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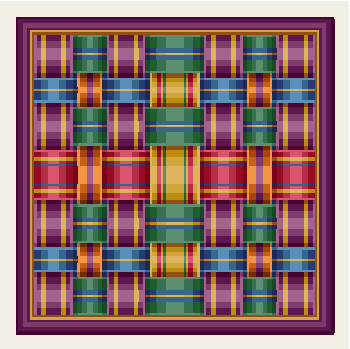
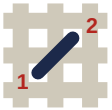
Needlepoint pattern | 140 x 140 stitches | 14 x 14 in (35.6 x 35.6 cm) on 10 mesh | 24 colors



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 70, row 70 (DMC 3820): 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 35: 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, 10 mesh (10 threads to the inch), cut 18.5 in square (47 cm).

Needle: blunt tapestry, size 18. Also masking tape for the cut edges, and small scissors.

Thread: pearl cotton size 3, 24 colors, about 44 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 2 lengths together.

Make it a pillow: backing fabric, an insert the size of the stitching or an inch larger, and cord or piping for the edge. How to finish a pillow.

Thread list, DMC

			stitches	skeins
●	550	Very Dark Violet	2,744	5
■	552	Medium Violet	2,304	4
▲	553	Violet	1,508	3
◆	729	Medium Old Gold	1,348	3
▼	35	Very Dark Fuchsia	1,156	4
★	312	Very Dark Baby Blue	1,000	2
❖	975	Dark Golden Brown	980	2
X	502	Blue Green	940	2
H	680	Dark Old Gold	780	2
+	3820	Dark Straw	780	2
=	501	Dark Blue Green	768	2
Z	336	Navy Blue	656	1
A	322	Dark Baby Blue	592	1
V	319	Very Dark Pistachio Green	588	1
T	939	Very Dark Navy Blue	552	1
N	890	Ultra Dark Pistachio Green	504	1
S	3832	Medium Raspberry	472	1
K	3831	Dark Raspberry	424	1
E	816	Garnet	392	1
C	3853	Dark Autumn Gold	344	1
P	921	Copper	240	1
U	814	Dark Garnet	216	1
L	919	Red Copper	168	1
2	300	Very Dark Mahogany	144	1

Skeins are estimates, with the two extra rows: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 10 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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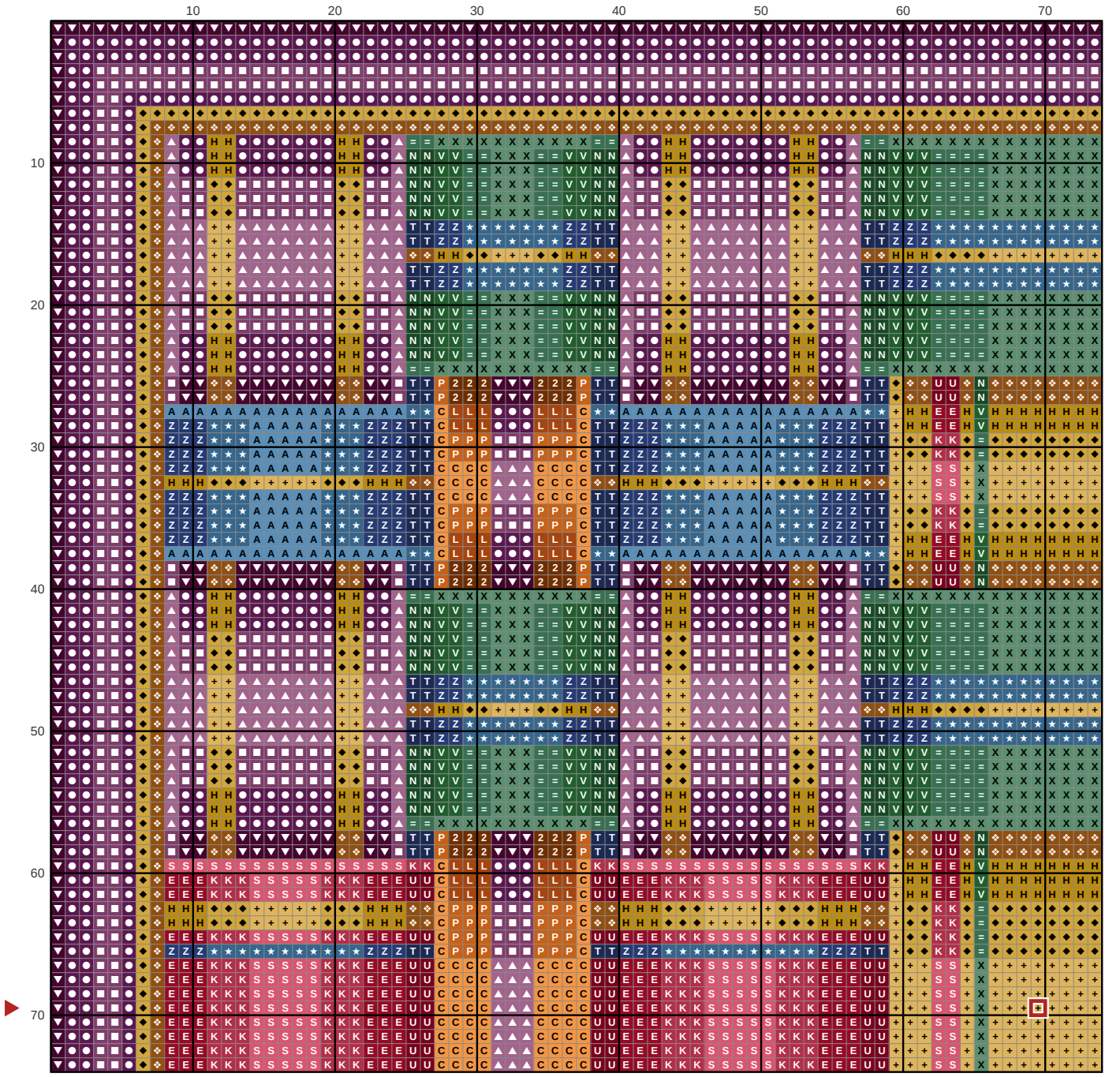

