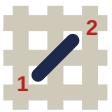
Peace on earth, sheep and a willow

Needlepoint pattern | 160 x 160 stitches | 16 x 16 in (40.6 x 40.6 cm) on 10 mesh | 15 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 839): 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 ECRU: 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, 15 colors, about 49 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
●	**ECRU**	Ecru	12,694	22
■	**676**	Light Old Gold	2,900	5
▲	**355**	Dark Terra Cotta	2,444	4
◆	**3371**	Black Brown	2,168	4
▼	**3053**	Green Gray	838	2
★	**3865**	Winter White	817	2
❖	**936**	Very Dark Avocado Green	668	2
X	**3364**	Pine Green	634	1
H	**729**	Medium Old Gold	540	1
+	**839**	Dark Beige Brown	540	1
=	**300**	Very Dark Mahogany	344	1
Z	**3362**	Dark Pine Green	329	1
A	**3013**	Light Khaki Green	324	1
V	**842**	Very Light Beige Brown	257	1
T	**840**	Medium Beige Brown	103	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.

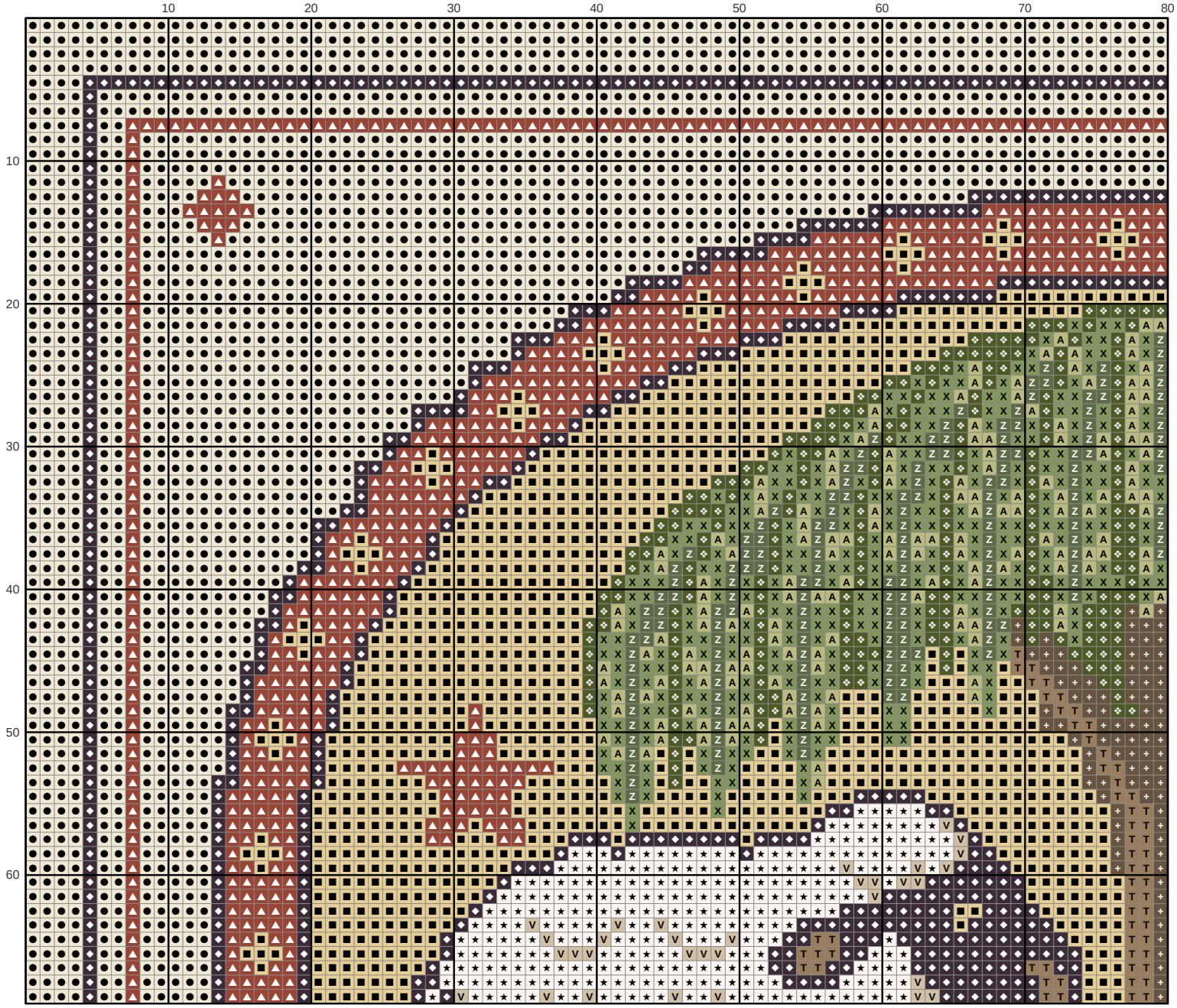
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Needlepoint pattern

Columns 1 to 80, rows 1 to 69

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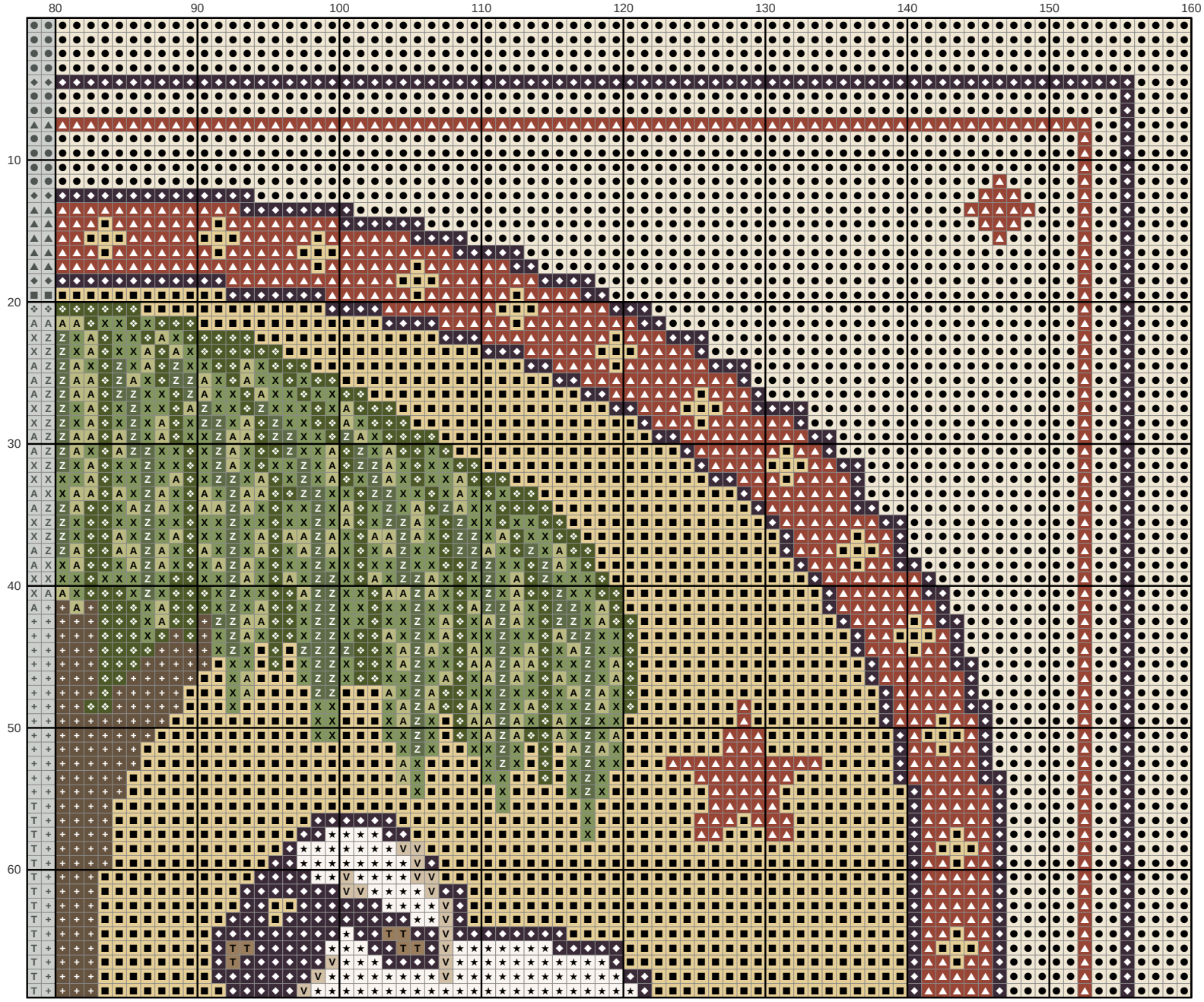
