Rooster rug with an oval center

Needlepoint pattern | 210 x 150 stitches | 21 x 15 in (53.3 x 38.1 cm) on 10 mesh | 20 colors



Thread key, DMC

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	3799	Very Dark Pewter Gray	8,242	102	13
■	3033	Very Light Mocha Brown	5,450	68	9
▲	3830	Terra Cotta	2,184	27	4
◆	680	Dark Old Gold	2,169	27	4
▼	3777	Very Dark Terra Cotta	2,109	26	4
★	829	Very Dark Golden Olive	2,044	26	4
❖	676	Light Old Gold	1,960	25	3
X	642	Dark Beige Gray	1,634	21	3
O	3051	Dark Green Gray	1,214	15	2
+	3808	Ultra Very Dark Turquoise	823	11	2
=	3768	Dark Gray Green	672	9	2
Z	842	Very Light Beige Brown	465	6	1
A	920	Medium Copper	425	6	1
V	918	Dark Red Copper	394	5	1
T	3012	Medium Khaki Green	345	5	1
N	3726	Dark Antique Mauve	339	5	1
S	315	Medium Dark Antique Mauve	313	4	1
K	926	Medium Gray Green	299	4	1
E	931	Medium Antique Blue	235	3	1
C	922	Light Copper	184	3	1

One chart square is one tent stitch over one canvas intersection.

Cut the canvas at least 25 x 19 in (63.5 x 48.3 cm) for 10 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

31,500 stitches in all. Start from the center: a red arrow above the chart marks the center column, and one to the left of it the center row. The arrows are on the pages those lines cross.

The chart is on 5 pages, each cut to what is stitched: bare canvas has no page, and a join falls on plain ground where it can. Pages 2 and 3 are turned on their side, for a part that is wider than it is tall. Where chart pages join, gray squares repeat two rows or columns. The small picture at the top of each chart page shows which part it is.

Thread: pearl cotton size 3, 2 strands in the needle on 10 mesh, about 59 skeins of 16.4 yd in all. Or six-strand floss, 8 to 10 strands, about 82 skeins of 8.7 yd; or tapestry wool, 1 strand, about 54 skeins of 8.7 yd; or Persian wool, 3 strands, about 60 skeins of 8 yd. Wool is numbered differently: match it by eye. Needle: tapestry, size 16 or 18.

Yards and skeins are estimates: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 10 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color (about 398 yards in all, as the thread lies in the needle).

Thread colors are approximate screen matches to DMC numbers. Check against real thread before you buy.

When it is stitched: also have a finisher, or the fabric and cord to make it up yourself. Ask before you stitch the edge: some finishes take extra rows. "Ways to finish needlepoint" is a guide linked from this pattern's page.

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Chart 1 of 5: columns 1 to 105, rows 1 to 69

