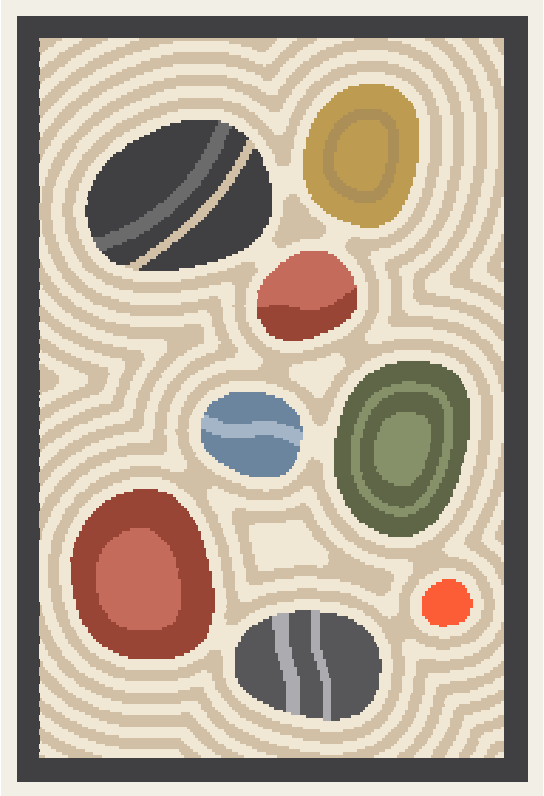
Modern river stones rug

Needlepoint pattern | 180 x 270 stitches | 18 x 27 in (45.7 x 68.6 cm) on 10 mesh | 15 colors



Thread key, DMC

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	**ECRU**	Ecru	15,611	193	24
■	**842**	Very Light Beige Brown	13,446	166	21
▲	**3799**	Very Dark Pewter Gray	9,155	113	14
◆	**355**	Dark Terra Cotta	1,907	24	3
▼	**3051**	Dark Green Gray	1,552	20	3
★	**356**	Medium Terra Cotta	1,408	18	3
❖	**832**	Golden Olive	1,325	17	2
X	**413**	Dark Pewter Gray	1,293	16	2
O	**3052**	Medium Green Gray	820	11	2
+	**931**	Medium Antique Blue	679	9	2
=	**831**	Medium Golden Olive	340	5	1
Z	**317**	Pewter Gray	333	5	1
A	**318**	Light Steel Gray	309	4	1
V	**608**	Bright Orange	234	3	1
T	**932**	Light Antique Blue	188	3	1

One chart square is one tent stitch over one canvas intersection.

Cut the canvas at least 22 x 31 in (55.9 x 78.7 cm) for 10 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

48,600 stitches in all. Start from the center: a red arrow above the chart marks the center column, and one to the left of it the center row. The arrows are on the pages those lines cross.

The chart is on 8 pages, each cut to what is stitched: bare canvas has no page, and a join falls on plain ground where it can. Pages 2 and 3 are turned on their side, for a part that is wider than it is tall. Where chart pages join, gray squares repeat two rows or columns. The small picture at the top of each chart page shows which part it is.

Thread: pearl cotton size 3, 2 strands in the needle on 10 mesh, about 81 skeins of 16.4 yd in all. Or six-strand floss, 8 to 10 strands, about 121 skeins of 8.7 yd; or tapestry wool, 1 strand, about 76 skeins of 8.7 yd; or Persian wool, 3 strands, about 84 skeins of 8 yd. Wool is numbered differently: match it by eye. Needle: tapestry, size 16 or 18.

Yards and skeins are estimates: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 10 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color (about 607 yards in all, as the thread lies in the needle).

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

When it is stitched: also have a finisher, or the fabric and cord to make it up yourself. Ask before you stitch the edge: some finishes take extra rows. "Ways to finish needlepoint" is a guide linked from this pattern's page.

