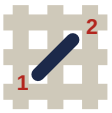
Merry Christmas, y'all, retro ornaments

Needlepoint pattern | 182 x 182 stitches | 14 x 14 in (35.6 x 35.6 cm) on 13 mesh | 14 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 3, column 91, row 91 (DMC 815): 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 677: 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, 13 mesh (13 threads to the inch), cut 18.5 in square (47 cm).

Needle: blunt tapestry, size 20. Also masking tape for the cut edges, and small scissors.

Thread: six-strand floss, 14 colors, about 57 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 7 strands (8 if canvas shows).

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
●	**677**	Very Light Old Gold	24,276	38
■	**815**	Medium Garnet	1,449	3
▲	**3810**	Dark Turquoise	1,168	2
◆	**3865**	Winter White	1,140	2
▼	**3808**	Ultra Very Dark Turquoise	860	2
★	**3811**	Very Light Turquoise	742	2
❖	**311**	Medium Navy Blue	503	1
X	**734**	Light Olive Green	501	1
H	**349**	Dark Coral	455	1
+	**3733**	Dusty Rose	451	1
=	**732**	Olive Green	434	1
Z	**3820**	Dark Straw	433	1
A	**782**	Dark Topaz	384	1
V	**3799**	Very Dark Pewter Gray	328	1

Skeins are estimates, with the two extra rows: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 