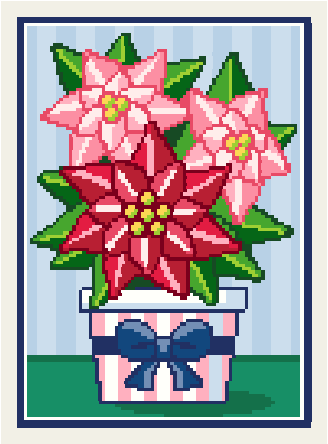
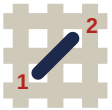
Preppy potted poinsettia with a bow

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 814): 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 22 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
●	3841	Pale Baby Blue	1,629	2
■	3325	Light Baby Blue	1,449	2
▲	823	Dark Navy Blue	1,271	1
◆	604	Light Cranberry	796	1
▼	BLANC	White	724	1
★	3801	Very Dark Melon	710	1
❖	911	Medium Emerald Green	705	1
X	304	Medium Red	535	1
H	814	Dark Garnet	492	1
+	819	Light Baby Pink	491	1
=	890	Ultra Dark Pistachio Green	391	1
Z	702	Kelly Green	378	1
A	699	Green	361	1
V	893	Light Carnation	350	1
T	909	Very Dark Emerald Green	272	1
N	704	Bright Chartreuse	214	1
S	797	Royal Blue	204	1
K	666	Bright Red	197	1
E	799	Medium Delft Blue	88	1
C	726	Light Topaz	83	1

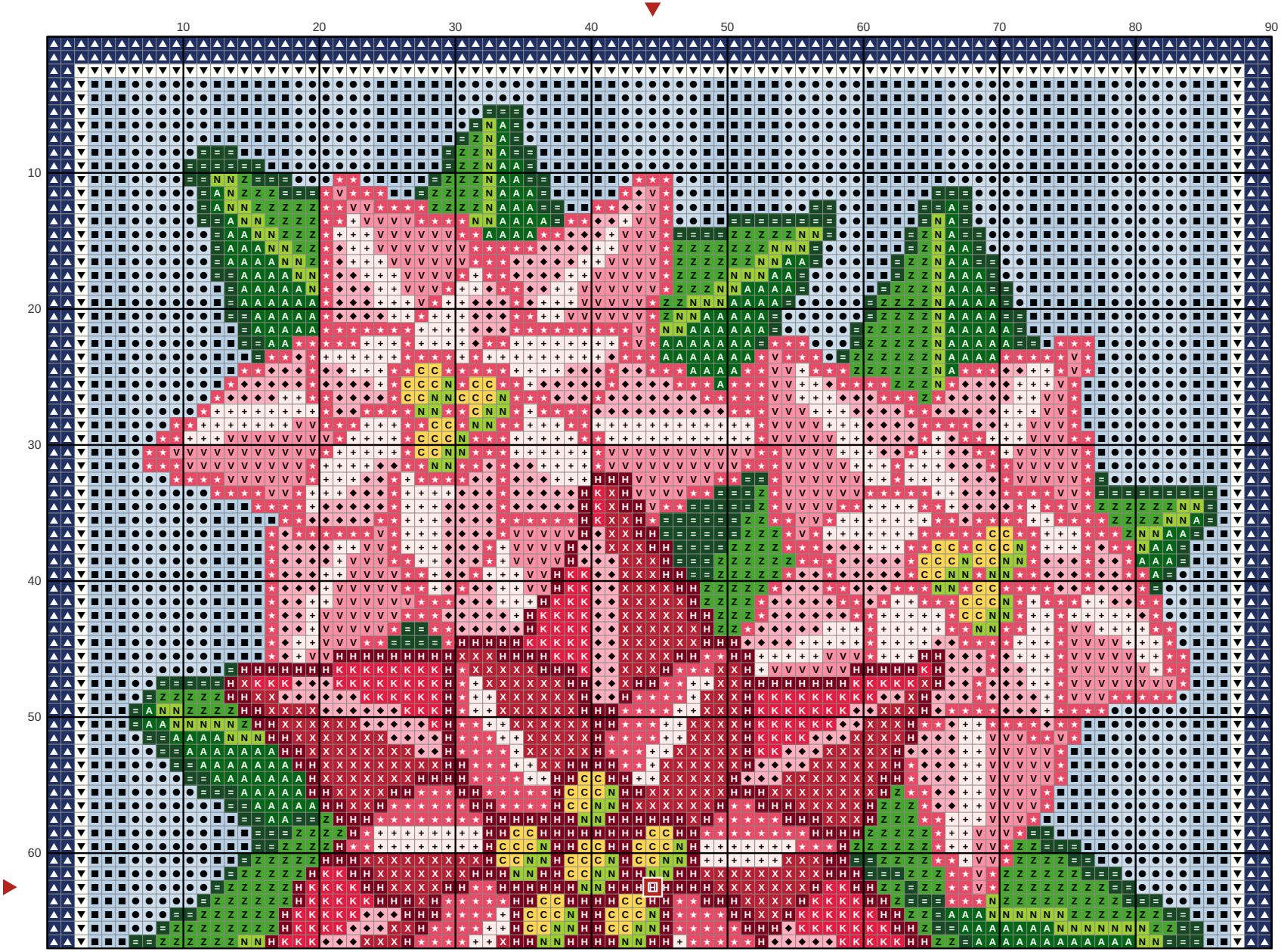
Skeins are estimates: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 18 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color.
Thread colors are approximate screen matches to DMC numbers. Check against real thread before you buy.
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Preppy potted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

