Very long dachshund

Needlepoint pattern | 138 x 64 stitches | 7.7 x 3.6 in (19.5 x 9 cm) on 18 mesh | 14 colors



Thread key, DMC

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	**964**	Light Seagreen	2,516	18	2
■	**3347**	Medium Yellow Green	983	7	1
▲	**563**	Light Jade	752	6	1
◆	**712**	Cream	658	5	1
▼	**921**	Copper	624	5	1
★	**336**	Navy Blue	577	4	1
❖	**895**	Very Dark Hunter Green	422	3	1
X	**918**	Dark Red Copper	318	3	1
O	**350**	Medium Coral	302	3	1
+	**300**	Very Dark Mahogany	278	2	1
=	**743**	Medium Yellow	222	2	1
Z	**977**	Light Golden Brown	129	1	1
A	**3752**	Very Light Antique Blue	74	1	1
V	**3371**	Black Brown	63	1	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 11.7 x 7.6 in (29.6 x 19.2 cm) for 18 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

7,918 stitches in all, inside the outline: the chart is 138 x 64 at its widest and tallest. 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 columns. The small picture at the top of each chart page shows which part it is.

Thread: six-strand floss, 4 to 6 strands in the needle on 18 mesh (counted at 6), about 15 skeins of 8.7 yd in all. Or pearl cotton size 5, 1 strand, about 14 skeins of 27.3 yd; or Persian wool, 1 strand, about 14 skeins of 8 yd. Wool is numbered differently: match it by eye. Needle: tapestry, size 22.

Yards and skeins are estimates: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 18 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color (about 61 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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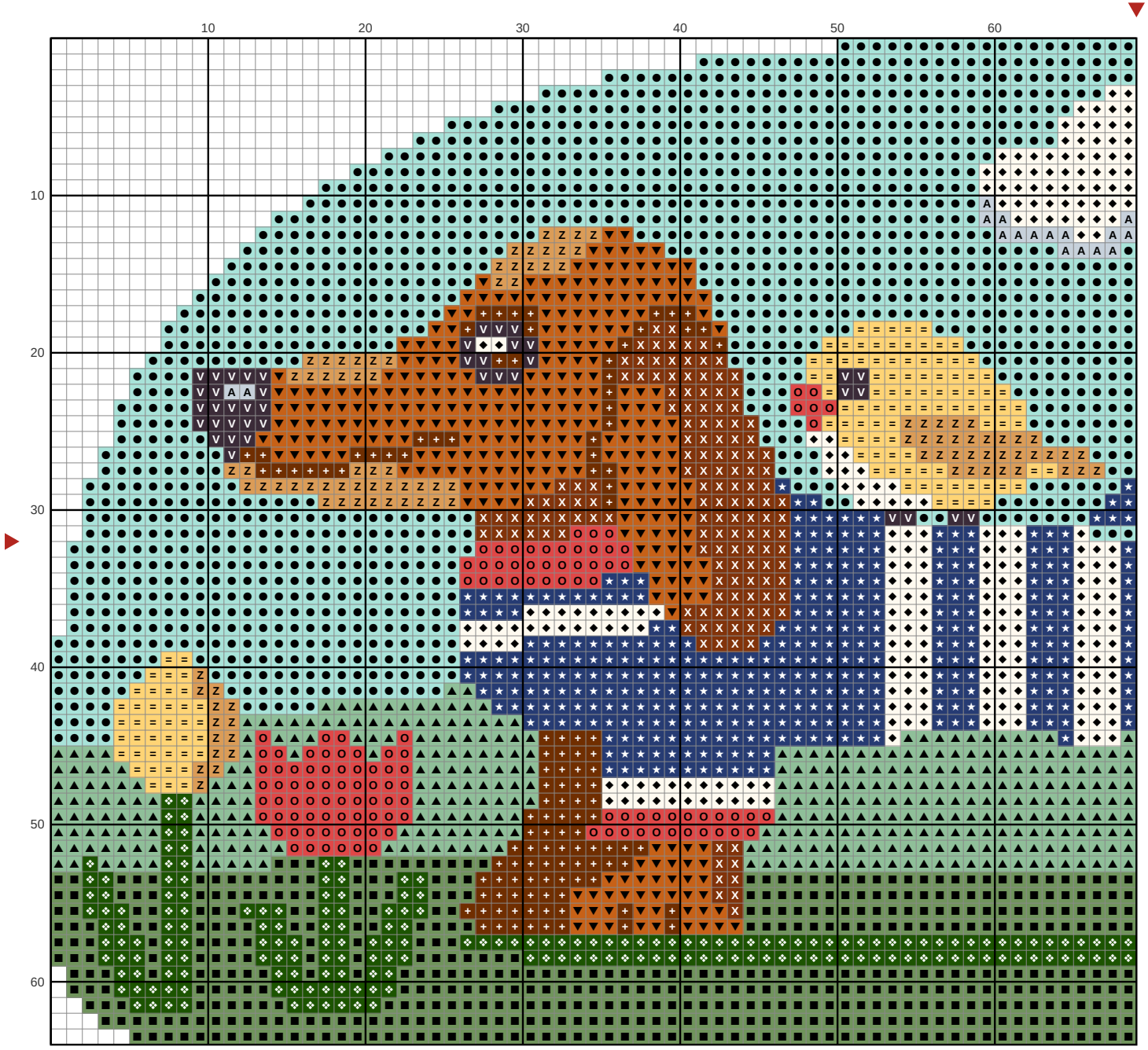
Chart 1 of 2: columns 1 to 69, rows 1 to 64