13 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.

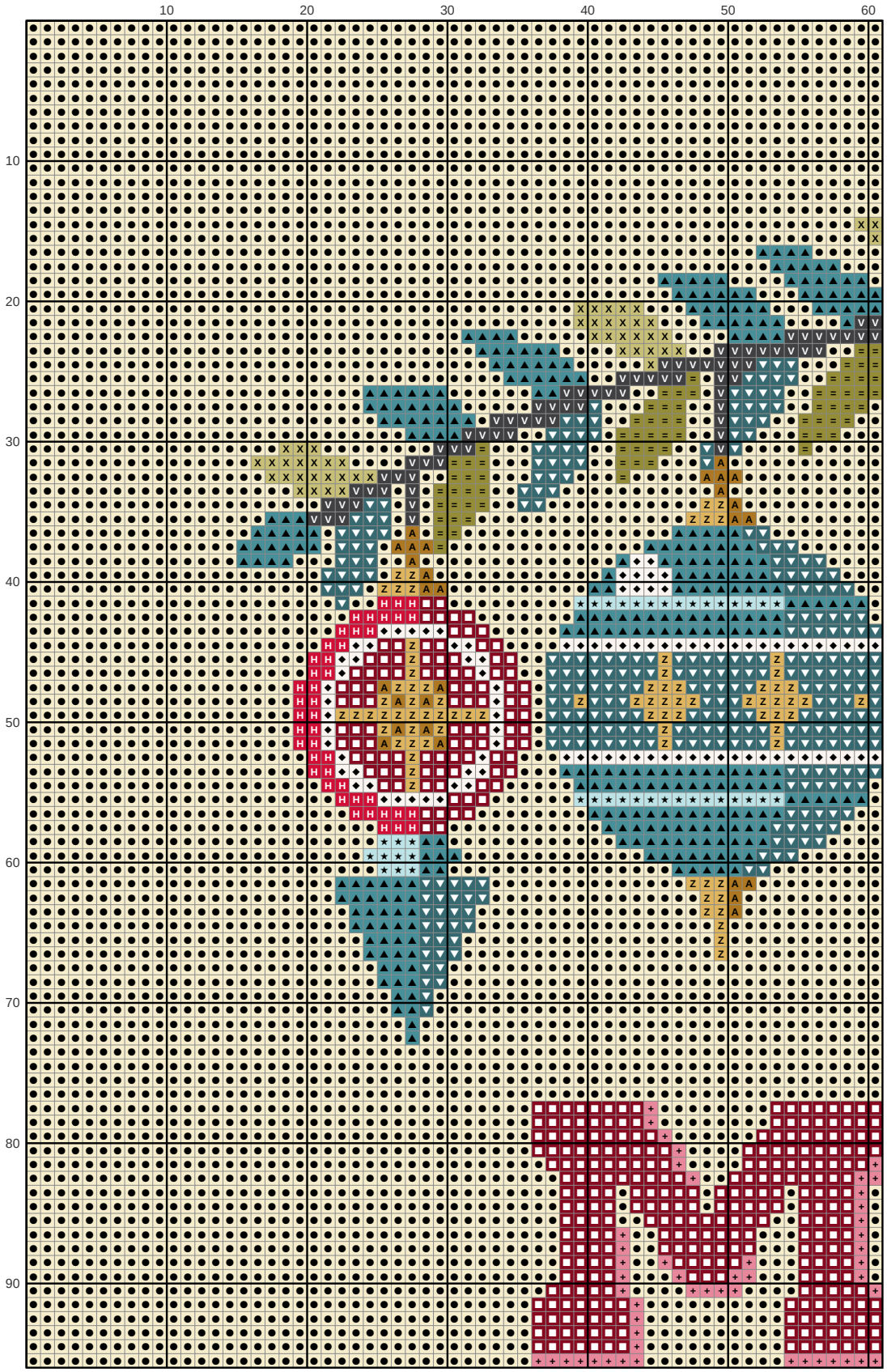
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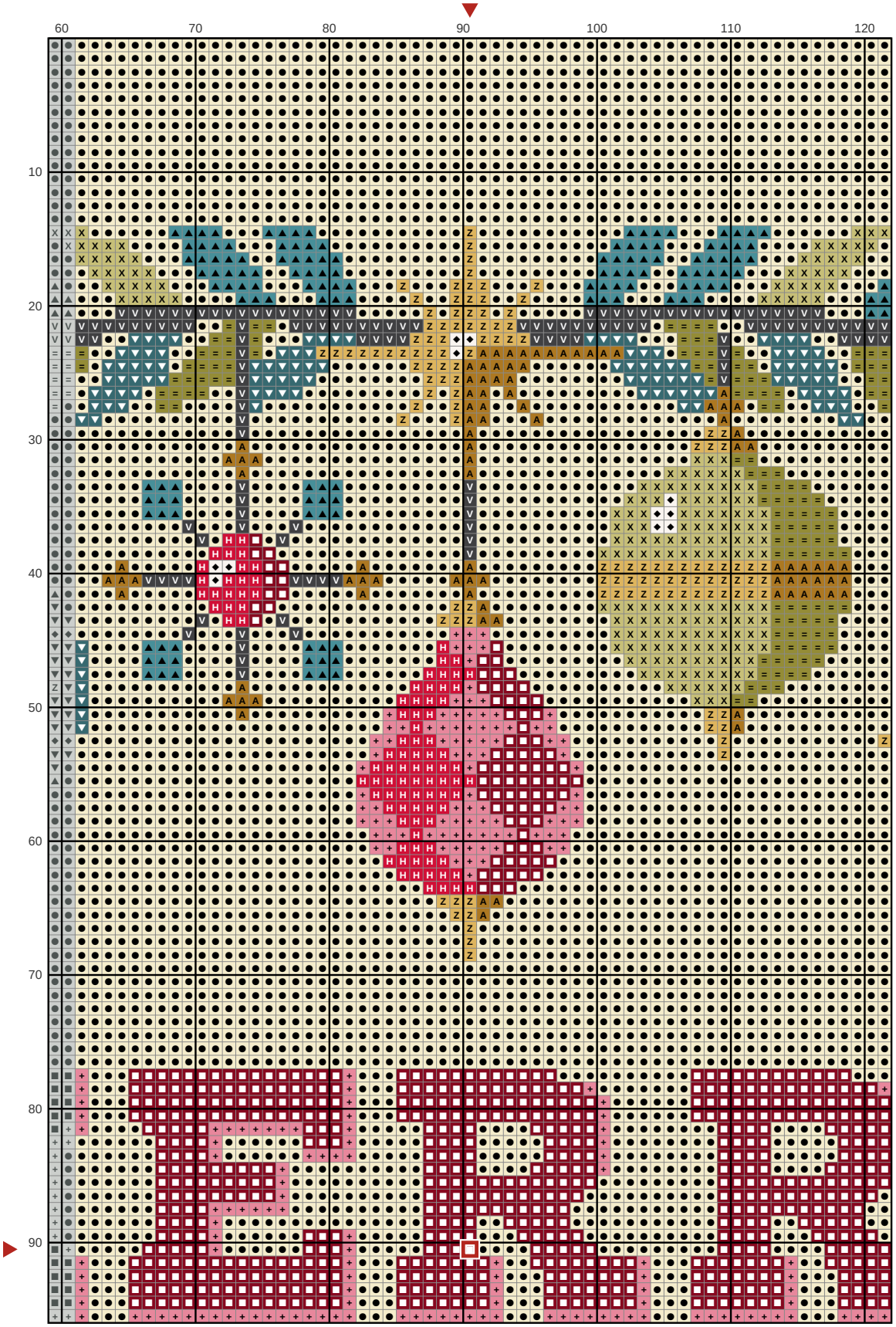
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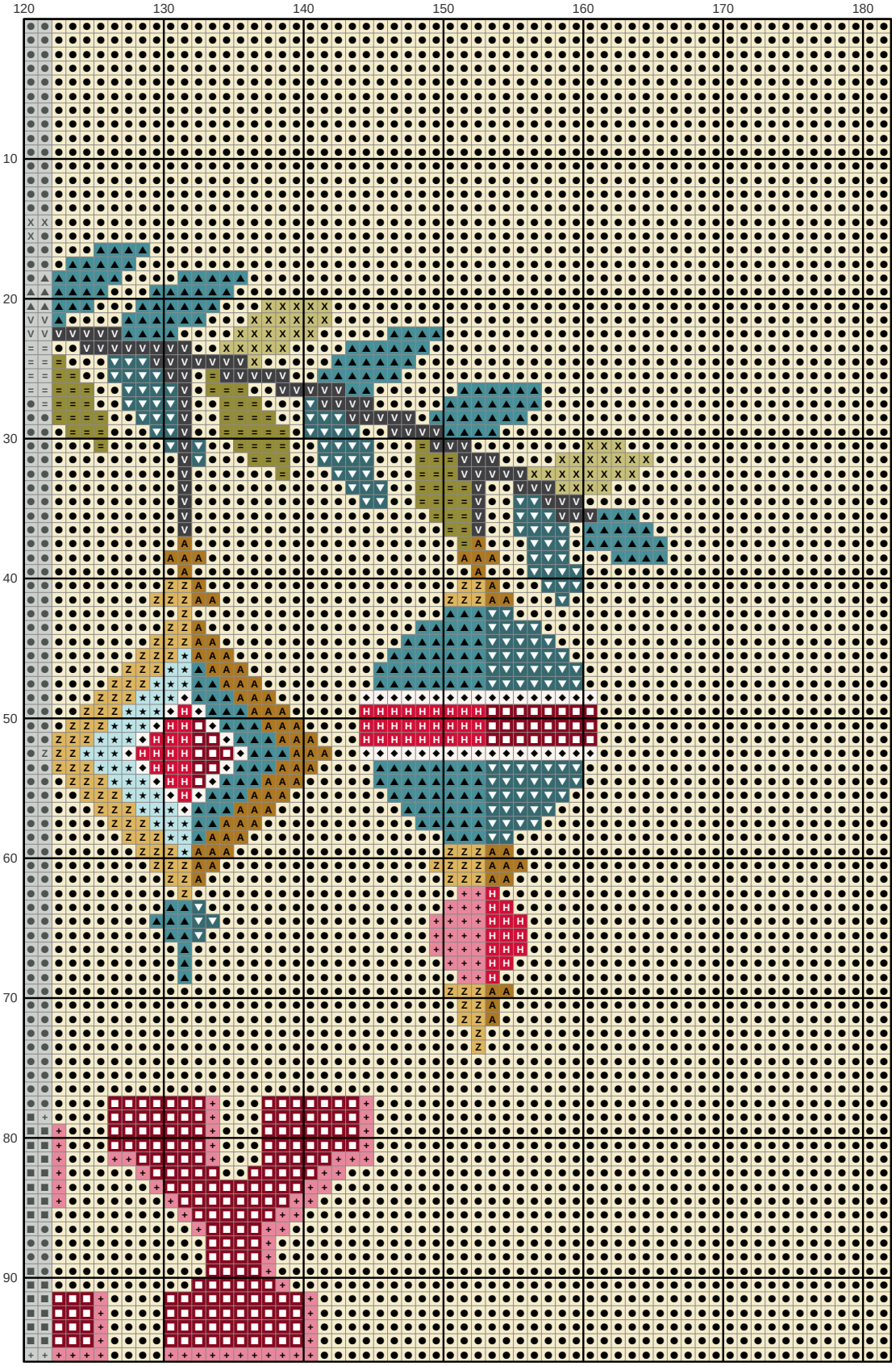
