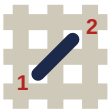
Preppy black sheep with a daisy

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 317): 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 601: 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 18 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
●	**310**	Black	2,234	2
■	**601**	Dark Cranberry	1,088	2
▲	**727**	Very Light Topaz	878	1
◆	**3865**	Winter White	806	1
▼	**699**	Green	668	1
★	**792**	Dark Cornflower Blue	582	1
❖	**746**	Off White	432	1
X	**3799**	Very Dark Pewter Gray	377	1
H	**161**	Gray Blue	255	1
+	**317**	Pewter Gray	231	1
=	**603**	Cranberry	155	1
Z	**932**	Light Antique Blue	130	1
A	**725**	Medium Light Topaz	89	1
V	**414**	Dark Steel Gray	79	1
T	**702**	Kelly Green	70	1
N	**783**	Medium Topaz	26	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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Columns 1 to 49, rows 1 to 90. Start at the red outline

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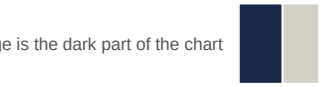

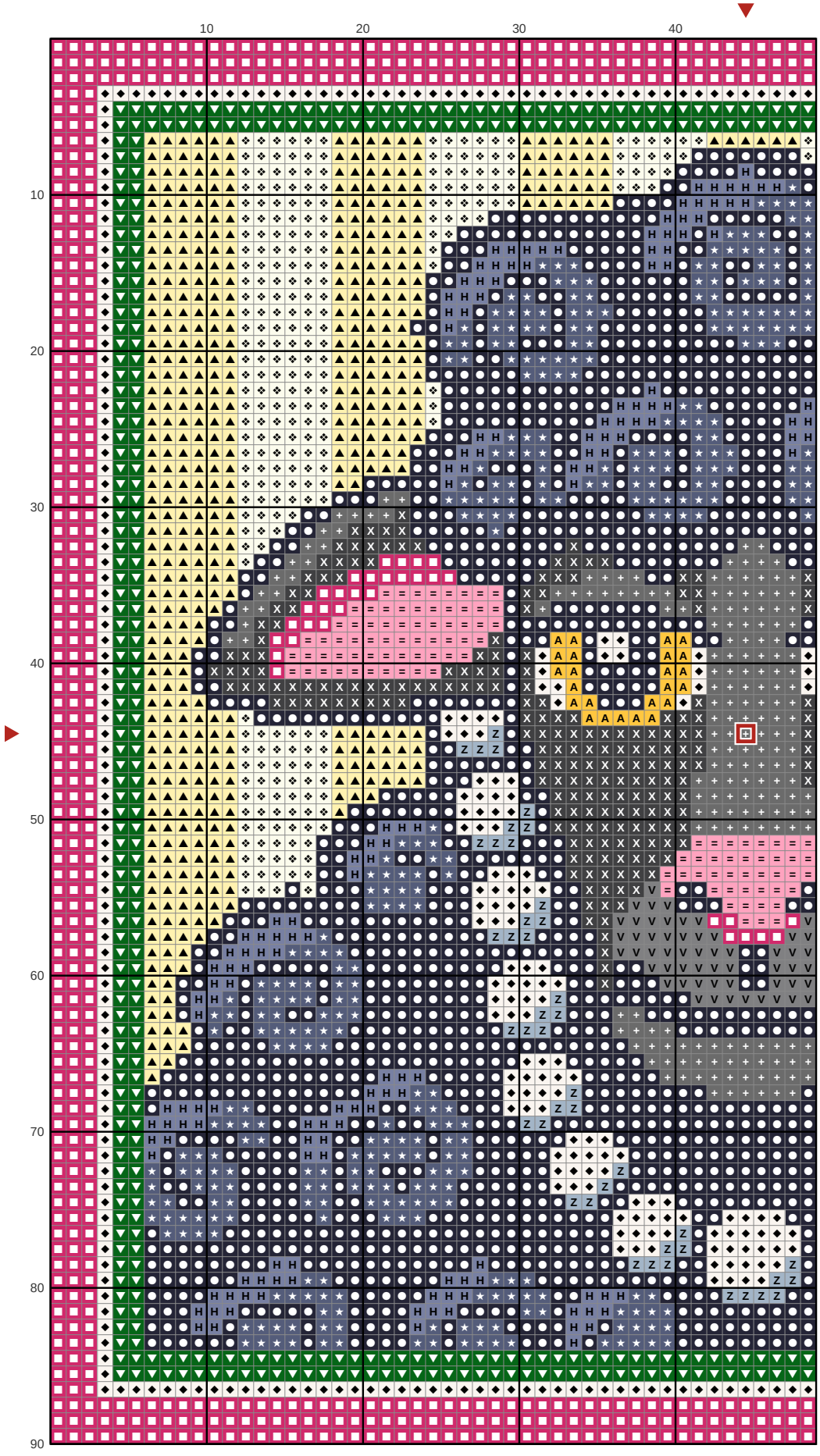

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- **DMC 727** Very Light Topaz
- **DMC 3865** Winter White
- **DMC 699** Green
- **DMC 792** Dark Cornflower Blue
- **DMC 746** Off White
- **DMC 3799** Very Dark Pewter Gray
- **DMC 161** Gray Blue
- **DMC 317** Pewter Gray
- **DMC 603** Cranberry
- **DMC 932** Light Antique Blue
- **DMC 725** Medium Light Topaz
- **DMC 414** Dark Steel Gray

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

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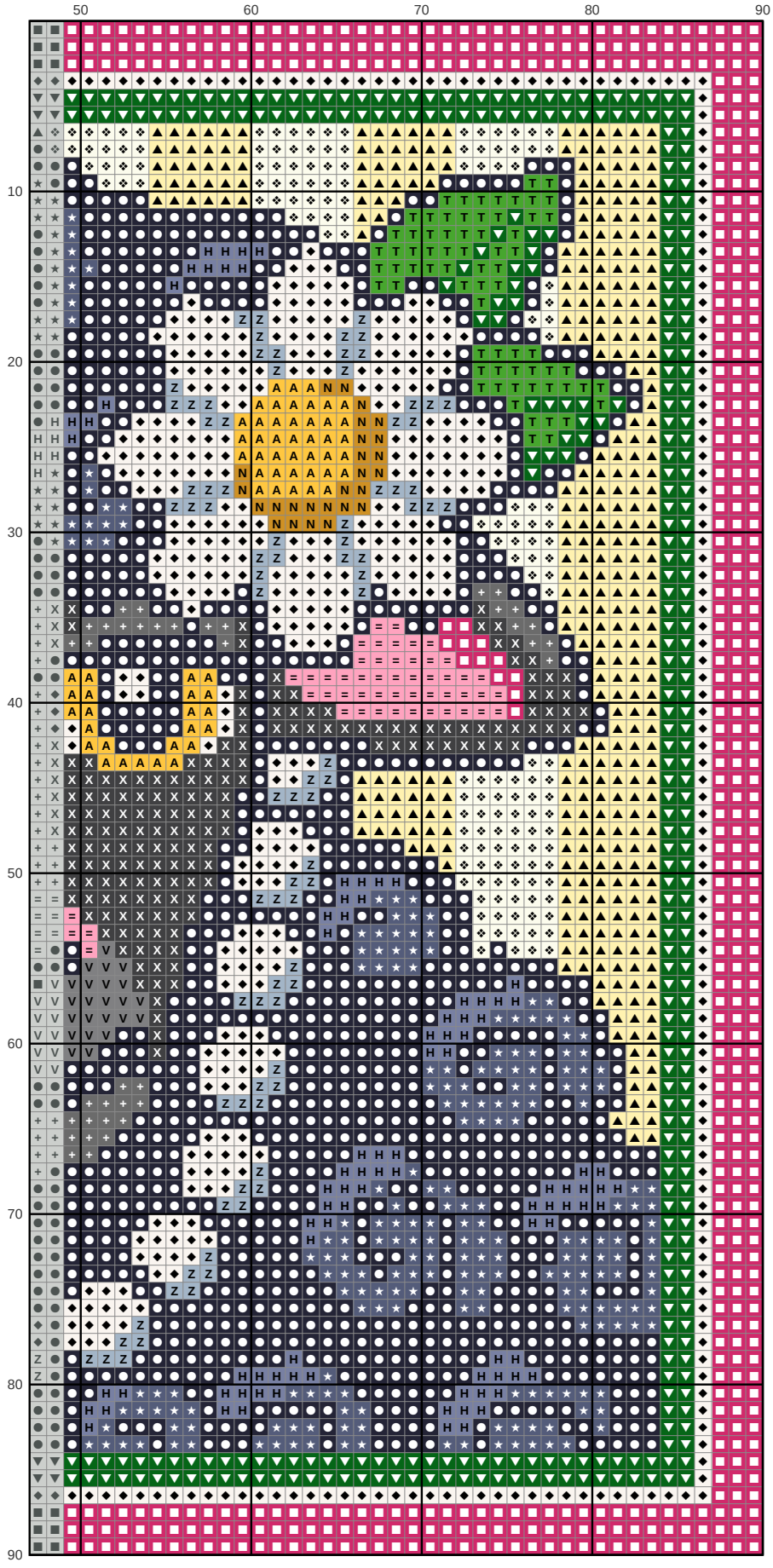

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