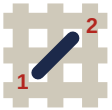
Preppy six geese a-laying

Needlepoint pattern | 160 x 160 stitches | 16 x 16 in (40.6 x 40.6 cm) on 10 mesh | 23 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 5, column 80, row 80 (DMC 895): 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 823: the seam 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, 10 mesh (10 threads to the inch), cut 20.5 in square (52.1 cm).

Needle: blunt tapestry, size 18. Also masking tape for the cut edges, and small scissors.

Thread: pearl cotton size 3, 23 colors, about 54 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 2 lengths together.

Make it a pillow: backing fabric, an insert the size of the stitching or an inch larger, and cord or piping for the edge. How to finish a pillow.

Thread list, DMC

			stitches	skeins
●	BLANC	White	7,505	12
□	823	Dark Navy Blue	4,469	9
△	699	Green	2,909	5
◆	701	Light Green	1,646	3
▼	3752	Very Light Antique Blue	1,336	3
★	603	Cranberry	1,228	2
❖	602	Medium Cranberry	1,056	2
X	780	Ultra Very Dark Topaz	750	2
H	3820	Dark Straw	697	2
+	3822	Light Straw	574	1
=	600	Very Dark Cranberry	556	1
Z	939	Very Dark Navy Blue	542	1
A	895	Very Dark Hunter Green	421	1
V	782	Dark Topaz	397	1
T	3753	Ultra Very Light Antique Blue	285	1
N	3810	Dark Turquoise	238	1
S	3811	Very Light Turquoise	232	1
K	931	Medium Antique Blue	177	1
E	312	Very Dark Baby Blue	172	1
C	970	Light Pumpkin	143	1
P	703	Chartreuse	91	1
U	900	Dark Burnt Orange	88	1
L	747	Very Light Sky Blue	88	1

Skeins are estimates, with the two extra rows: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 10 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.

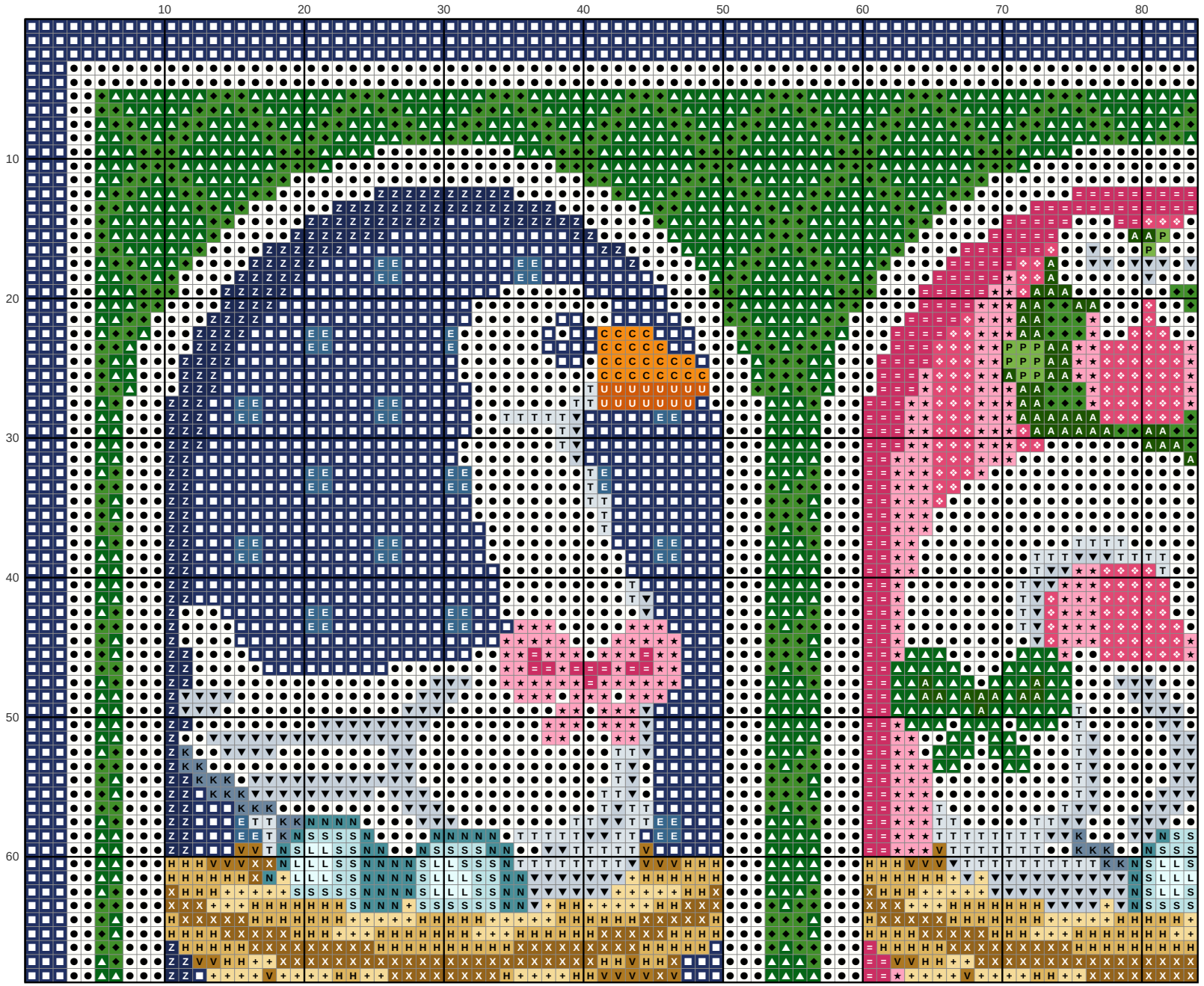
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Needlepoint pattern

