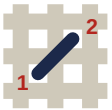
Menorah tallit bag panel

Needlepoint pattern | 182 x 156 stitches | 14 x 12 in (35.6 x 30.5 cm) on 13 mesh | 5 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 5, column 91, row 78 (DMC 783): 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 797: 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 18.5 in wide x 16.5 in high (47 x 41.9 cm).

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

Thread: six-strand floss, 5 colors, about 46 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 7 strands (8 if canvas shows).

Make it a bag: velvet or twill for the back, a lining and a zipper. How to make a tallit or tefillin bag.

Thread list

			stitches	skeins of floss
●	**DMC BLANC**	White	16,128	24
▼	**DMC 797**	Royal Blue	7,824	14
■	**DMC 783**	Medium Topaz	3,540	6
▲	**DMC 728**	Topaz	578	1
◆	**DMC 900**	Dark Burnt Orange	322	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 95, rows 1 to 66

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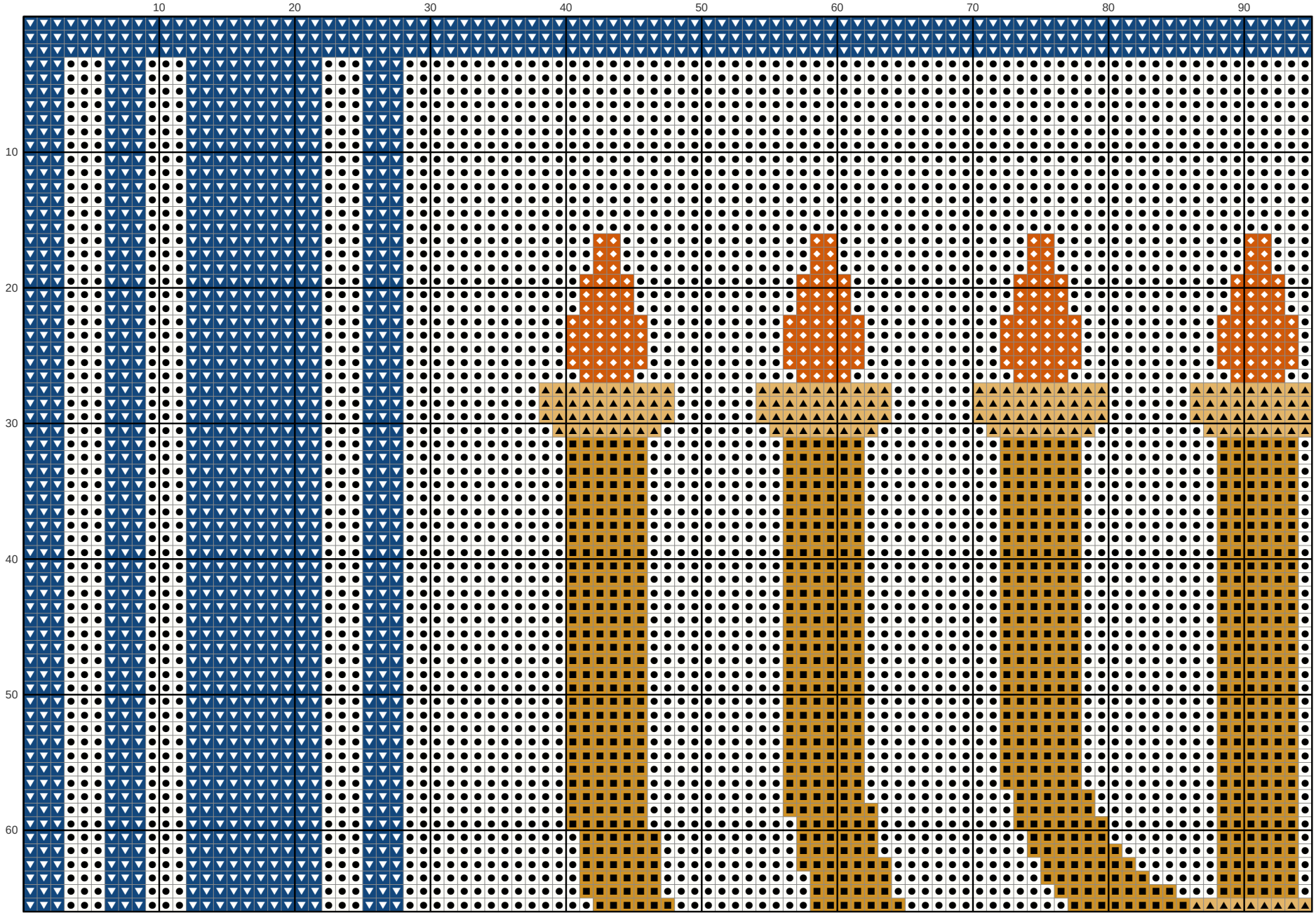