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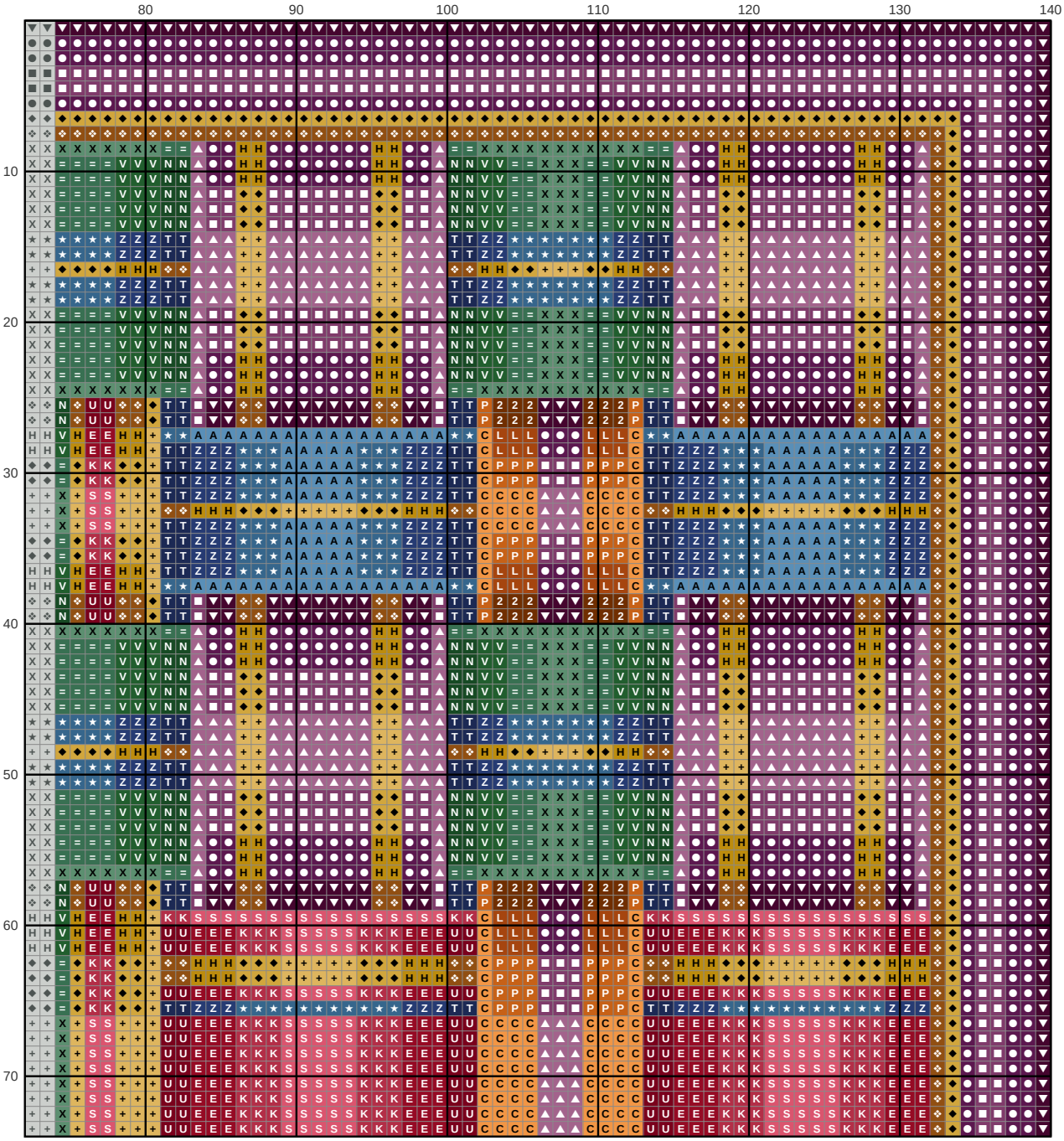

