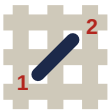
Preppy Jack be nimble

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 3803): 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 wide x 11.5 in high (24.1 x 29.2 cm).

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

Thread: six-strand floss, 20 colors, about 25 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
●	**828**	Ultra Very Light Sky Blue	2,097	2
■	**3761**	Light Sky Blue	2,043	2
▲	**336**	Navy Blue	1,426	2
◆	**604**	Light Cranberry	1,268	2
▼	**3805**	Cyclamen Pink	1,245	2
★	**BLANC**	White	797	1
❖	**702**	Kelly Green	468	1
X	**3803**	Dark Mauve	263	1
H	**725**	Medium Light Topaz	256	1
+	**3371**	Black Brown	223	1
=	**3064**	Desert Sand	195	1
Z	**780**	Ultra Very Dark Topaz	194	1
A	**3078**	Very Light Golden Yellow	165	1
V	**939**	Very Dark Navy Blue	155	1
T	**699**	Green	152	1
N	**703**	Chartreuse	142	1
S	**632**	Ultra Very Dark Desert Sand	97	1
K	**704**	Bright Chartreuse	78	1
E	**740**	Tangerine	54	1
C	**334**	Medium Baby Blue	22	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.

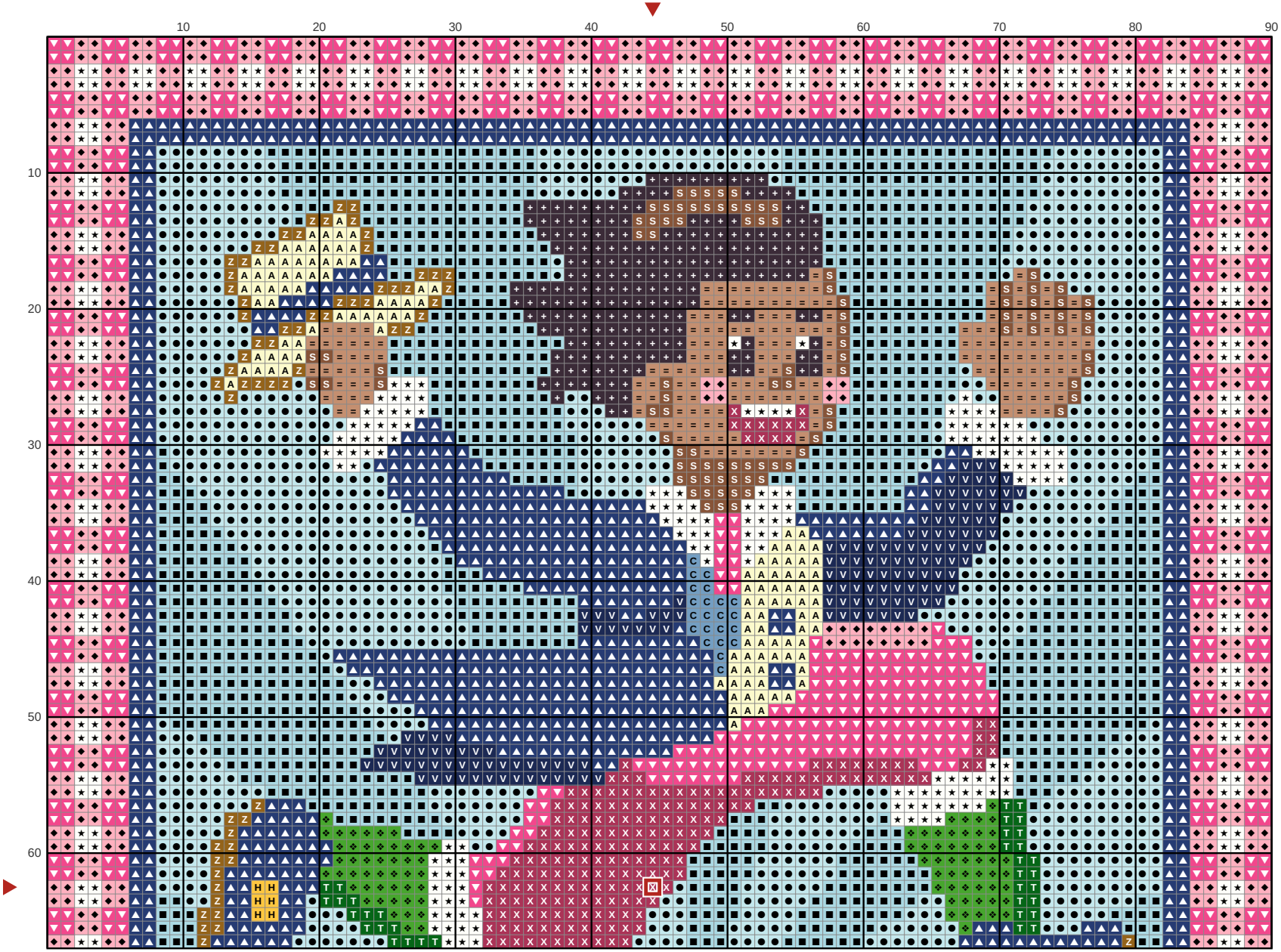
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Needlepoint pattern

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

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Key

- DMC 828 — Ultra Very Light Sky Blue
- DMC 3761 — Light Sky Blue
- DMC 336 — Navy Blue
- DMC 604 — Light Cranberry
- DMC 3805 — Cyclamen Pink
- DMC BLANC — White
- DMC 702 — Kelly Green
- DMC 3803 — Dark Mauve
- DMC 725 — Medium Light Topaz
- DMC 3371 — Black Brown
- DMC 3064 — Desert Sand
- DMC 780 — Ultra Very Dark Topaz
- DMC 3078 — Very Light Golden Yellow
- DMC 939 — Very Dark Navy Blue
- DMC 699 — Green
- DMC 632 — Ultra Very Dark Desert Sand
- DMC 334 — Medium Baby Blue

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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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