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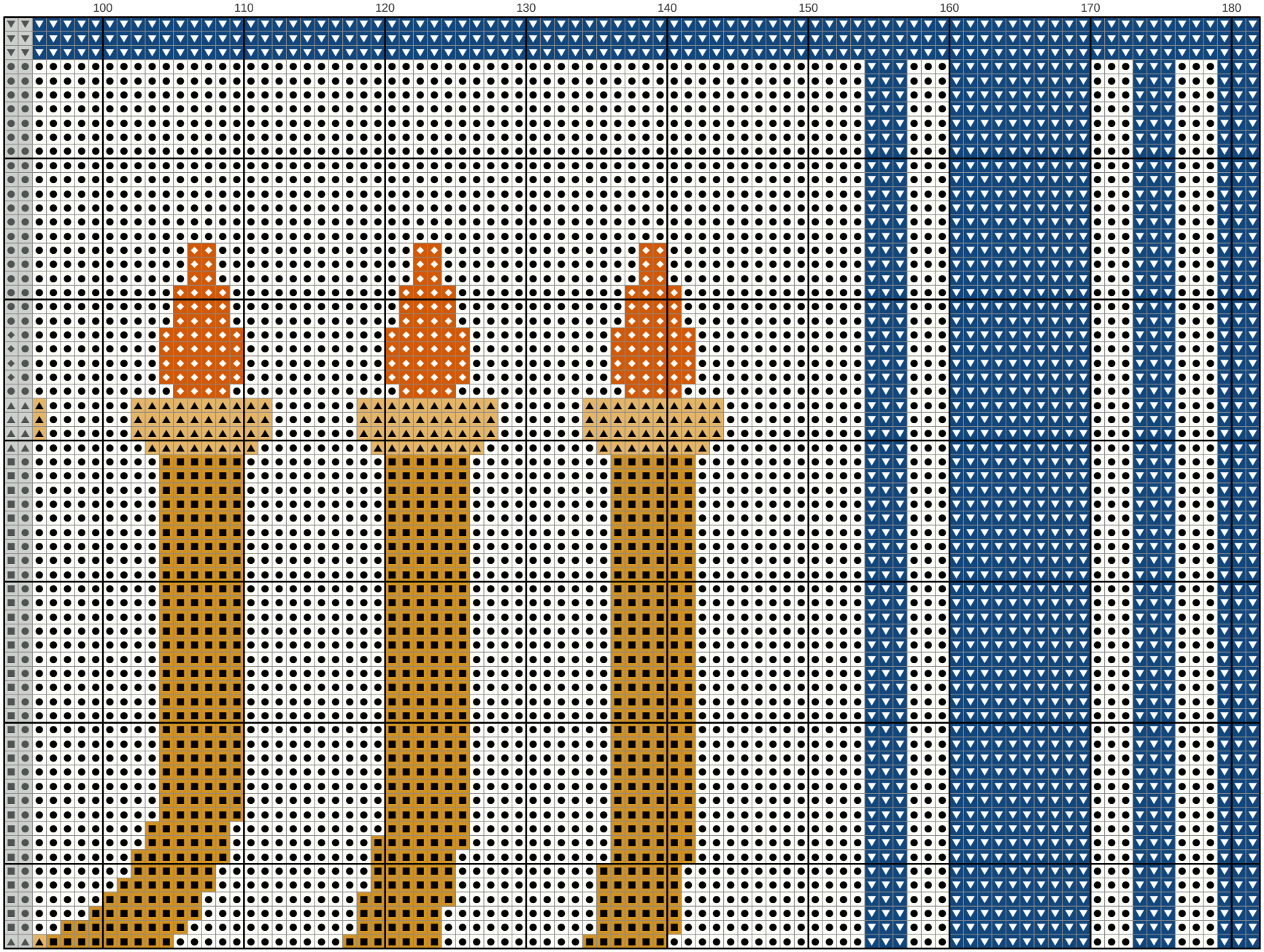

