Greyhound on an apartment sized sofa

Needlepoint pattern | 160 x 120 stitches | 16 x 12 in (40.6 x 30.5 cm) on 10 mesh | 24 colors



Thread key, DMC

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	3865	Winter White	3,466	43	6
■	823	Dark Navy Blue	2,176	27	4
▲	603	Cranberry	1,936	24	3
◆	369	Very Light Pistachio Green	1,835	23	3
▼	931	Medium Antique Blue	1,558	20	3
★	701	Light Green	1,415	18	3
❖	601	Dark Cranberry	913	12	2
X	930	Dark Antique Blue	853	11	2
O	3750	Very Dark Antique Blue	827	11	2
+	932	Light Antique Blue	799	10	2
=	437	Light Tan	625	8	1
Z	739	Ultra Very Light Tan	613	8	1
A	602	Medium Cranberry	542	7	1
V	605	Very Light Cranberry	329	5	1
T	604	Light Cranberry	329	5	1
N	600	Very Dark Cranberry	260	4	1
S	783	Medium Topaz	218	3	1
K	435	Very Light Brown	200	3	1
E	780	Ultra Very Dark Topaz	114	2	1
C	801	Dark Coffee Brown	86	2	1
P	415	Pearl Gray	42	1	1
U	3799	Very Dark Pewter Gray	35	1	1
L	989	Forest Green	28	1	1
2	BLANC	White	1	1	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 20 x 16 in (50.8 x 40.6 cm) for 10 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

19,200 stitches in all. 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 4 pages. Pages 2, 3, 4 and 5 are turned on their side, for a part that is wider than it is tall. Where chart pages join, gray squares repeat two rows or columns. The small picture at the top of each chart page shows which part it is.

Thread: pearl cotton size 3, 2 strands in the needle on 10 mesh, about 44 skeins of 16.4 yd in all. Or six-strand floss, 8 to 10 strands, about 60 skeins of 8.7 yd; or tapestry wool, 1 strand, about 43 skeins of 8.7 yd; or Persian wool, 3 strands, about 44 skeins of 8 yd. Wool is numbered differently: match it by eye. Needle: tapestry, size 16 or 18.

Yards and skeins are estimates: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 10 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color (about 250 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 a pillow: also have backing fabric, an insert the size of the stitching or an inch larger, and cord or piping for the edge. The seam takes the last two rows: stitch two extra rows all round, or keep the edge plain. "How to finish a pillow" is a guide linked from this pattern's page.

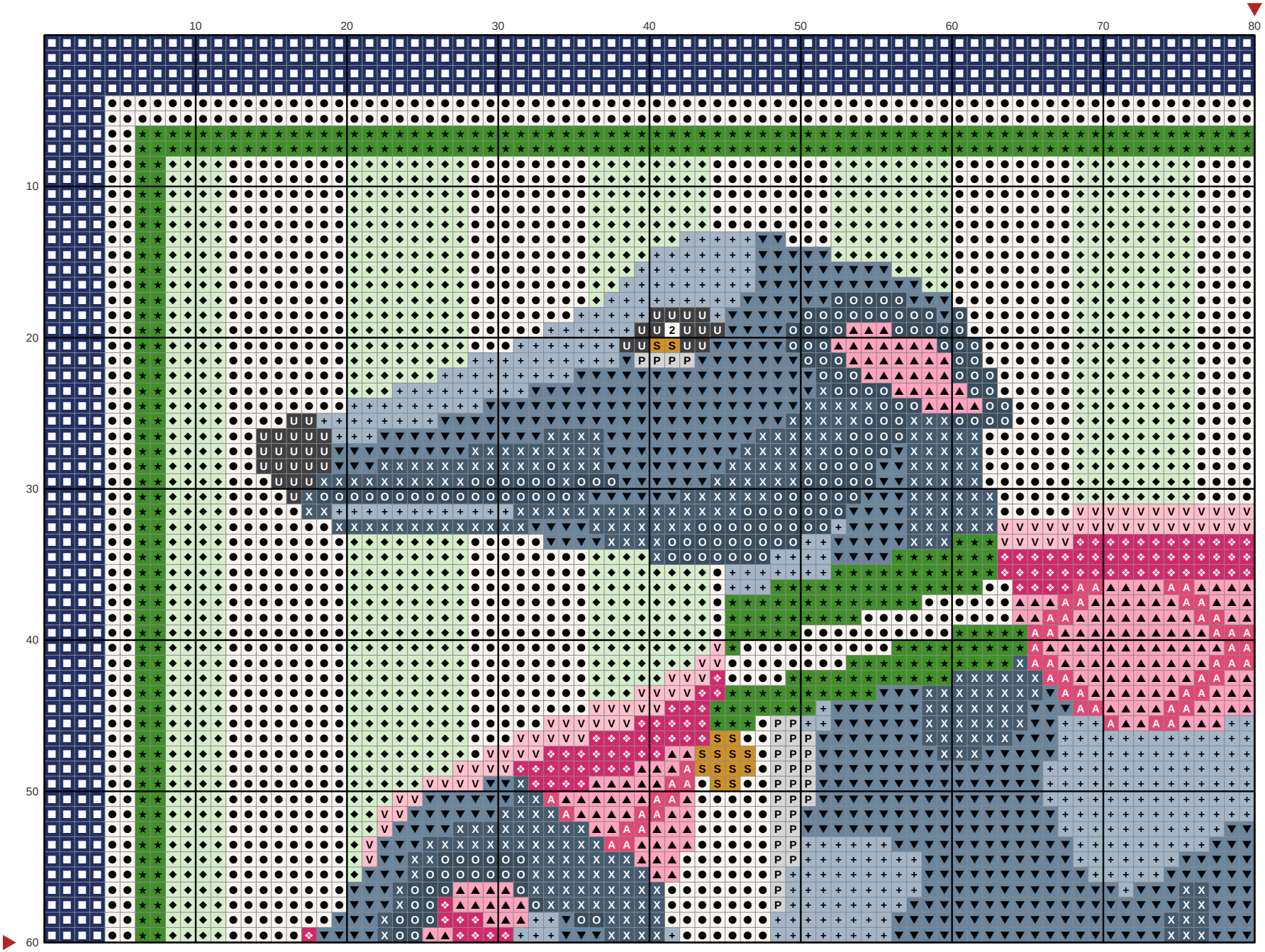
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Chart 1 of 4: columns 1 to 80, rows 1 to 60

