Chintz strawberries and bird

Needlepoint pattern | 130 x 130 stitches | 10 x 10 in (25.4 x 25.4 cm) on 13 mesh | 20 colors



Thread key, DMC

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	**712**	Cream	3,624	35	6
■	**347**	Very Dark Salmon	2,854	28	5
▲	**815**	Medium Garnet	1,937	19	3
◆	**760**	Salmon	1,159	11	2
▼	**3347**	Medium Yellow Green	1,022	10	2
★	**895**	Very Dark Hunter Green	841	8	2
❖	**334**	Medium Baby Blue	674	7	1
X	**3713**	Very Light Salmon	652	7	1
O	**351**	Coral	601	6	1
+	**823**	Dark Navy Blue	586	6	1
=	**3345**	Dark Hunter Green	554	6	1
Z	**433**	Medium Brown	381	4	1
A	**801**	Dark Coffee Brown	379	4	1
V	**3865**	Winter White	326	4	1
T	**3822**	Light Straw	320	4	1
N	**312**	Very Dark Baby Blue	265	3	1
S	**3325**	Light Baby Blue	256	3	1
K	**472**	Ultra Light Avocado Green	220	3	1
E	**436**	Tan	170	2	1
C	**783**	Medium Topaz	79	1	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 14 x 14 in (35.6 x 35.6 cm) for 13 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

16,900 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: six-strand floss, 7 or 8 strands in the needle on 13 mesh (counted at 8), about 34 skeins of 8.7 yd in all. Or pearl cotton size 3, 1 strand, about 24 skeins of 16.4 yd; or tapestry wool, 1 strand, about 30 skeins of 8.7 yd; or Persian wool, 2 strands, about 25 skeins of 8 yd. Wool is numbered differently: match it by eye. Needle: tapestry, size 20.

Yards and skeins are estimates: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 13 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color (about 171 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.

Make it a pillow: also have backing fabric, an insert the size of the stitching or an inch larger, and cord or piping for the edge. The seam takes the last two rows: stitch two extra rows all round, or keep the edge plain. "How to finish a pillow" is a guide linked from this pattern's page.

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Chart 1 of 4: columns 1 to 65, rows 1 to 65

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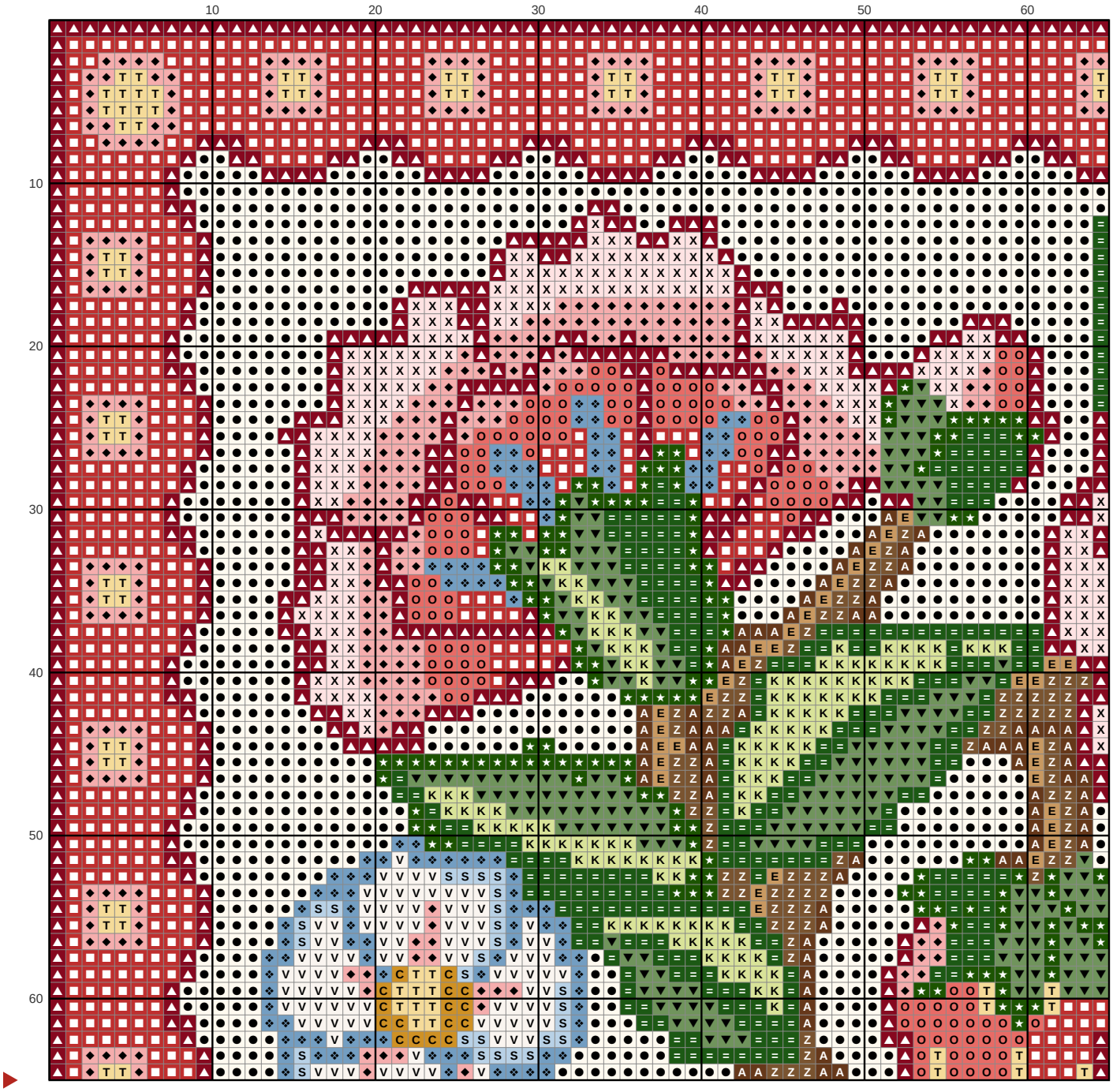

