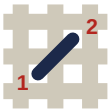
Folk art espresso martini

Needlepoint pattern | 90 x 90 stitches | 5 x 5 in (12.7 x 12.7 cm) on 18 mesh | 17 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 3371): 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 3750: 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, 17 colors, about 20 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
●	**3765**	Very Dark Peacock Blue	3,124	3
■	**3750**	Very Dark Antique Blue	1,296	2
▲	**470**	Light Avocado Green	854	1
◆	**350**	Medium Coral	584	1
▼	**3865**	Winter White	392	1
★	**746**	Off White	250	1
❖	**472**	Ultra Light Avocado Green	216	1
X	**738**	Very Light Tan	194	1
H	**817**	Very Dark Coral Red	186	1
+	**3761**	Light Sky Blue	170	1
=	**353**	Peach	164	1
Z	**3371**	Black Brown	152	1
A	**437**	Light Tan	138	1
V	**433**	Medium Brown	116	1
T	**435**	Very Light Brown	102	1
N	**801**	Dark Coffee Brown	82	1
S	**3852**	Very Dark Straw	80	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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Columns 1 to 49, rows 1 to 90. Start at the red outline

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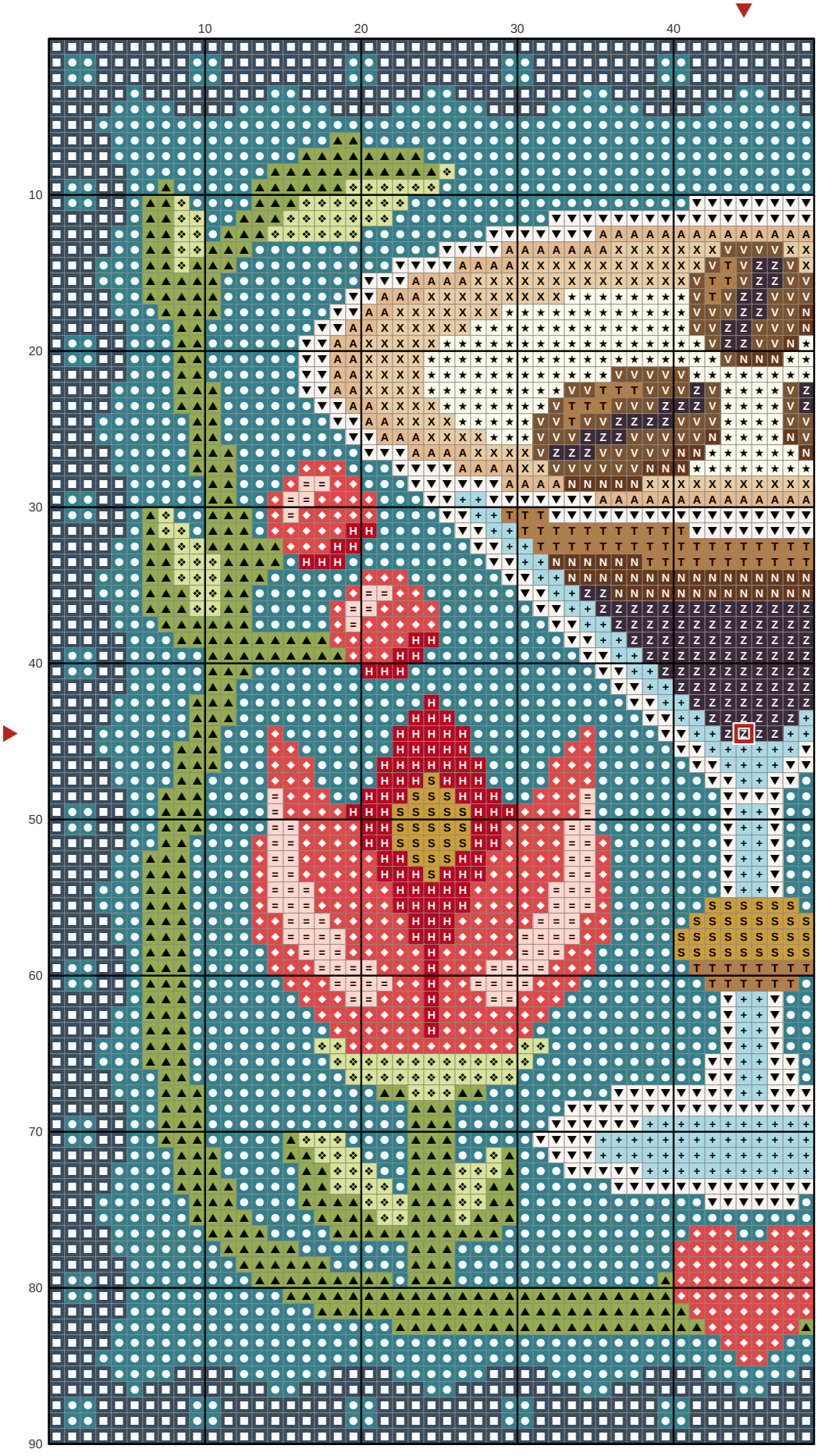

