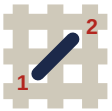
Preppy Easter cottage

Needlepoint pattern | 90 x 90 stitches | 5 x 5 in (12.7 x 12.7 cm) on 18 mesh | 18 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 BLANC): 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, each stitch in the color it lies beside: 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, 18 colors, about 20 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
●	**819**	Light Baby Pink	1,336	2
■	**BLANC**	White	1,074	1
▲	**818**	Baby Pink	1,019	2
◆	**3811**	Very Light Turquoise	701	1
▼	**699**	Green	648	1
★	**809**	Delft Blue	469	1
❖	**798**	Dark Delft Blue	407	1
X	**602**	Medium Cranberry	395	1
H	**307**	Lemon	340	1
+	**150**	Ultra Very Dark Dusty Rose	339	1
=	**604**	Light Cranberry	290	1
Z	**704**	Bright Chartreuse	276	1
A	**725**	Medium Light Topaz	220	1
V	**701**	Light Green	209	1
T	**3766**	Light Peacock Blue	140	1
N	**445**	Light Lemon	132	1
S	**823**	Dark Navy Blue	84	1
K	**738**	Very Light Tan	21	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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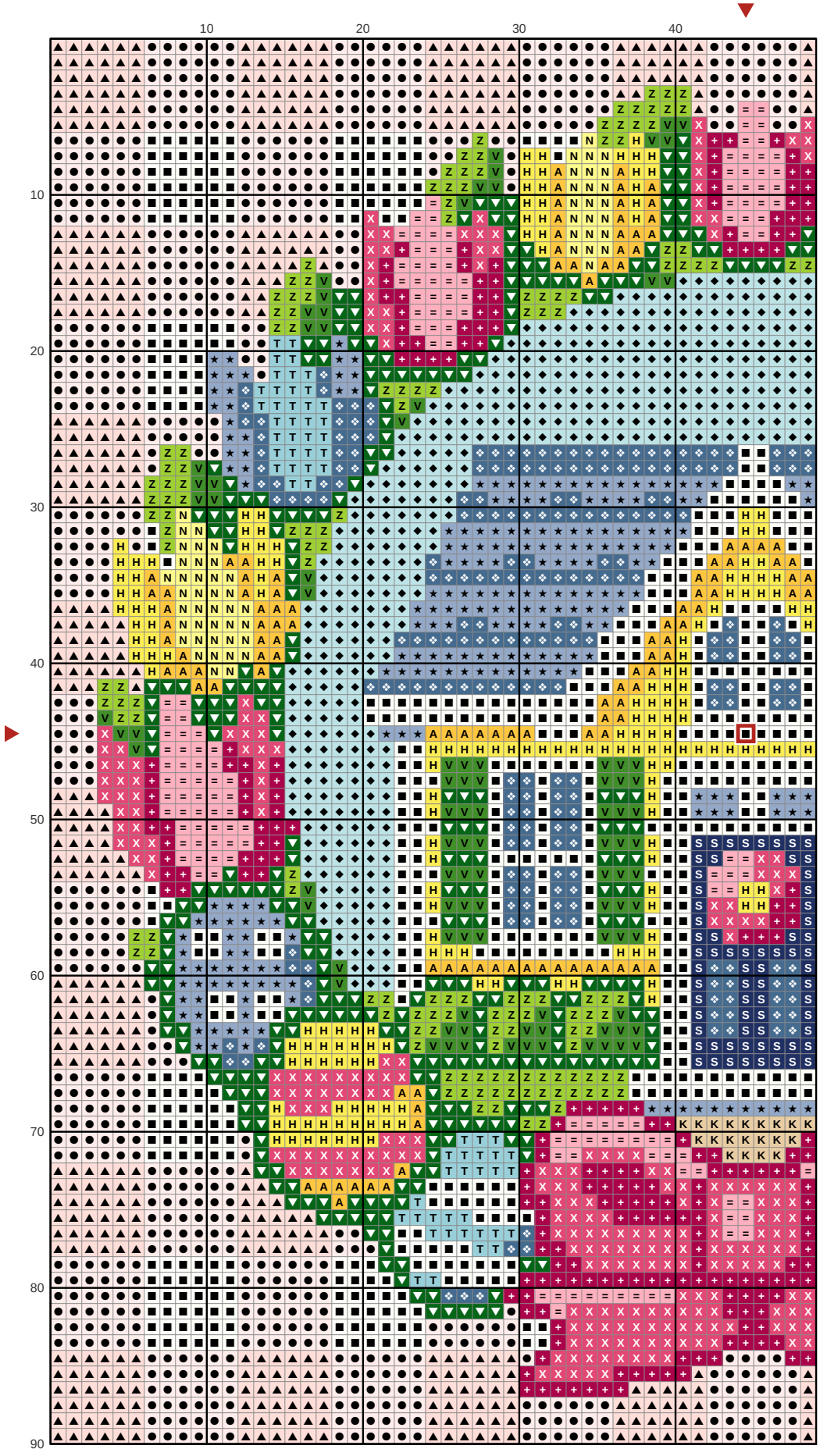
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Needlepoint pattern