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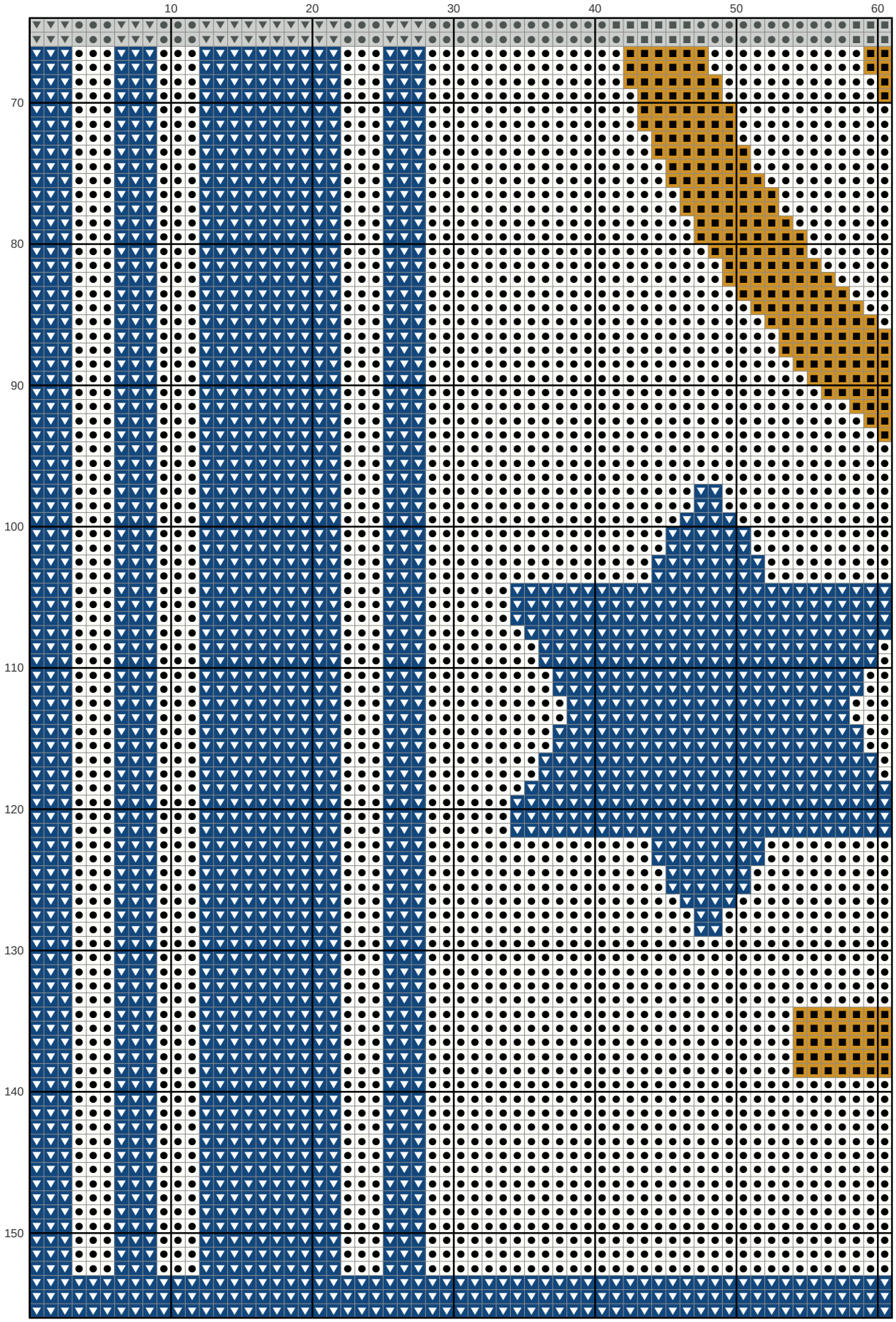