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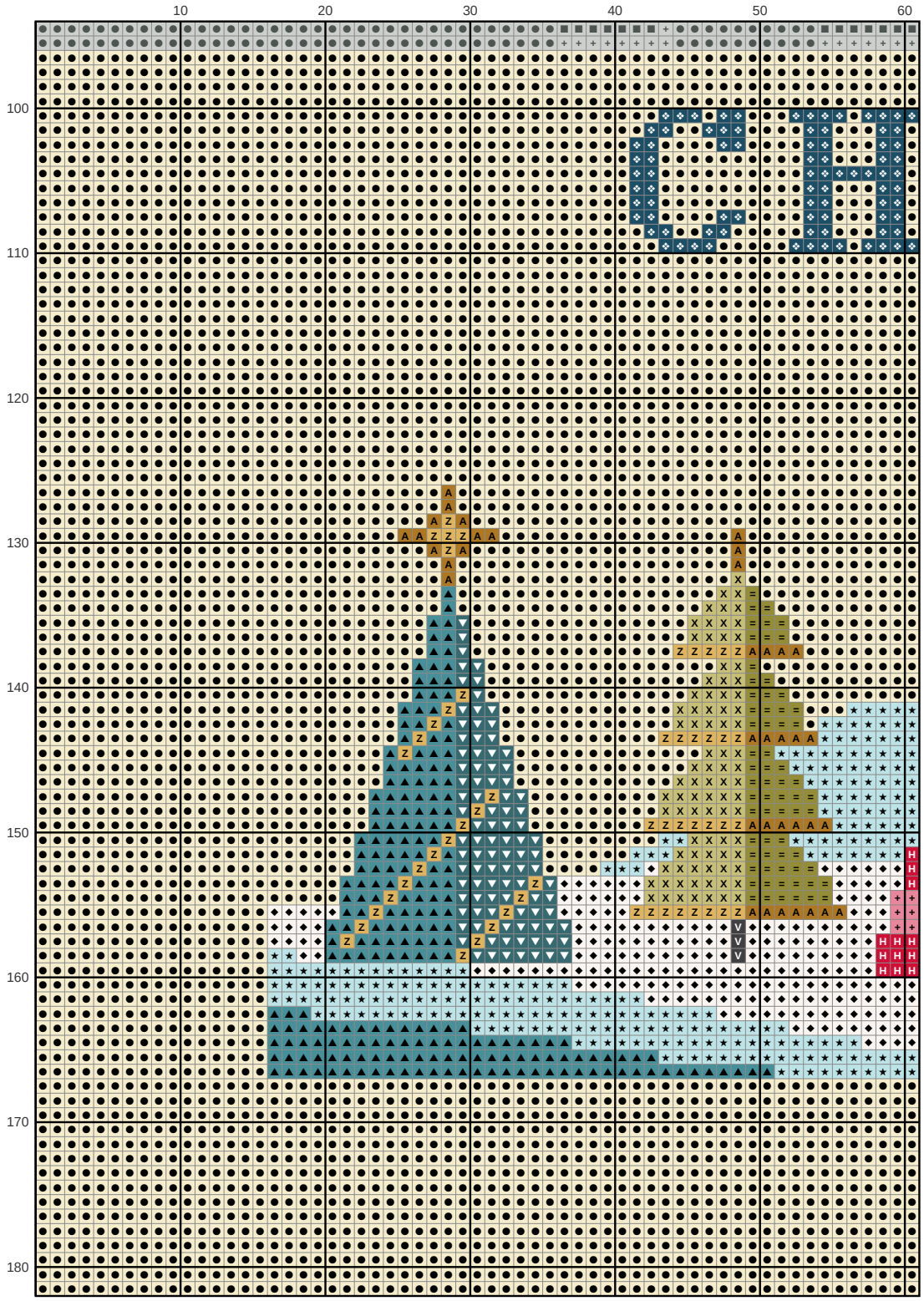
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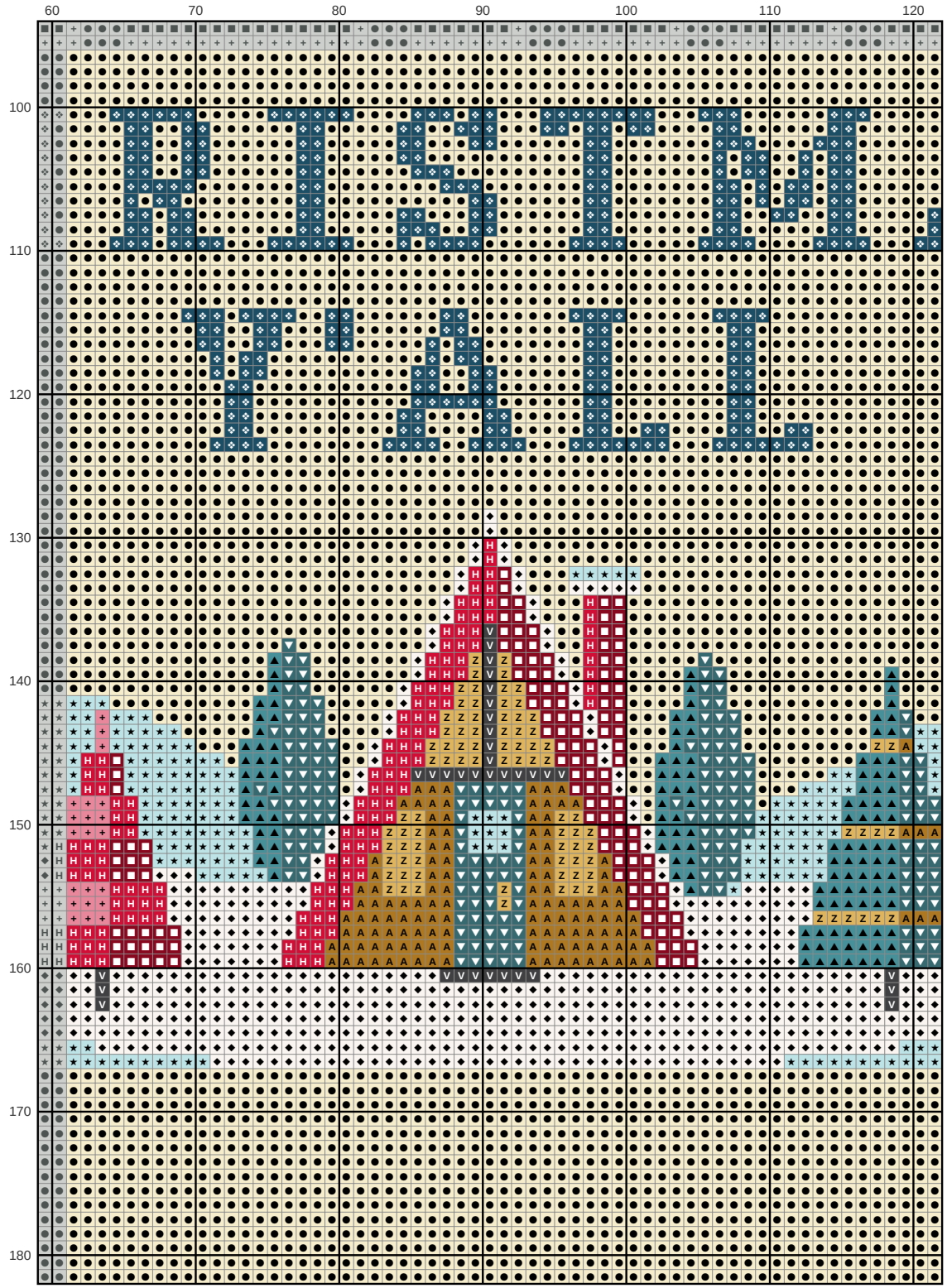
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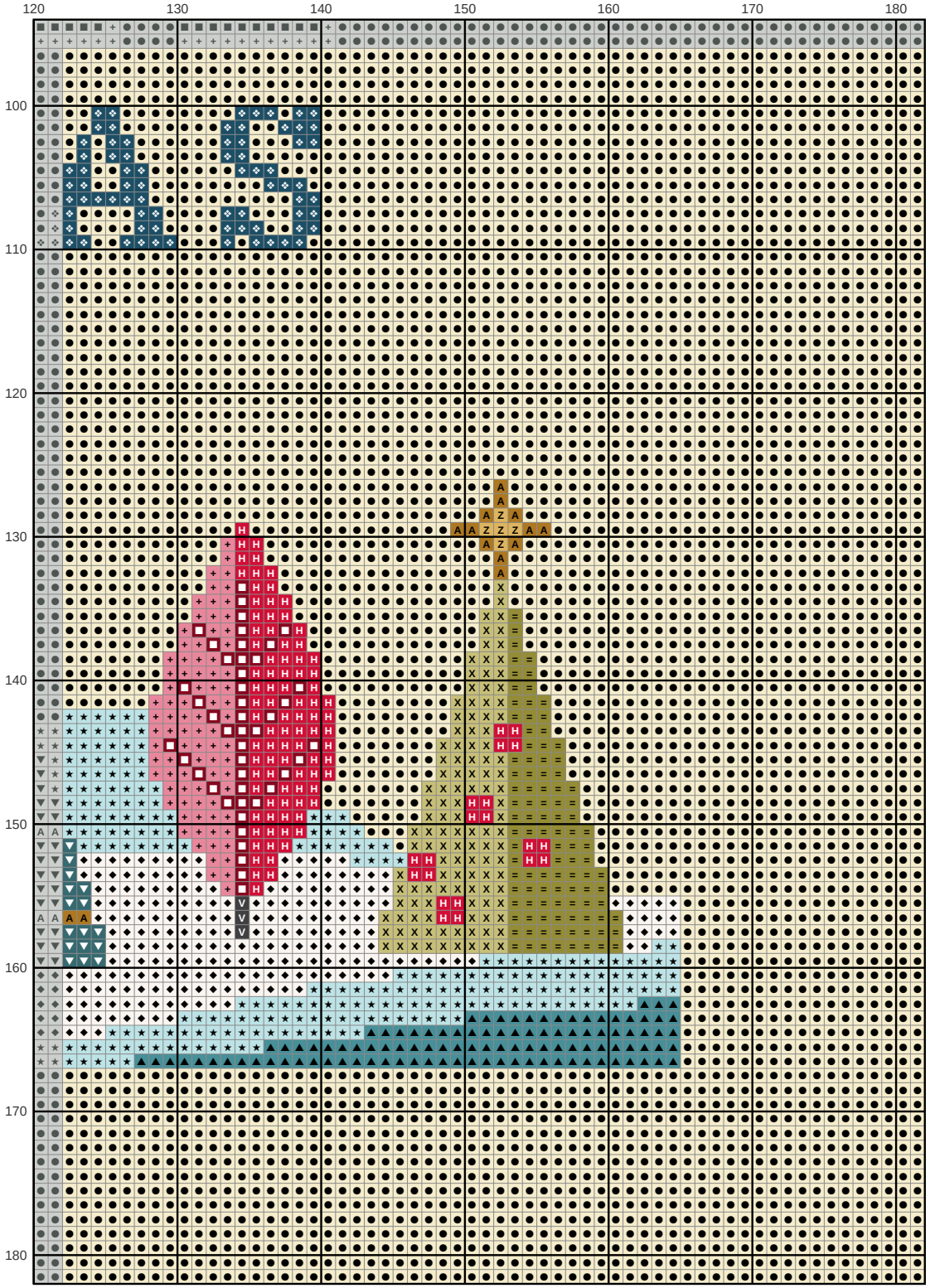
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