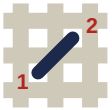
# Snowball quilt pillow

Needlepoint pattern | 156 x 156 stitches | 12 x 12 in (30.5 x 30.5 cm) on 13 mesh | 24 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 78, row 78 (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 815: 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 16.5 in square (41.9 cm).

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

**Thread:** six-strand floss, 24 colors, about 49 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 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ● | **815** | Medium Garnet | 6,013 | 11 |
| ■ | **310** | Black | 4,659 | 7 |
| ▲ | **3820** | Dark Straw | 2,700 | 4 |
| ◆ | **780** | Ultra Very Dark Topaz | 1,593 | 3 |
| ▼ | **783** | Medium Topaz | 1,395 | 3 |
| ★ | **3822** | Light Straw | 807 | 2 |
| ❖ | **3346** | Hunter Green | 715 | 2 |
| X | **550** | Very Dark Violet | 663 | 1 |
| H | **3347** | Medium Yellow Green | 621 | 1 |
| + | **3350** | Ultra Dark Dusty Rose | 619 | 1 |
| = | **3731** | Very Dark Dusty Rose | 544 | 1 |
| Z | **3733** | Dusty Rose | 523 | 1 |
| A | **33** | Fuchsia | 477 | 1 |
| V | **712** | Cream | 415 | 1 |
| T | **3689** | Light Mauve | 390 | 1 |
| N | **934** | Black Avocado Green | 386 | 1 |
| S | **3345** | Dark Hunter Green | 354 | 1 |
| K | **211** | Light Lavender | 353 | 1 |
| E | **210** | Medium Lavender | 324 | 1 |
| C | **3348** | Light Yellow Green | 215 | 1 |
| P | **340** | Medium Blue Violet | 181 | 1 |
| U | **819** | Light Baby Pink | 148 | 1 |
| L | **3746** | Dark Blue Violet | 123 | 1 |
| 2 | **32** | Dark Blueberry | 118 | 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.

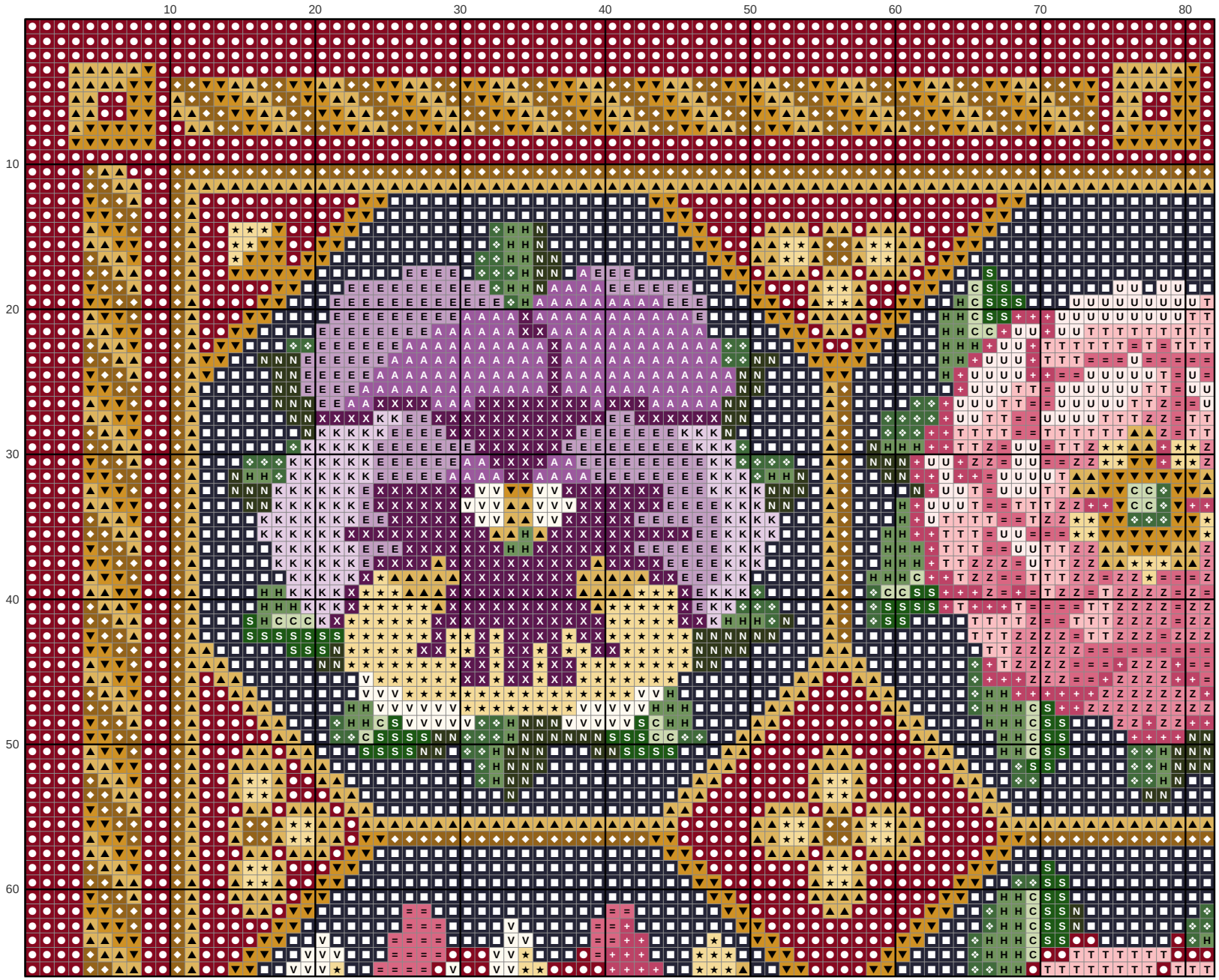
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Needlepoint pattern

