Blue and white bunnies in a circle

Needlepoint pattern | 156 x 156 stitches | 12 x 12 in (30.5 x 30.5 cm) on 13 mesh | 9 colors



Thread key

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	**DMC BLANC**	White	7,228	69	11
■	**DMC 3325**	Light Baby Blue	6,564	63	10
▲	**DMC 797**	Royal Blue	6,160	59	9
◆	**DMC 823**	Dark Navy Blue	1,768	17	3
▼	**DMC 3755**	Baby Blue	1,320	13	2
★	**DMC 322**	Dark Baby Blue	1,136	11	2
❖	**DMC 939**	Very Dark Navy Blue	92	1	1
X	**DMC 351**	Coral	56	1	1
O	**DMC 349**	Dark Coral	12	1	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 16 x 16 in (40.6 x 40.6 cm) for 13 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

24,336 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 40 skeins of 8.7 yd in all. Or pearl cotton size 3, 1 strand, about 20 skeins of 16.4 yd; or tapestry wool, 1 strand, about 32 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 235 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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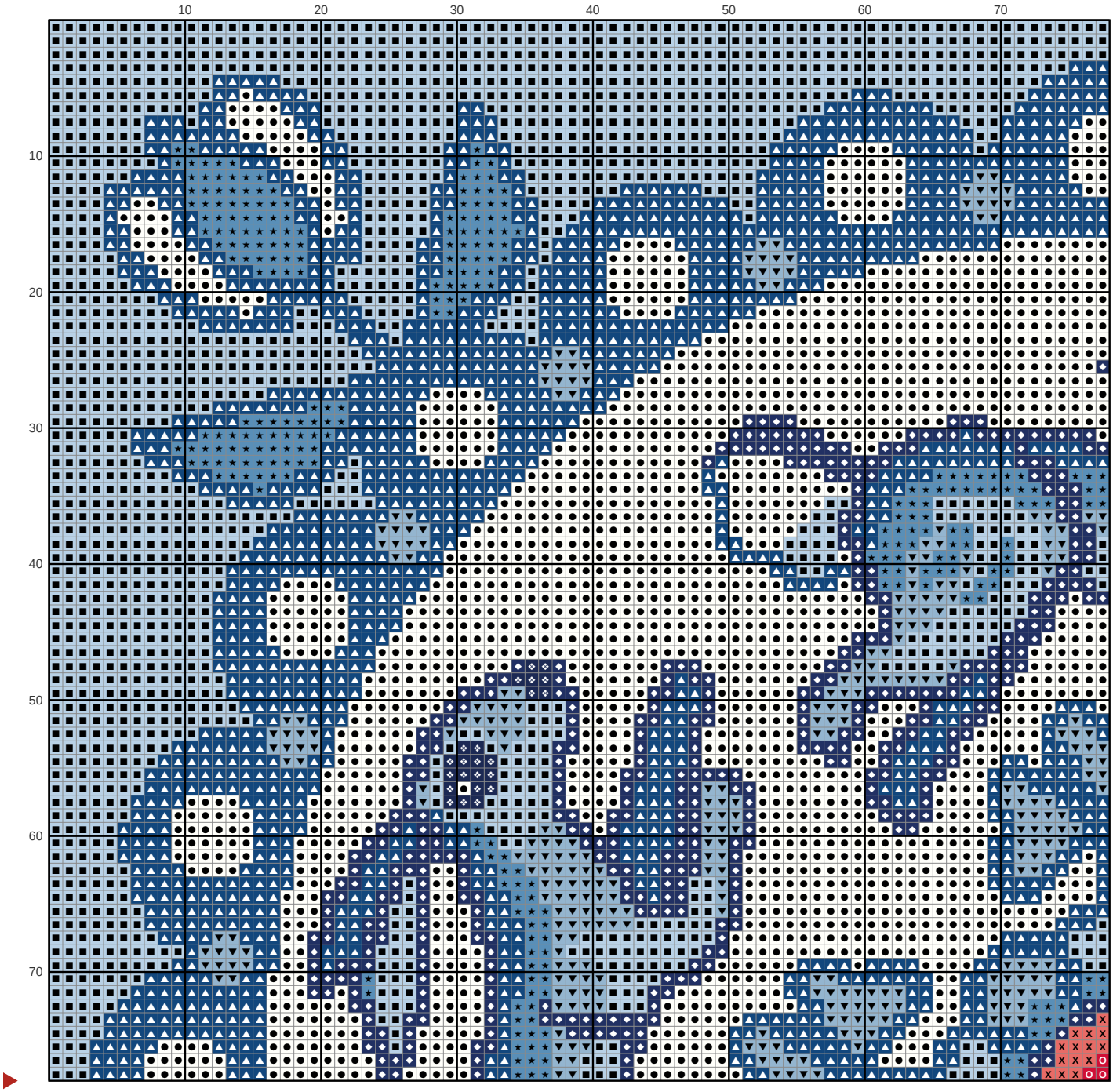

