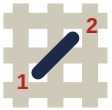
Classic sunflower

Needlepoint pattern | 140 x 140 stitches | 14 x 14 in (35.6 x 35.6 cm) on 10 mesh | 23 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 on page 2, column 70, row 70 (DMC 801): start there. Count threads, not holes.
4. Go on from it: picture first, background last. Gray squares are on two pages: stitch them once.
5. Last, two more rows all round in DMC 3371: 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), cut 18.5 in square (47 cm).

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

Thread: pearl cotton size 3, 23 colors, about 42 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 2 lengths together.

Make it a pillow: backing fabric, an insert the size of the stitching or an inch larger, and cord or piping for the edge. How to finish a pillow.

Thread list, DMC

			stitches	skeins
●	3371	Black Brown	9,821	17
■	726	Light Topaz	1,511	3
▲	972	Deep Canary	787	2
◆	471	Very Light Avocado Green	631	1
▼	782	Dark Topaz	622	1
★	937	Medium Avocado Green	612	1
❖	524	Very Light Fern Green	593	1
X	727	Very Light Topaz	578	1
H	935	Dark Avocado Green	560	1
+	918	Dark Red Copper	551	1
=	433	Medium Brown	414	1
Z	783	Medium Topaz	396	1
A	522	Fern Green	391	1
V	520	Dark Fern Green	384	1
T	470	Light Avocado Green	378	1
N	434	Light Brown	376	1
S	469	Avocado Green	310	1
K	920	Medium Copper	286	1
E	801	Dark Coffee Brown	222	1
C	976	Medium Golden Brown	56	1
P	3078	Very Light Golden Yellow	43	1
U	730	Very Dark Olive Green	43	1
L	733	Medium Olive Green	35	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 74, rows 1 to 74. Start at the red outline

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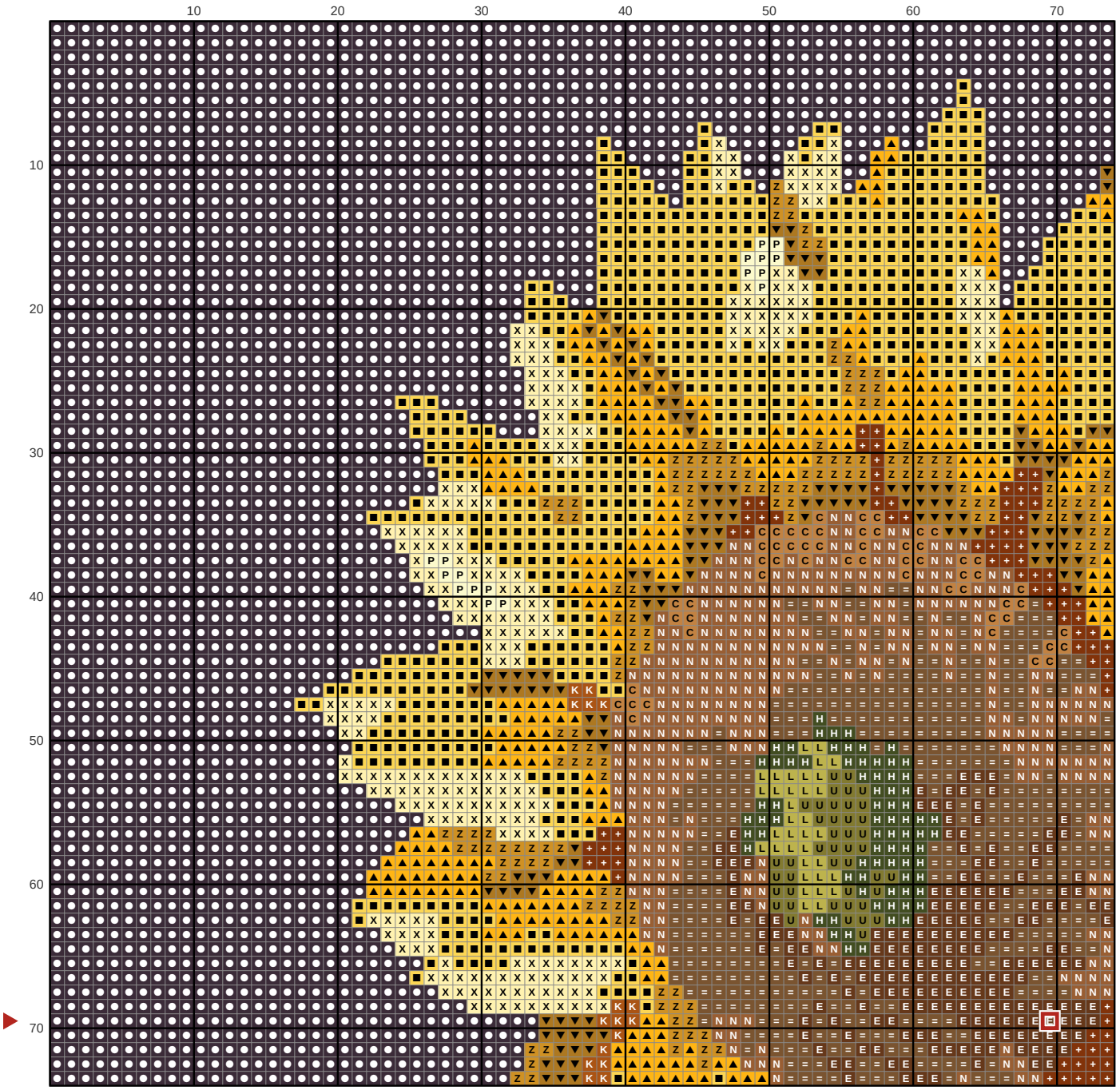

