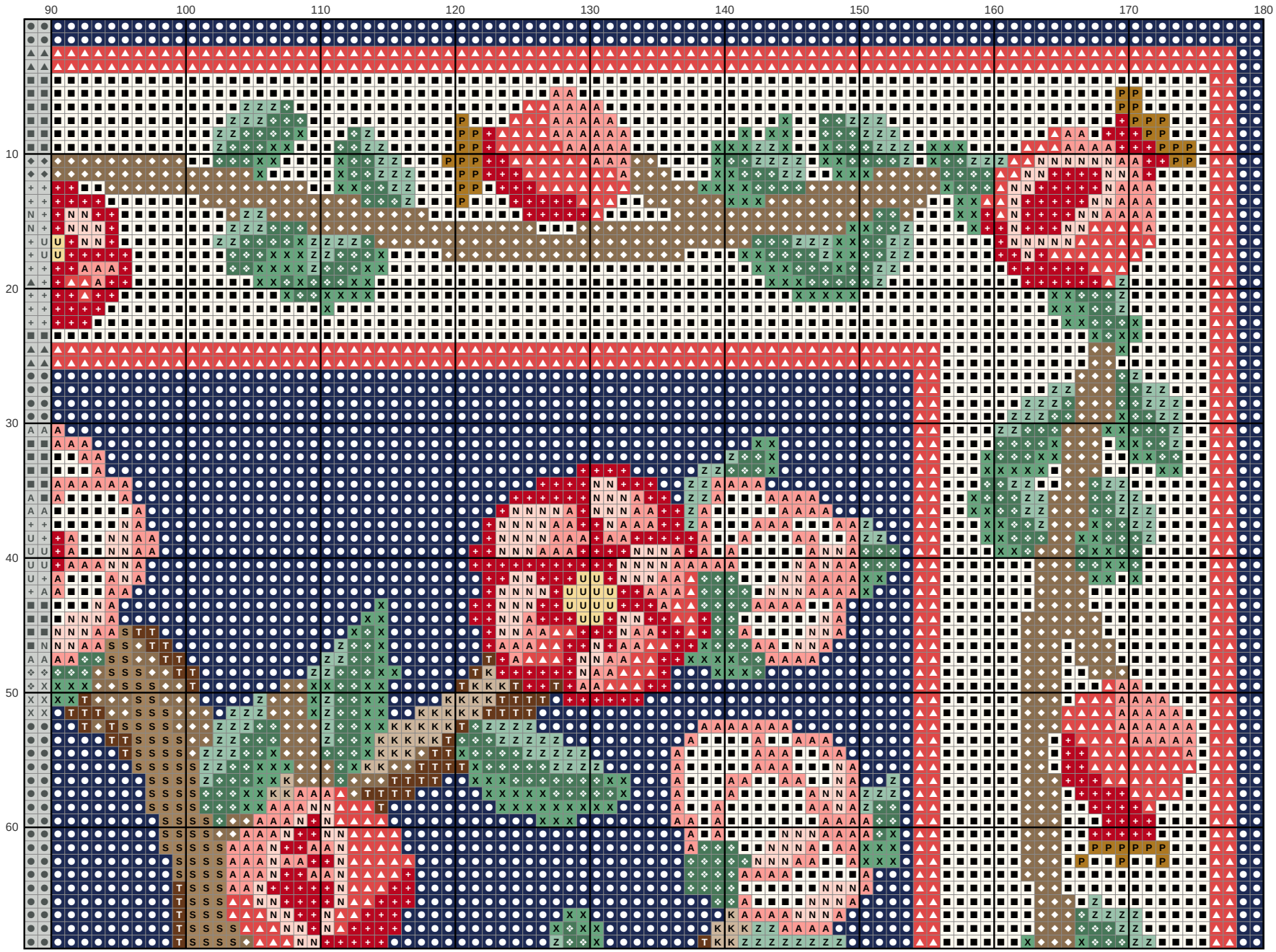

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Chart 3 of 8: columns 1 to 60, rows 70 to 169; gray squares repeat rows 68 and 69

