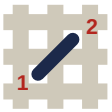
Classic green man

Needlepoint pattern | 72 x 72 stitches | 4 x 4 in (10.2 x 10.2 cm) on 18 mesh | 16 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 the canvas. It is the outlined square, column 36, row 36 (DMC 472): start there. Count threads, not holes.
4. Go on from it: picture first, background last. End the thread before crossing another color.
5. Last, two more rows all round, each stitch in the color it lies beside: the board's edge 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, 18 mesh (18 threads to the inch), cut 8.5 in square (21.6 cm).

Needle: blunt tapestry, size 22. Also masking tape for the cut edges, and small scissors.

Thread: six-strand floss, 16 colors, about 17 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 4 strands (5 or 6 if canvas shows).

Make it an ornament: board, thin batting, backing fabric and twisted cord.
How to finish an ornament.

Thread list, DMC

			stitches	skeins
●	**154**	Very Dark Grape	1,322	2
■	**3371**	Black Brown	604	1
▲	**988**	Medium Forest Green	484	1
◆	**470**	Light Avocado Green	464	1
▼	**472**	Ultra Light Avocado Green	450	1
★	**890**	Ultra Dark Pistachio Green	414	1
❖	**3346**	Hunter Green	375	1
X	**921**	Copper	230	1
H	**783**	Medium Topaz	204	1
+	**400**	Dark Mahogany	165	1
=	**3011**	Dark Khaki Green	125	1
Z	**3013**	Light Khaki Green	116	1
A	**937**	Medium Avocado Green	107	1
V	**936**	Very Dark Avocado Green	66	1
T	**676**	Light Old Gold	34	1
N	**746**	Off White	24	1

Skeins are estimates, with the two extra rows: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 18 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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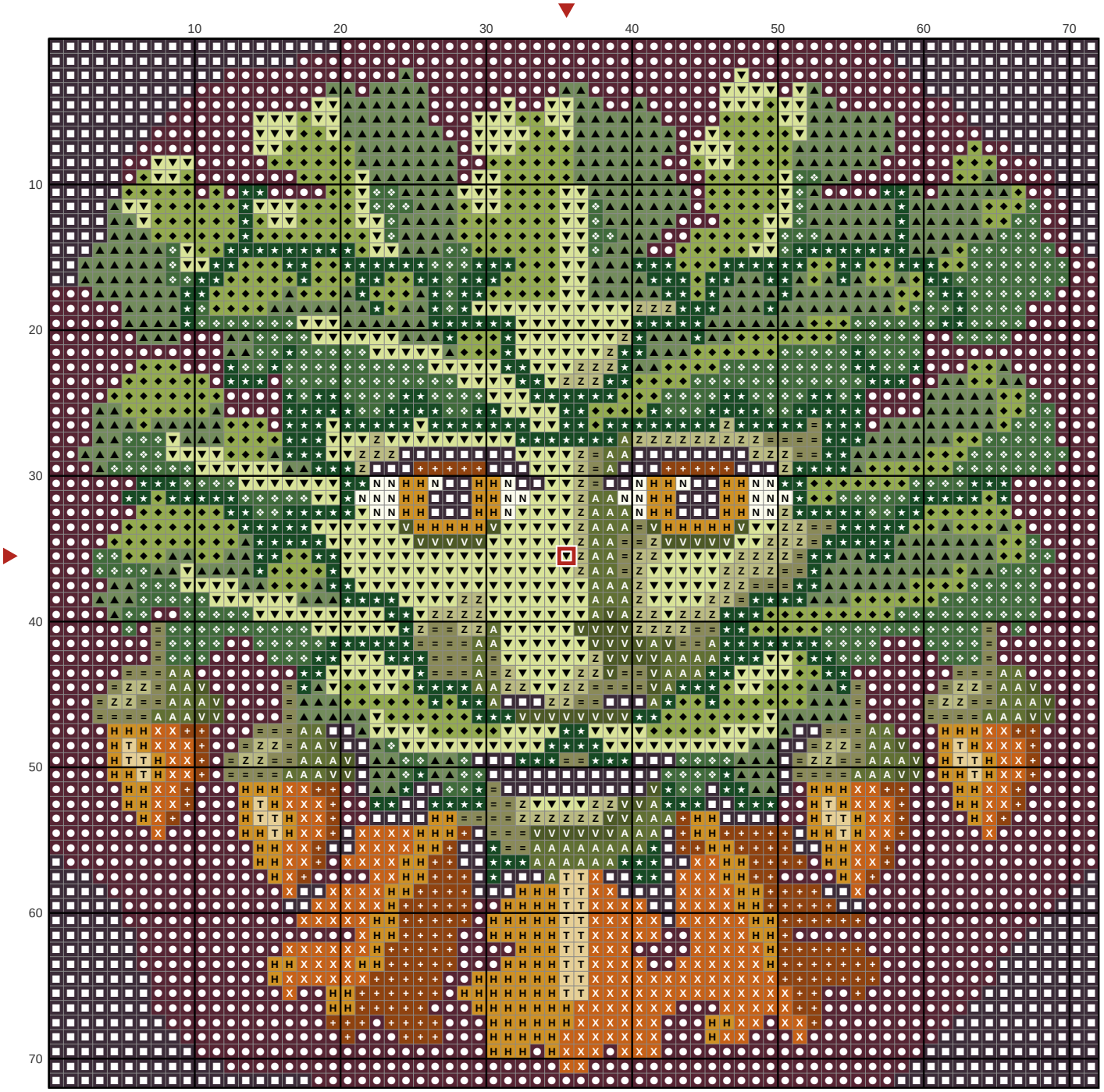
Chart: 72 x 72 stitches. Start at the red outline



Key

- **DMC 154** Very Dark Grape
- **DMC 3371** Black Brown
- **DMC 988** Medium Forest Green
- **DMC 470** Light Avocado Green
- **DMC 472** Ultra Light Avocado Green
- **DMC 890** Ultra Dark Pistachio Green
- **DMC 3346** Hunter Green
- **DMC 921** Copper
- **DMC 783** Medium Topaz
- **DMC 400** Dark Mahogany
- **DMC 3011** Dark Khaki Green
- **DMC 3013** Light Khaki Green
- **DMC 937** Medium Avocado Green
- **DMC 936** Very Dark Avocado Green
- **DMC 676** Light Old Gold
- **DMC 746** Off White