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- **DMC 738** Very Light Tan
- **DMC 817** Very Dark Coral Red
- **DMC 3761** Light Sky Blue
- **DMC 353** Peach
- **DMC 3371** Black Brown
- **DMC 437** Light Tan
- **DMC 433** Medium Brown
- **DMC 435** Very Light Brown
- **DMC 801** Dark Coffee Brown
- **DMC 3852** Very Dark Straw

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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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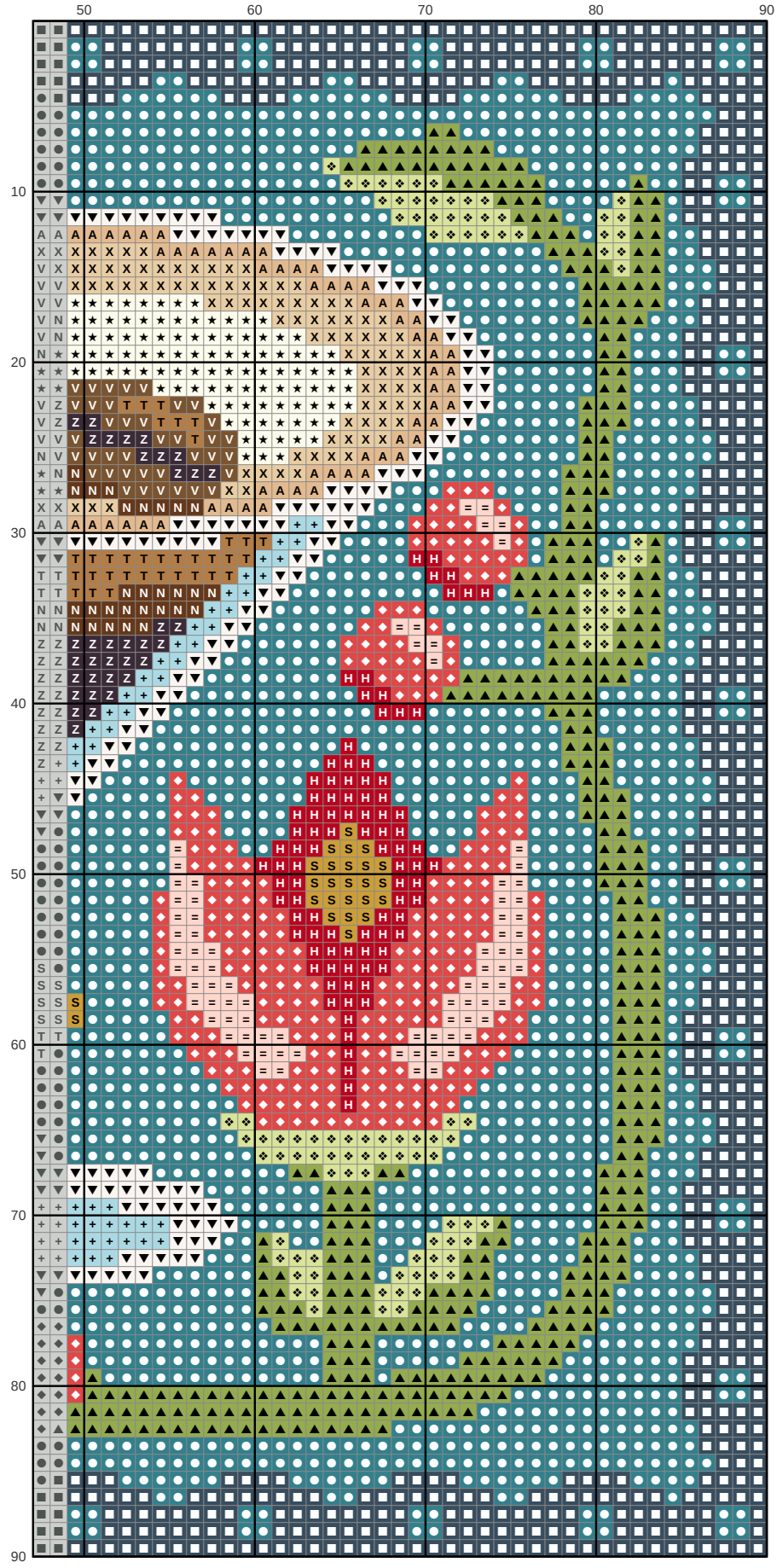

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