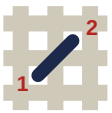
Folk art fireworks

Needlepoint pattern | 140 x 140 stitches | 14 x 14 in (35.6 x 35.6 cm) on 10 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 70, row 70 (DMC 3820): 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 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, 14 colors, about 41 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
●	939	Very Dark Navy Blue	7,378	12
■	3777	Very Dark Terra Cotta	2,868	6
▲	739	Ultra Very Light Tan	2,590	4
◆	3820	Dark Straw	2,128	4
▼	3830	Terra Cotta	950	2
★	3752	Very Light Antique Blue	760	2
❖	746	Off White	752	2
X	930	Dark Antique Blue	724	2
H	895	Very Dark Hunter Green	710	2
+	931	Medium Antique Blue	410	1
=	433	Medium Brown	132	1
Z	782	Dark Topaz	106	1
A	470	Light Avocado Green	84	1
V	310	Black	8	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.

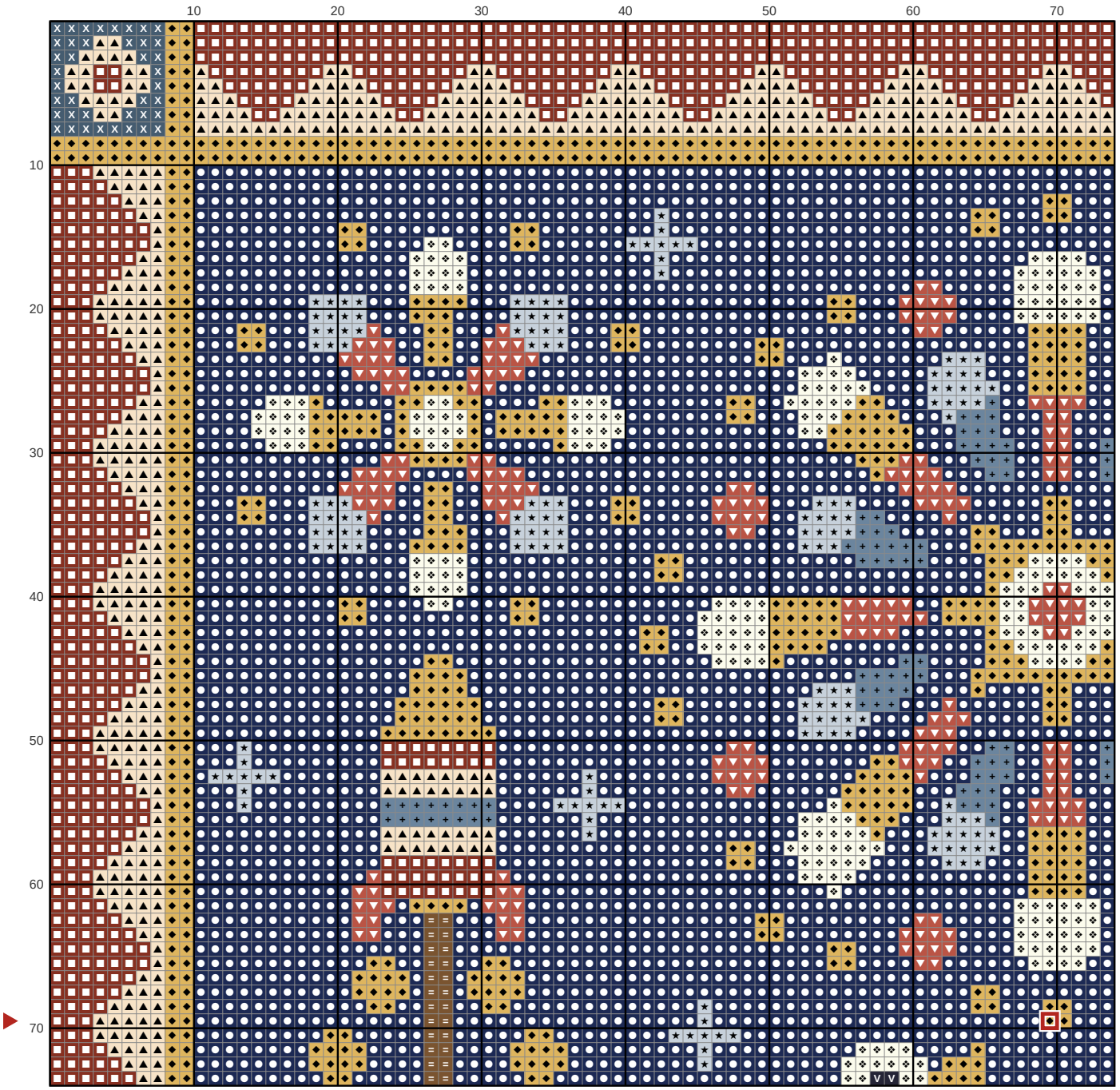
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Needlepoint pattern