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Needlepoint pattern

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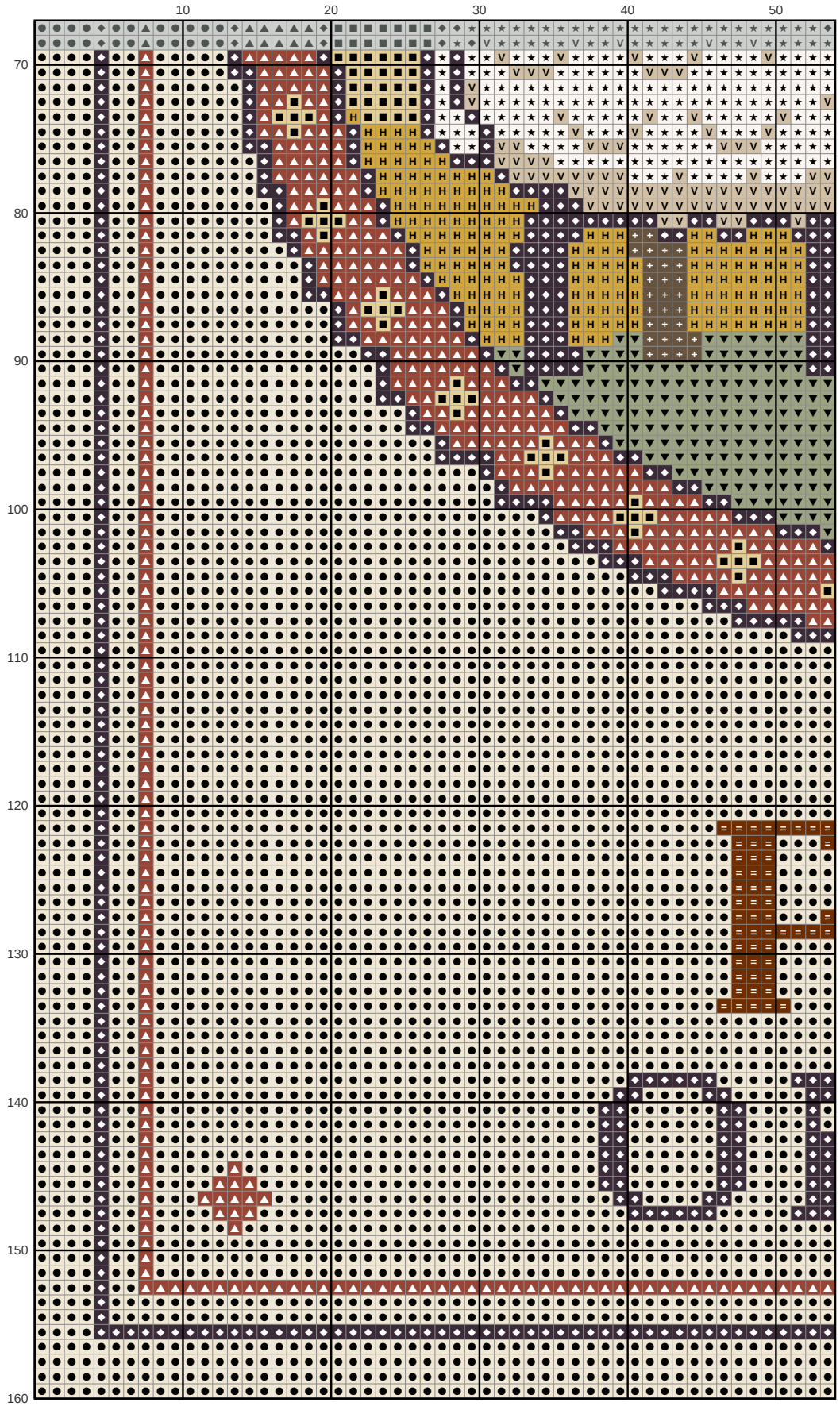
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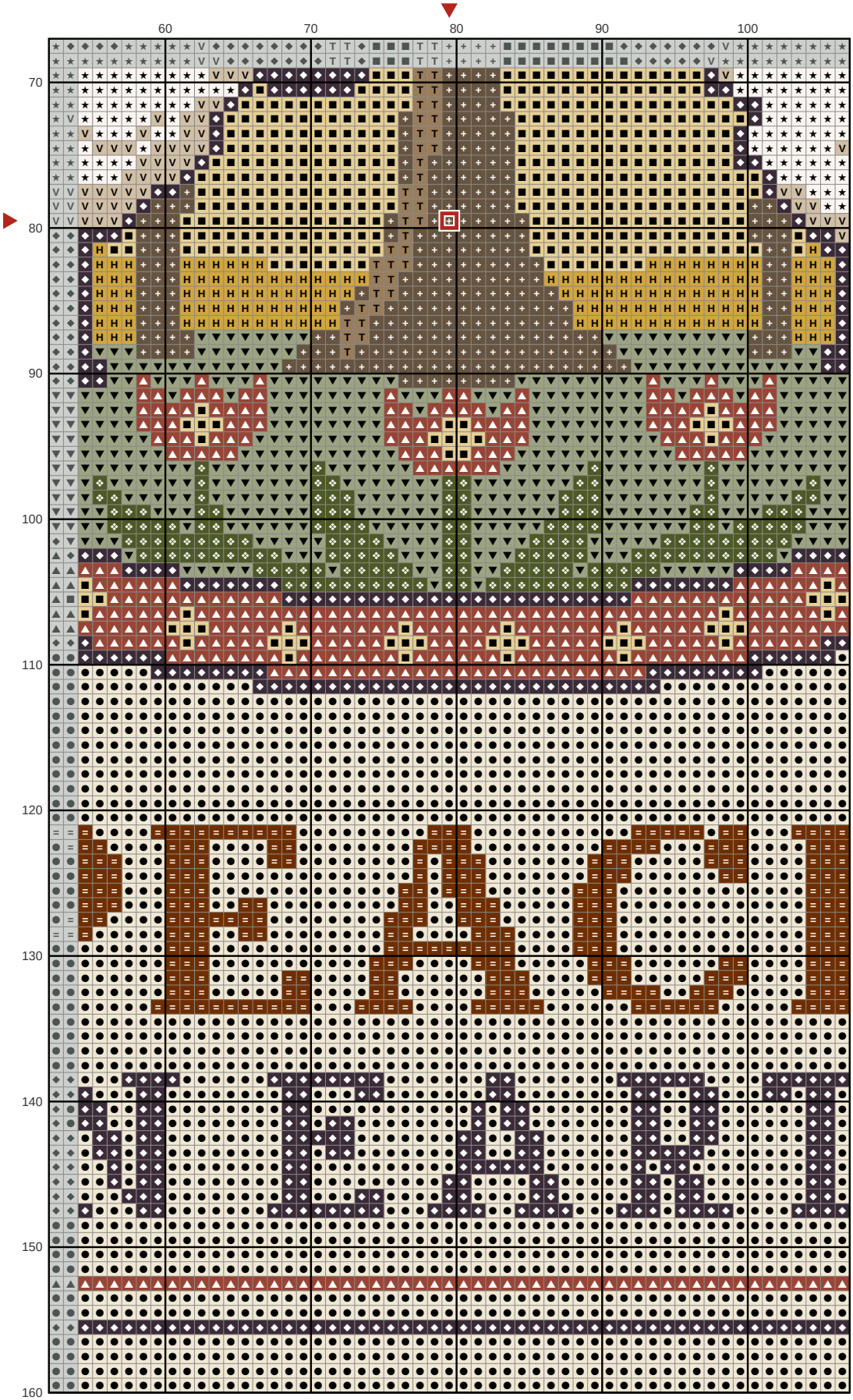
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- **DMC 3865** — Winter White
- **DMC 729** — Medium Old Gold
- **DMC 839** — Dark Beige Brown