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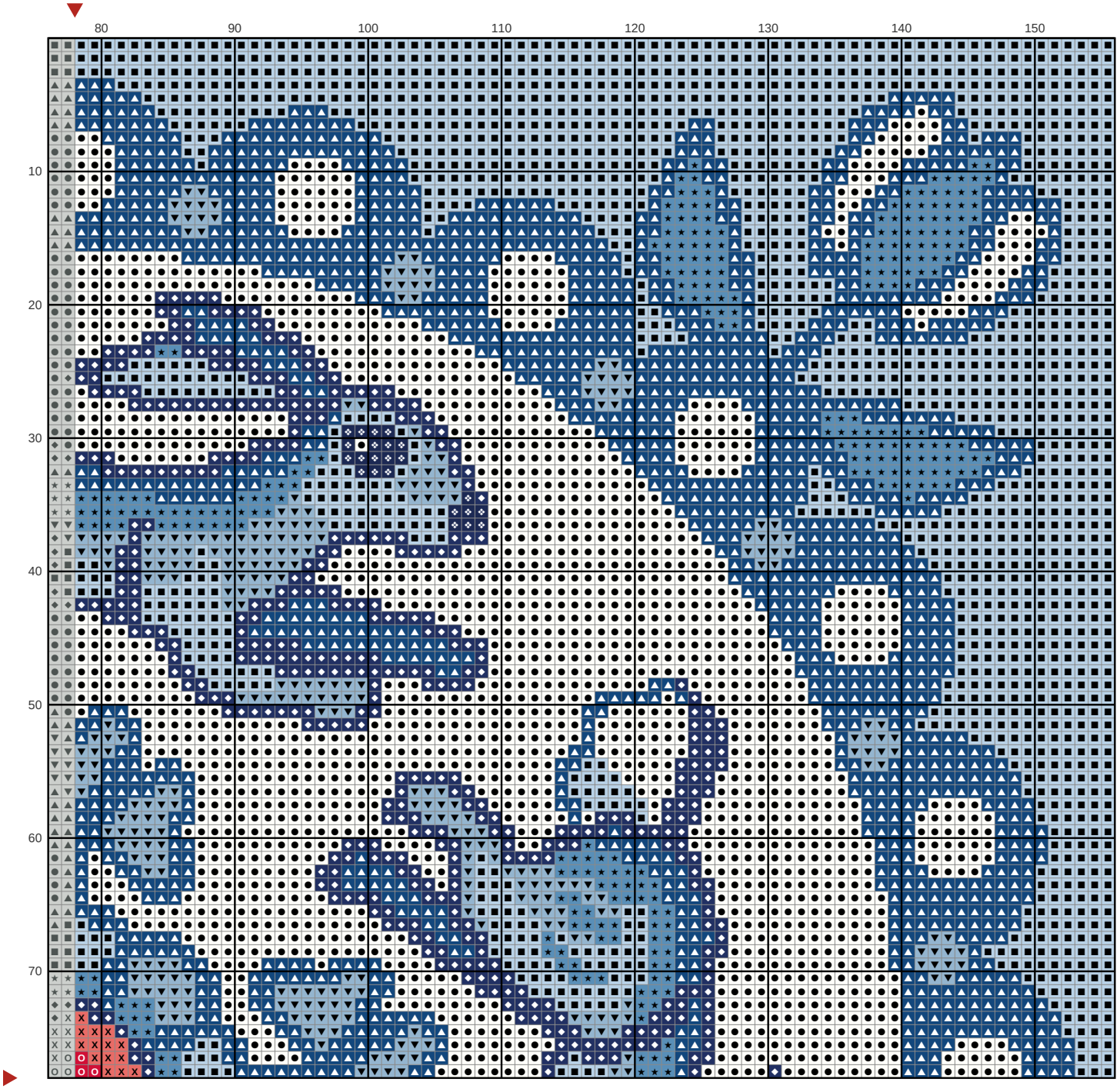