Columns 1 to 82, rows 1 to 66

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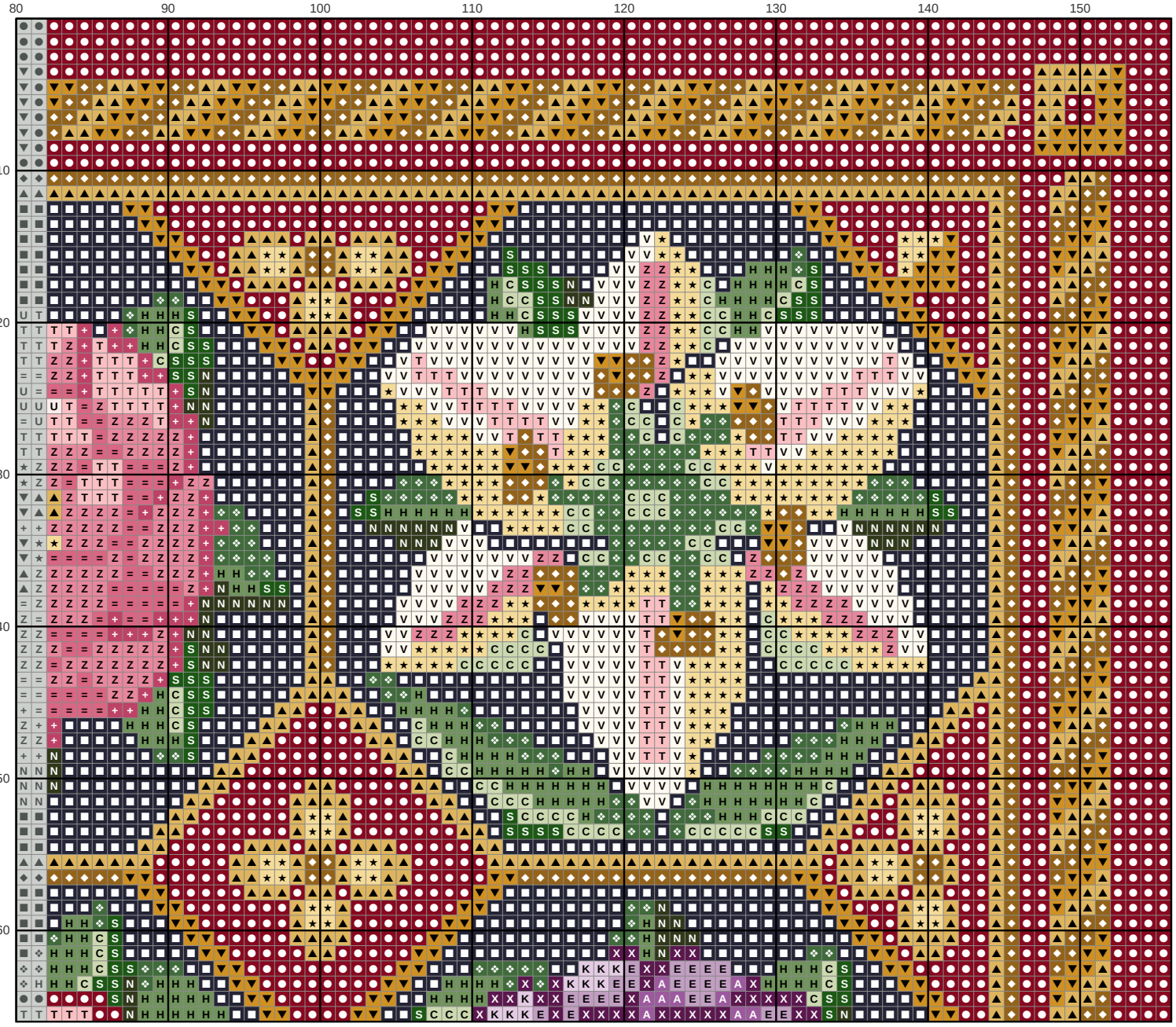
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- DMC 3820
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- DMC 783
- DMC 3822
- DMC 3346
- DMC 550
- DMC 3347
- DMC 3350
- DMC 3731
- DMC 3733
- DMC 33 Fuchsia
- DMC 712 Cream
- DMC 3689
- DMC 934
- DMC 3345
- DMC 211
- DMC 210
- DMC 3348
- DMC 819

