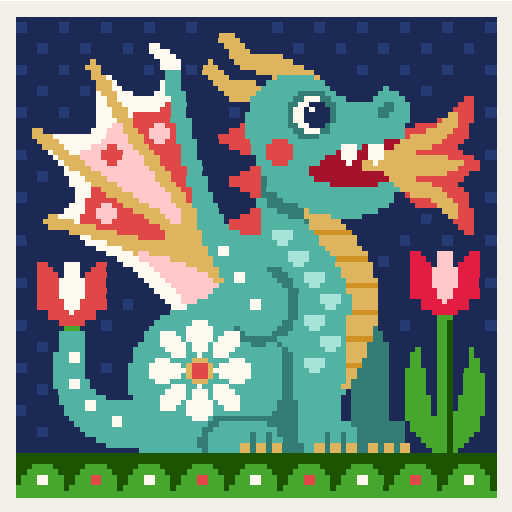
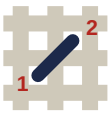
Folk art dragon

Needlepoint pattern | 90 x 90 stitches | 5 x 5 in (12.7 x 12.7 cm) on 18 mesh | 14 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 45, row 45 (DMC 3849): 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, each stitch in the color it lies beside: the opening'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 9.5 in square (24.1 cm).

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

Thread: six-strand floss, 14 colors, about 17 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 4 strands (5 or 6 if canvas shows).

Fit it into a lid: the box or tray, acid-free board and backing. Measure the opening first.
How to fit it into a lid.

Thread list, DMC

			stitches	skeins
●	**939**	Very Dark Navy Blue	2,751	3
■	**3849**	Light Teal Green	1,695	2
▲	**3820**	Dark Straw	710	1
◆	**702**	Kelly Green	569	1
▼	**712**	Cream	486	1
★	**350**	Medium Coral	469	1
❖	**3847**	Dark Teal Green	344	1
X	**895**	Very Dark Hunter Green	340	1
H	**761**	Light Salmon	242	1
+	**336**	Navy Blue	232	1
=	**666**	Bright Red	92	1
Z	**964**	Light Seagreen	70	1
A	**498**	Dark Red	68	1
V	**783**	Medium Topaz	32	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.

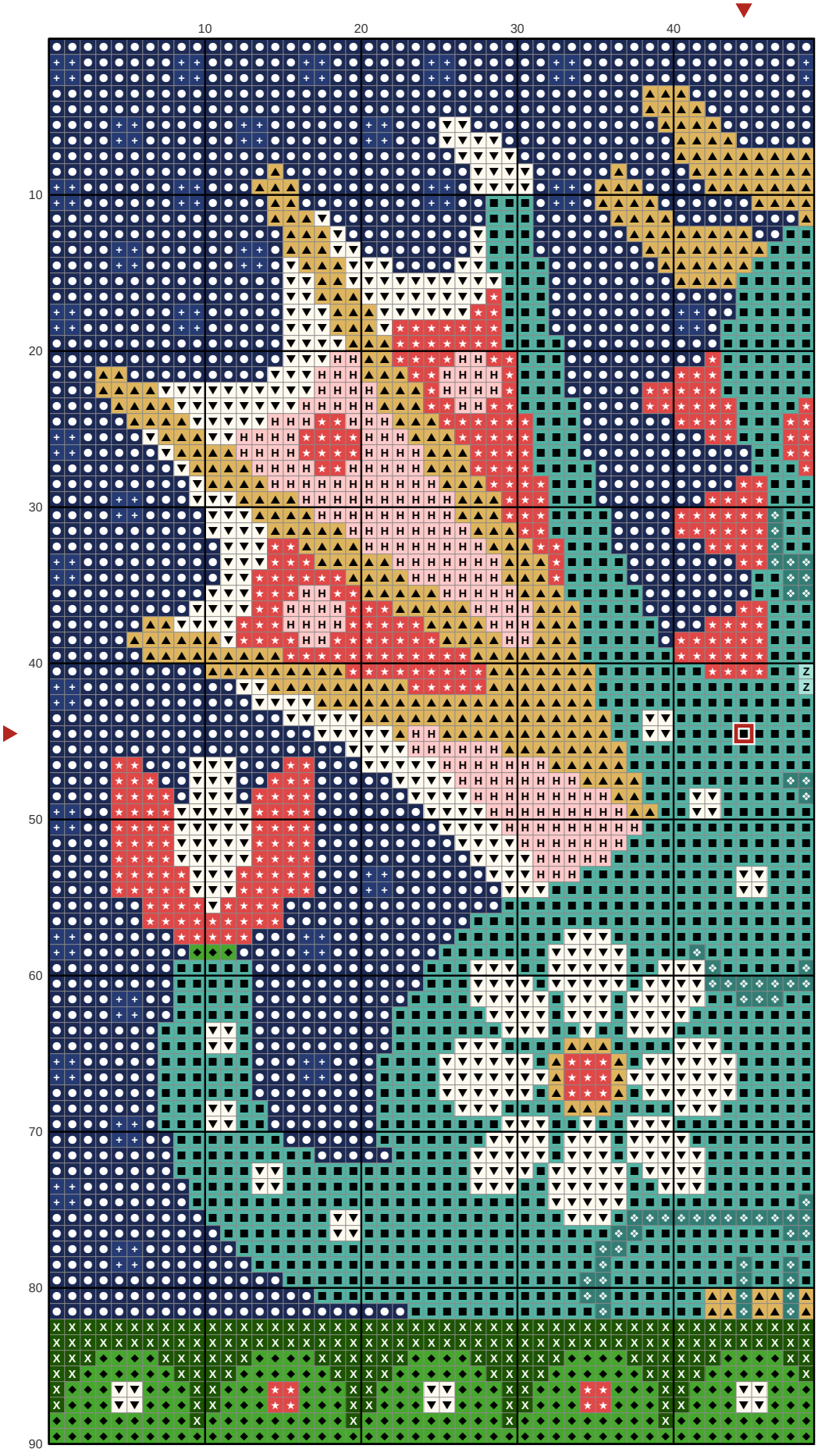
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Needlepoint pattern

