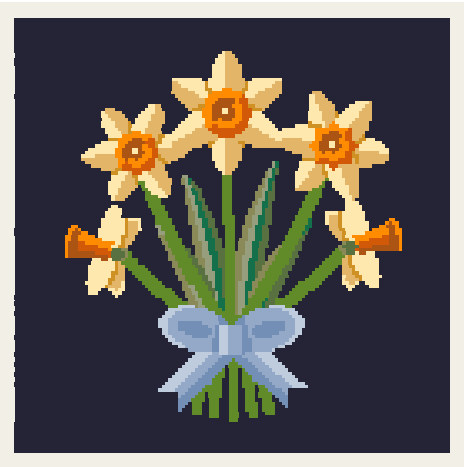
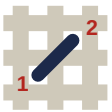
Victorian daffodil bouquet pillow

Needlepoint pattern | 130 x 130 stitches | 10 x 10 in (25.4 x 25.4 cm) on 13 mesh | 15 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 65, row 65 (DMC 905): 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 310: 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, 13 mesh (13 threads to the inch), cut 14.5 in square (36.8 cm).

Needle: blunt tapestry, size 20. Also masking tape for the cut edges, and small scissors.

Thread: six-strand floss, 15 colors, about 36 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 7 strands (8 if canvas shows).

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
●	310	Black	11,981	19
T	745	Light Pale Yellow	916	2
Z	905	Dark Parrot Green	874	2
V	728	Topaz	829	2
+	809	Delft Blue	366	1
◆	740	Tangerine	279	1
H	799	Medium Delft Blue	242	1
★	987	Dark Forest Green	218	1
=	800	Pale Delft Blue	214	1
❖	3011	Dark Khaki Green	198	1
□	920	Medium Copper	178	1
▲	900	Dark Burnt Orange	177	1
X	522	Fern Green	157	1
▼	909	Very Dark Emerald Green	150	1
A	783	Medium Topaz	121	1

Skeins are estimates, with the two extra rows: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 13 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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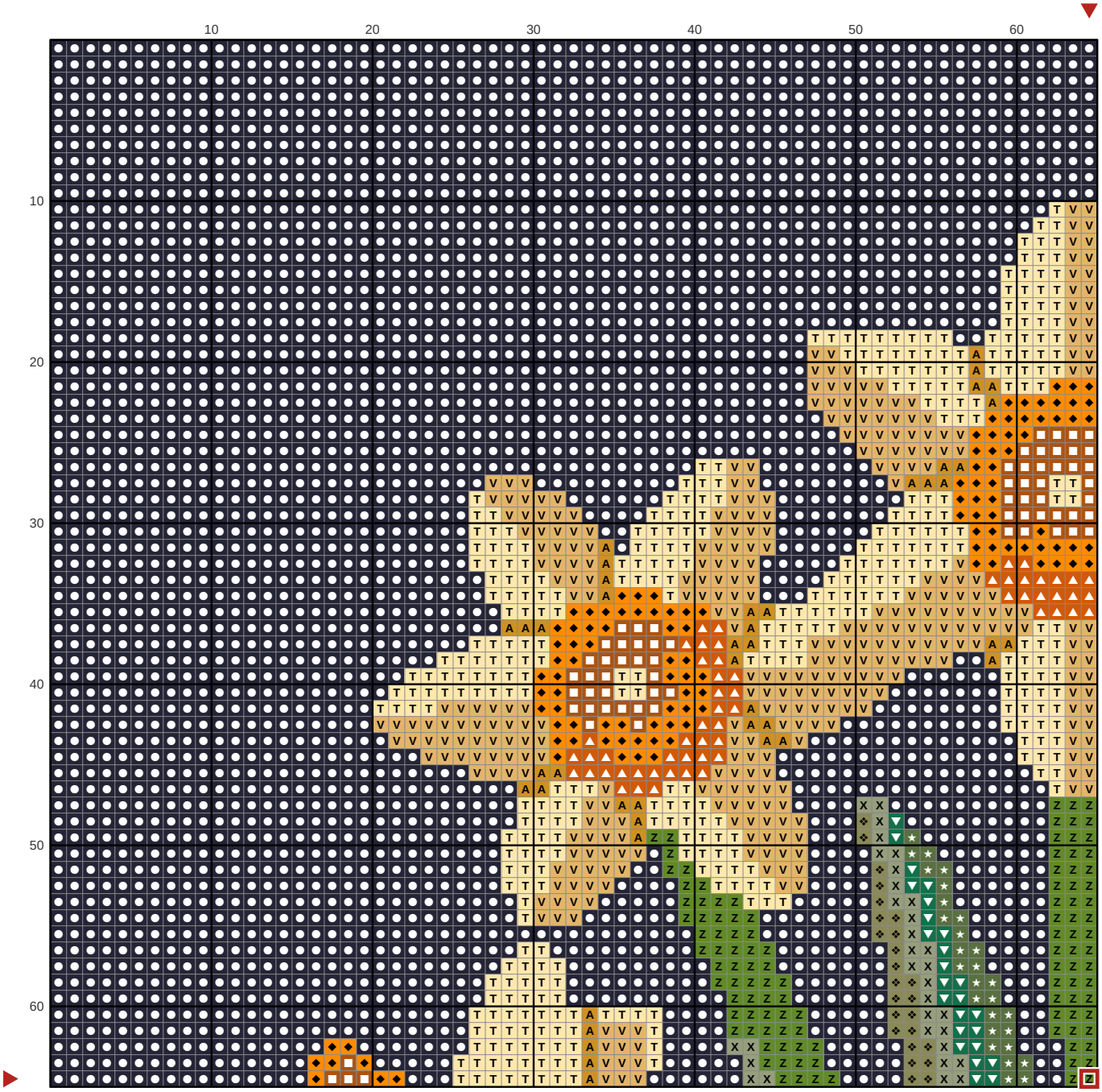