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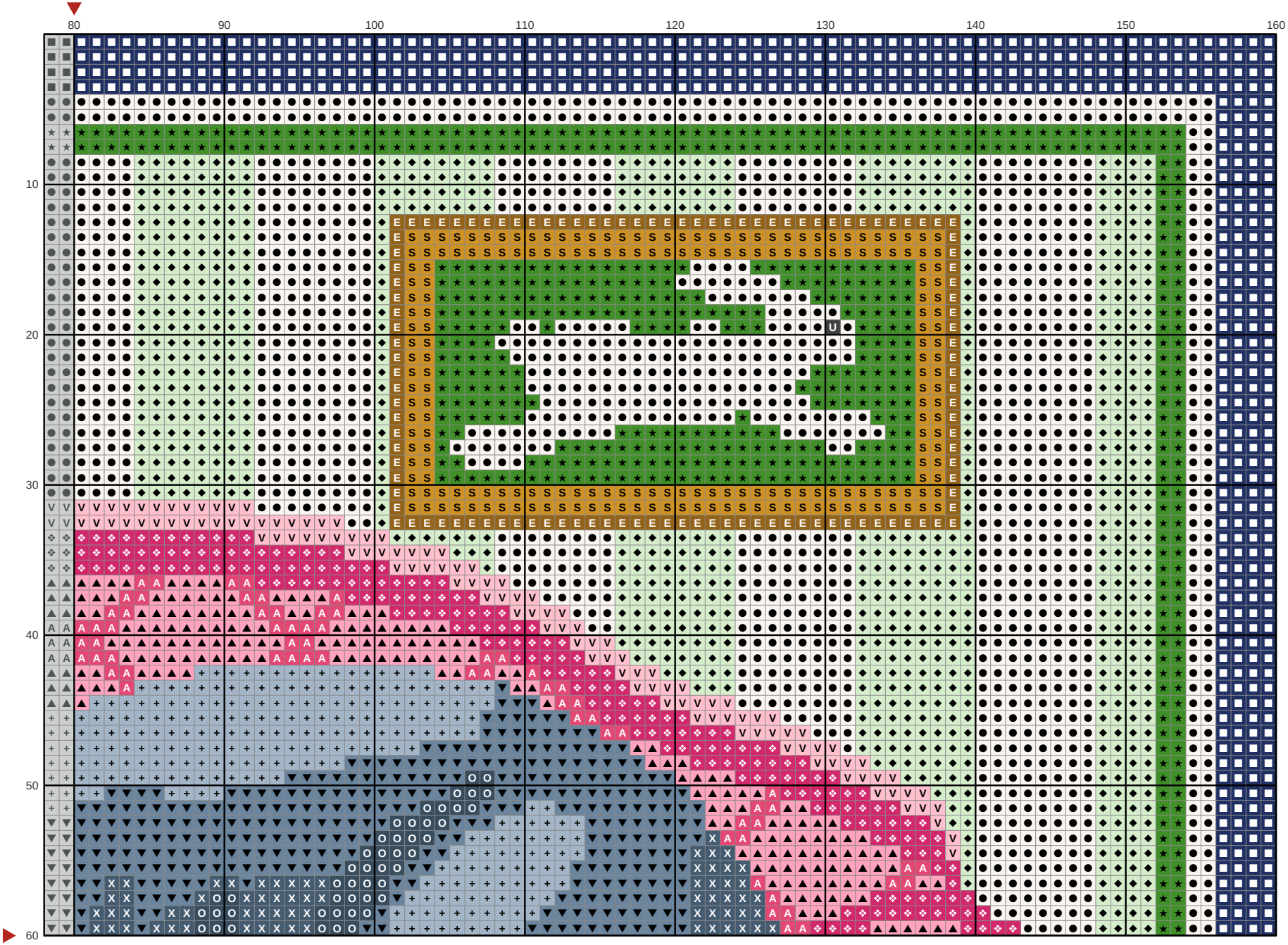