Columns 1 to 74, rows 1 to 74. Start at the red outline

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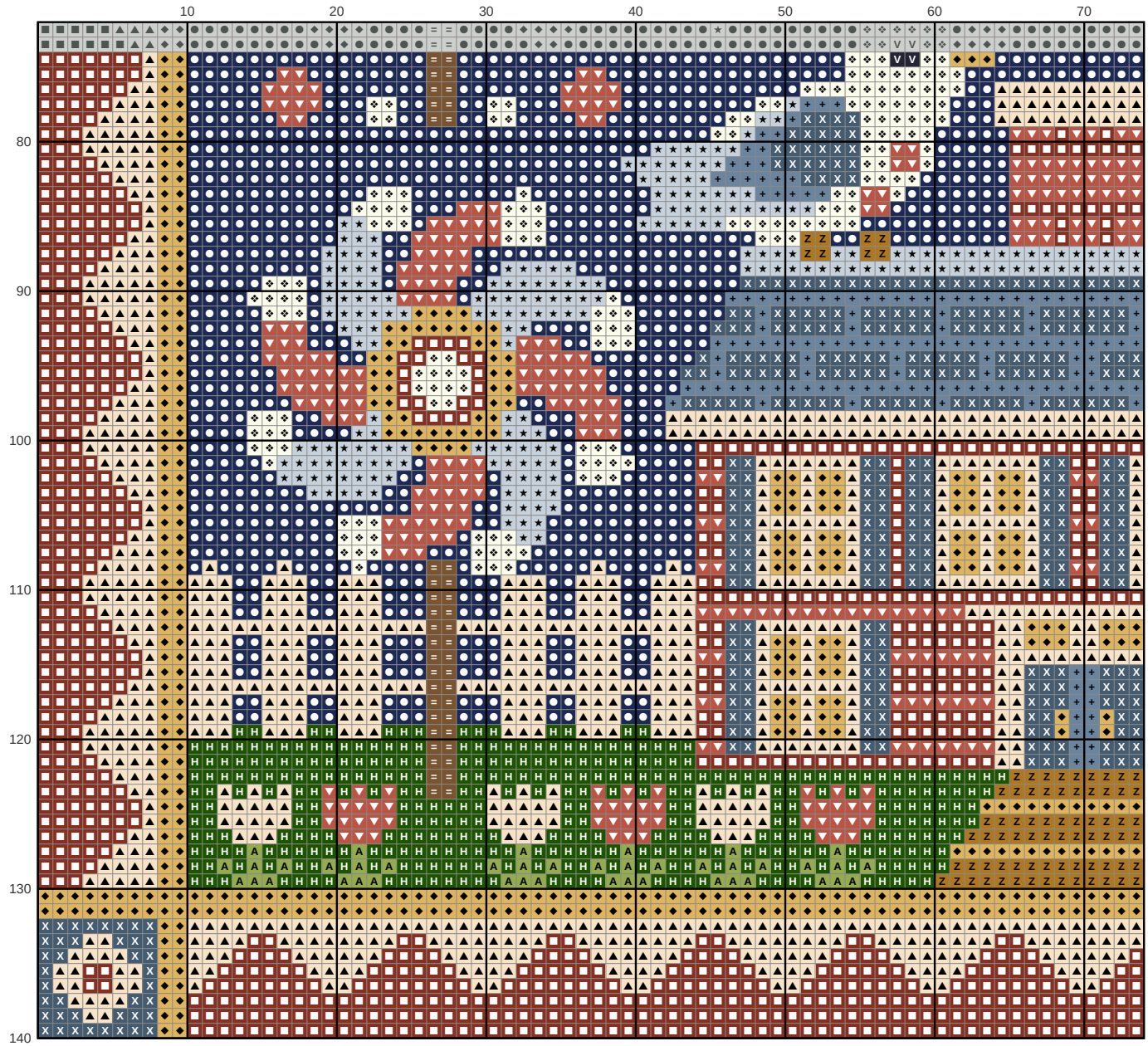
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