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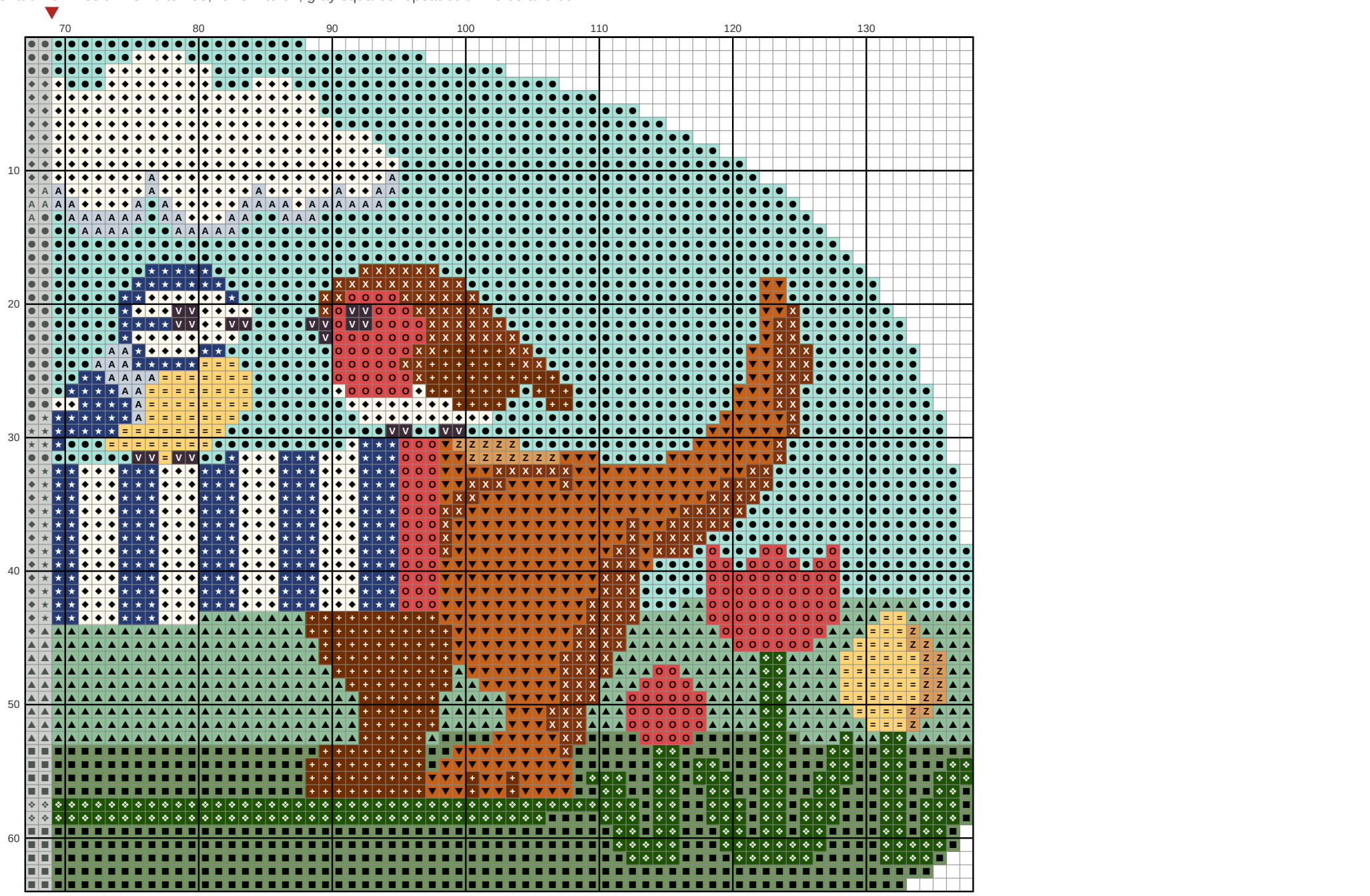

Chart 2 of 2: columns 70 to 138, rows 1 to 64; gray squares repeat columns 68 and 69