Columns 1 to 84, rows 1 to 69

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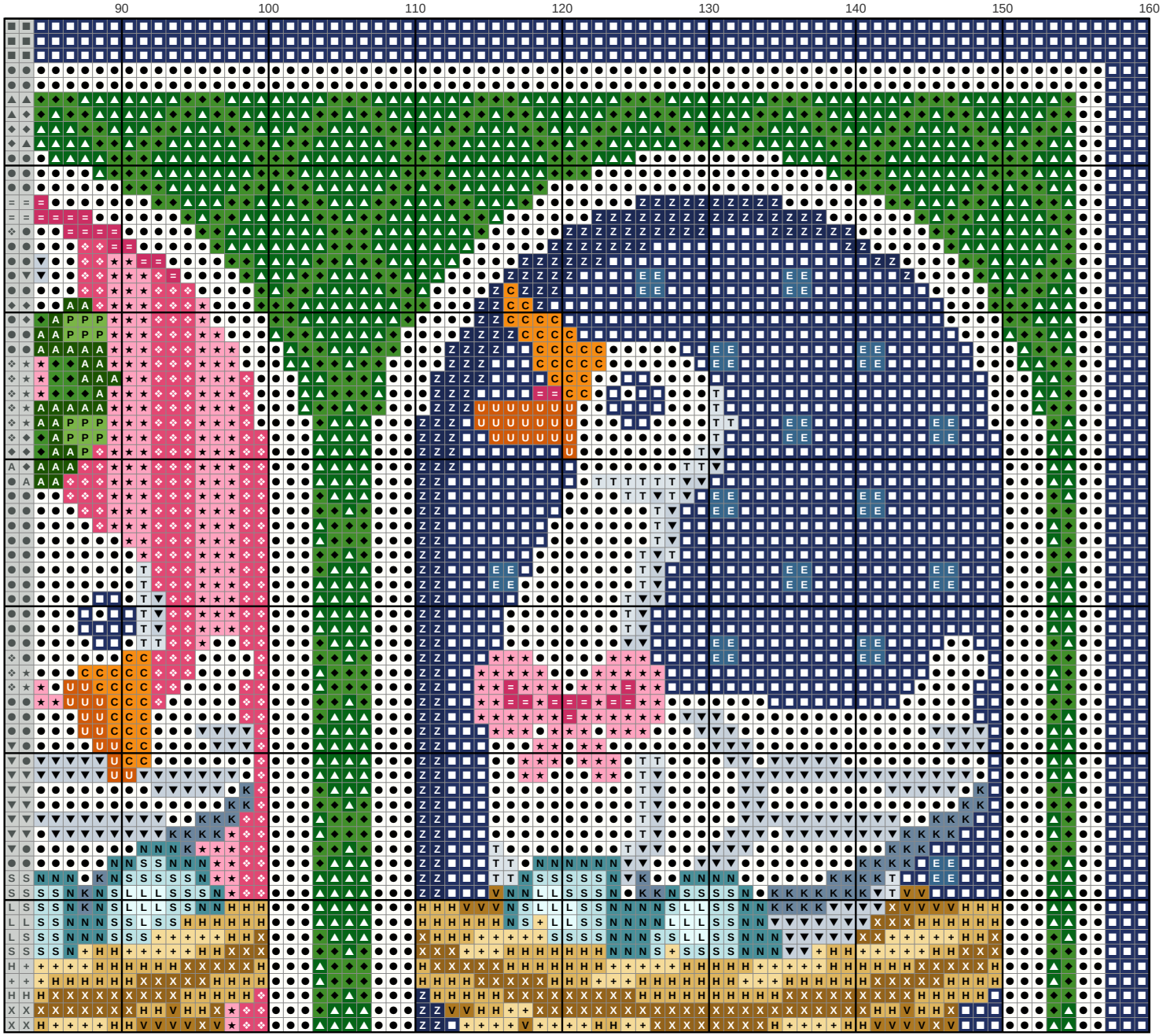
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- DMC 3822
- DMC 600
- DMC 939
- DMC 895
- DMC 782 Dark Topaz
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- DMC 3810
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- DMC 931
- DMC 312
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- DMC 747