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

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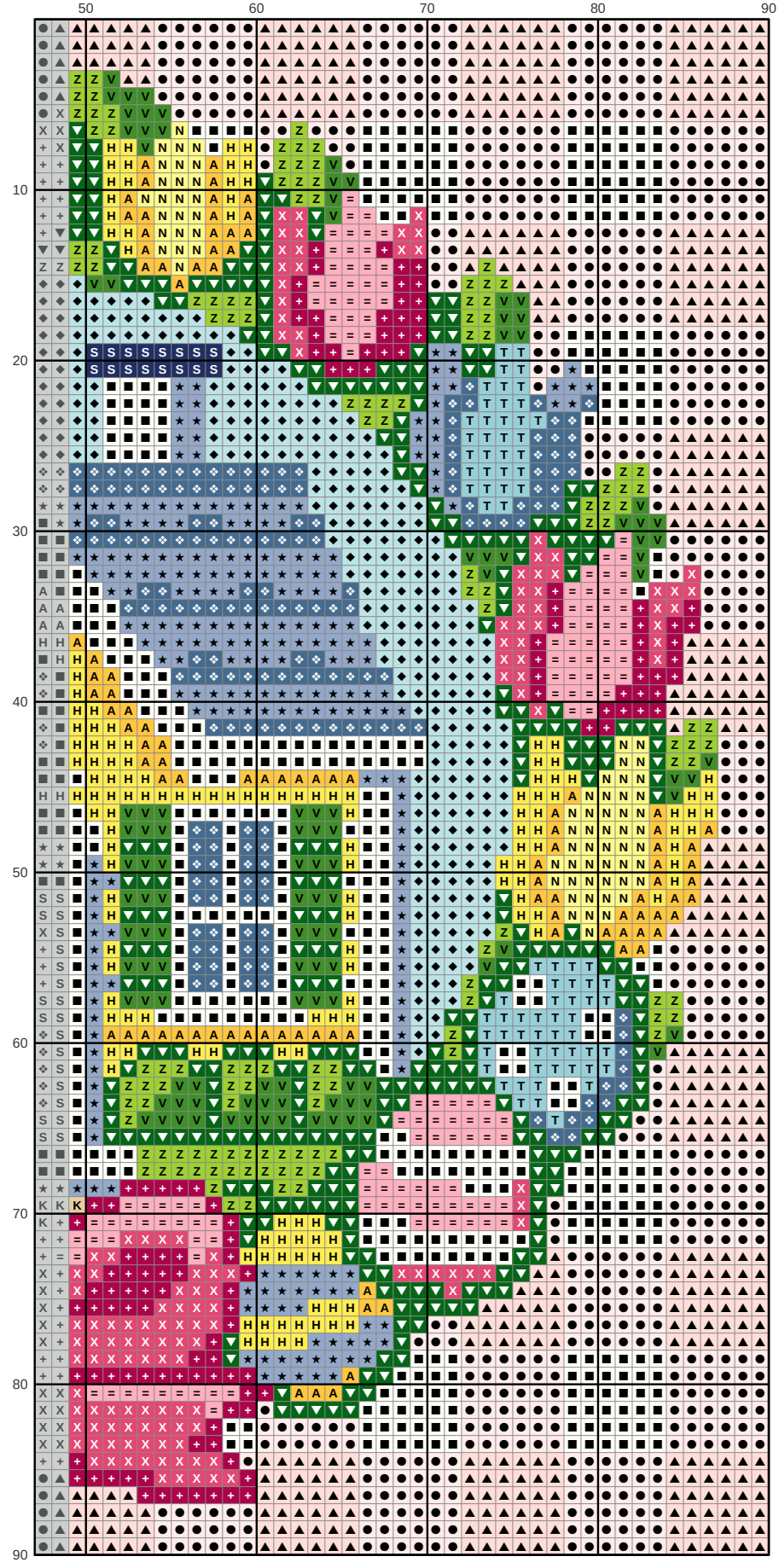
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Needlepoint pattern

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

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