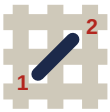
Preppy daisies

Needlepoint pattern | 90 x 90 stitches | 5 x 5 in (12.7 x 12.7 cm) on 18 mesh | 16 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 45 (DMC 725): 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 823: the opening's edge 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, 18 mesh (18 threads to the inch), cut 9.5 in square (24.1 cm).

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

Thread: six-strand floss, 16 colors, about 19 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 4 strands (5 or 6 if canvas shows).

Fit it into a lid: the box or tray, acid-free board and backing. Measure the opening first.
How to fit it into a lid.

Thread list, DMC

			stitches	skeins
●	**BLANC**	White	1,893	2
□	**823**	Dark Navy Blue	1,589	2
△	**602**	Medium Cranberry	1,565	2
◆	**699**	Green	885	1
▼	**726**	Light Topaz	409	1
★	**725**	Medium Light Topaz	337	1
❖	**727**	Very Light Topaz	265	1
X	**800**	Pale Delft Blue	257	1
H	**702**	Kelly Green	212	1
+	**799**	Medium Delft Blue	150	1
=	**783**	Medium Topaz	124	1
Z	**600**	Very Dark Cranberry	122	1
A	**704**	Bright Chartreuse	102	1
V	**604**	Light Cranberry	87	1
T	**321**	Red	64	1
N	**780**	Ultra Very Dark Topaz	39	1

Skeins are estimates, with the two extra rows: 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.

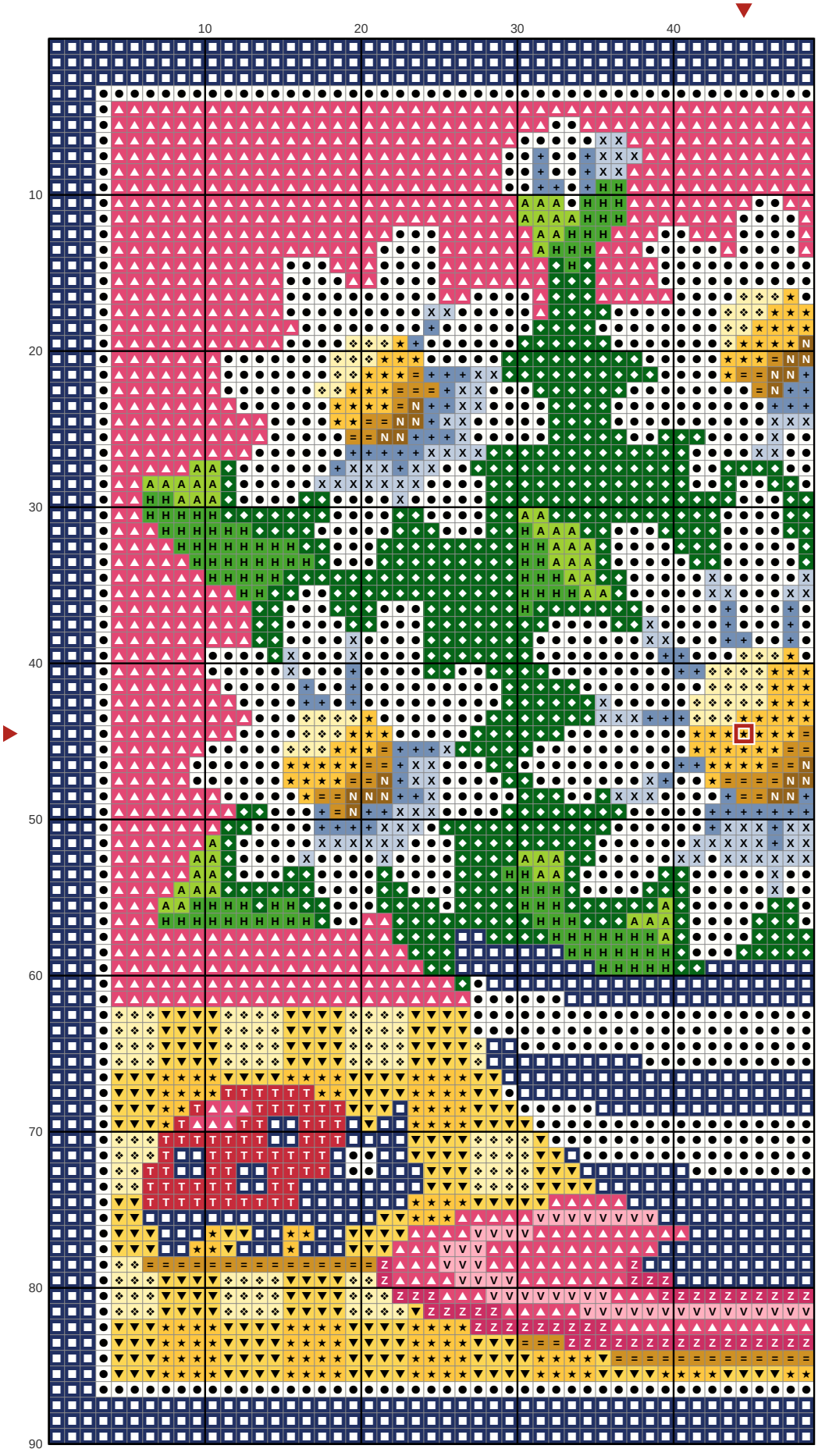
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Needlepoint pattern