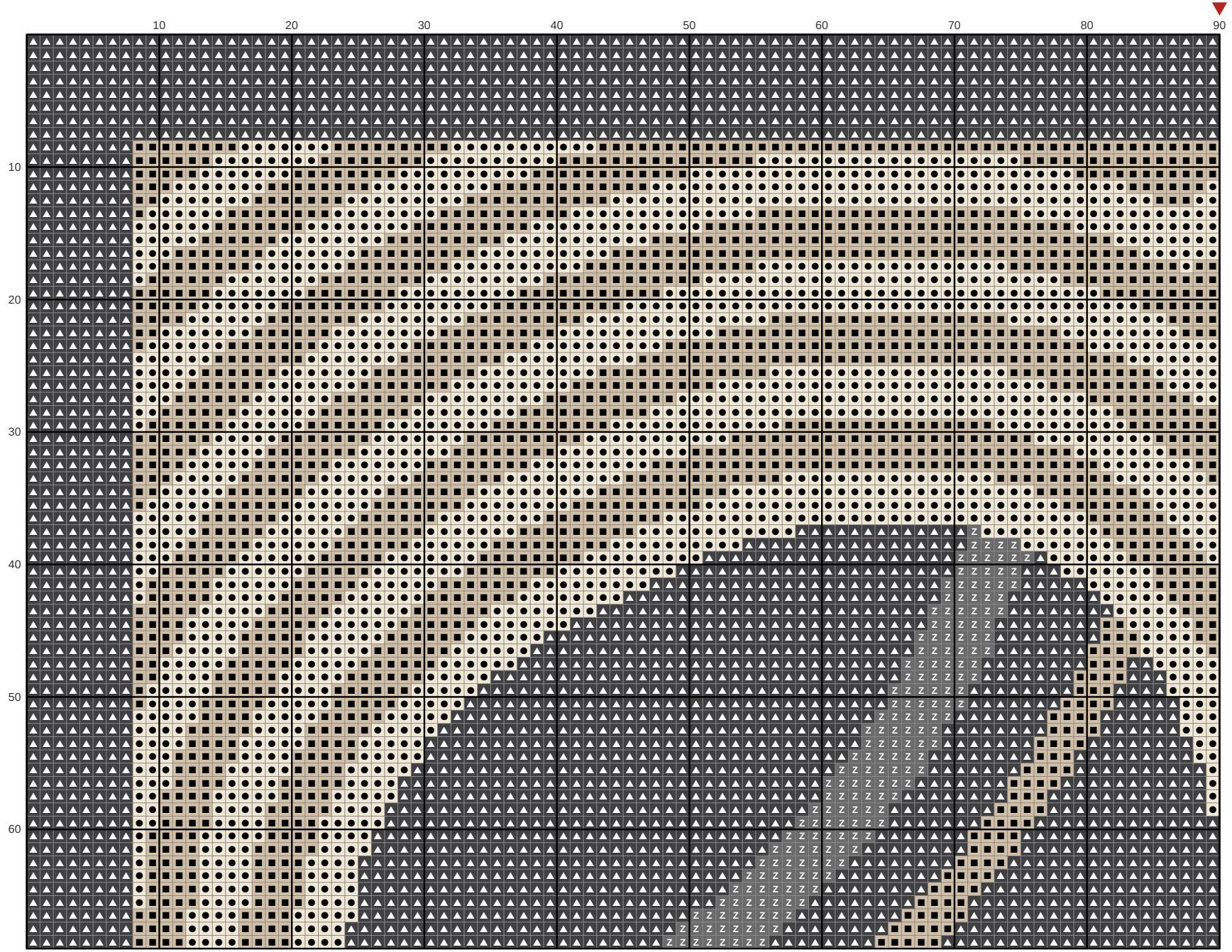
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Needlepoint pattern