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Chart 2 of 4: columns 81 to 160, rows 1 to 60; gray squares repeat columns 79 and 80

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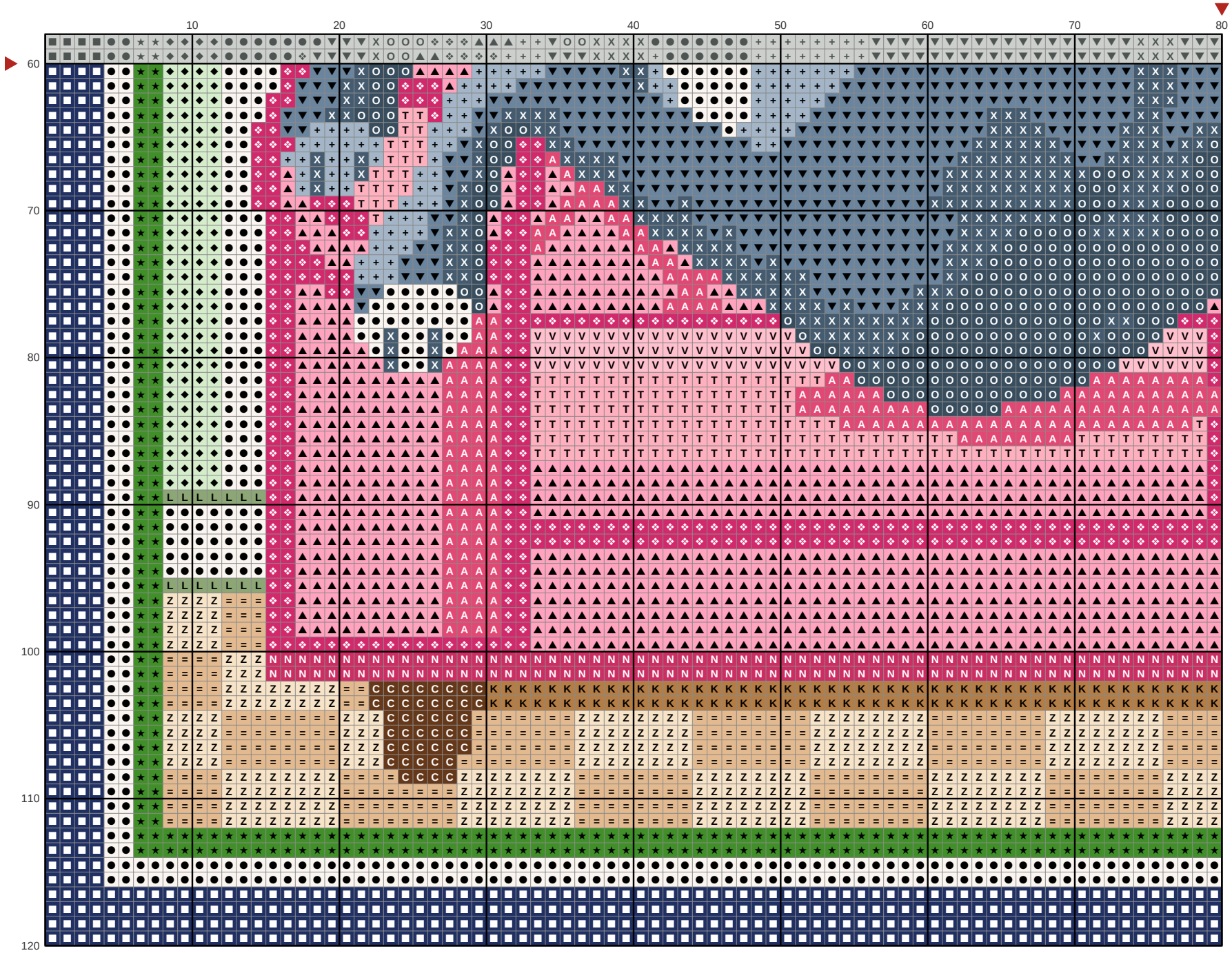


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Chart 3 of 4: columns 1 to 80, rows 61 to 120; gray squares repeat rows 59 and 60

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Chart 4 of 4: columns 81 to 160, rows 61 to 120; gray squares repeat columns 79 and 80 and rows 59 and 60

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