# Snowball quilt pillow

Needlepoint pattern

Columns 83 to 156, rows 1 to 66. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again

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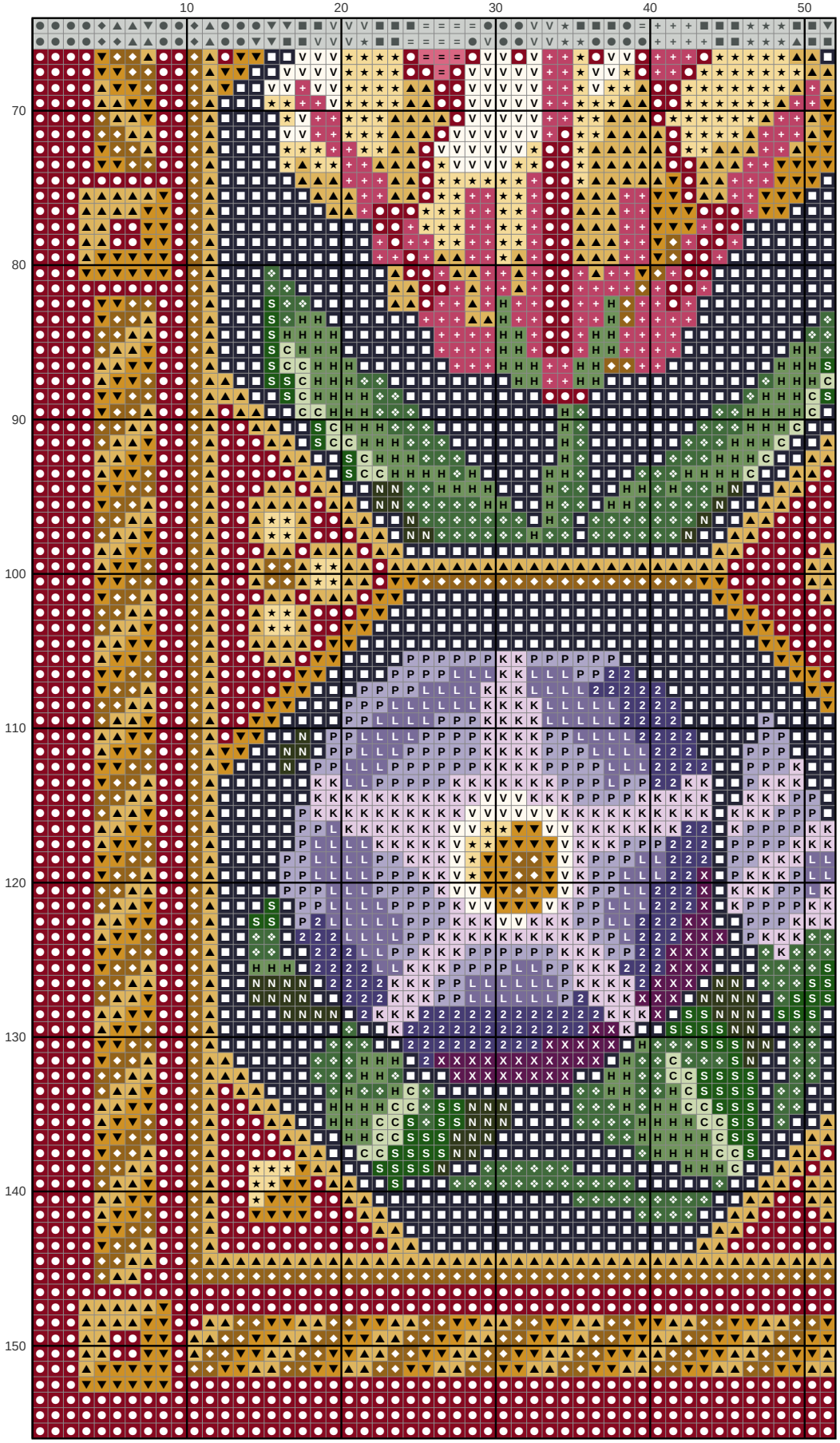
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- **DMC 3346** Hunter Green
- **DMC 550** Very Dark Violet
- **DMC 3347** Medium Yellow Green
- **DMC 3350** Ultra Dark Dusty Rose
- **DMC 3731** Very Dark Dusty Rose
- **DMC 3733** Dusty Rose
- **DMC 33** Fuchsia
- **DMC 712** Cream
- **DMC 3689** Light Mauve
- **DMC 934** Black Avocado Green
- **DMC 3345** Dark Hunter Green
- **DMC 211** Light Lavender
- **DMC 210** Medium Lavender
- **DMC 3348** Light Yellow Green
- **DMC 819** Light Baby Pink

