Classic lighthouse in a heavy sea

Needlepoint pattern | 72 x 72 stitches | 4 x 4 in (10.2 x 10.2 cm) on 18 mesh | 14 colors



Thread key

			stitches	yards	skeins
▼	**DMC 931**	Medium Antique Blue	1,804	13	2
X	**DMC BLANC**	White	639	5	1
▲	**DMC 800**	Pale Delft Blue	537	4	1
=	**DMC 3847**	Dark Teal Green	438	3	1
Z	**DMC 939**	Very Dark Navy Blue	388	3	1
+	**DMC 954**	Nile Green	277	2	1
●	**DMC 798**	Dark Delft Blue	266	2	1
◆	**DMC 3799**	Very Dark Pewter Gray	242	2	1
■	**DMC 809**	Delft Blue	178	2	1
★	**DMC 414**	Dark Steel Gray	114	1	1
V	**DMC 898**	Very Dark Coffee Brown	114	1	1
O	**DMC 415**	Pearl Gray	113	1	1
A	**DMC 433**	Medium Brown	44	1	1
❖	**DMC 726**	Light Topaz	30	1	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 8 x 8 in (20.3 x 20.3 cm) for 18 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

5,184 stitches in all. Start from the center: the red arrows above and to the left of the chart mark it.

Thread: six-strand floss, 4 to 6 strands in the needle on 18 mesh (counted at 6), about 15 skeins of 8.7 yd in all. Or pearl cotton size 5, 1 strand, about 14 skeins of 27.3 yd; or Persian wool, 1 strand, about 14 skeins of 8 yd. Wool is numbered differently: match it by eye. Needle: tapestry, size 22.

Yards and skeins are estimates: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 18 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color (about 41 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 an ornament: also have board, thin batting, backing fabric and twisted cord. Stitch two or three extra rows of background all round: the edge of the board takes them. "How to finish an ornament" is a guide linked from this pattern's page.

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