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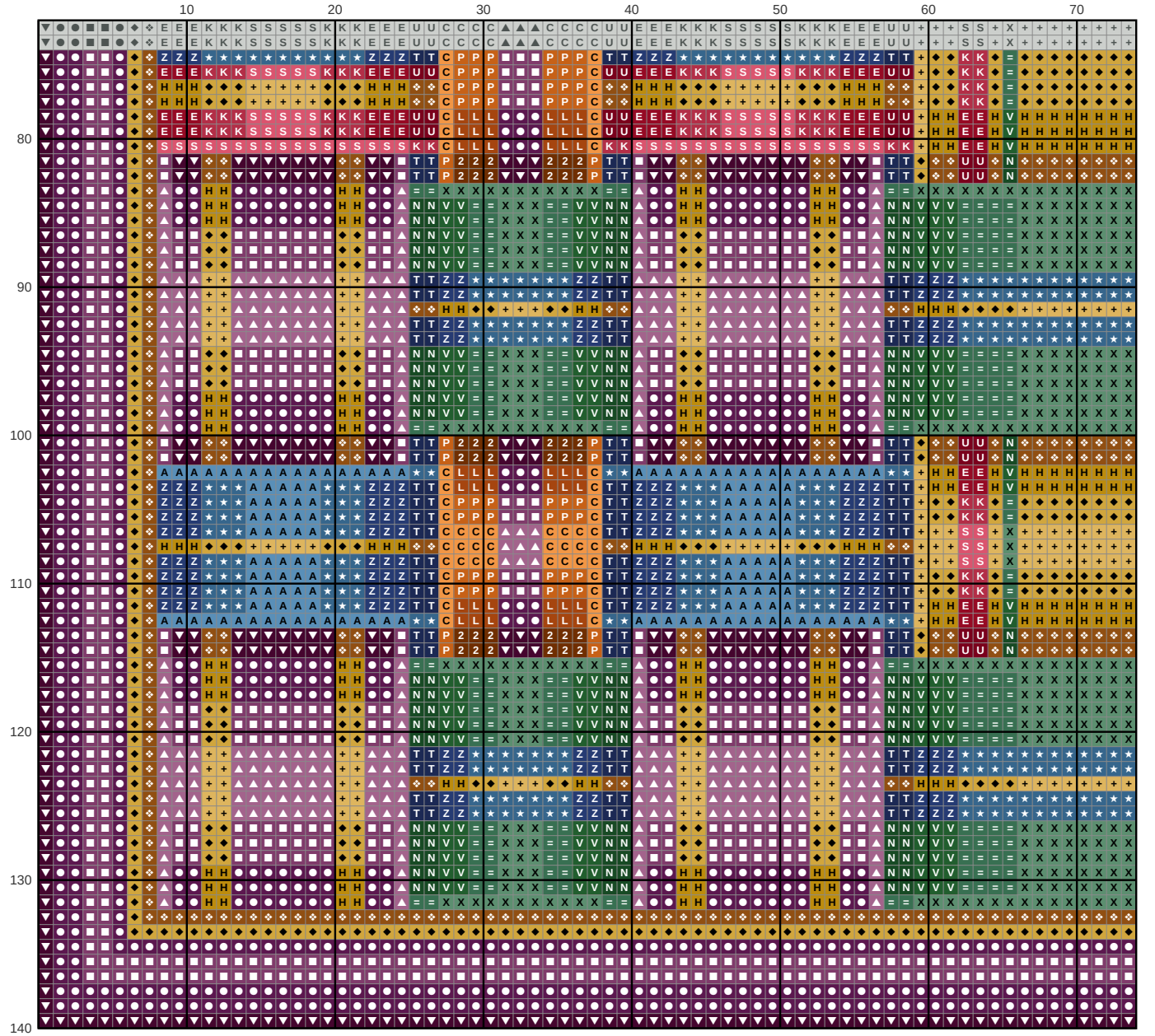