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- **DMC 905** Dark Parrot Green
- **DMC 728** Topaz
- **DMC 740** Tangerine
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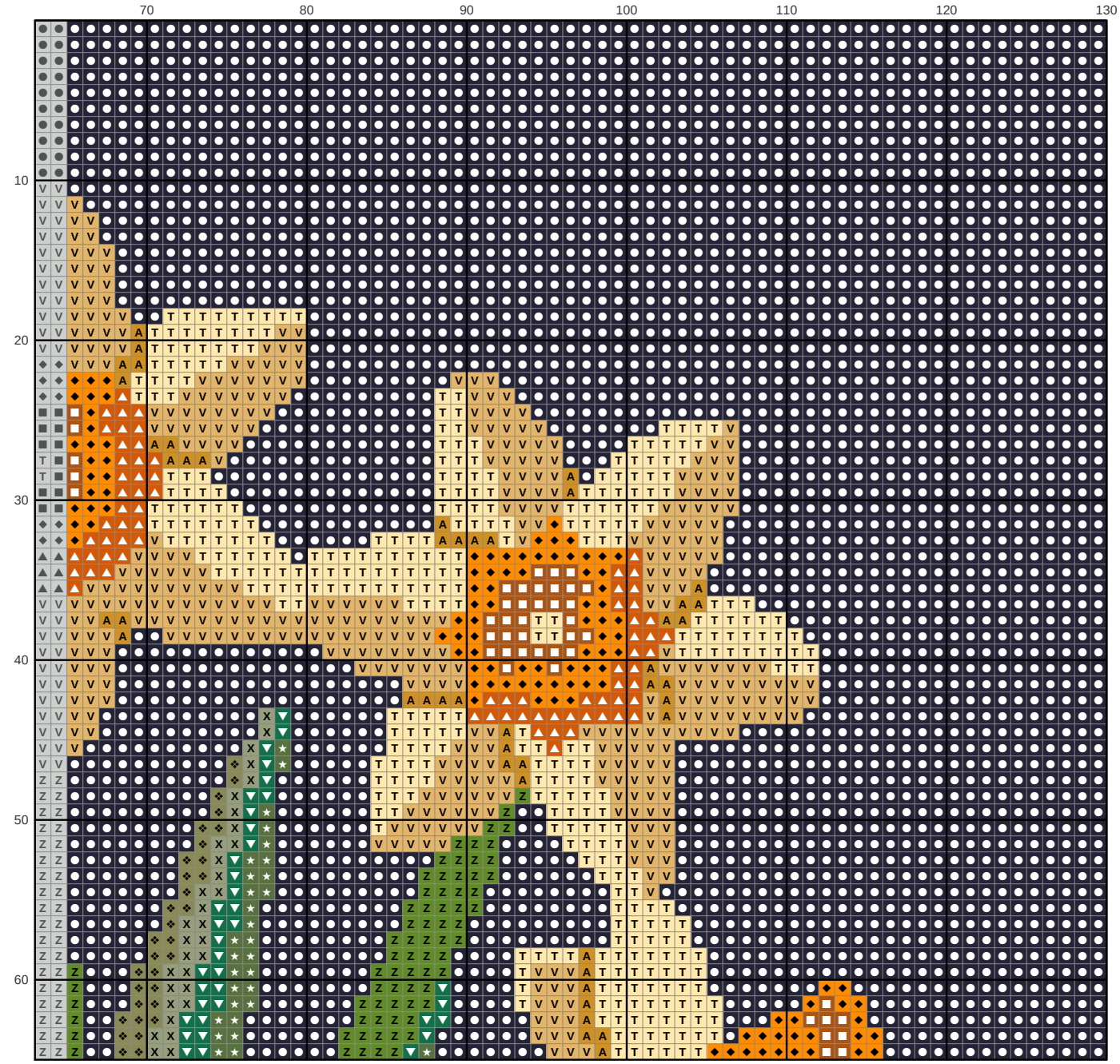

