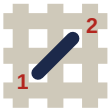
Preppy February birthstone: amethyst

Needlepoint pattern | 90 x 126 stitches | 5 x 7 in (12.7 x 17.8 cm) on 18 mesh | 20 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 45, row 63 (DMC 33): 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.

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, 18 mesh (18 threads to the inch), cut 9 in wide x 11 in high (22.9 x 27.9 cm).

Needle: blunt tapestry, size 22. Also masking tape for the cut edges, and small scissors.

Thread: six-strand floss, 20 colors, about 23 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 4 strands (5 or 6 if canvas shows).

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

Thread list, DMC

			stitches	skeins
●	3078	Very Light Golden Yellow	2,989	3
■	727	Very Light Topaz	2,144	2
▲	471	Very Light Avocado Green	973	1
◆	33	Fuchsia	799	1
▼	210	Medium Lavender	670	1
★	BLANC	White	604	1
❖	29	Eggplant	550	1
X	797	Royal Blue	354	1
H	699	Green	330	1
+	24	White Lavender	309	1
=	32	Dark Blueberry	281	1
Z	703	Chartreuse	261	1
A	701	Light Green	241	1
V	905	Dark Parrot Green	234	1
T	800	Pale Delft Blue	189	1
N	340	Medium Blue Violet	168	1
S	31	Blueberry	101	1
K	799	Medium Delft Blue	90	1
E	554	Light Violet	42	1
C	725	Medium Light Topaz	11	1

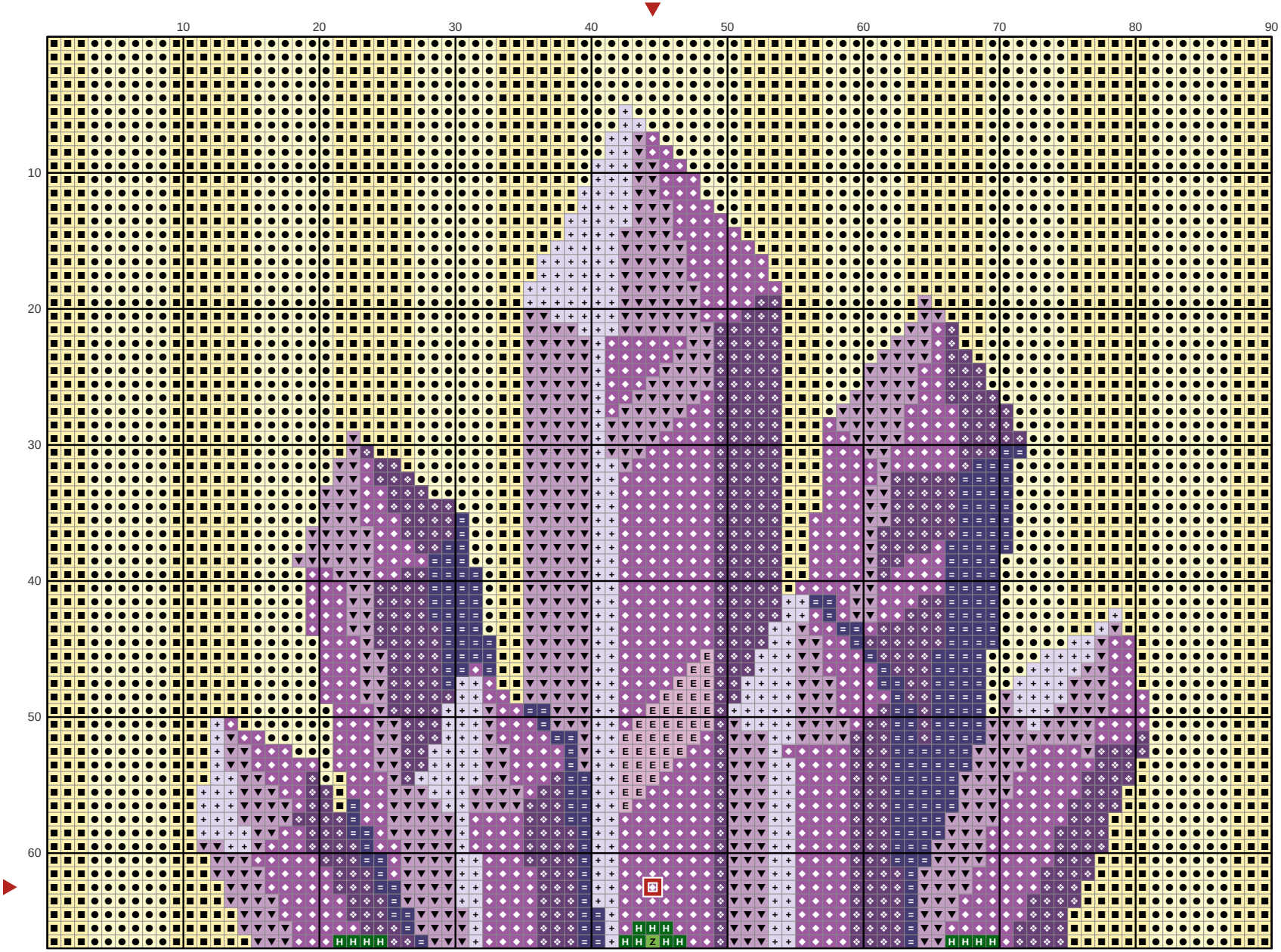
Skeins are estimates: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 18 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color.
Thread colors are approximate screen matches to DMC numbers. Check against real thread before you buy.
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Needlepoint pattern

