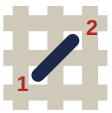
Folk art well and bucket

Needlepoint pattern | 90 x 90 stitches | 5 x 5 in (12.7 x 12.7 cm) on 18 mesh | 12 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 712): 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 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, 12 colors, about 15 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	3,146	3
■	**321**	Red	1,636	2
▲	**3820**	Dark Straw	637	1
◆	**351**	Coral	518	1
▼	**470**	Light Avocado Green	460	1
★	**3810**	Dark Turquoise	414	1
❖	**712**	Cream	410	1
X	**3348**	Light Yellow Green	226	1
H	**782**	Dark Topaz	221	1
+	**437**	Light Tan	172	1
=	**433**	Medium Brown	154	1
Z	**964**	Light Seagreen	106	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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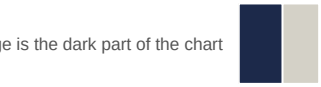

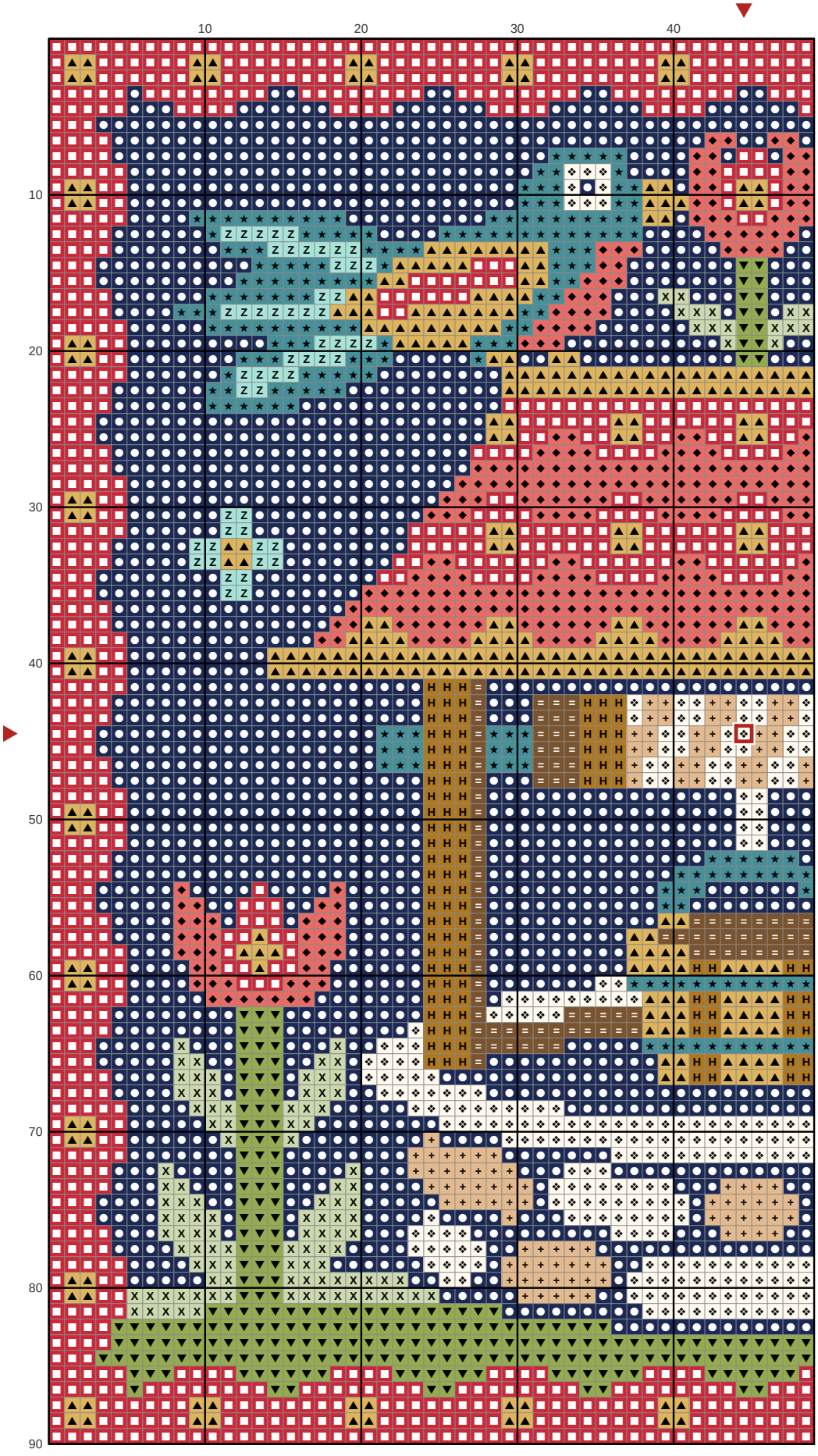

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- **DMC 3820** Dark Straw
- **DMC 351** Coral
- **DMC 470** Light Avocado Green
- **DMC 3810** Dark Turquoise
- **DMC 712** Cream
- **DMC 3348** Light Yellow Green
- **DMC 782** Dark Topaz
- **DMC 437** Light Tan
- **DMC 433** Medium Brown
- **DMC 964** Light Seagreen

