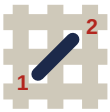
Folk art hard hat

Needlepoint pattern | 104 x 104 stitches | 8 x 8 in (20.3 x 20.3 cm) on 13 mesh | 15 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 52, row 52 (DMC 3847): 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 321: 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, 13 mesh (13 threads to the inch), cut 12.5 in square (31.8 cm).

Needle: blunt tapestry, size 20. Also masking tape for the cut edges, and small scissors.

Thread: six-strand floss, 15 colors, about 26 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 7 strands (8 if canvas shows).

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
●	**154**	Very Dark Grape	3,920	6
■	**321**	Red	1,618	4
▲	**444**	Dark Lemon	1,562	3
◆	**959**	Medium Seagreen	1,138	2
▼	**783**	Medium Topaz	626	1
★	**3847**	Dark Teal Green	448	1
❖	**972**	Deep Canary	368	1
X	**712**	Cream	300	1
H	**3705**	Dark Melon	290	1
+	**727**	Very Light Topaz	186	1
=	**964**	Light Seagreen	132	1
Z	**3755**	Baby Blue	92	1
A	**824**	Very Dark Blue	88	1
V	**921**	Copper	34	1
T	**3841**	Pale Baby Blue	14	1

Skeins are estimates, with the two extra rows: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 13 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color.

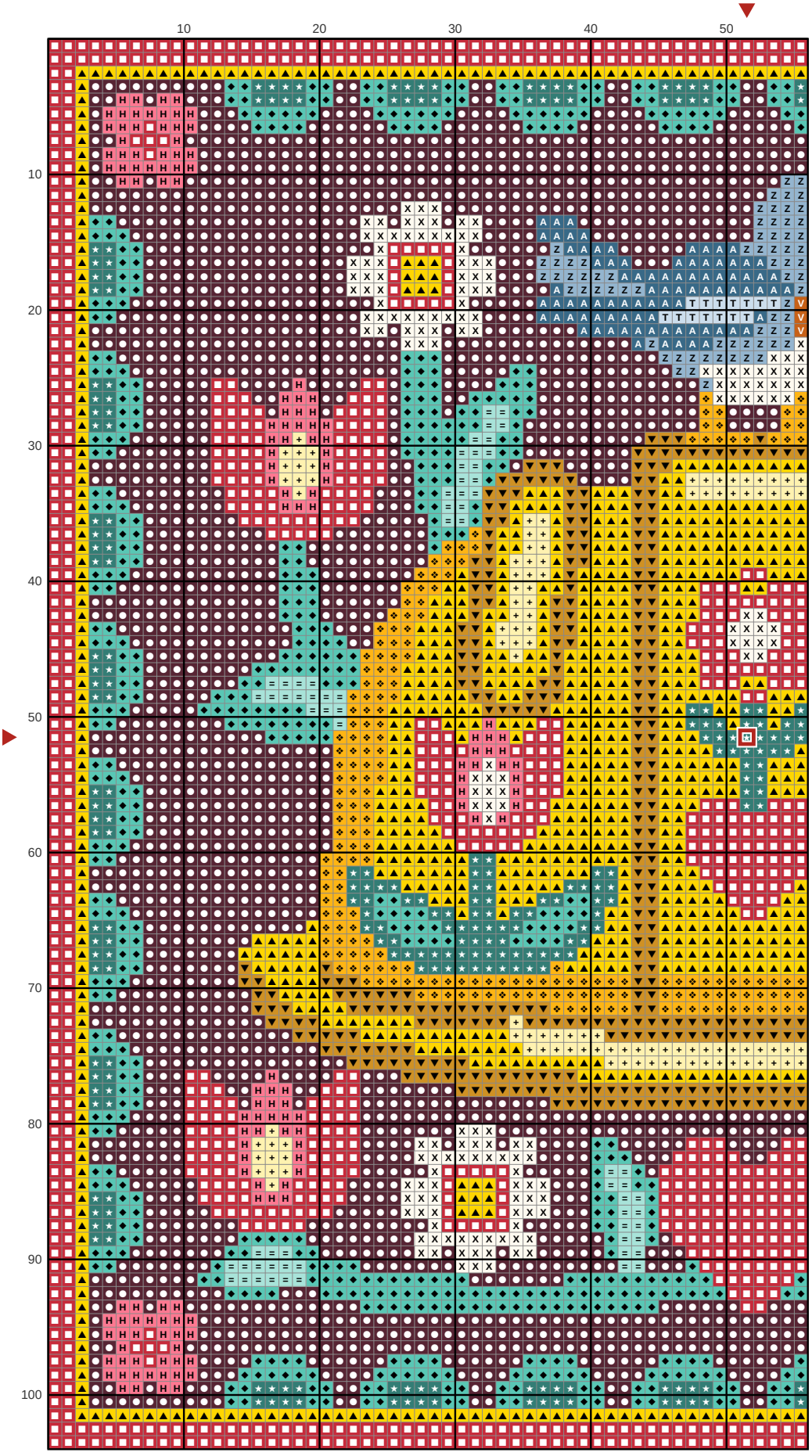
Thread colors are approximate screen matches to DMC numbers. Check against real thread before you buy.