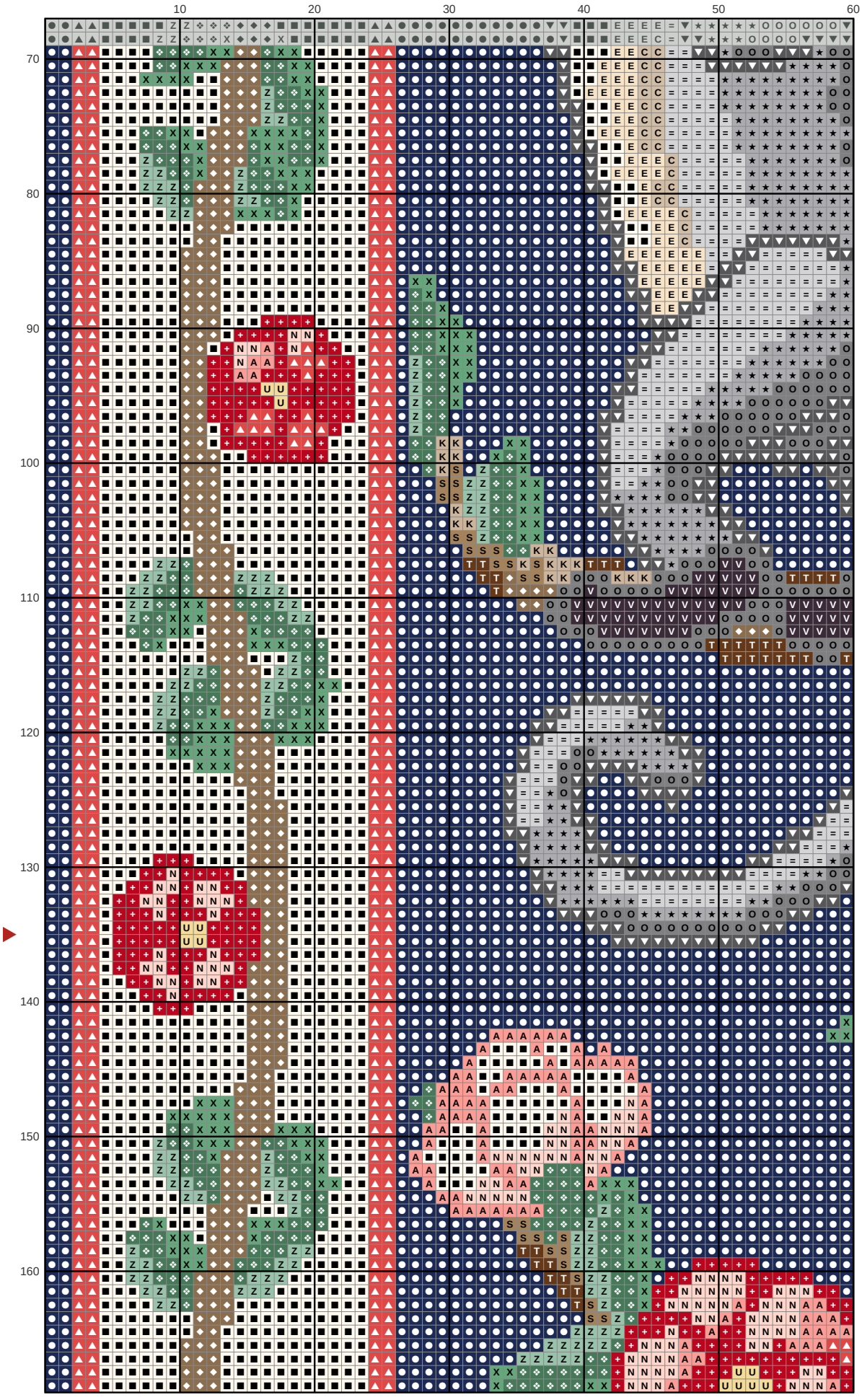

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Chart 4 of 8: columns 61 to 120, rows 70 to 