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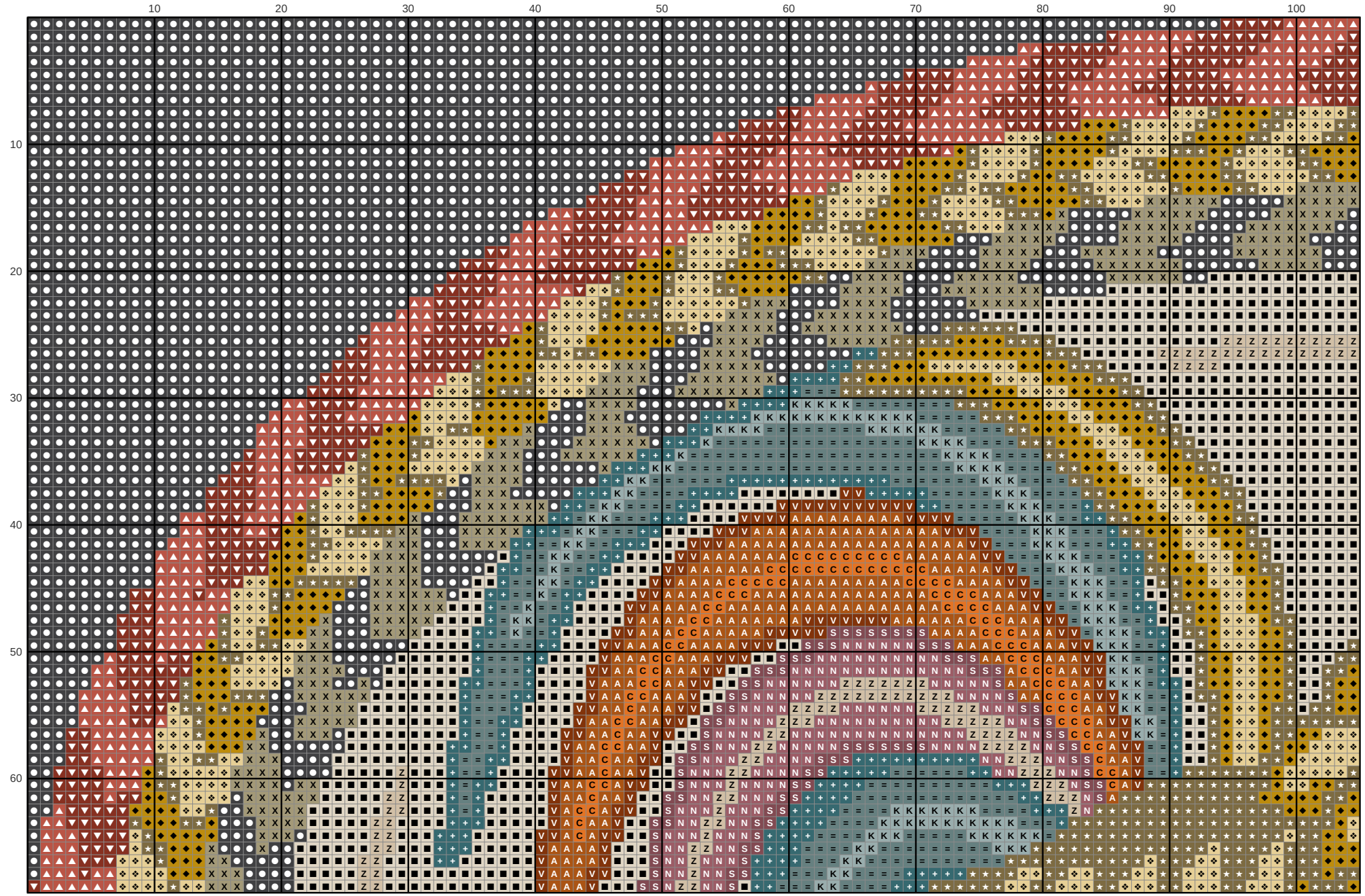

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Chart 2 of 5: columns 106 to 210, rows 1 to 69; gray squares repeat columns 104 and 105