# Snowball quilt pillow

Needlepoint pattern

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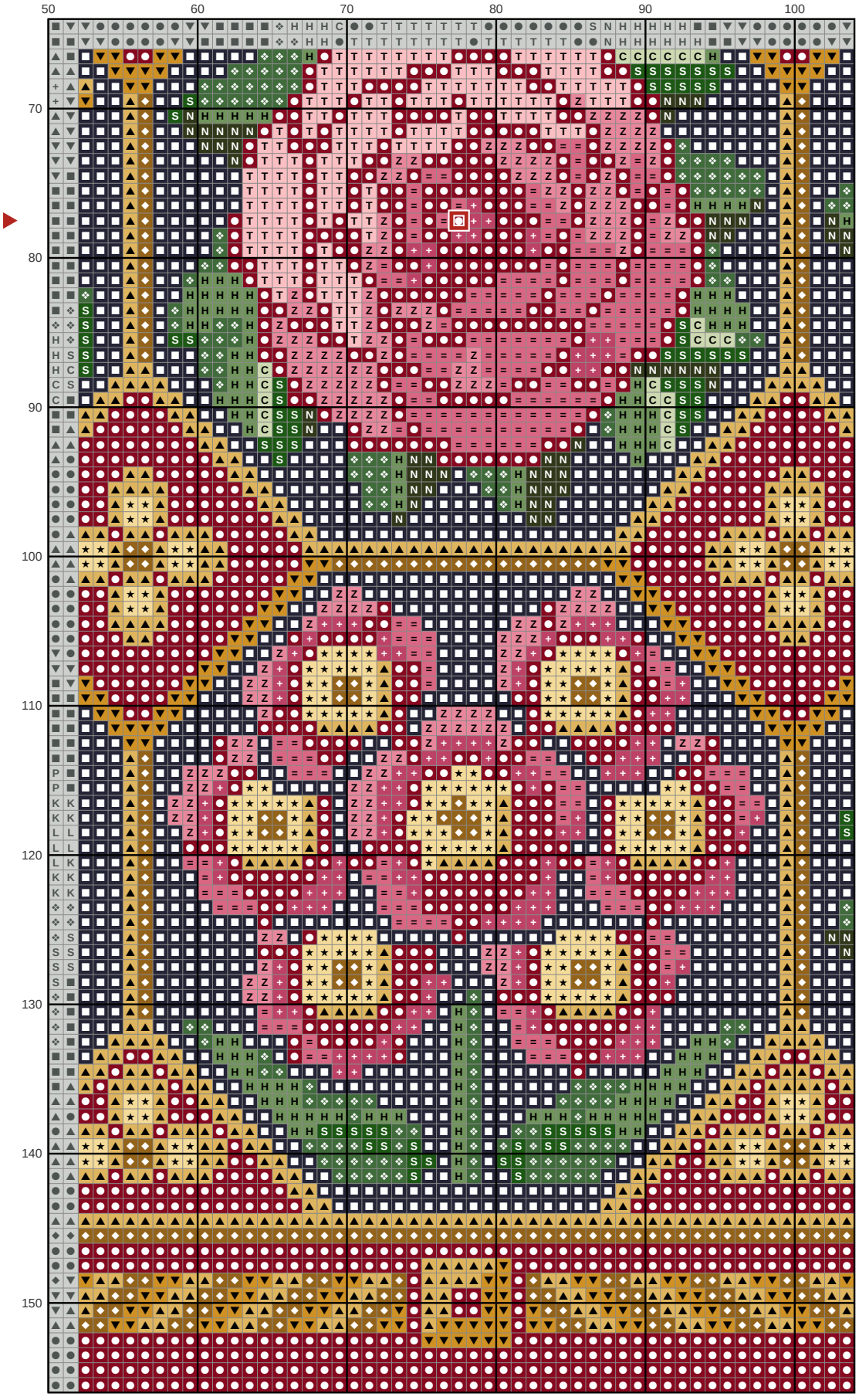
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- **DMC 550** Very Dark Violet
- **DMC 3347** Medium Yellow Green
- **DMC 3350** Ultra Dark Dusty Rose
- **DMC 3731** Very Dark Dusty Rose
- **DMC 712** Cream
- **DMC 934** Black Avocado Green
- **DMC 3345** Dark Hunter Green
- **DMC 211** Light Lavender
- **DMC 3348** Light Yellow Green
- **DMC 340** Medium Blue Violet
- **DMC 3746** Dark Blue Violet
- **DMC 32** Dark Blueberry

# Snowball quilt pillow

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Columns 53 to 104, rows 67 to 156. Start at the red outline. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again