169; gray squares repeat columns 59 and 60 and rows 68 and 69

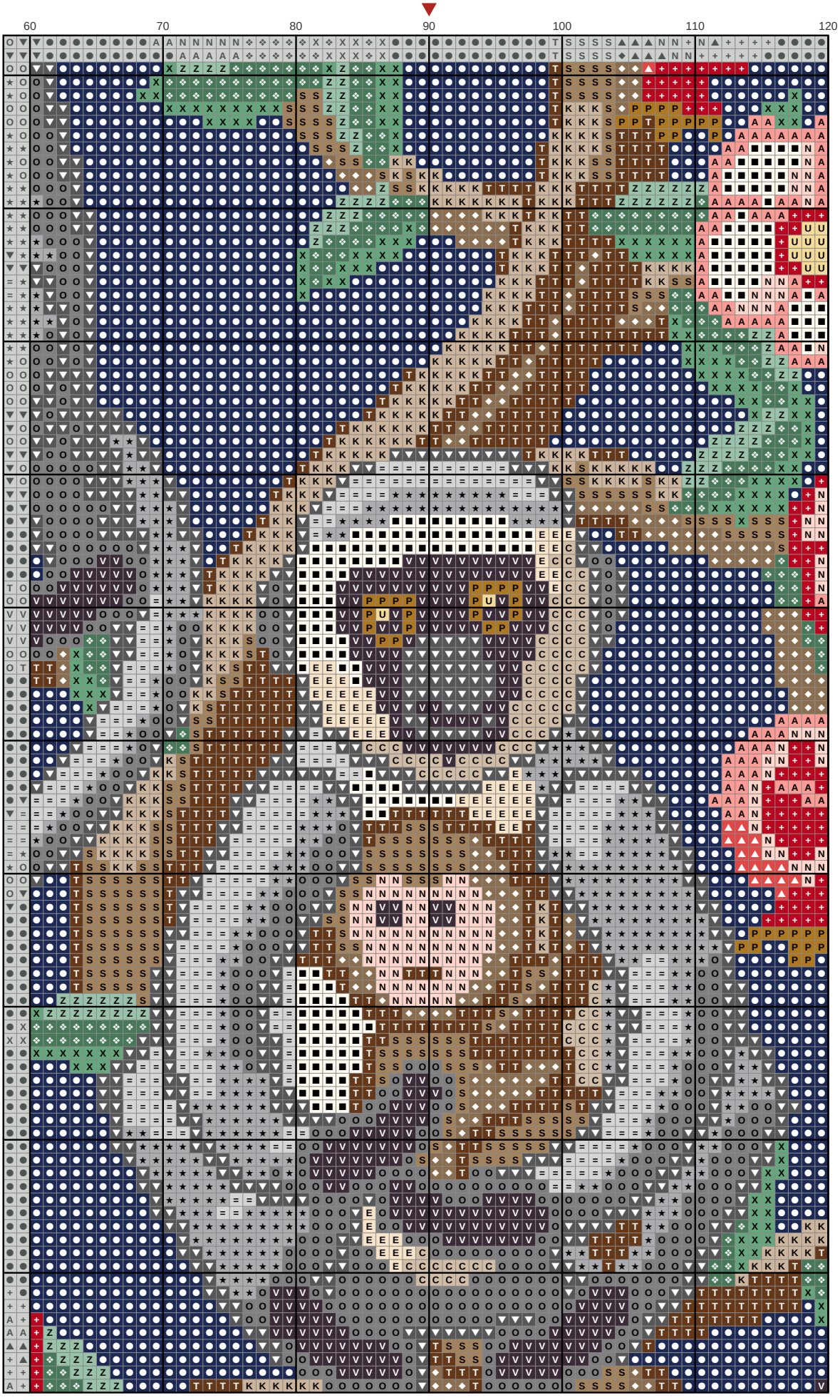

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Chart 