Chart 1 of 8: columns 1 to 90, rows 1 to 69

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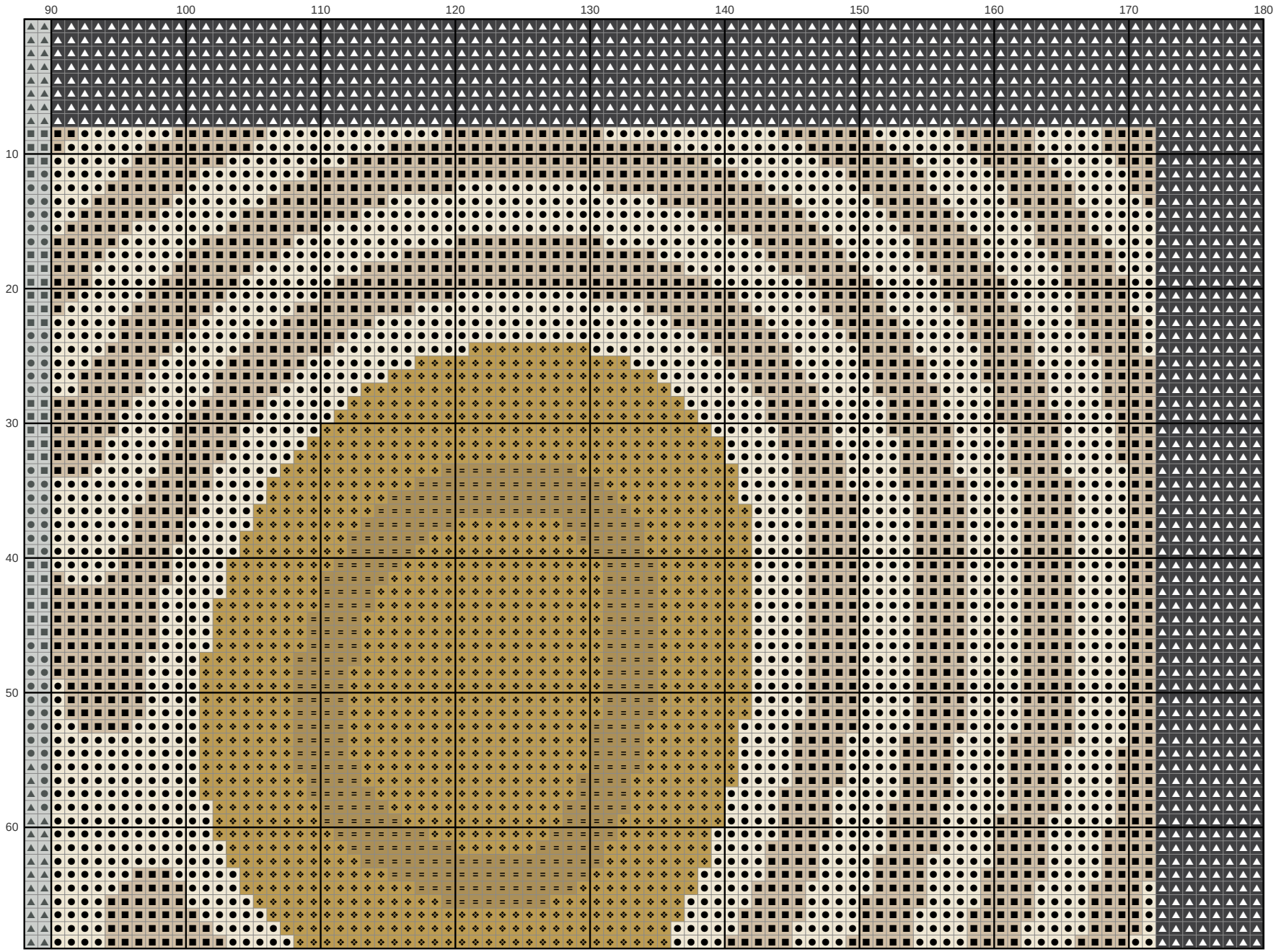
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- DMC 842
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- DMC 317 Pewter Gray

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Chart 2 of 8: columns 91 to 180, rows 1 to 69; gray squares repeat columns 89 and 90