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Needlepoint pattern

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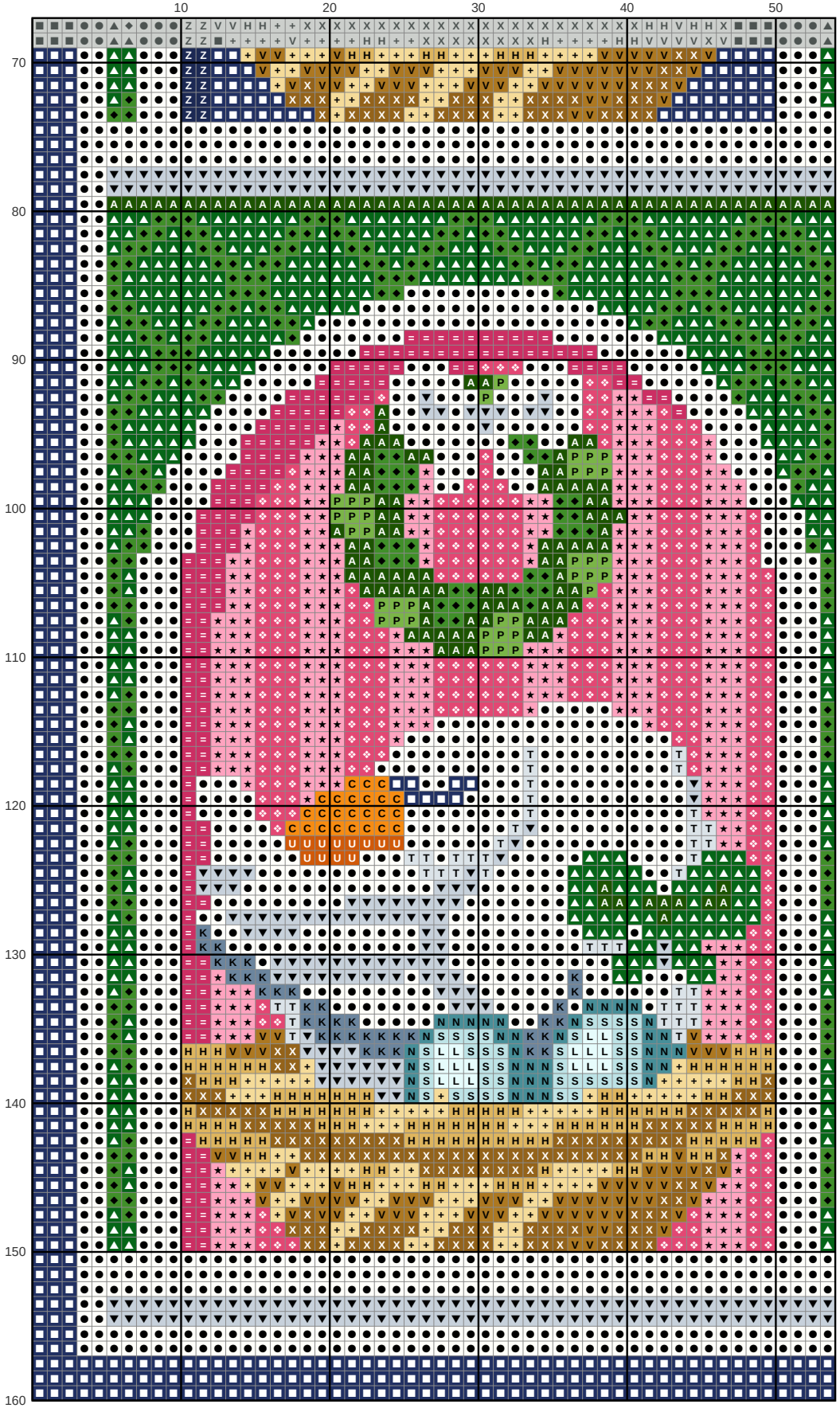
