Bernedoodle ready for a walk

Needlepoint pattern | 72 x 72 stitches | 4 x 4 in (10.2 x 10.2 cm) on 18 mesh | 15 colors



Thread key

			stitches	yards	skeins of floss
●	**DMC BLANC**	White	963	7	1
■	**DMC 351**	Coral	919	7	1
▲	**DMC 310**	Black	798	6	1
◆	**DMC 3811**	Very Light Turquoise	580	4	1
▼	**DMC 336**	Navy Blue	503	4	1
★	**DMC 939**	Very Dark Navy Blue	305	3	1
❖	**DMC 3766**	Light Peacock Blue	274	2	1
X	**DMC 161**	Gray Blue	211	2	1
O	**DMC 702**	Kelly Green	159	2	1
+	**DMC 3753**	Ultra Very Light Antique Blue	134	1	1
=	**DMC 921**	Copper	109	1	1
Z	**DMC 699**	Green	73	1	1
A	**DMC 300**	Very Dark Mahogany	58	1	1
V	**DMC 725**	Medium Light Topaz	56	1	1
T	**DMC 976**	Medium Golden Brown	42	1	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 8 x 8 in (20.3 x 20.3 cm) for 18 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

5,184 stitches in all. Start from the center: the red arrows above and to the left of the chart mark it.

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 15 skeins of 27.3 yd; or Persian wool, 1 strand, about 15 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 43 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.

Make it an ornament: also have board, thin batting, backing fabric and twisted cord. Stitch two or three extra rows of background all round: the edge of the board takes them. "How to finish an ornament" is a guide linked from this pattern's page.

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