Cape May Victorian house and lighthouse

Needlepoint pattern | 104 x 130 stitches | 8 x 10 in (20.3 x 25.4 cm) on 13 mesh | 22 colors



Thread key, DMC

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	3834	Dark Grape	2,068	20	4
■	739	Ultra Very Light Tan	1,615	16	3
▲	798	Dark Delft Blue	1,367	13	2
◆	799	Medium Delft Blue	1,275	13	2
▼	809	Delft Blue	961	10	2
★	800	Pale Delft Blue	677	7	1
❖	712	Cream	612	6	1
X	3830	Terra Cotta	610	6	1
O	154	Very Dark Grape	506	5	1
+	754	Light Peach	479	5	1
=	351	Coral	449	5	1
Z	738	Very Light Tan	406	4	1
A	319	Very Dark Pistachio Green	375	4	1
V	3808	Ultra Very Dark Turquoise	361	4	1
T	3856	Ultra Very Light Mahogany	356	4	1
N	3810	Dark Turquoise	308	3	1
S	320	Medium Pistachio Green	296	3	1
K	3835	Medium Grape	271	3	1
E	347	Very Dark Salmon	226	3	1
C	725	Medium Light Topaz	145	2	1
P	352	Light Coral	121	2	1
U	745	Light Pale Yellow	36	1	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 12 x 14 in (30.5 x 35.6 cm) for 13 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

13,520 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 divided evenly over 2 pages. 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. The small picture at the top of each chart page shows which part it is.

Thread: six-strand floss, 7 or 8 strands in the needle on 13 mesh (counted at 8), about 30 skeins of 8.7 yd in all. Or pearl cotton size 3, 1 strand, about 23 skeins of 16.4 yd; or tapestry wool, 1 strand, about 28 skeins of 8.7 yd; or Persian wool, 2 strands, about 26 skeins of 8 yd. Wool is numbered differently: match it by eye. Needle: tapestry, size 20.

Yards and 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 (about 139 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.

Frame it: also have acid-free board and a frame. "How to frame needlepoint" is a guide linked from this pattern's page.

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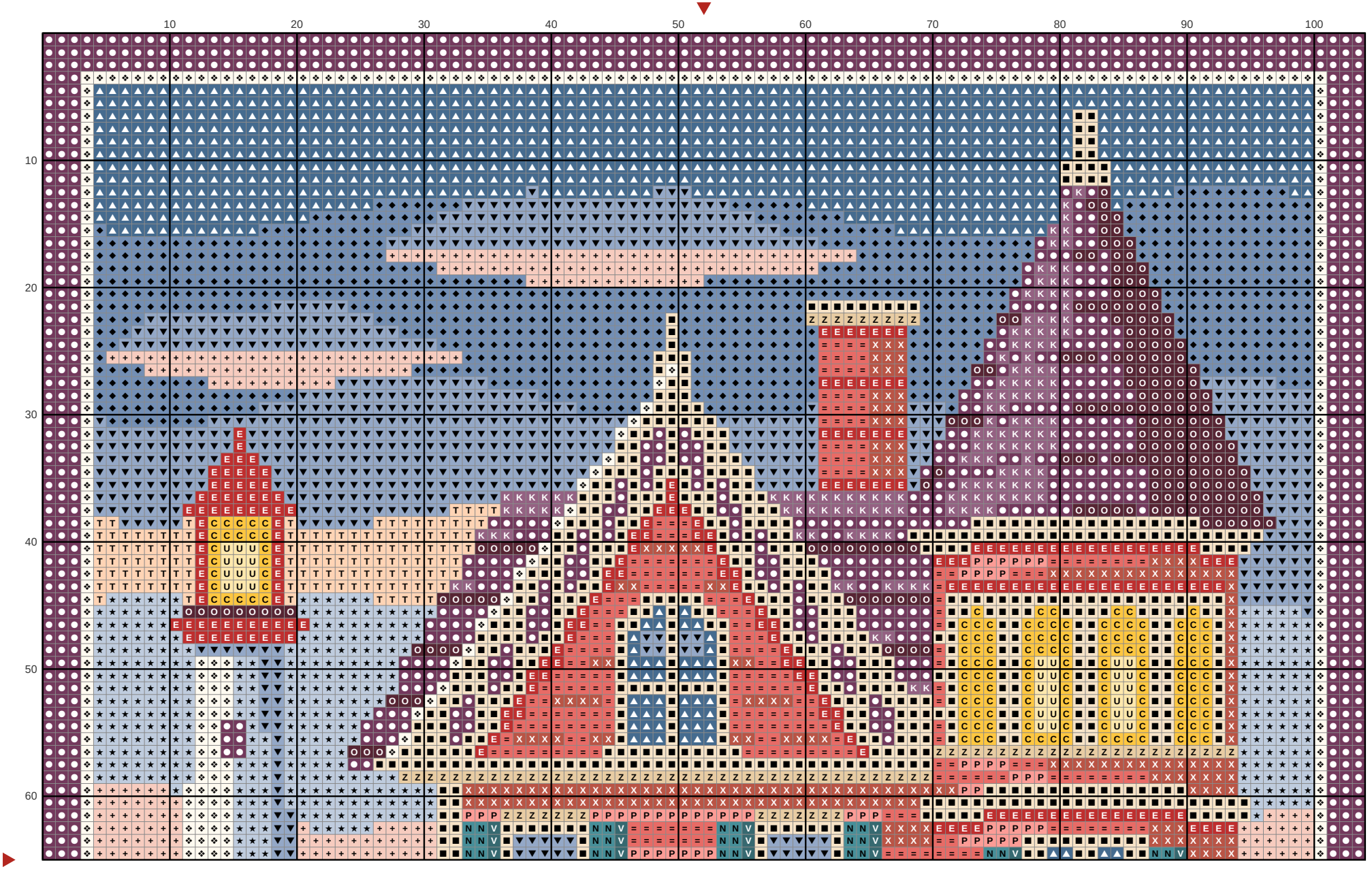

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Chart 2 of 2: columns 1 to 104, rows 66 to 130; gray squares repeat rows 64 and 65

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