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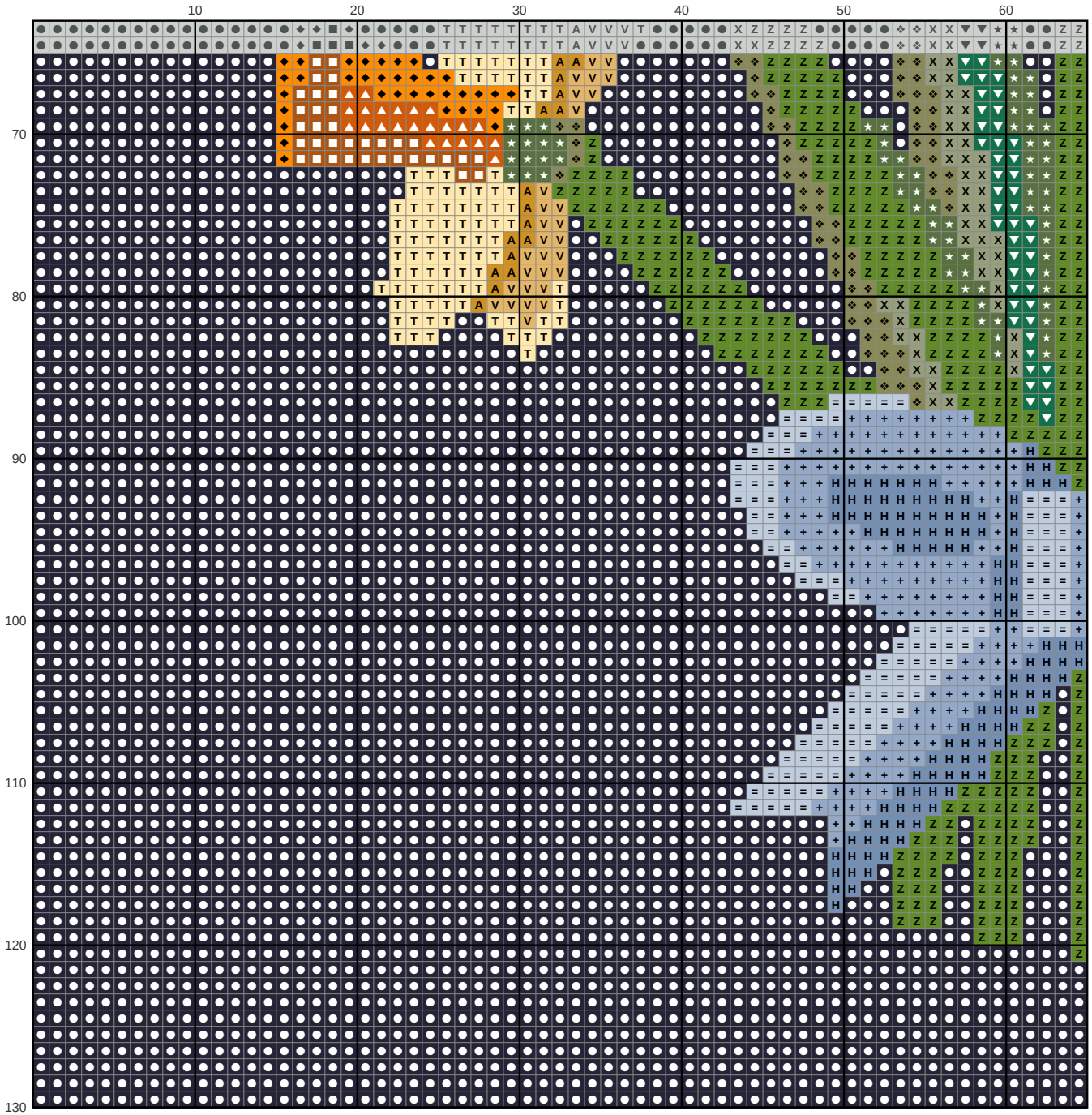