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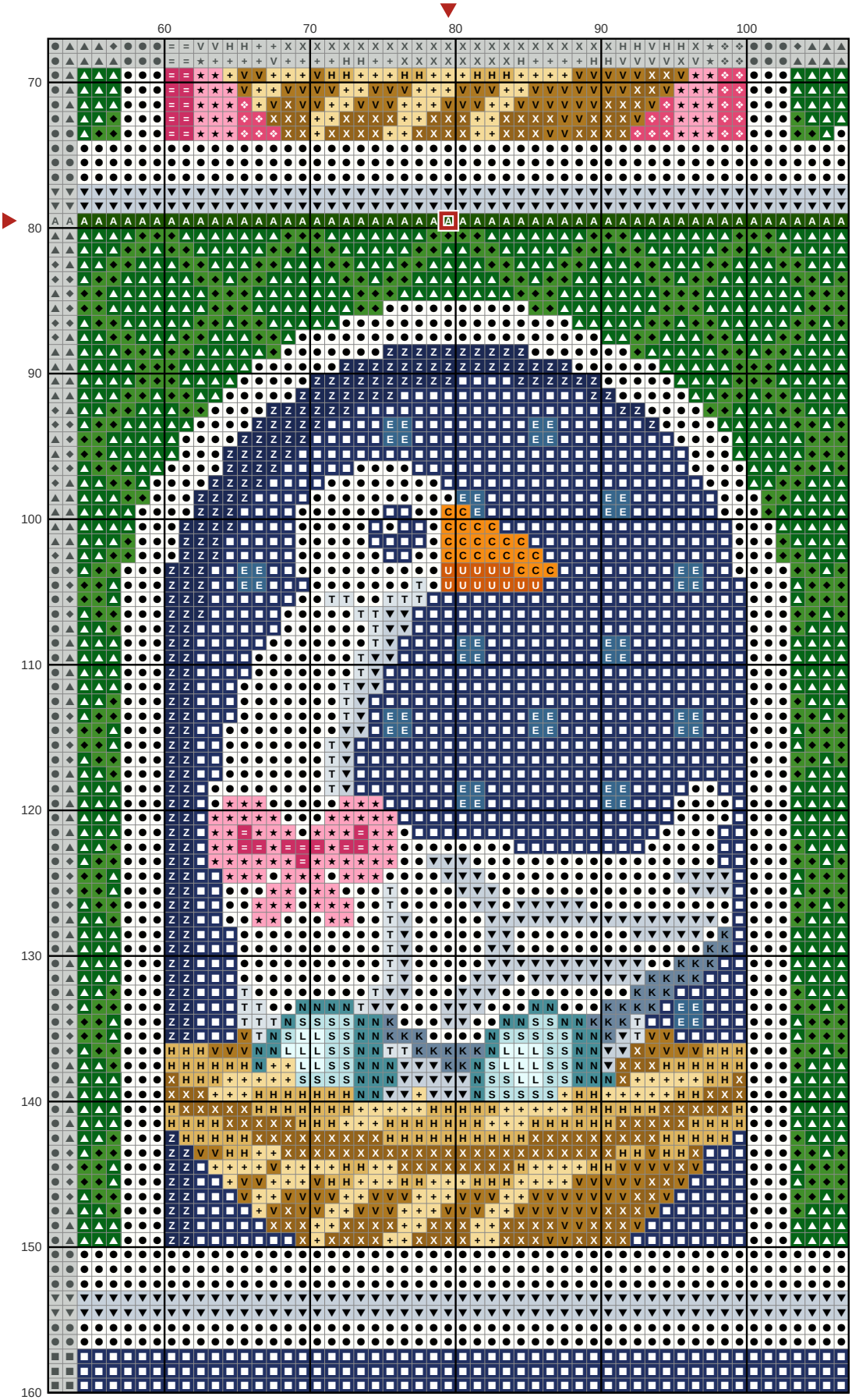
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Needlepoint pattern