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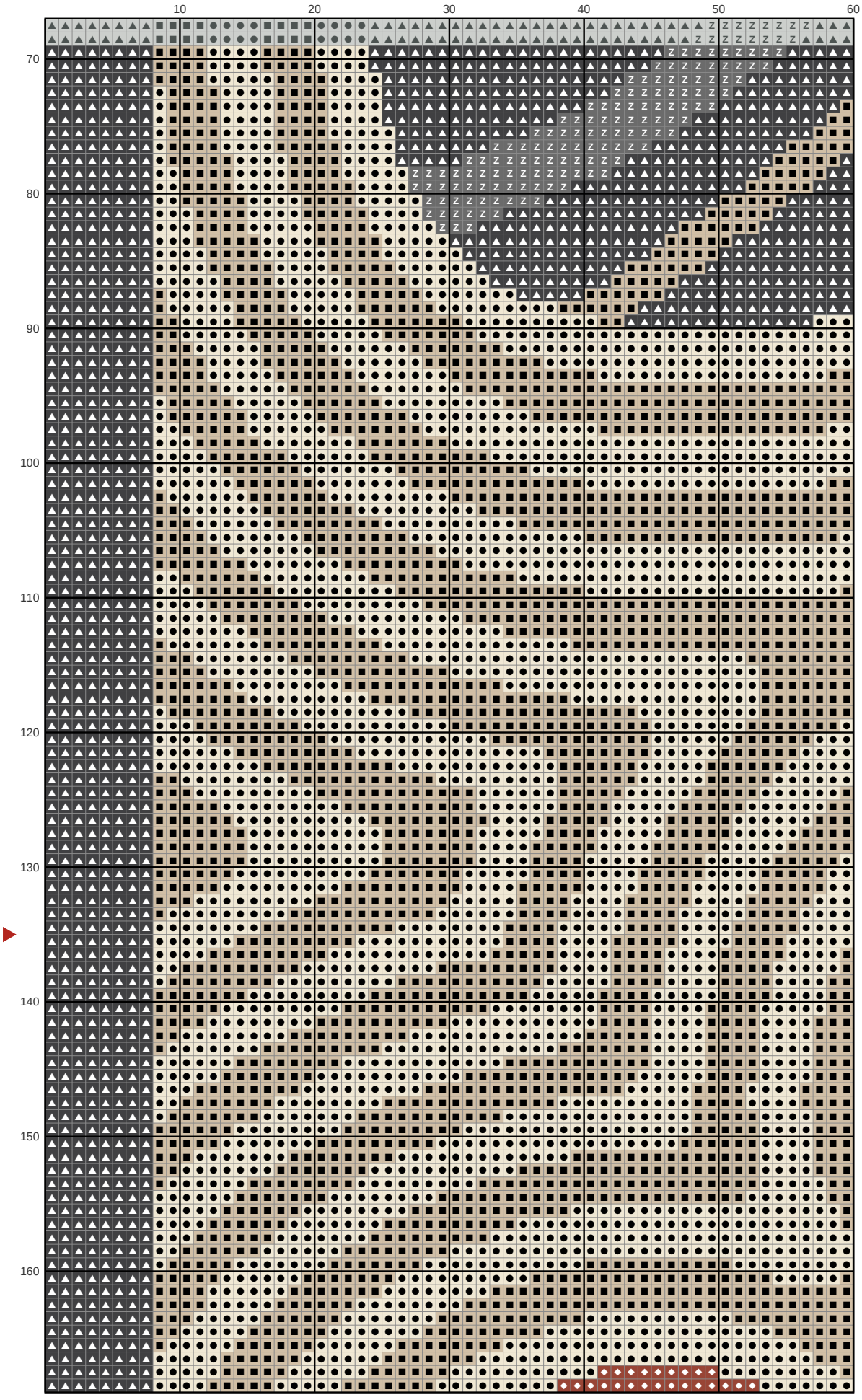
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Chart 3 of 8: columns 1 to 60, rows 70 to 169; gray squares repeat rows 68 and 69