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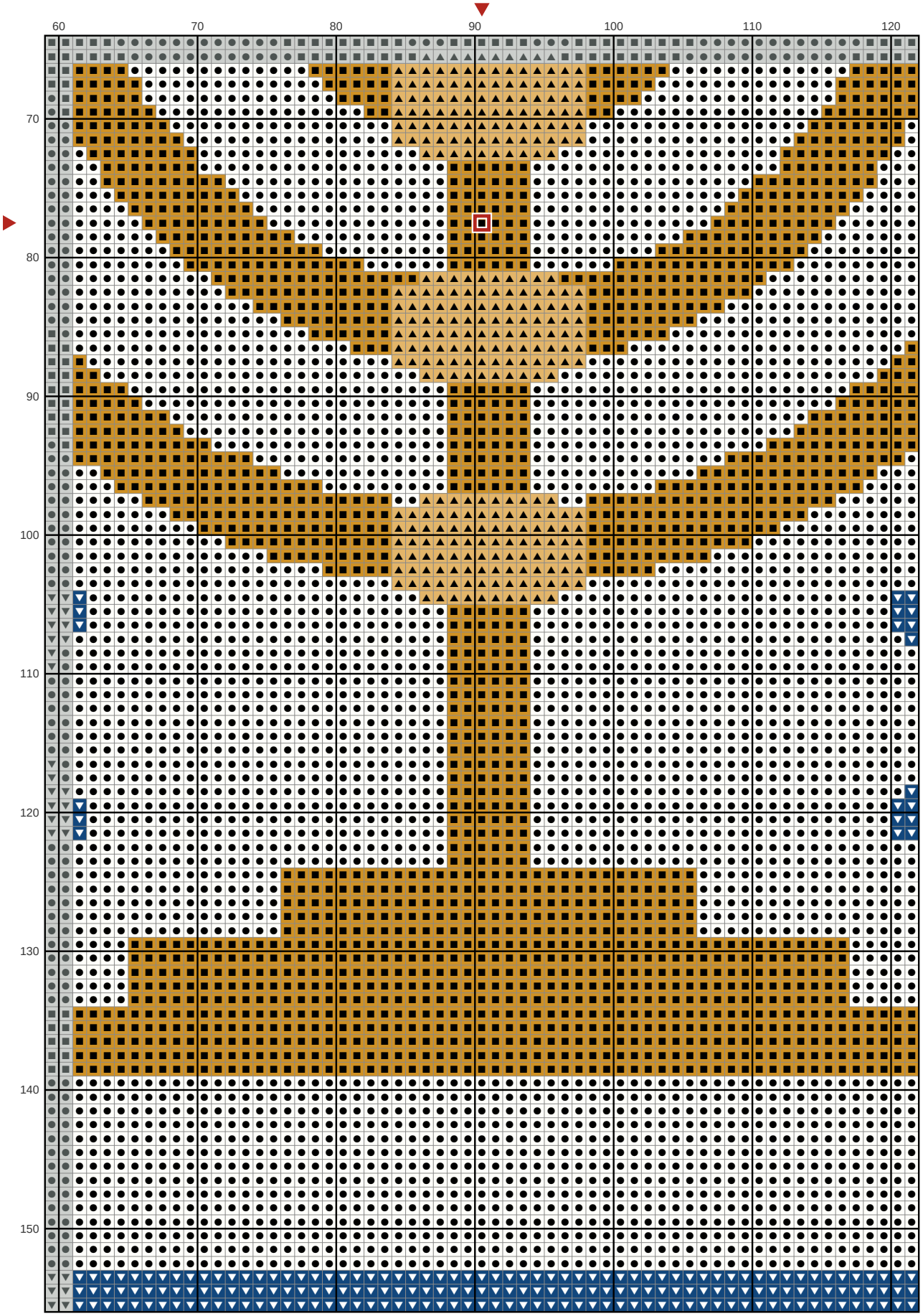
Columns 62 to 122, rows 67 to 156. Start at the red outline. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again



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