Columns 1 to 49, rows 1 to 90. Start at the red outline

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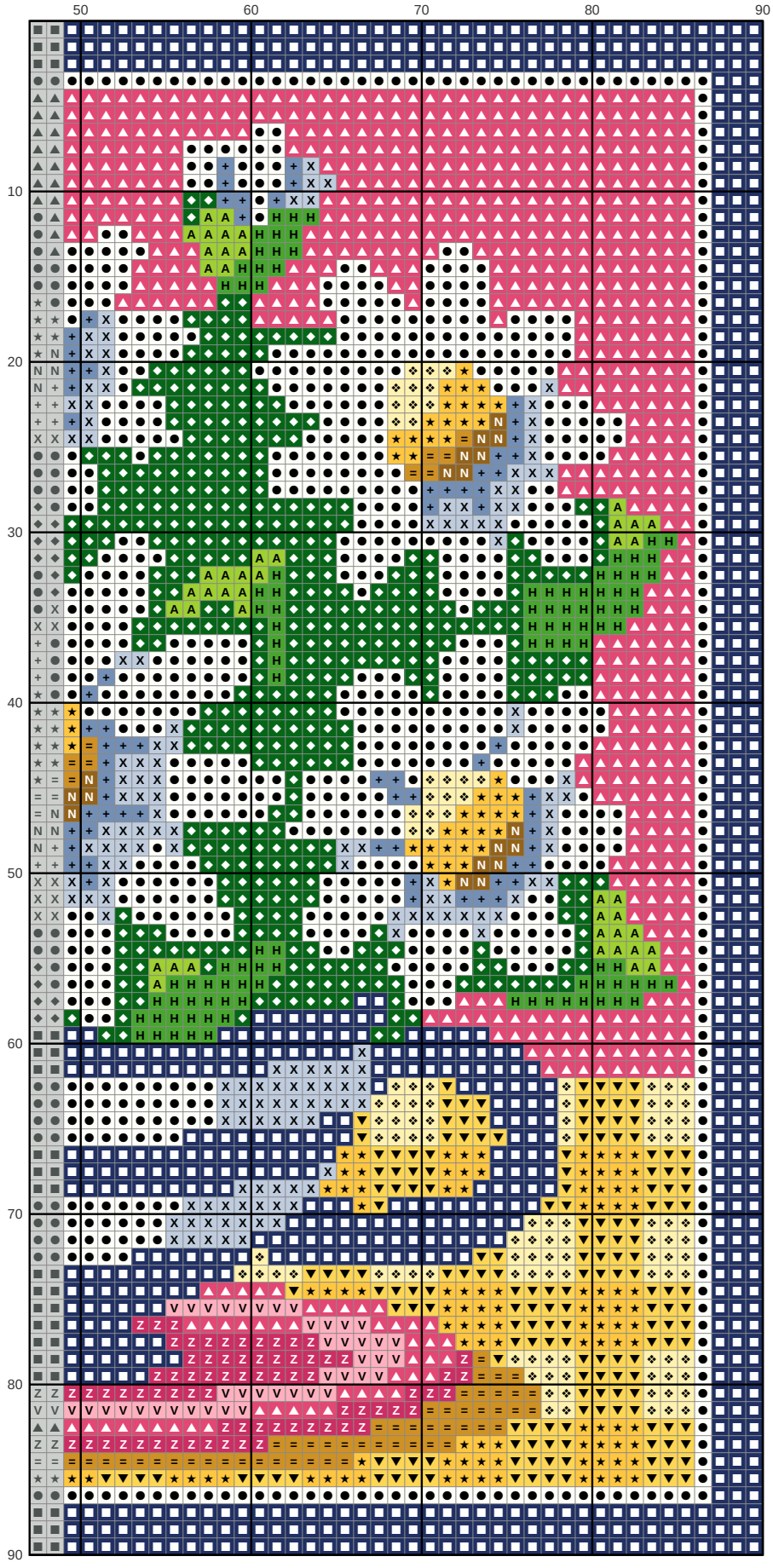
Key

- DMC BLANC — White
- DMC 823 — Dark Navy Blue
- DMC 602 — Medium Cranberry
- DMC 699 — Green
- DMC 726 — Light Topaz
- DMC 725 — Medium Light Topaz
- DMC 727 — Very Light Topaz
- DMC 800 — Pale Delft Blue
- DMC 702 — Kelly Green
- DMC 799 — Medium Delft Blue
- DMC 783 — Medium Topaz
- DMC 600 — Very Dark Cranberry
- DMC 704 — Bright Chartreuse
- DMC 604 — Light Cranberry
- DMC 321 — Red
- DMC 780 — Ultra Very Dark Topaz

Preppy daisies Needlepoint pattern

Columns 50 to 90, rows 1 to 90. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again

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