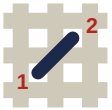
Folk art gemstone quilt

Needlepoint pattern | 160 x 120 stitches | 16 x 12 in (40.6 x 30.5 cm) on 10 mesh | 24 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 80, row 60 (DMC 939): 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 939: 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 20.5 in wide x 16.5 in high (52.1 x 41.9 cm).

Needle: blunt tapestry, size 18. Also masking tape for the cut edges, and small scissors.

Thread: pearl cotton size 3, 24 colors, about 47 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	5,548	11
■	899	Medium Rose	2,326	4
▲	712	Cream	2,026	4
◆	725	Medium Light Topaz	1,870	3
▼	3808	Ultra Very Dark Turquoise	1,479	3
★	321	Red	970	2
❖	700	Bright Green	859	2
X	814	Dark Garnet	766	2
H	775	Very Light Baby Blue	527	1
+	920	Medium Copper	355	1
=	704	Bright Chartreuse	336	1
Z	500	Very Dark Blue Green	296	1
A	826	Medium Blue	278	1
V	550	Very Dark Violet	269	1
T	3804	Dark Cyclamen Pink	198	1
N	907	Light Parrot Green	179	1
S	797	Royal Blue	166	1
K	211	Light Lavender	137	1
E	783	Medium Topaz	120	1
C	318	Light Steel Gray	114	1
P	3845	Medium Bright Turquoise	114	1
U	3810	Dark Turquoise	101	1
L	598	Light Turquoise	88	1
2	553	Violet	78	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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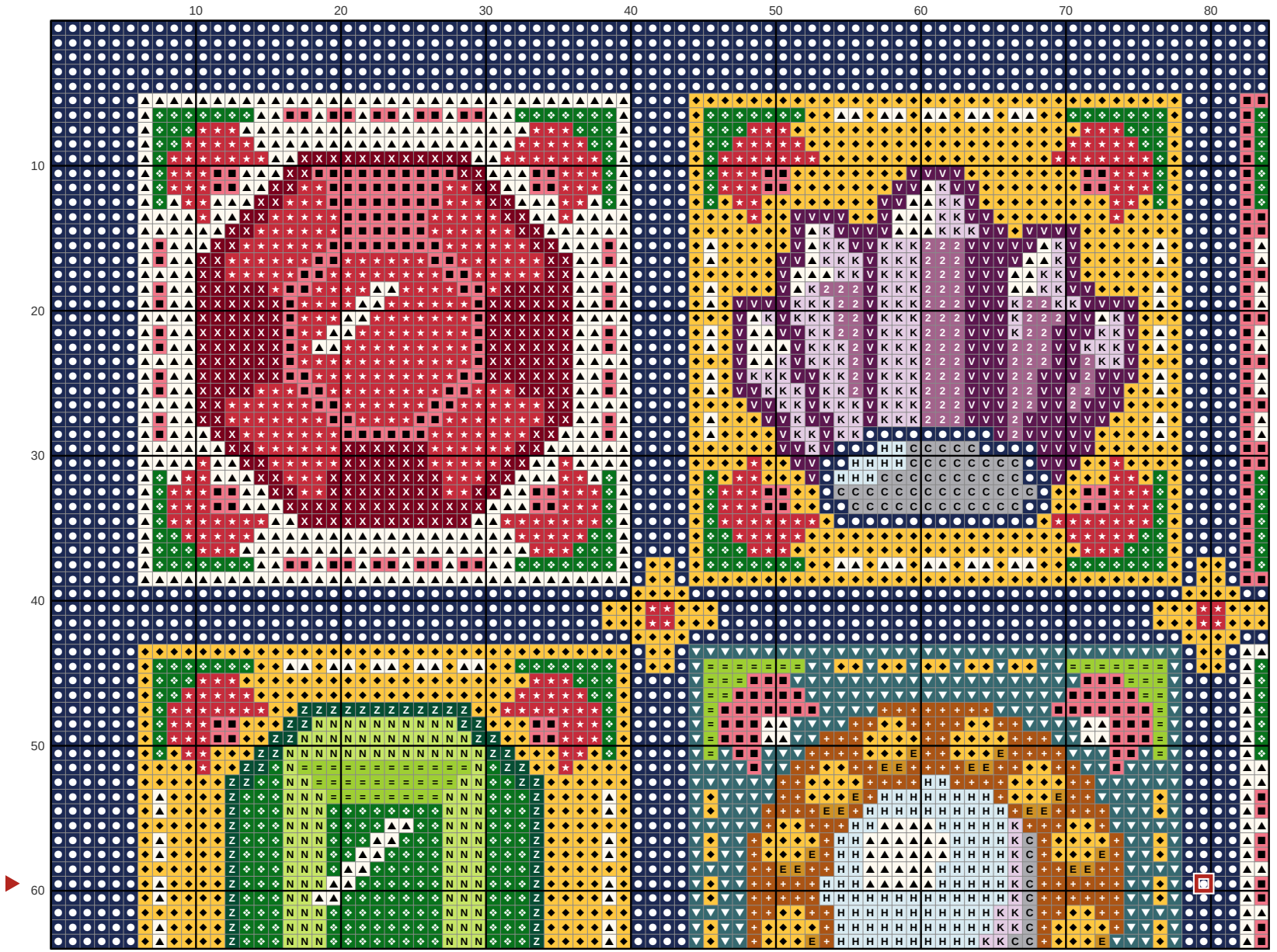