5 of 8: columns 121 to 180, rows 70 to 169; gray squares repeat columns 119 and 120 and rows 68 and 69

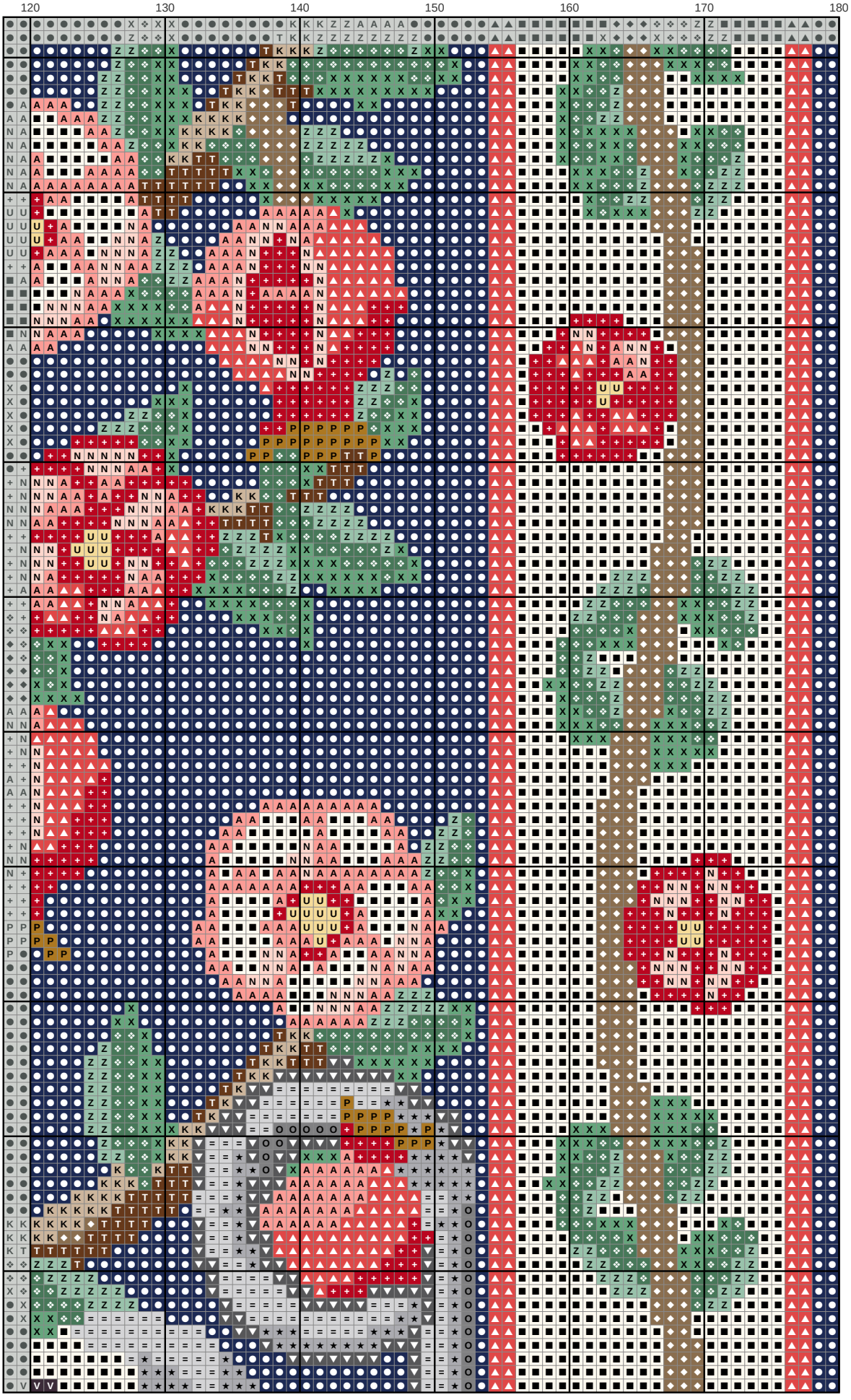