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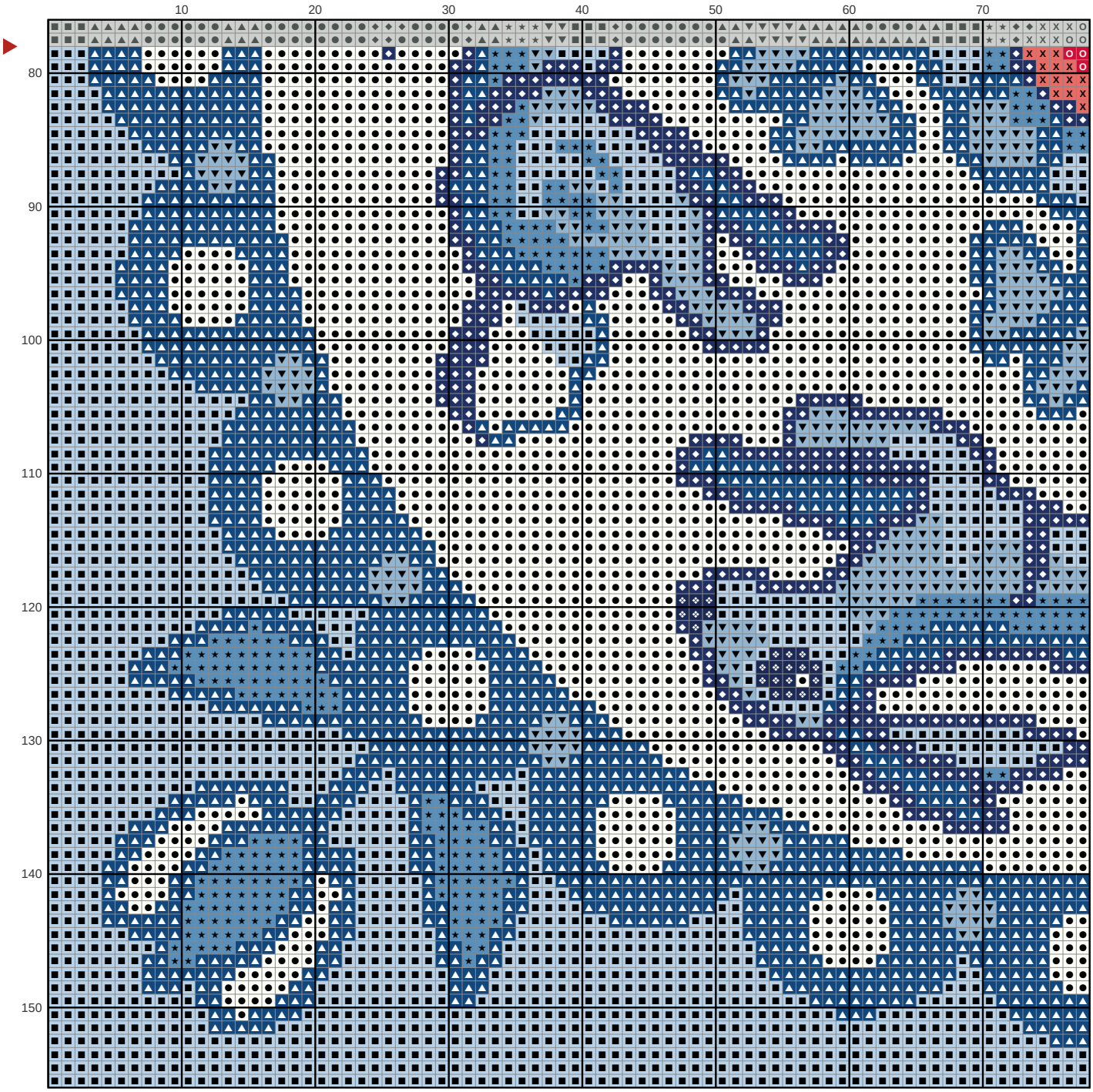

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