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Columns 1 to 56, rows 1 to 104. Start at the red outline

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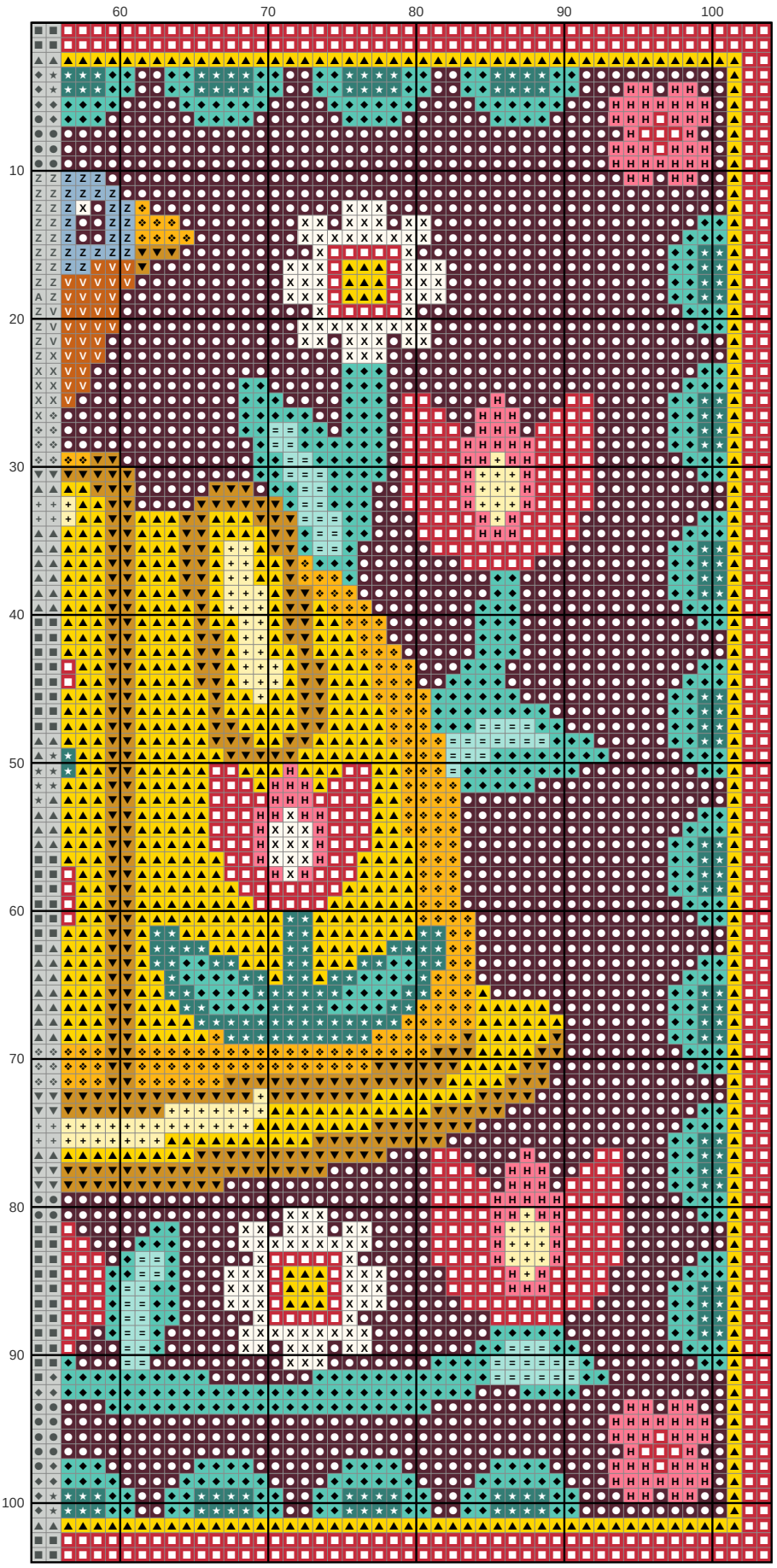
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- DMC 712 Cream
- DMC 3705 Dark Melon
- DMC 727 Very Light Topaz
- DMC 964 Light Seagreen
- DMC 3755 Baby Blue
- DMC 824 Very Dark Blue
- DMC 921 Copper
- DMC 3841 Pale Baby Blue

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Needlepoint pattern

Columns 57 to 104, rows 1 to 104. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again

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