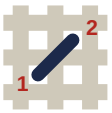
Basset hound in a tweed jacket

Needlepoint pattern | 104 x 130 stitches | 8 x 10 in (20.3 x 25.4 cm) on 13 mesh | 22 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 65 (DMC BLANC): 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. When it is done, block it square.

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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 in wide x 14 in high (30.5 x 35.6 cm).

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

Thread: six-strand floss, 22 colors, about 30 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 7 strands (8 if canvas shows).

Frame it: acid-free board and a frame.
How to frame needlepoint.

Thread list, DMC

			stitches	skeins
●	3808	Ultra Very Dark Turquoise	2,445	4
■	3809	Very Dark Turquoise	2,426	4
▲	3776	Light Mahogany	1,301	2
◆	611	Drab Brown	984	2
▼	839	Dark Beige Brown	653	1
★	3031	Very Dark Mocha Brown	552	1
❖	400	Dark Mahogany	539	1
X	300	Very Dark Mahogany	508	1
H	613	Very Light Drab Brown	502	1
+	3822	Light Straw	482	1
=	301	Medium Mahogany	461	1
Z	612	Light Drab Brown	435	1
A	938	Ultra Dark Coffee Brown	435	1
V	822	Light Beige Gray	387	1
T	BLANC	White	366	1
N	783	Medium Topaz	256	1
S	780	Ultra Very Dark Topaz	226	1
K	3820	Dark Straw	222	1
E	977	Light Golden Brown	150	1
C	310	Black	106	1
P	3799	Very Dark Pewter Gray	66	1
U	3858	Medium Rosewood	18	1

Skeins are estimates: 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 104, rows 1 to 69. Start at the red outline

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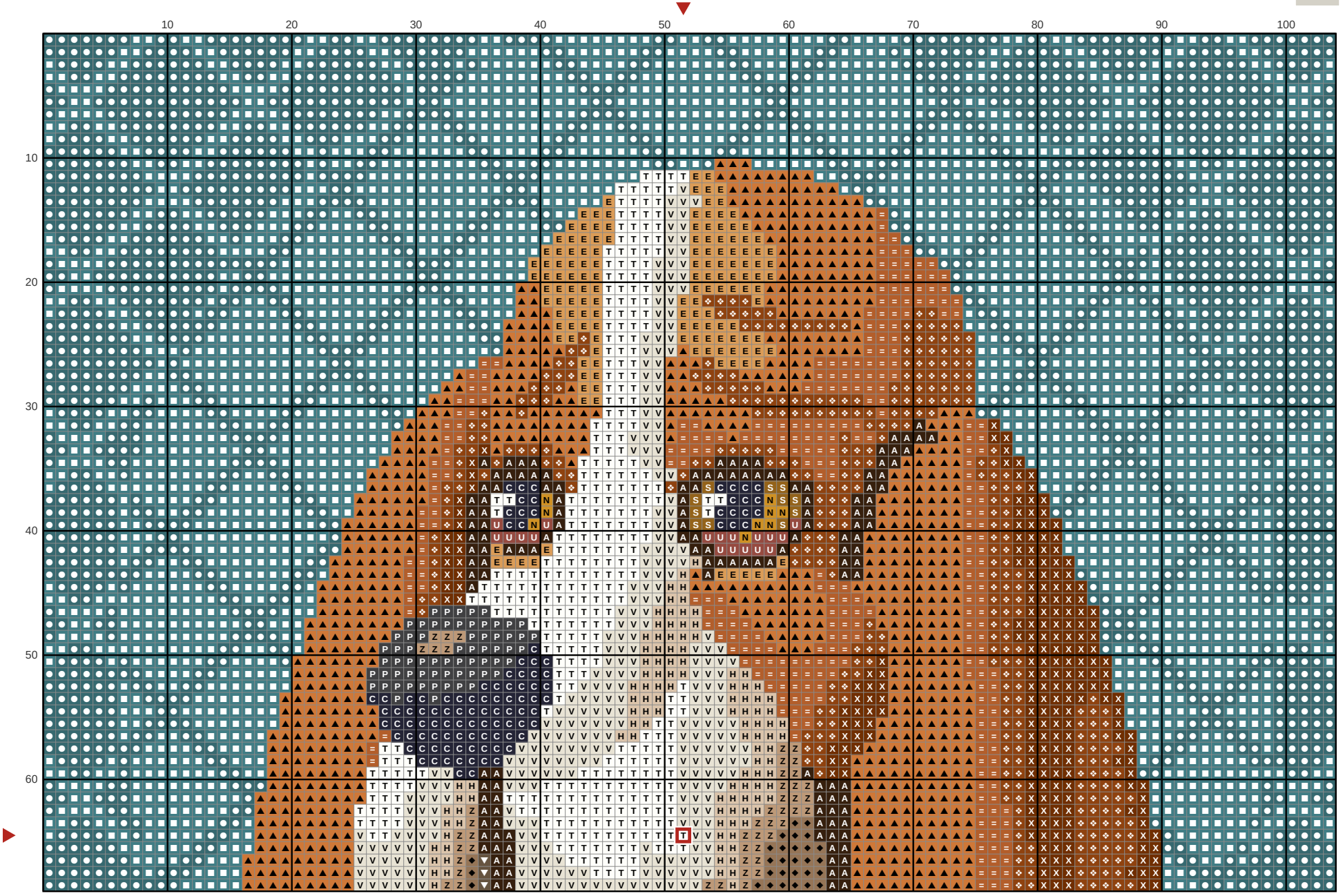

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Columns 1 to 104, rows 70 to 130. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again

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