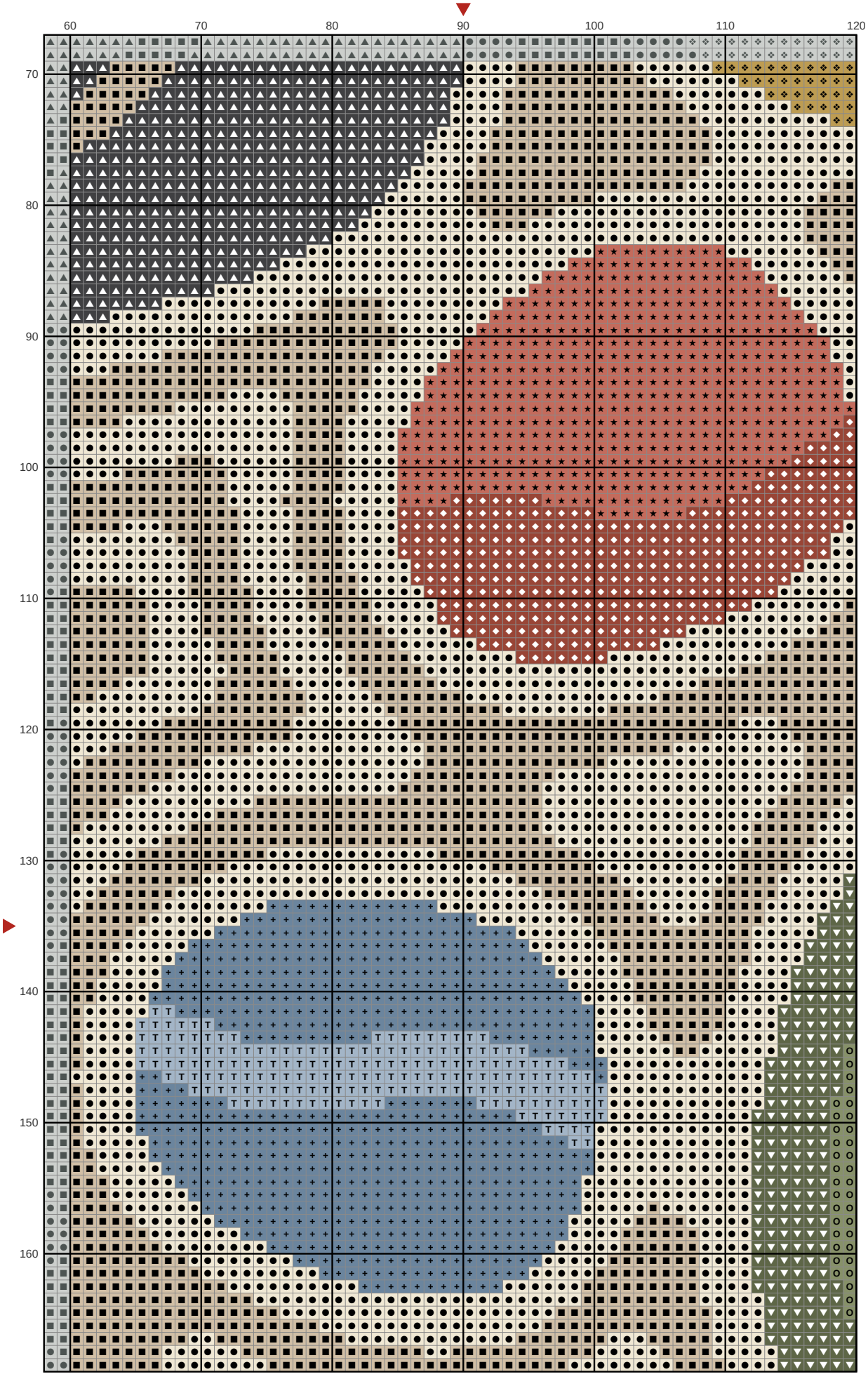


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Chart 4 of 8: columns 61 to 120, rows 70 to 169; gray squares repeat columns 59 and 60 and rows 68 and 69