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V	**DMC 728** Topaz	=	**DMC 800** Pale Delft Blue	▼	**DMC 909** Very Dark Emerald Green
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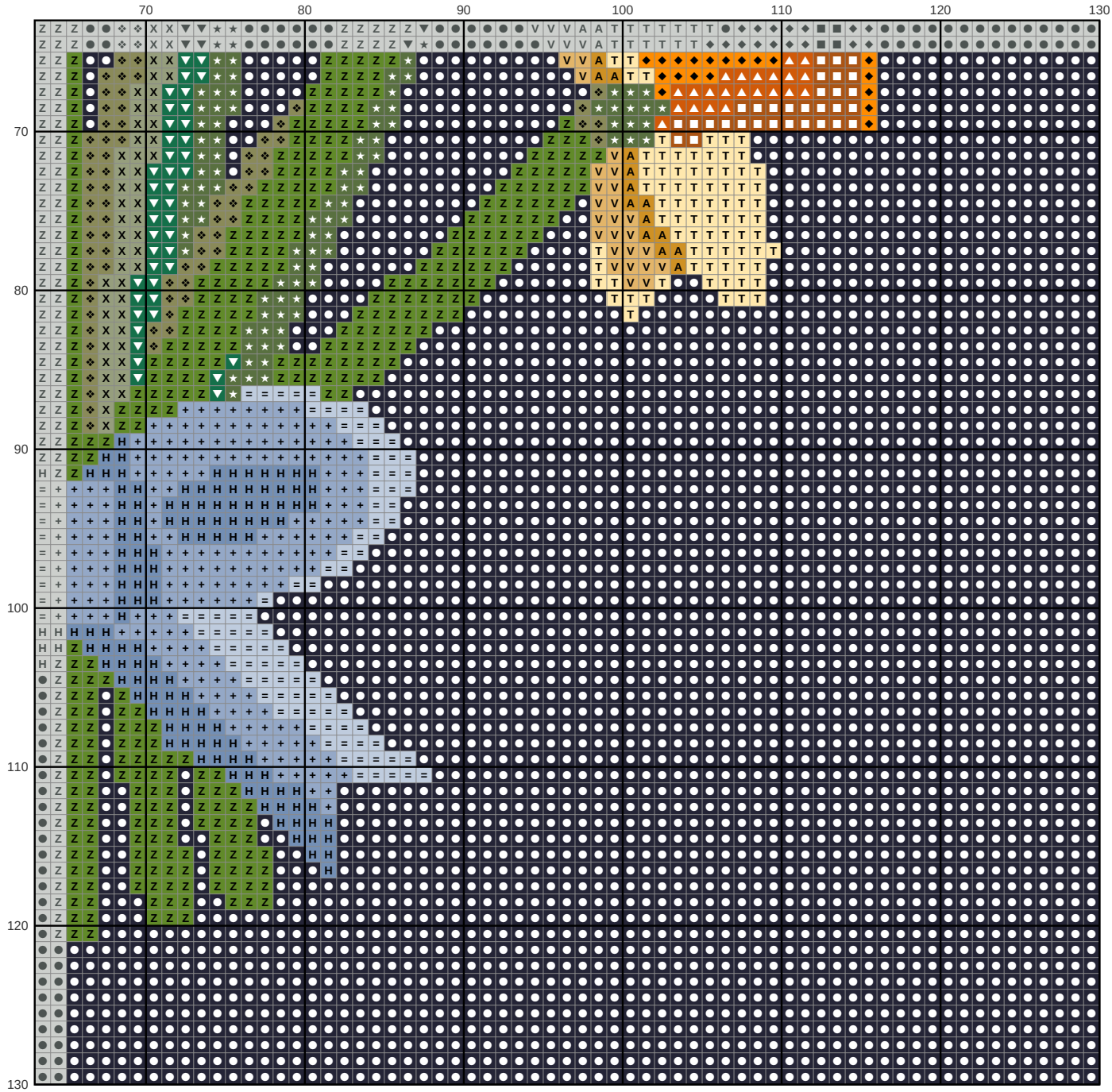

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