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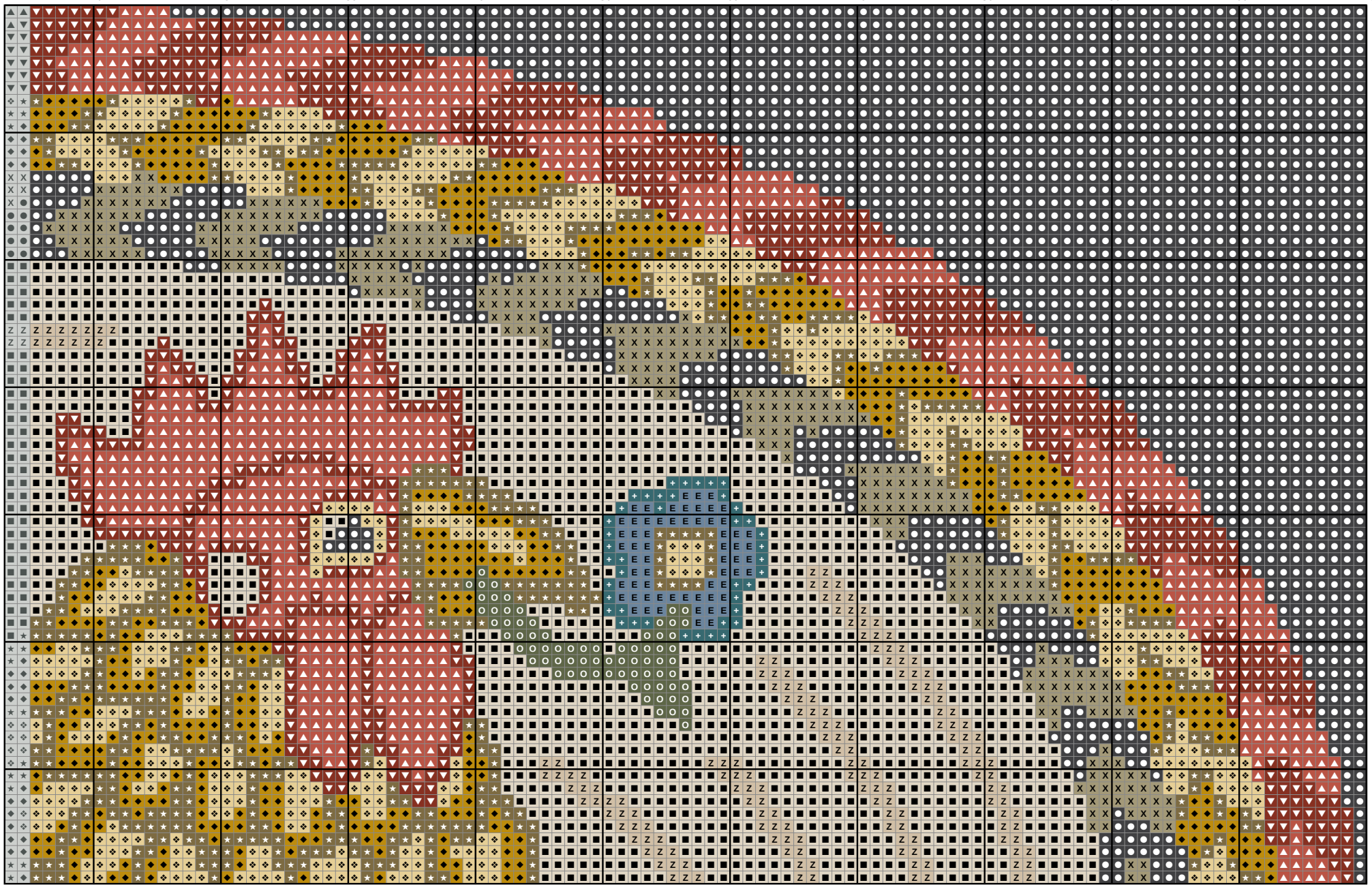