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- **DMC 814** Dark Garnet
- **DMC 775** Very Light Baby Blue
- **DMC 920** Medium Copper
- **DMC 704** Bright Chartreuse
- **DMC 500** Very Dark Blue Green
- **DMC 550** Very Dark Violet
- **DMC 907** Light Parrot Green
- **DMC 211** Light Lavender
- **DMC 783** Medium Topaz
- **DMC 318** Light Steel Gray
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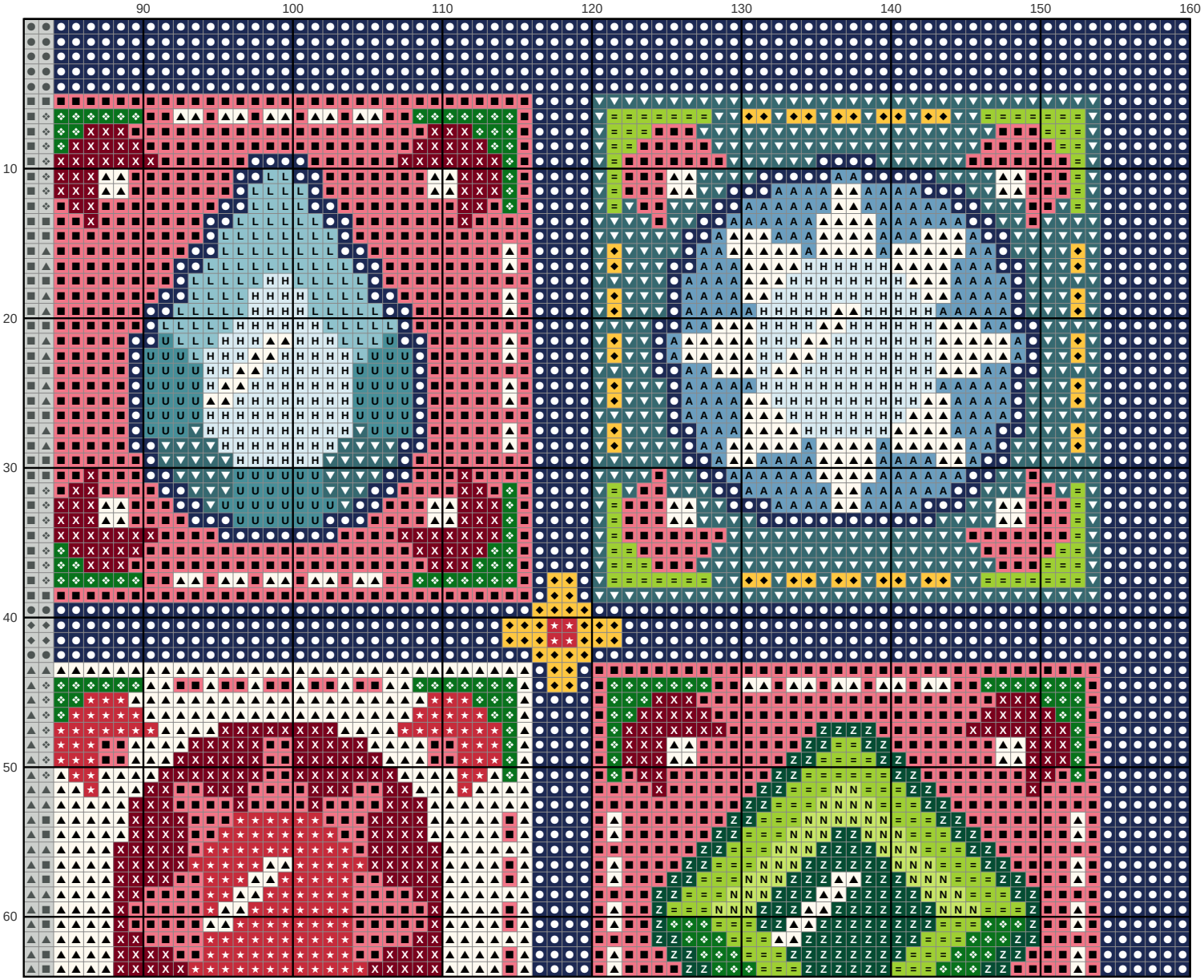