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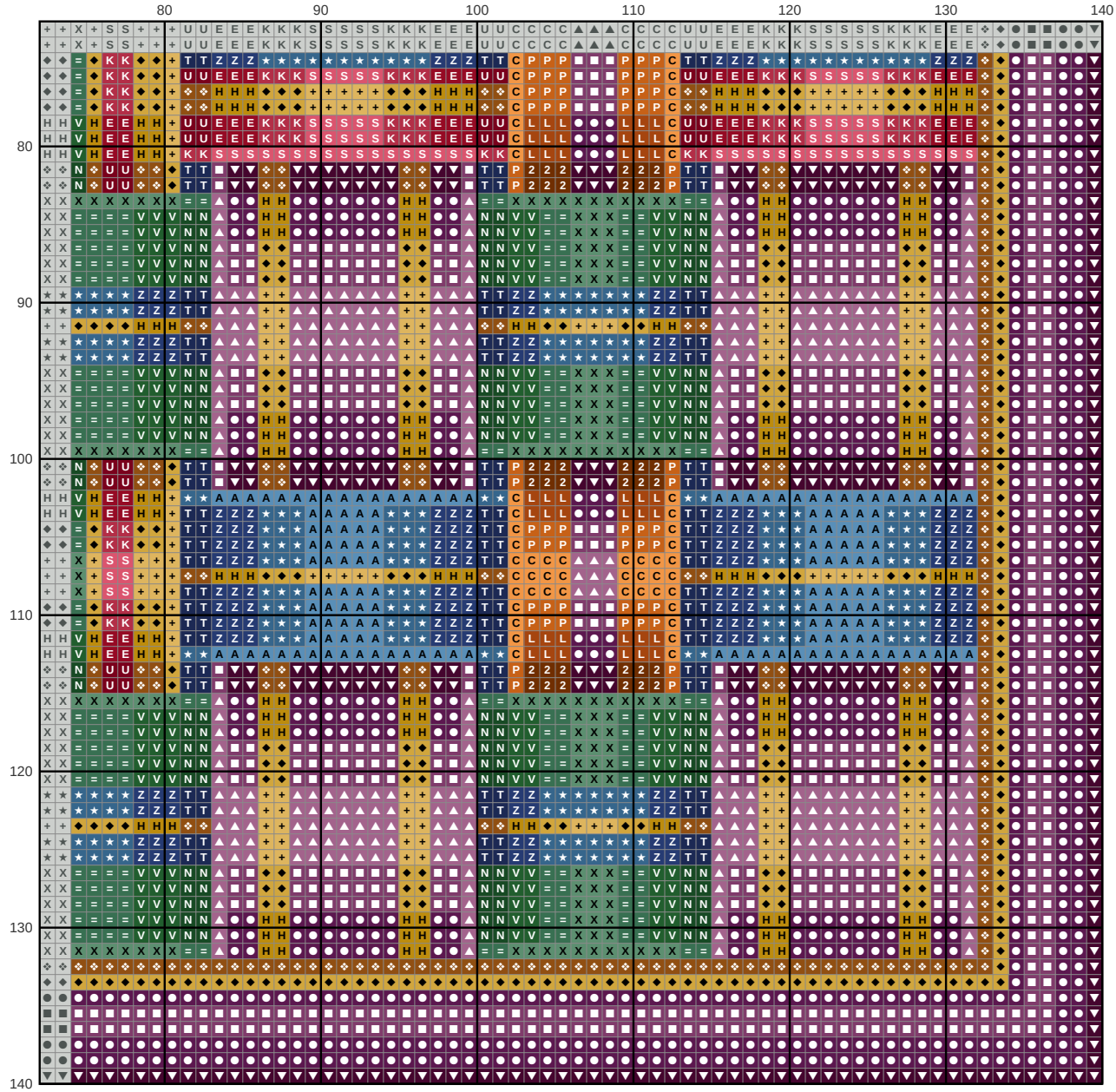

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