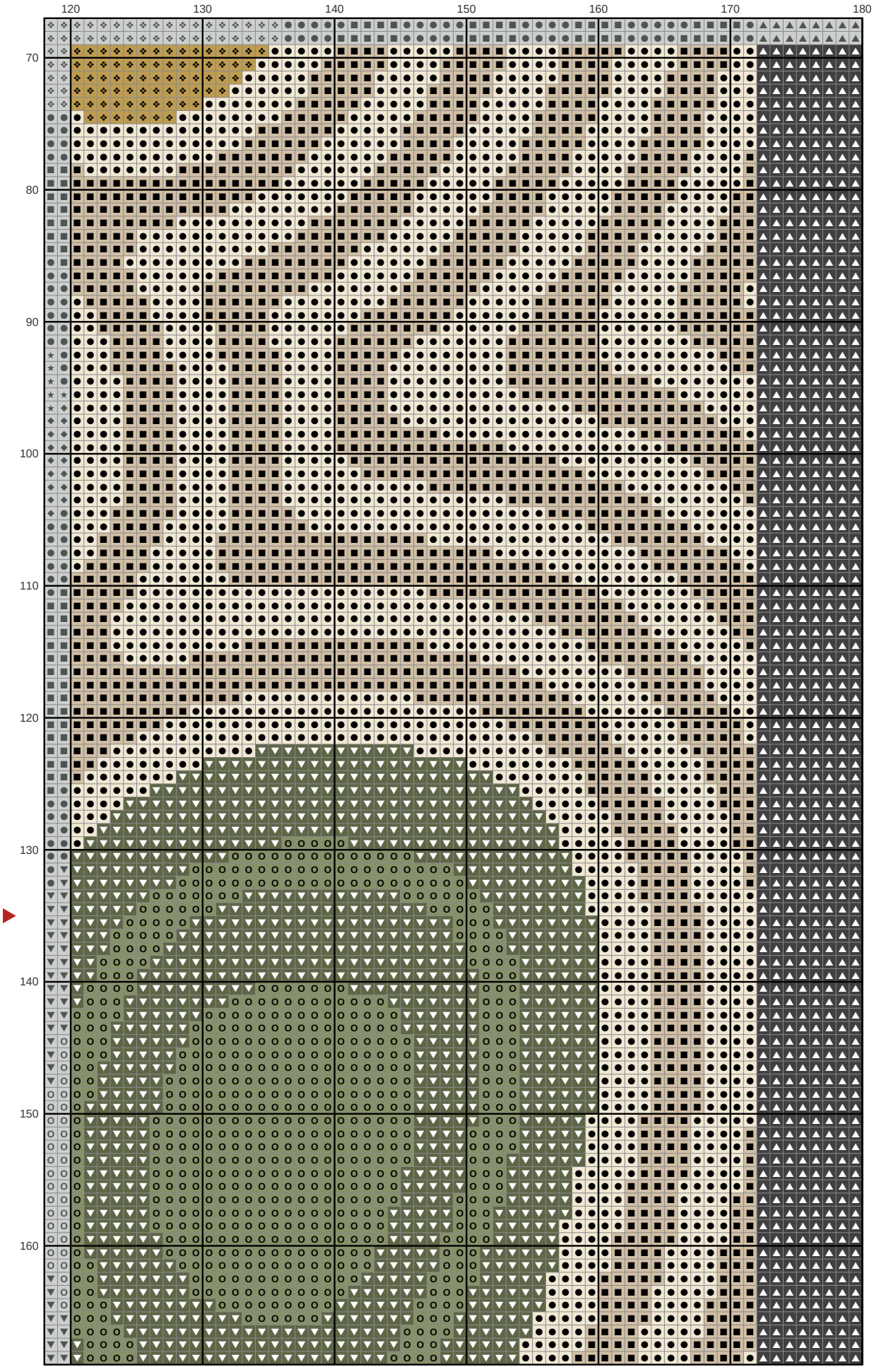


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Chart 5 of 8: columns 121 to 180, rows 70 to 169; gray squares repeat columns 119 and 120 and rows 68 and 69