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- **DMC 598** Light Turquoise

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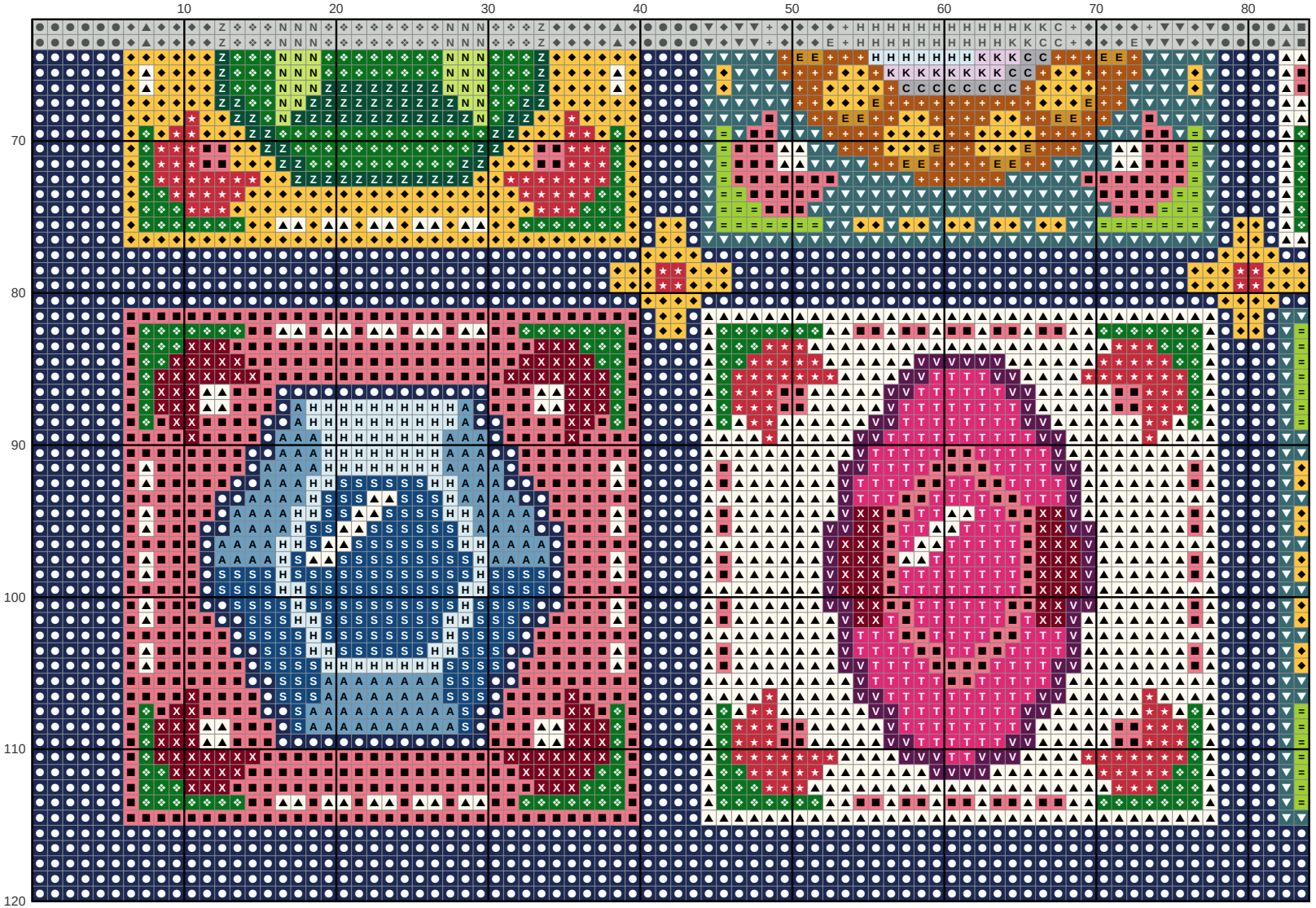