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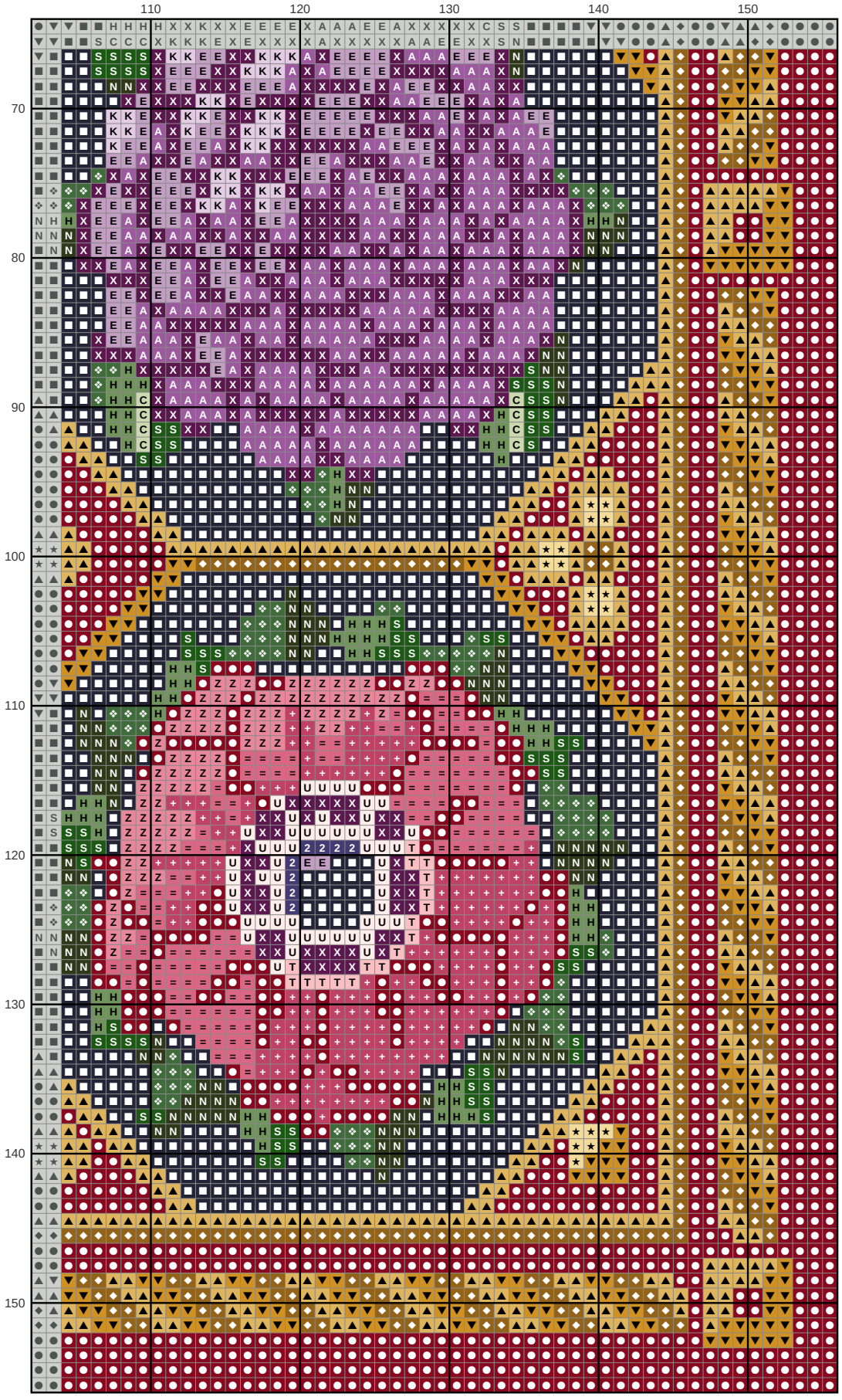
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- **DMC 783** Medium Topaz
- **DMC 3822** Light Straw
- **DMC 3346** Hunter Green
- **H** **DMC 3347** Medium Yellow Green
- **+** **DMC 3350** Ultra Dark Dusty Rose
- **=** **DMC 3731** Very Dark Dusty Rose
- **Z** **DMC 3733** Dusty Rose
- **T** **DMC 3689** Light Mauve
- **N** **DMC 934** Black Avocado Green
- **S** **DMC 3345** Dark Hunter Green
- **C** **DMC 3348** Light Yellow Green

# Snowball quilt pillow

Needlepoint pattern

Columns 105 to 156, rows 67 to 156. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again

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- **DMC 310** Black
- **DMC 3820** Dark Straw
- **DMC 780** Ultra Very Dark Topaz
- **DMC 783** Medium Topaz
- **DMC 3822** Light Straw
- **DMC 3346** Hunter Green
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- **DMC 33** Fuchsia
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- **DMC 934** Black Avocado Green
- **DMC 3345** Dark Hunter Green
- **DMC 211** Light Lavender
- **DMC 210** Medium Lavender
- **DMC 3348** Light Yellow Green
- **DMC 819** Light Baby Pink
- **DMC 32** Dark Blueberry