- **DMC 300** — Very Dark Mahogany
- **DMC 842** — Very Light Beige Brown

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Columns 55 to 107, rows 70 to 160. Start at the red outline. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again



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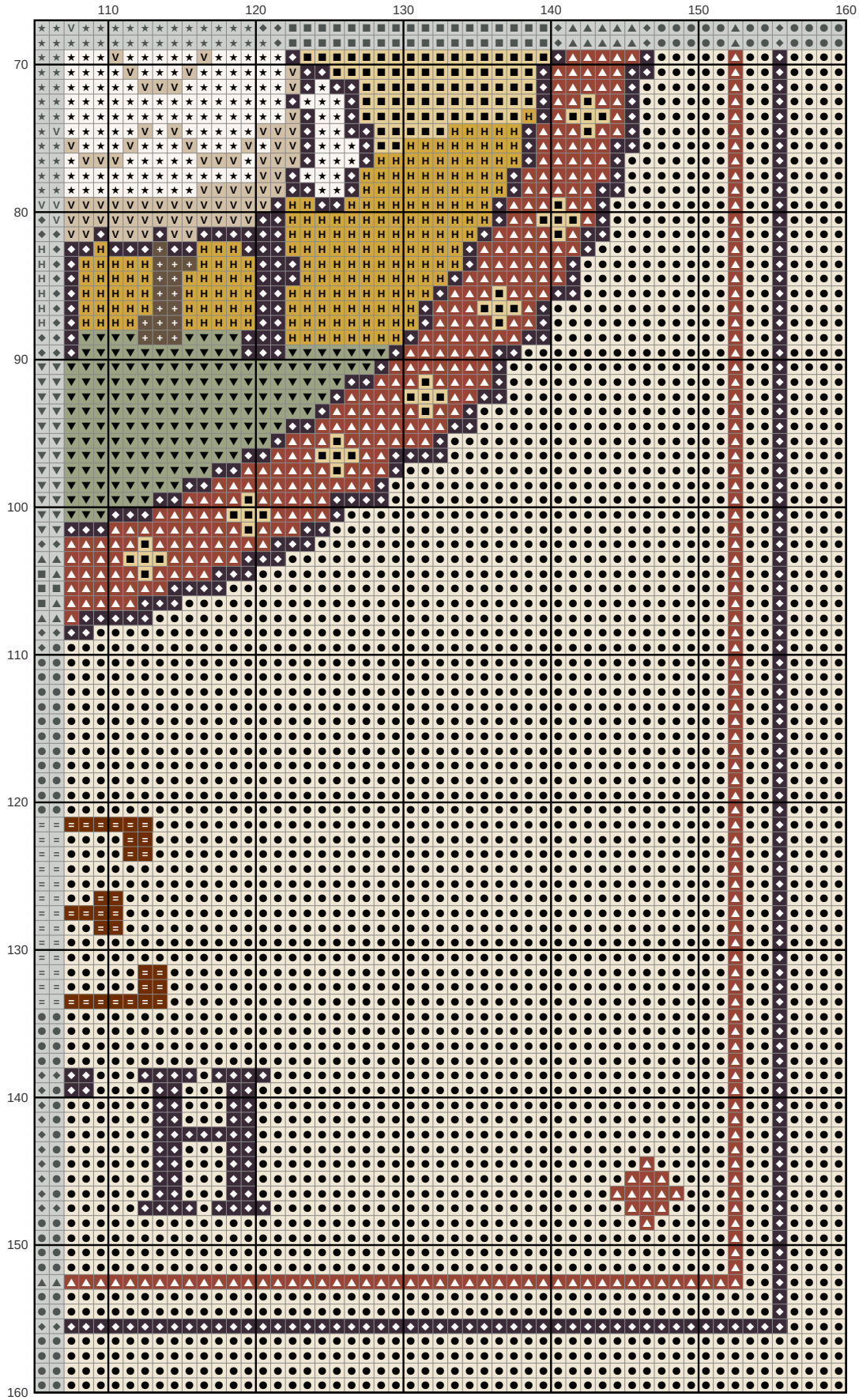
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