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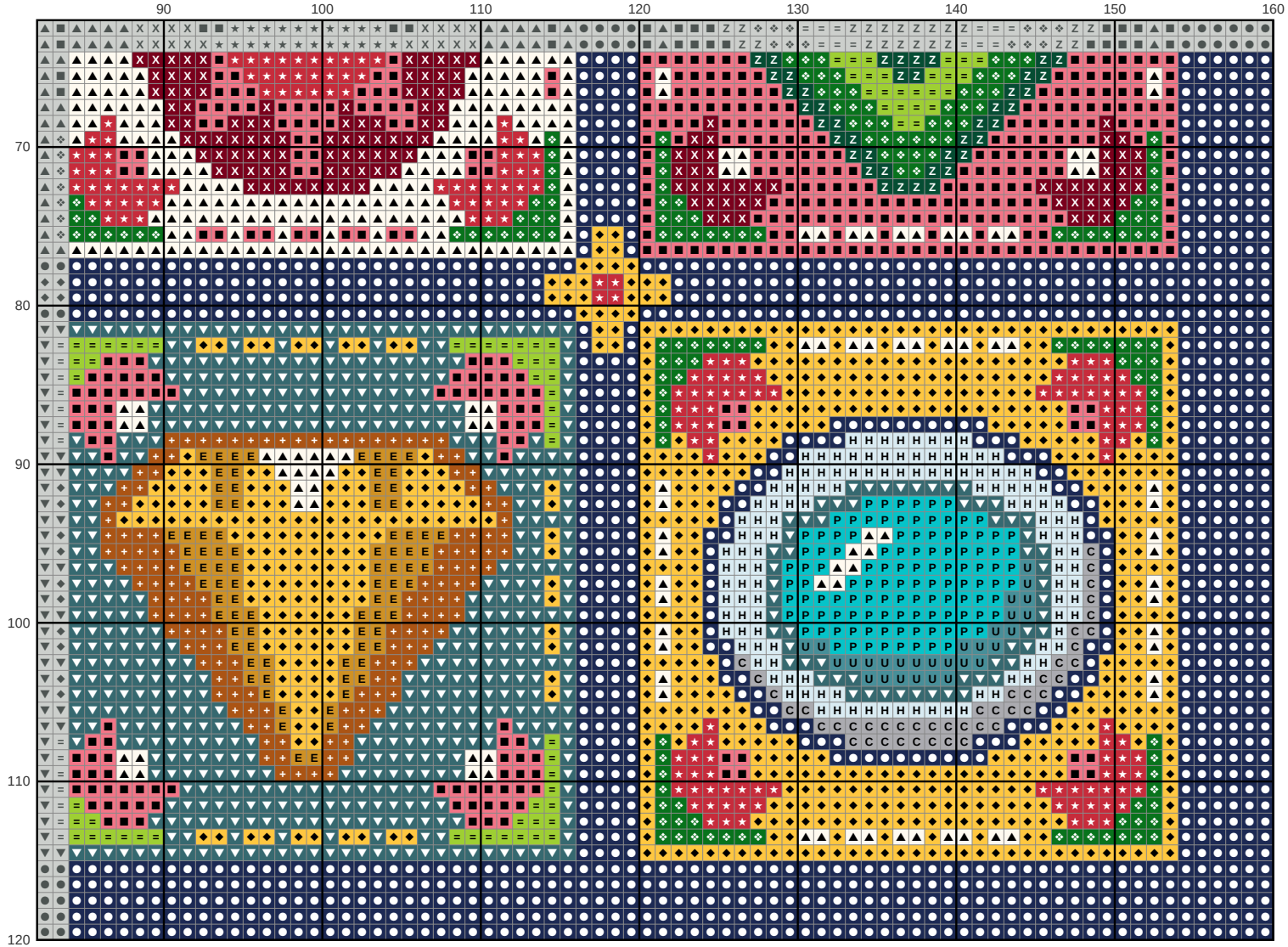

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