Needlepoint pattern

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

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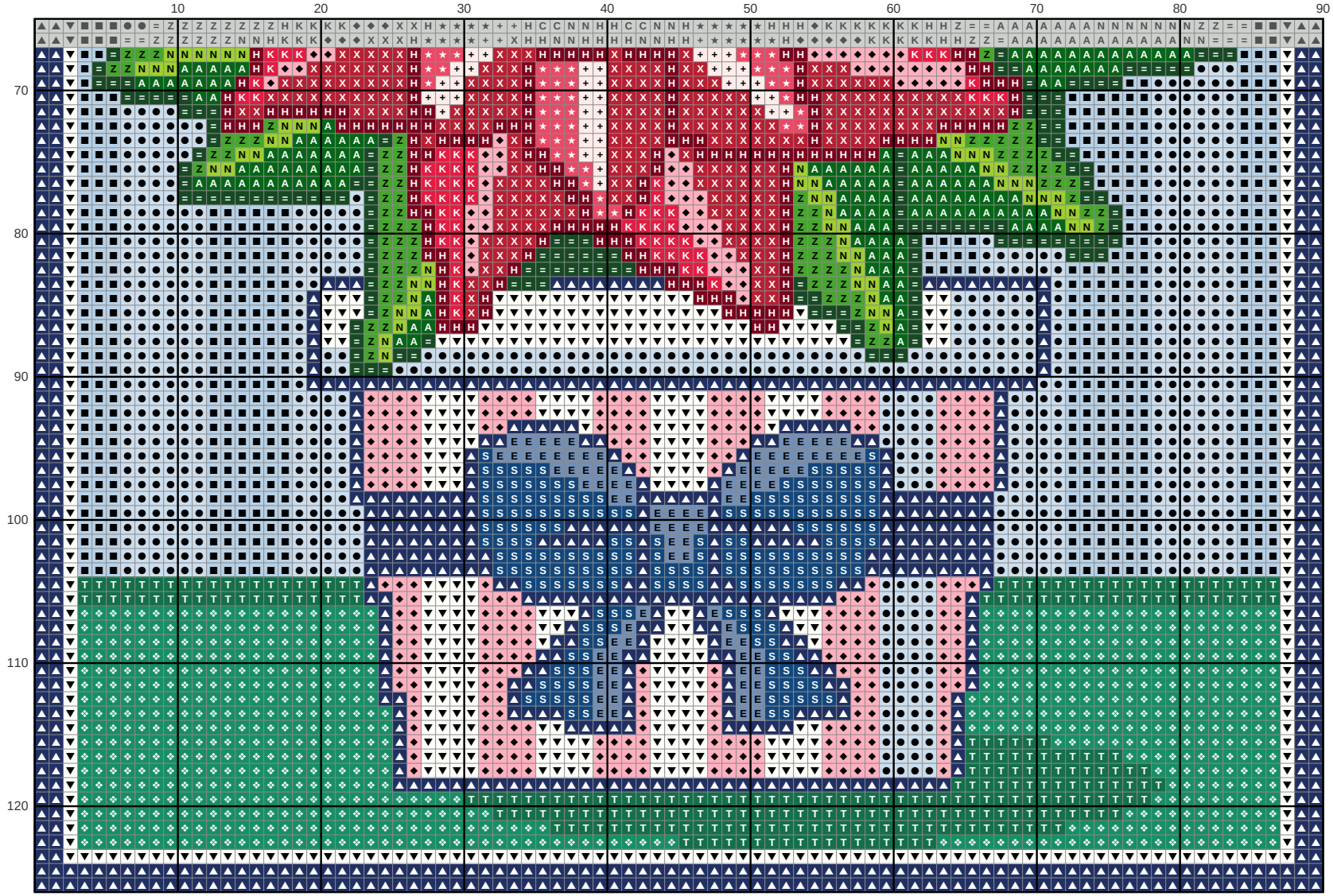
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- DMC 3325 — Light Baby Blue
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- DMC 304 — Medium Red
- DMC 814 — Dark Garnet
- DMC 819 — Light Baby Pink
- DMC 890 — Ultra Dark Pistachio Green
- DMC 702 — Kelly Green
- DMC 699 — Green
- DMC 893 — Light Carnation
- DMC 704 — Bright Chartreuse
- DMC 666 — Bright Red
- DMC 726 — Light Topaz

Preppy potted poinsettia with a bow

Needlepoint pattern

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

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