Columns 1 to 49, rows 1 to 90. Start at the red outline

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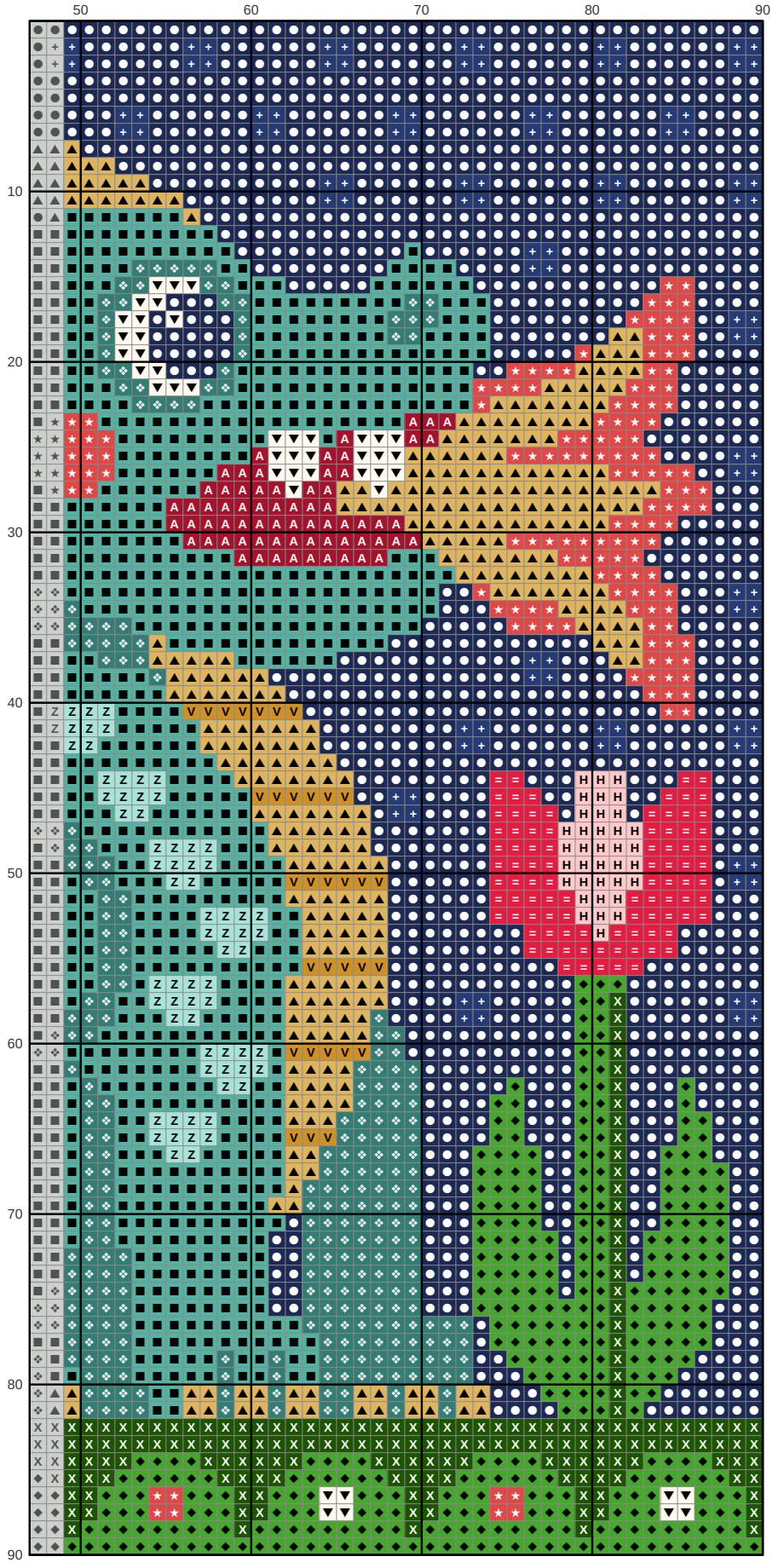
- **DMC 939** Very Dark Navy Blue
- **DMC 3849** Light Teal Green
- **DMC 3820** Dark Straw
- **DMC 702** Kelly Green
- **DMC 712** Cream
- **DMC 350** Medium Coral
- **DMC 3847** Dark Teal Green
- **DMC 895** Very Dark Hunter Green
- **DMC 761** Light Salmon
- **DMC 336** Navy Blue
- **DMC 964** Light Seagreen

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Needlepoint pattern

Columns 50 to 90, rows 1 to 90. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again

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