Key

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- **DMC 726** Light Topaz
- **DMC 972** Deep Canary
- **DMC 782** Dark Topaz
- **DMC 727** Very Light Topaz
- **DMC 935** Dark Avocado Green
- **DMC 918** Dark Red Copper
- **DMC 433** Medium Brown
- **DMC 783** Medium Topaz
- **DMC 434** Light Brown
- **DMC 920** Medium Copper
- **DMC 801** Dark Coffee Brown
- **DMC 976** Medium Golden Brown
- **DMC 3078** Very Light Golden Yellow
- **DMC 730** Very Dark Olive Green
- **DMC 733** Medium Olive Green

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Columns 75 to 140, rows 1 to 74. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again

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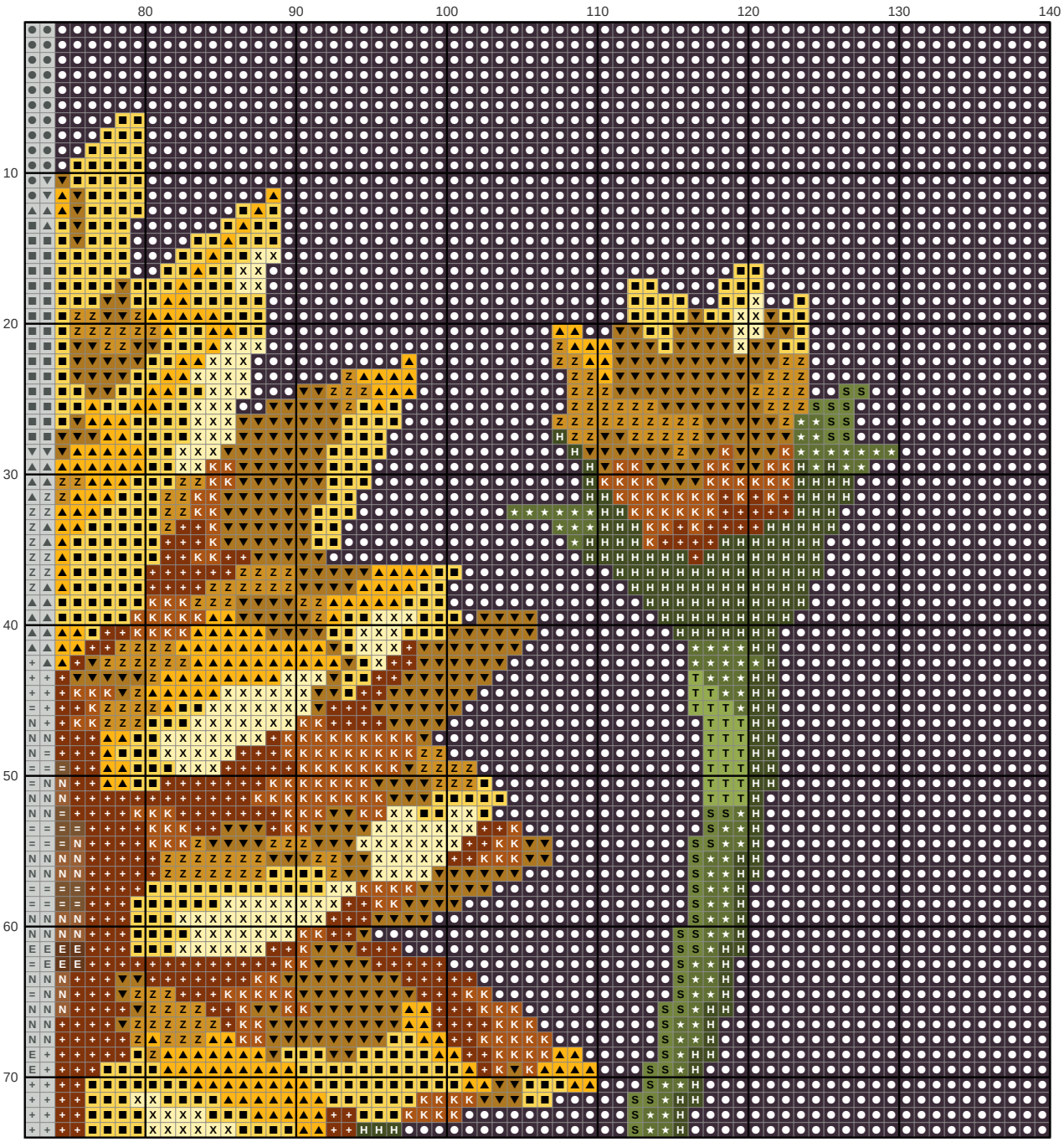

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●	**DMC 3371** Black Brown	X	**DMC 727** Very Light Topaz	T	**DMC 470** Light Avocado Green
■	**DMC 726** Light Topaz	H	**DMC 935** Dark Avocado Green	N	**DMC 434** Light Brown
▲	**DMC 972** Deep Canary	+	**DMC 918** Dark Red Copper	S	**DMC 469** Avocado Green
▼	**DMC 782** Dark Topaz	=	**DMC 433** Medium Brown	K	**DMC 920** Medium Copper
★	**DMC 937** Medium Avocado Green	Z	**DMC 783** Medium Topaz	E	**DMC 801** Dark Coffee Brown