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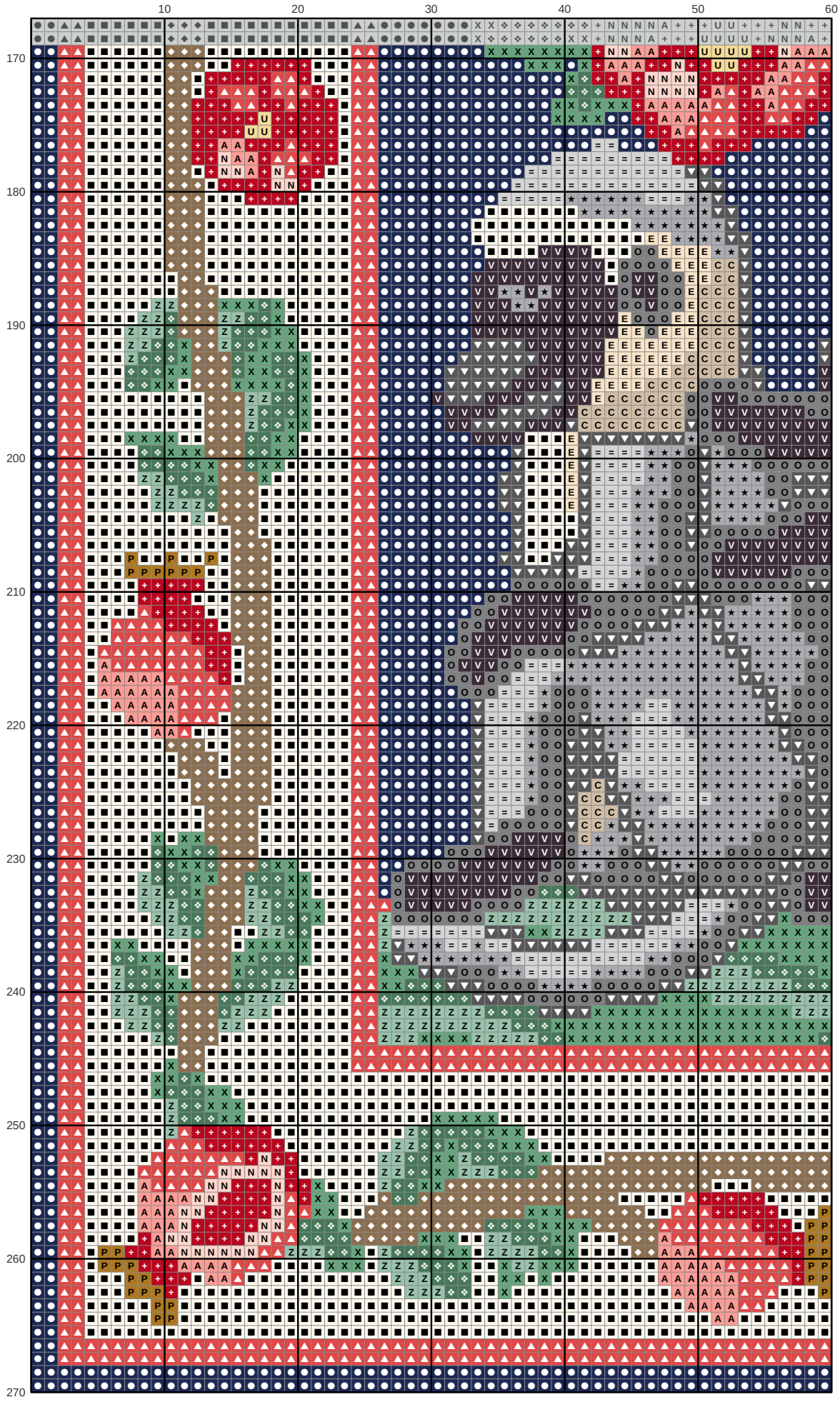
Chart 6 of 8: columns 1 to 60, rows 170 to 270; gray squares repeat rows 168 and 169