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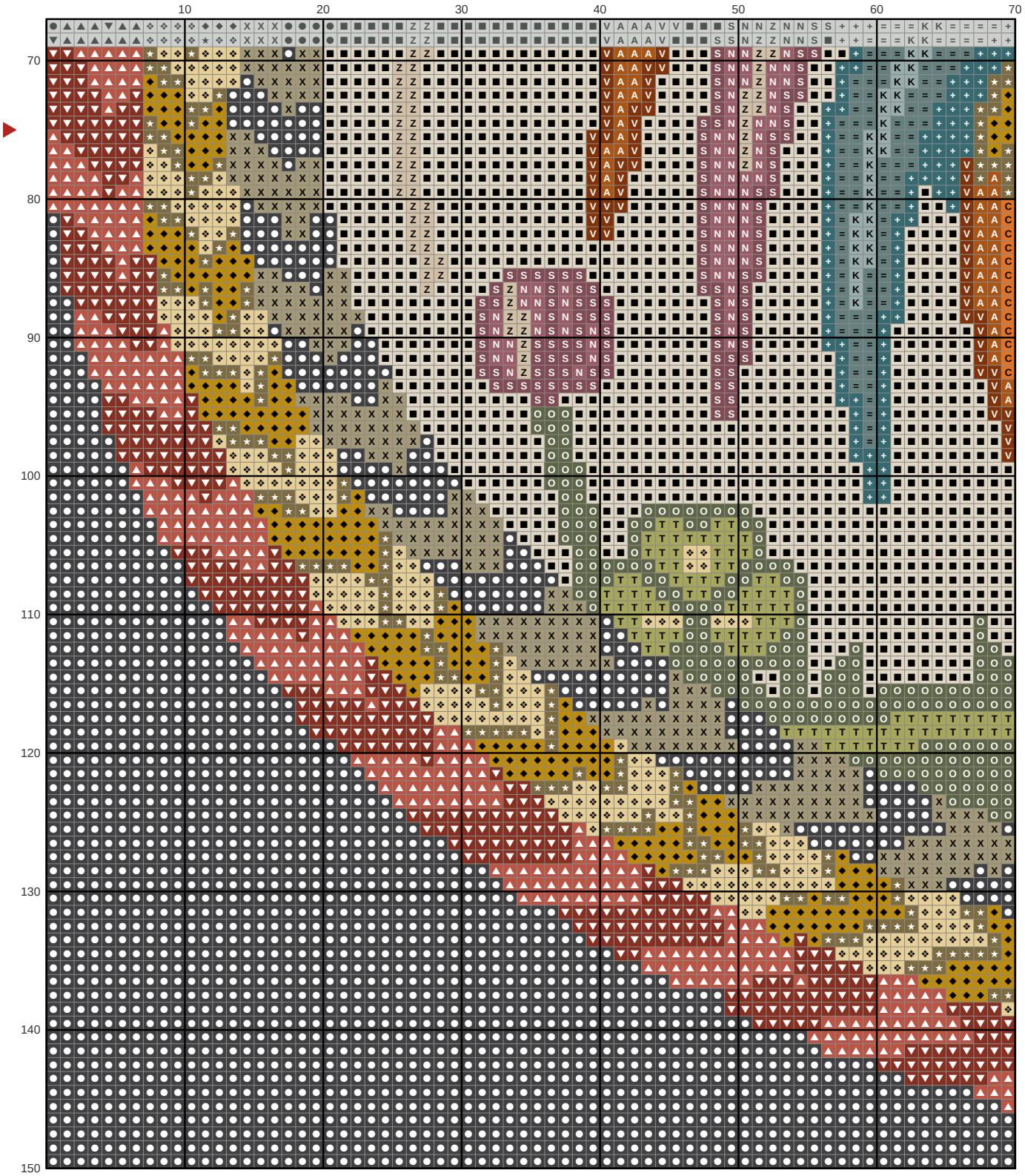
Chart 3 of 5: columns 1 to 70, rows 70 to 150; gray squares repeat rows 68 and 69



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- **DMC 680** Dark Old Gold
- **DMC 3777** Very Dark Terra Cotta
- **DMC 829** Very Dark Golden Olive
- **DMC 676** Light Old Gold
- **DMC 642** Dark Beige Gray
- **DMC 3051** Dark Green Gray
- **DMC 3808** Ultra Very Dark Turquoise
- **DMC 3768** Dark Gray Green
- **DMC 842** Very Light Beige Brown
- **DMC 920** Medium Copper
- **DMC 918** Dark Red Copper
- **DMC 3012** Medium Khaki Green
- **DMC 3726** Dark Antique Mauve
- **DMC 315** Medium Dark Antique Mauve
- **DMC 926** Medium Gray Green
- **DMC 922** Light Copper