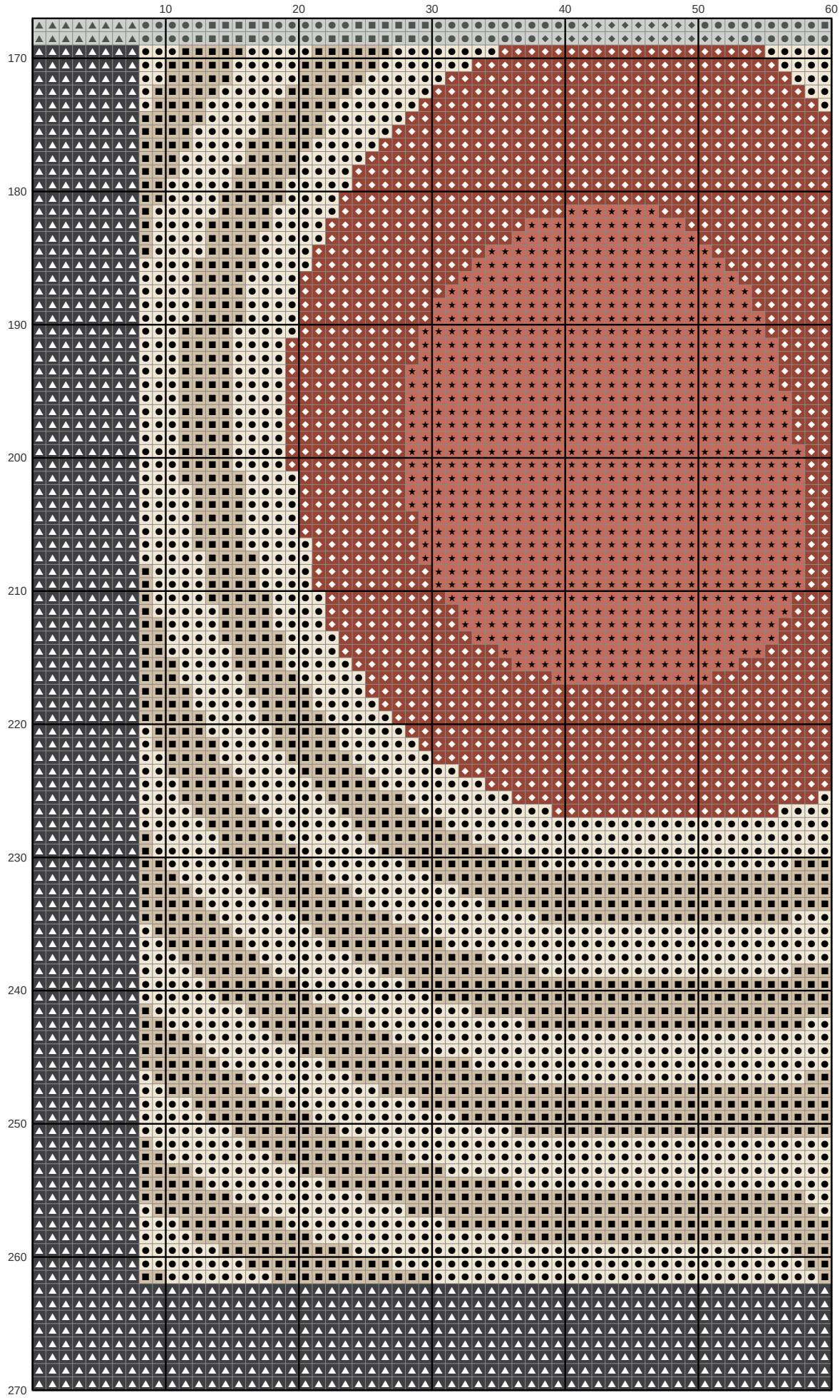


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Chart 6 of 8: columns 1 to 60, rows 170 to 270; gray squares repeat rows 168 and 169