Columns 1 to 90, rows 1 to 67. Start at the red outline

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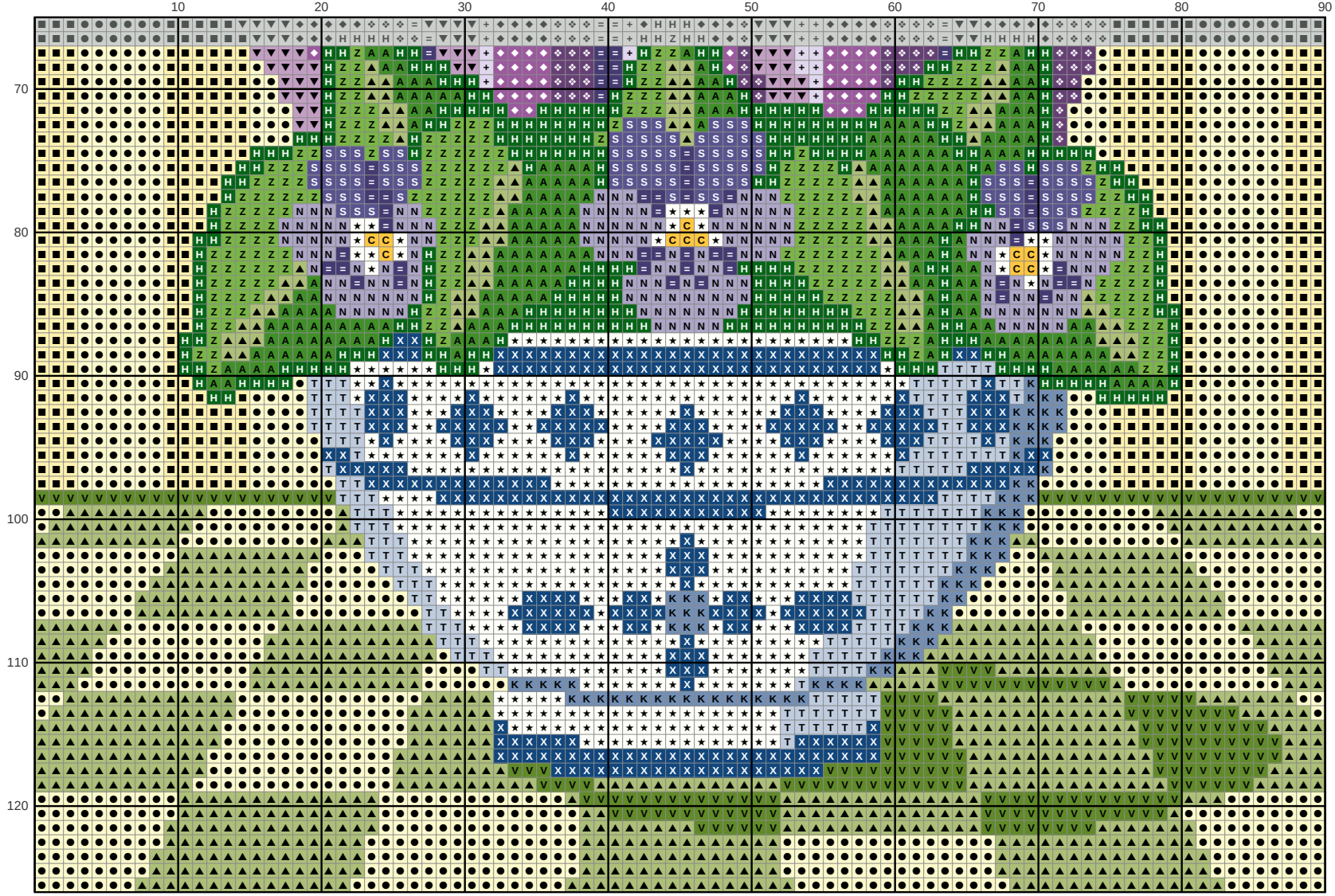
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- ❖ **DMC 29** Eggplant
- **H** **DMC 699** Green
- \+ **DMC 24** White Lavender
- = **DMC 32** Dark Blueberry
- **Z** **DMC 703** Chartreuse
- **E** **DMC 554** Light Violet

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Needlepoint pattern

Columns 1 to 90, rows 68 to 126. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again

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