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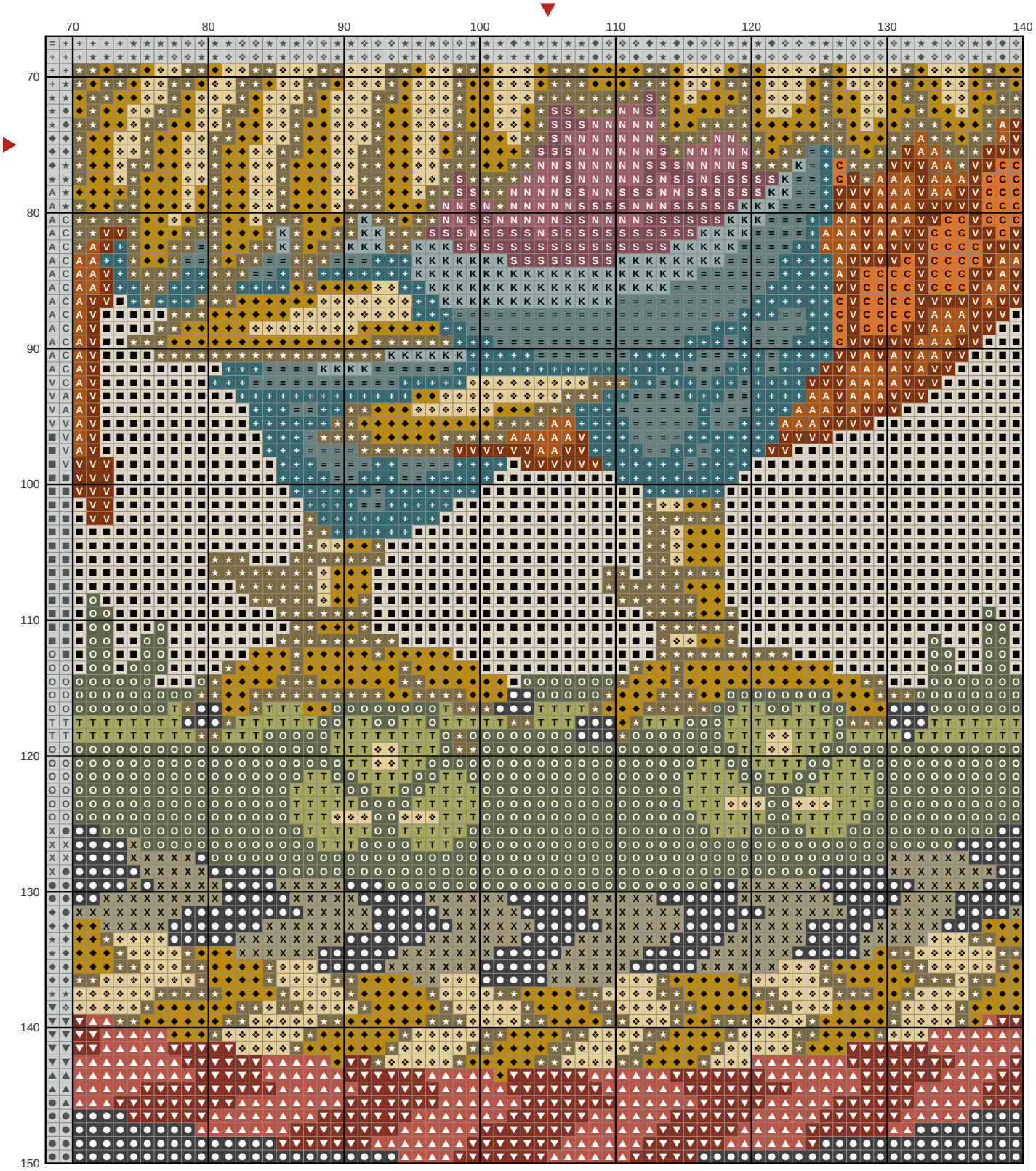
Chart 4 of 5: columns 71 to 140, rows 70 to 150; gray squares repeat columns 69 and 70 and rows 68 and 69