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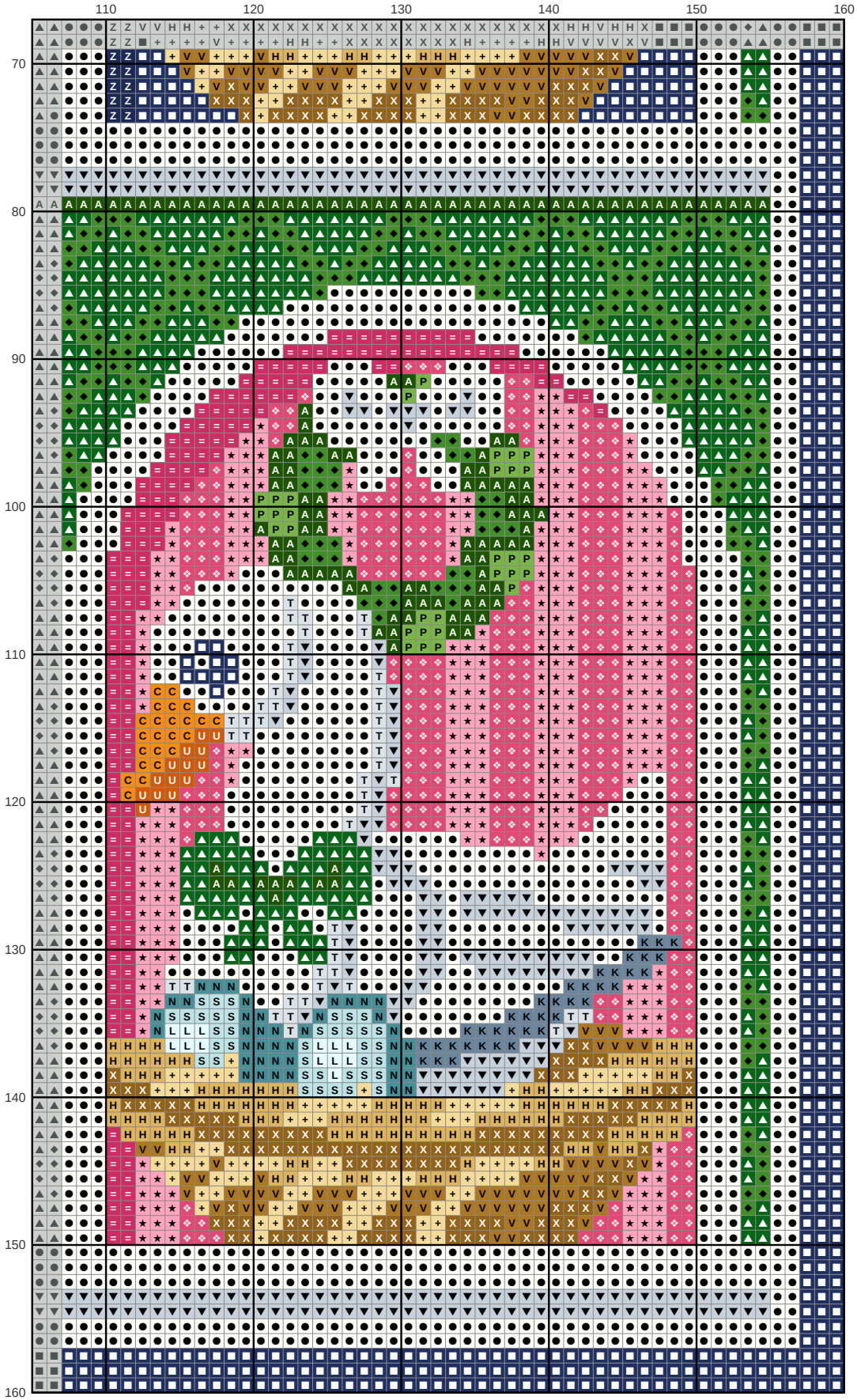
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Needlepoint pattern

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