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Chart 2 of 4: columns 66 to 130, rows 1 to 65; gray squares repeat columns 64 and 65

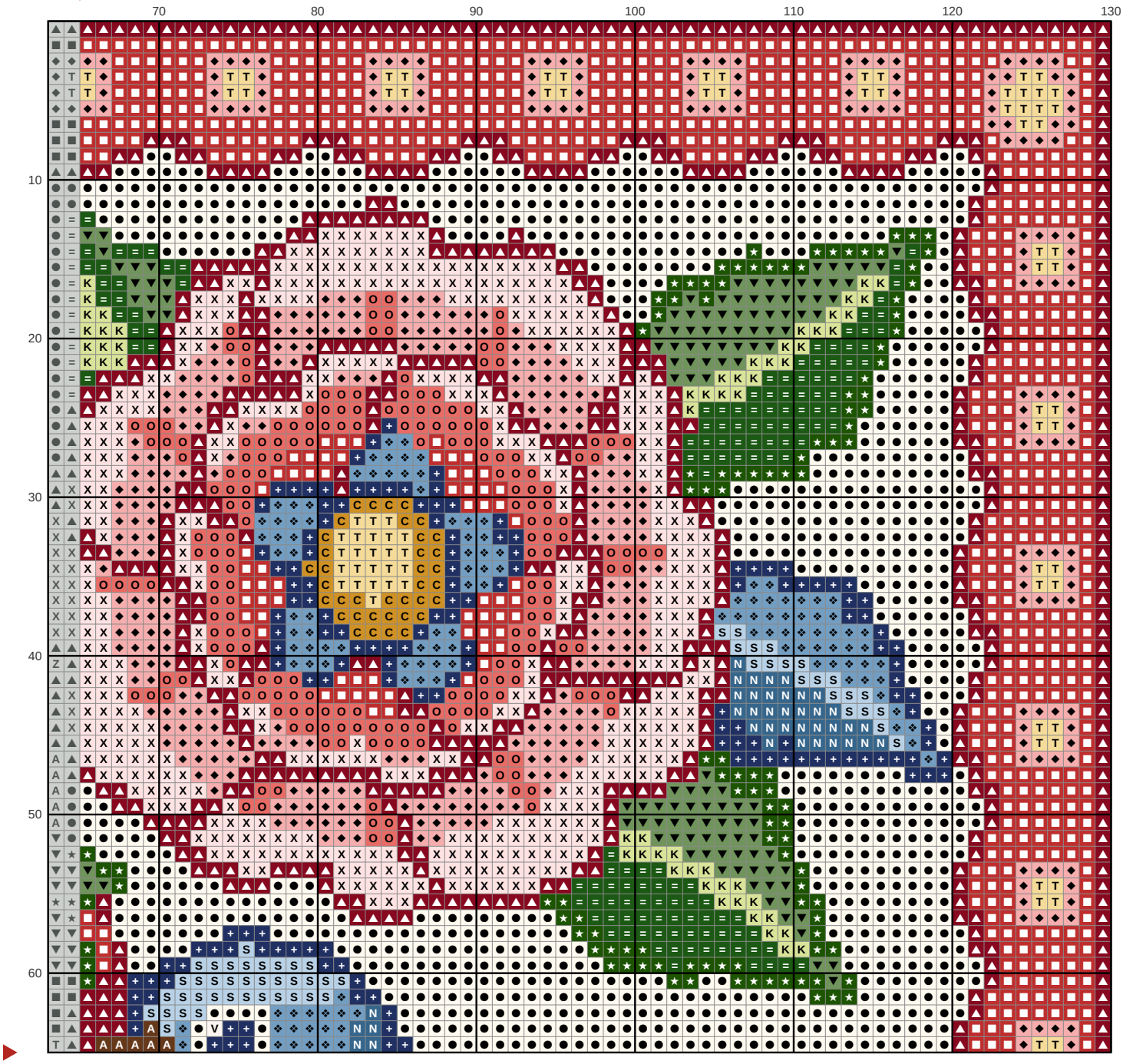

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Chart 3 of 4: columns 1 to 65, rows 66 to 130; gray squares repeat rows 64 and 65

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Chart 4 of 4: columns 66 to 130, rows 66 to 130; gray squares repeat columns 64 and 65 and rows 64 and 65