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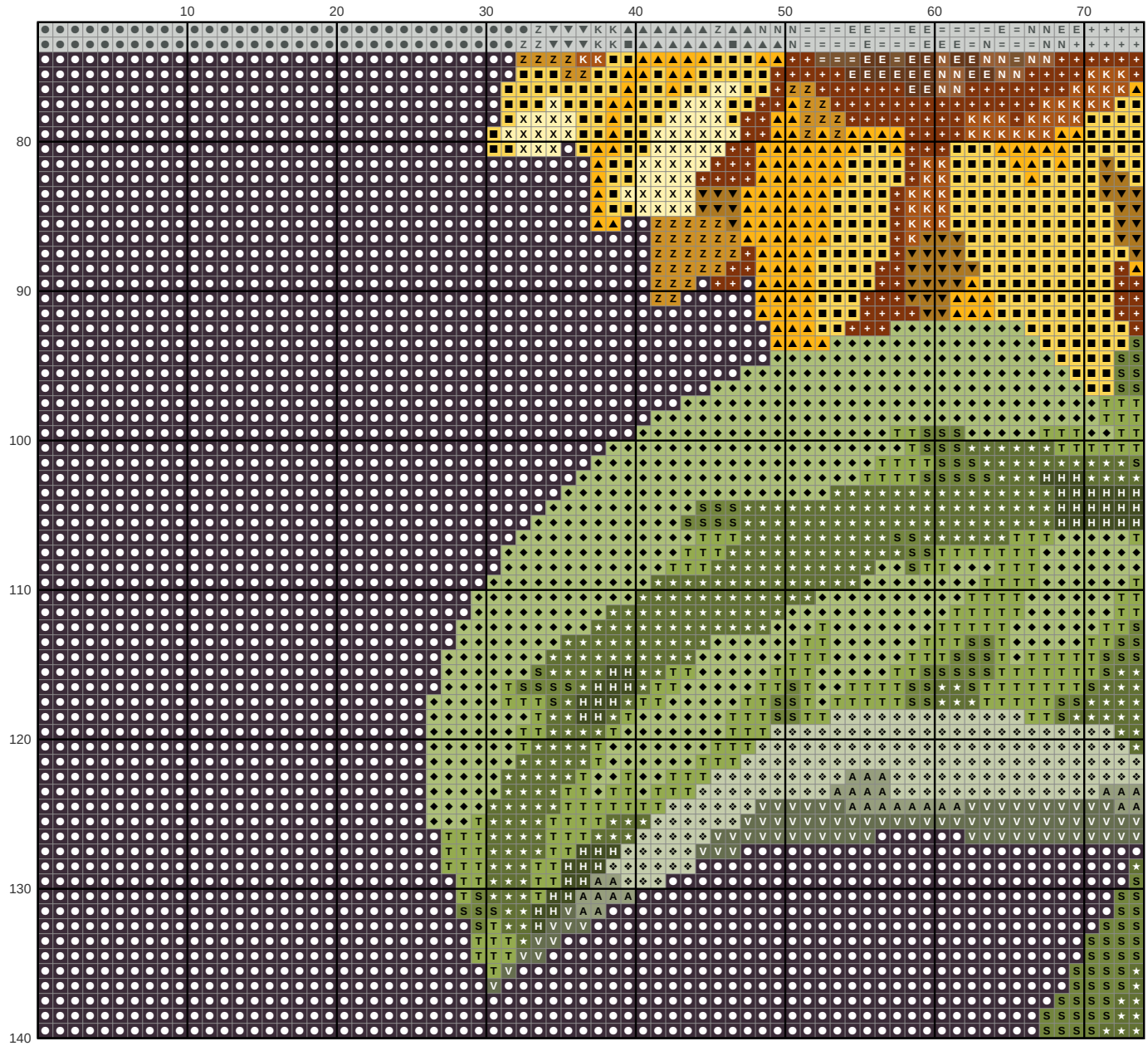