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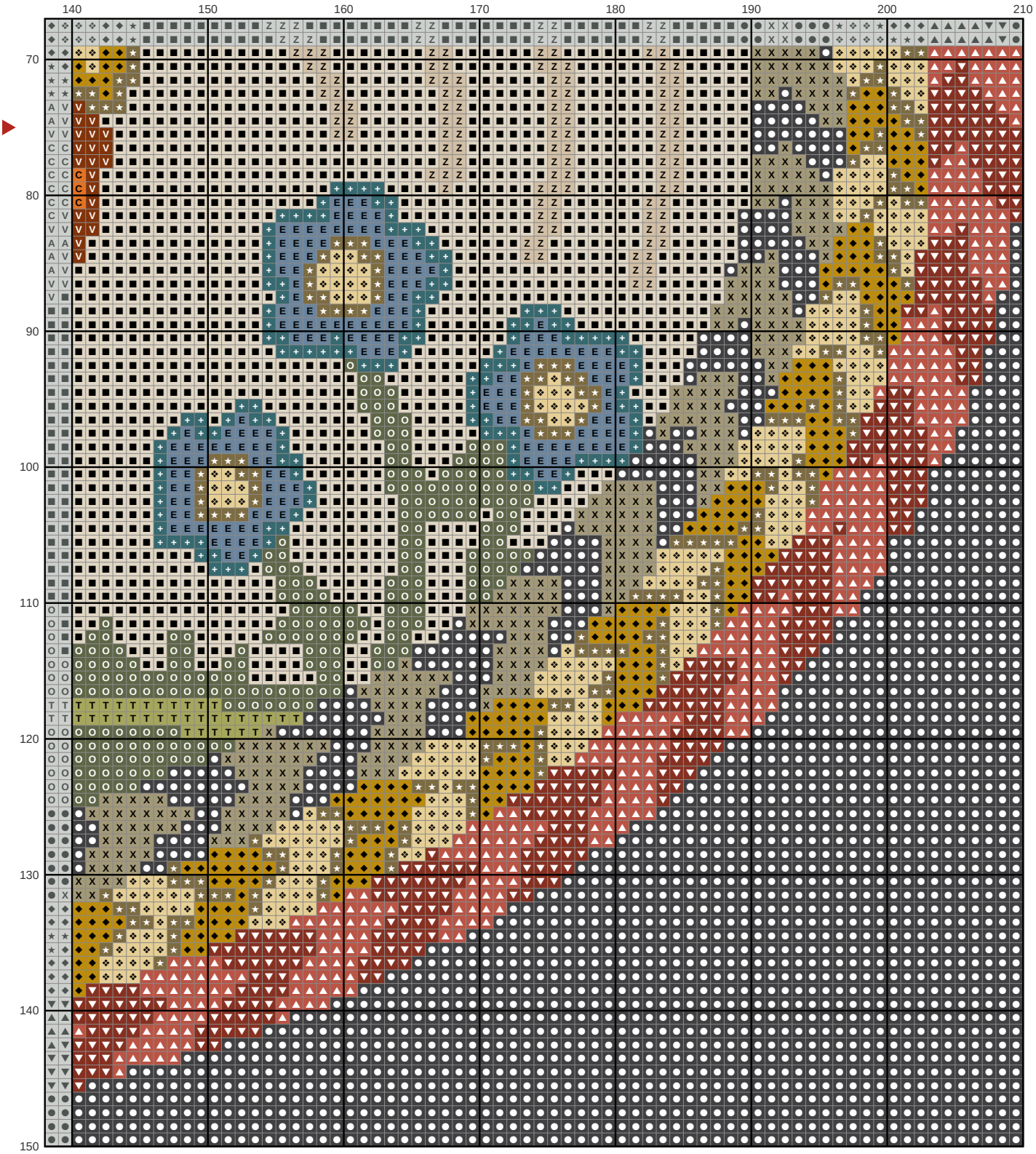

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