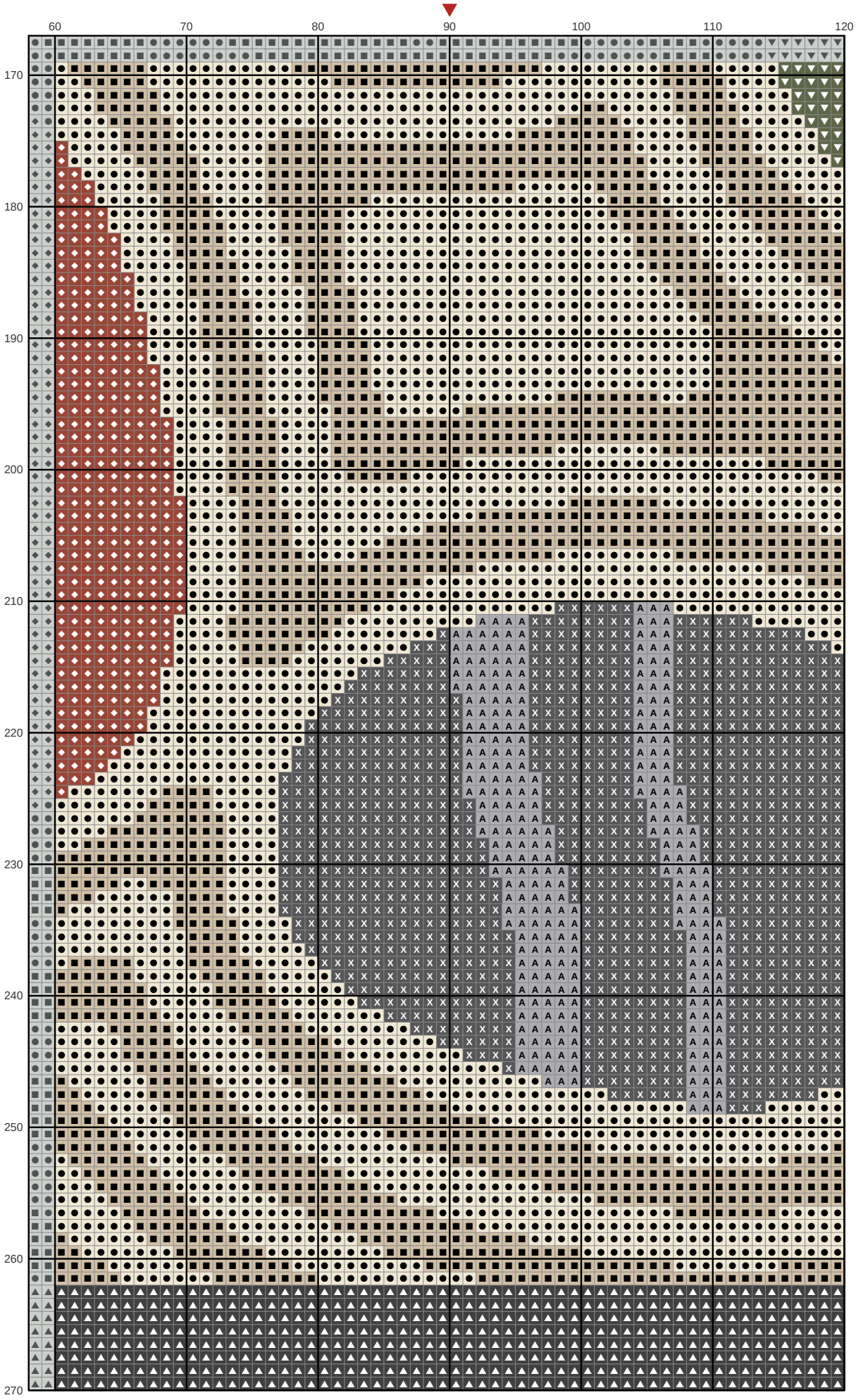


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Chart 7 of 8: columns 61 to 120, rows 170 to 270; gray squares repeat columns 59 and 60 and rows 168 and 169



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Chart 8 of 8: columns 121 to 180, rows 170 to 270; gray squares repeat columns 119 and 120 and rows 168 and 169