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

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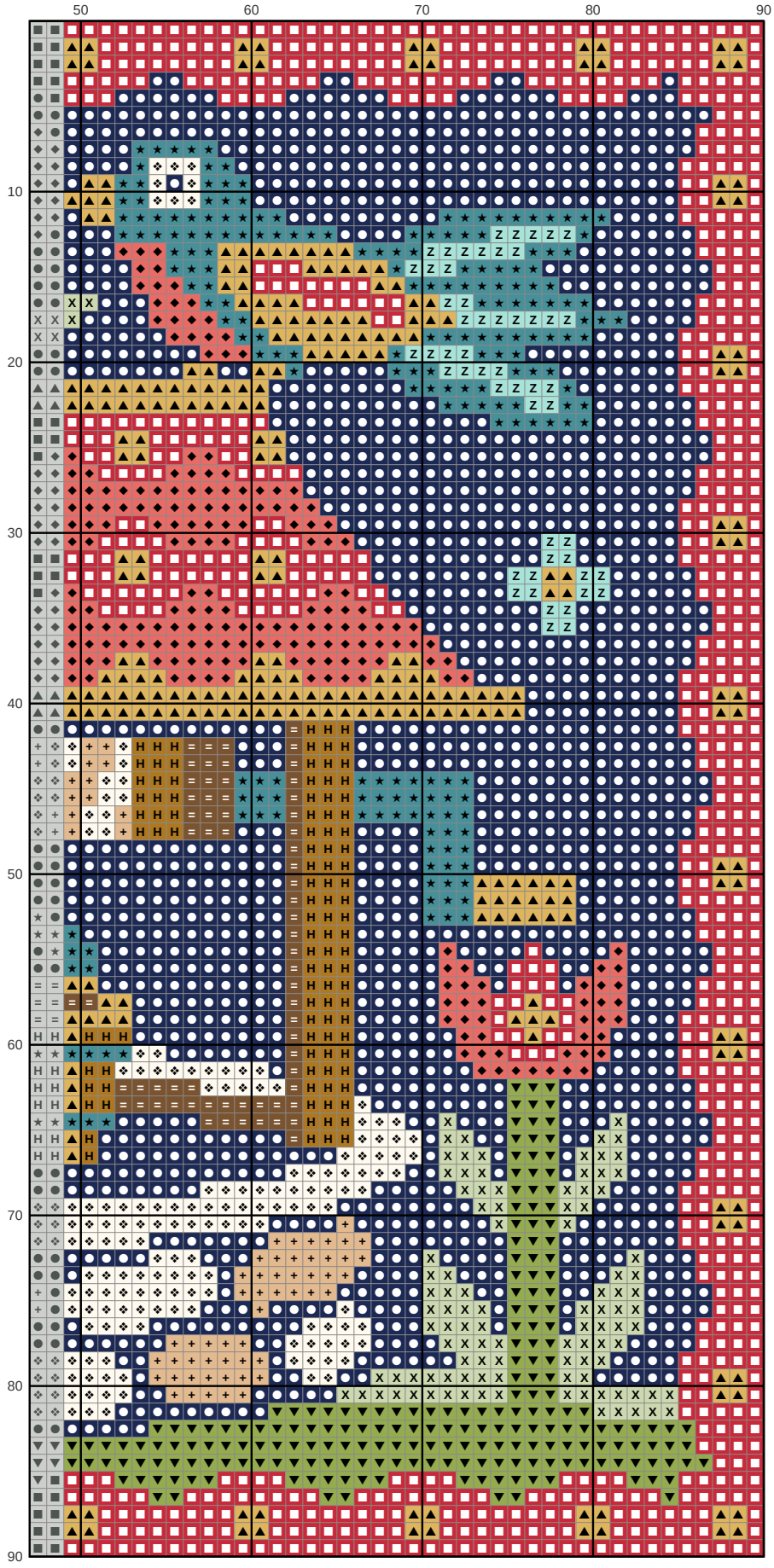

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