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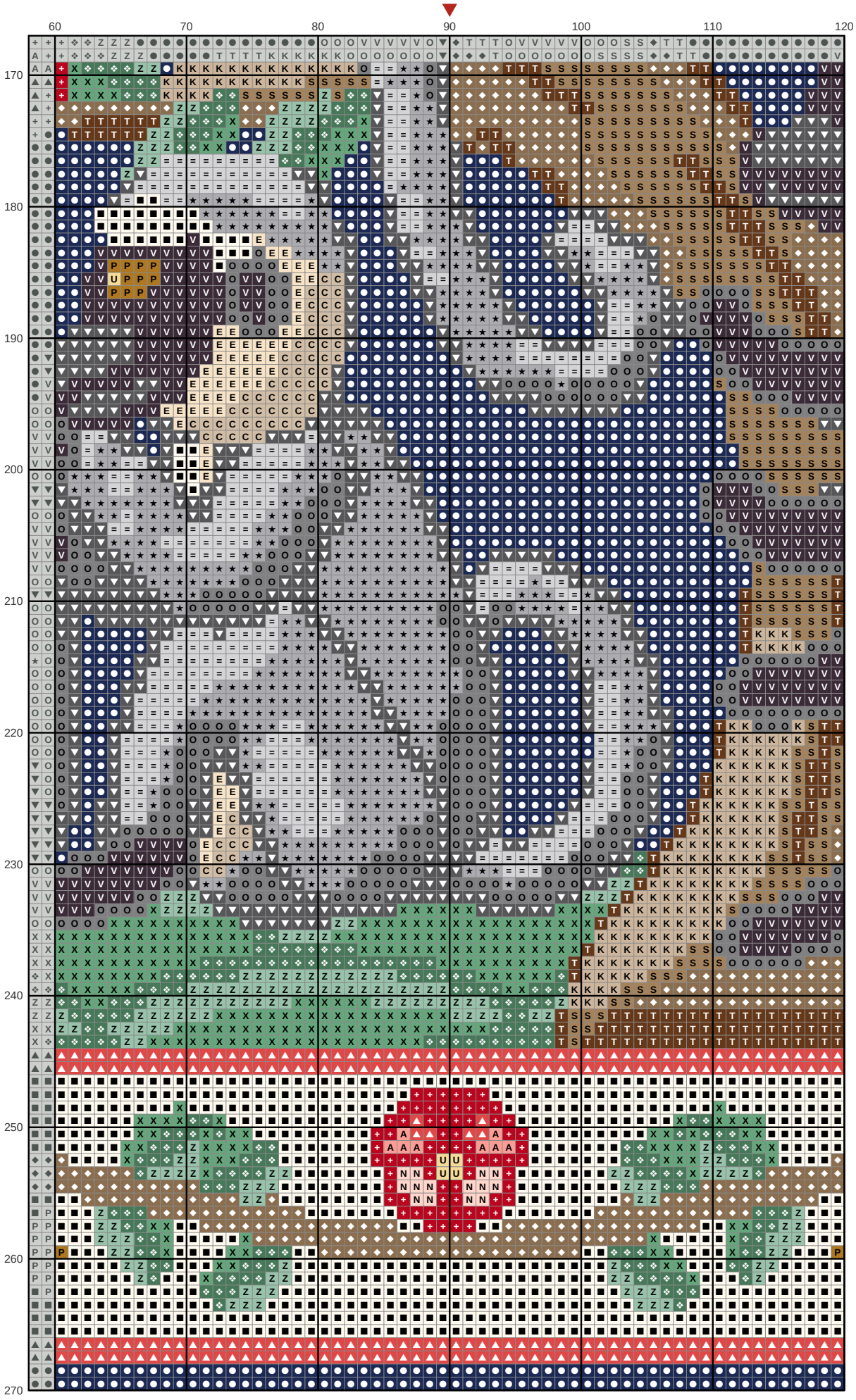

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