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- ❖ **DMC 524** Very Light Fern Green
- X **DMC 727** Very Light Topaz
- H **DMC 935** Dark Avocado Green
- \+ **DMC 918** Dark Red Copper
- = **DMC 433** Medium Brown
- Z **DMC 783** Medium Topaz
- A **DMC 522** Fern Green
- V **DMC 520** Dark Fern Green
- T **DMC 470** Light Avocado Green
- N **DMC 434** Light Brown
- S **DMC 469** Avocado Green
- K **DMC 920** Medium Copper
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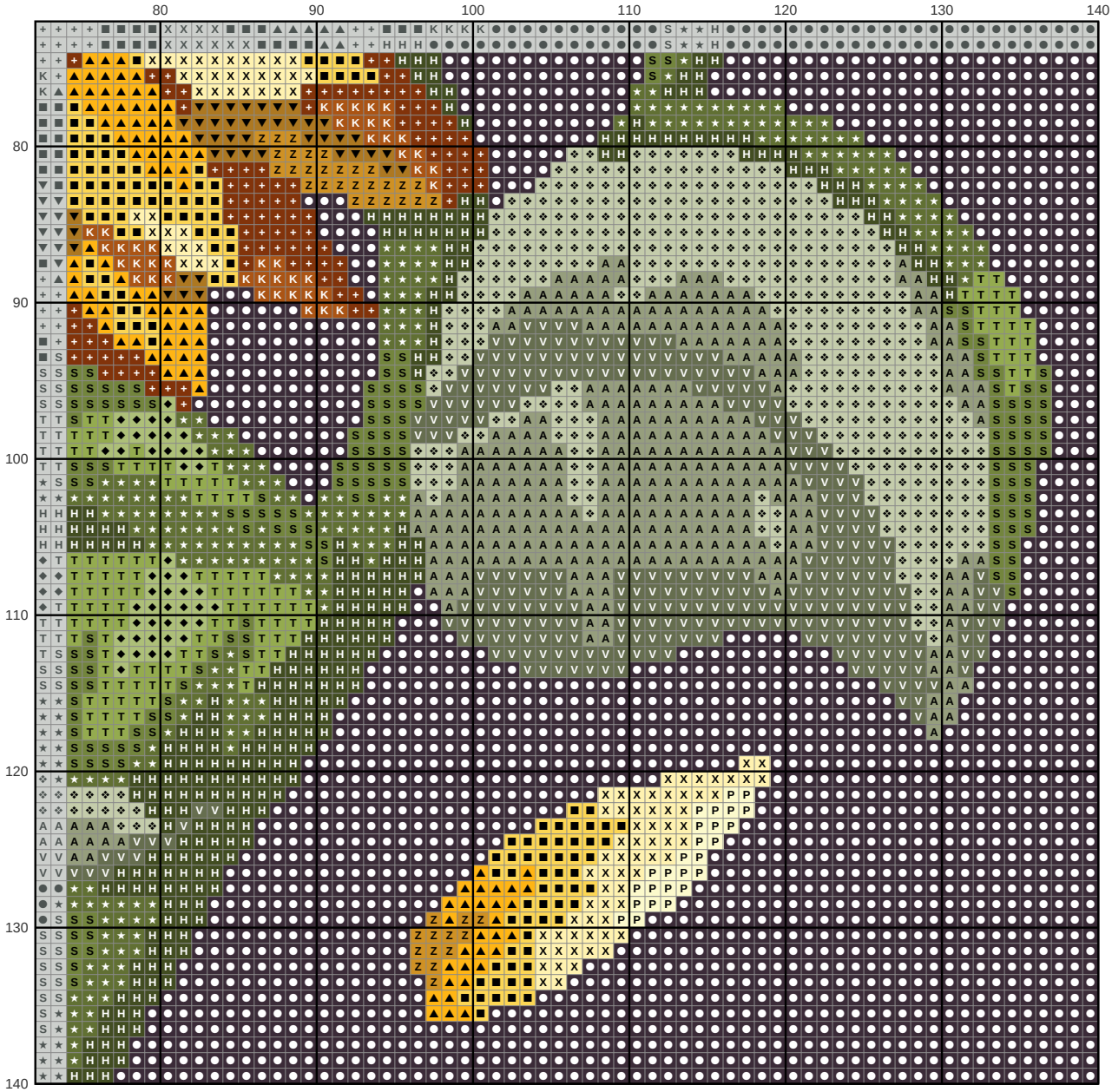

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