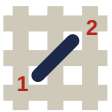
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Needlepoint pattern | 182 x 182 stitches | 14 x 14 in (35.6 x 35.6 cm) on 13 mesh | 21 colors



How to read the chart



1. Each square is one tent stitch, up at 1, down at 2: basketweave for the background, continental for lines.
2. Bind the edges. 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 (DMC 32): start there. Count threads, not holes.
4. Picture first, then border, background last. Gray squares are on two pages: stitch them once.
5. A heavier line stands every ten squares: count by them.
6. When it is done, block it square.

flossfield.com/needlepoint/guides/how-to-read-a-chart/

You will need

Canvas: blank mono canvas, 13 mesh (13 threads to the inch), cut 18 x 18 in (45.7 x 45.7 cm).

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

Thread: six-strand floss, 7 strands in the needle, six of one length and one of the next (8 if canvas shows), about 61 skeins in all (an estimate).

Make it a pillow: backing fabric, an insert the size of the stitching or an inch larger, and cord or piping for the edge. The seam takes two rows: stitch two extra rows all round, carrying the colors of the edge on. With those rows, each stitch in the color it lies beside, it takes 21 skeins of DMC 32, not 20; 13 of DMC 310, not 12. How to finish a pillow.

Thread list, DMC

			stitches	skeins
●	32	Dark Blueberry	13,456	20
■	310	Black	7,765	12
▲	29	Eggplant	2,415	4
◆	552	Medium Violet	1,801	3
▼	900	Dark Burnt Orange	955	2
★	904	Very Dark Parrot Green	855	2
❖	970	Light Pumpkin	818	2
X	906	Medium Parrot Green	765	2
O	907	Light Parrot Green	754	2
+	3740	Dark Antique Violet	617	1
=	745	Light Pale Yellow	491	1
Z	741	Medium Tangerine	469	1
A	300	Very Dark Mahogany	443	1
V	211	Light Lavender	424	1
T	3823	Ultra Pale Yellow	388	1
N	210	Medium Lavender	355	1
S	27	White Violet	159	1
K	3041	Medium Antique Violet	60	1
E	208	Very Dark Lavender	50	1
C	676	Light Old Gold	44	1
P	3743	Very Light Antique Violet	40	1

Skeins are estimates: 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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Chart 1 of 6: columns 1 to 61, rows 1 to 91

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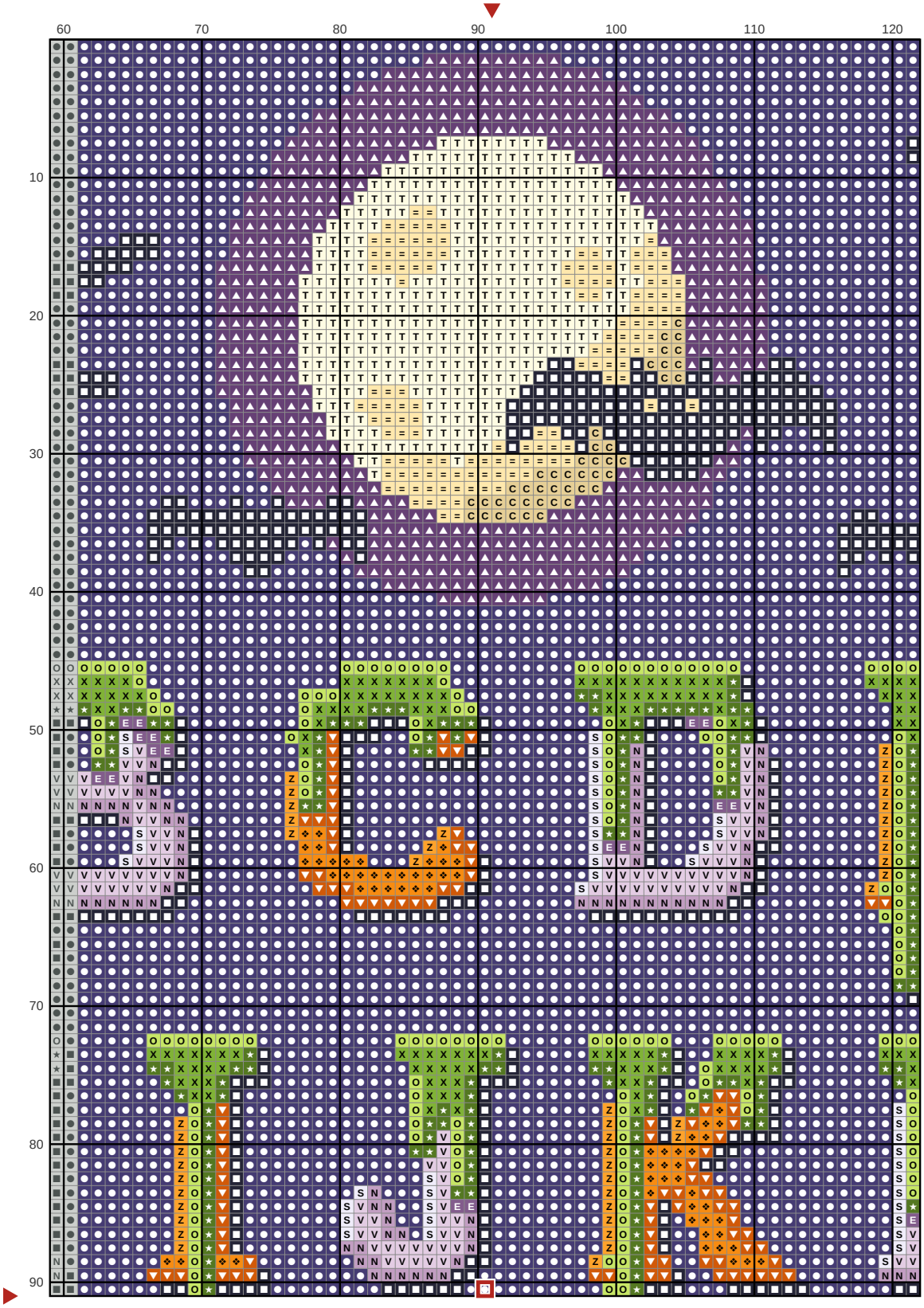
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- **DMC 310** Black
- **DMC 900** Dark Burnt Orange
- **DMC 904** Very Dark Parrot Green
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- **DMC 907** Light Parrot Green
- **DMC 3740** Dark Antique Violet
- **DMC 745** Light Pale Yellow
- **DMC 741** Medium Tangerine
- **DMC 211** Light Lavender
- **DMC 210** Medium Lavender
- **DMC 27** White Violet
- **DMC 3041** Medium Antique Violet
- **DMC 208** Very Dark Lavender
- **DMC 3743** Very Light Antique Violet

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Chart 2 of 6: columns 62 to 122, rows 1 to 91. Start at the red outline. Gray squares repeat columns 60 and 61: do not stitch them twice



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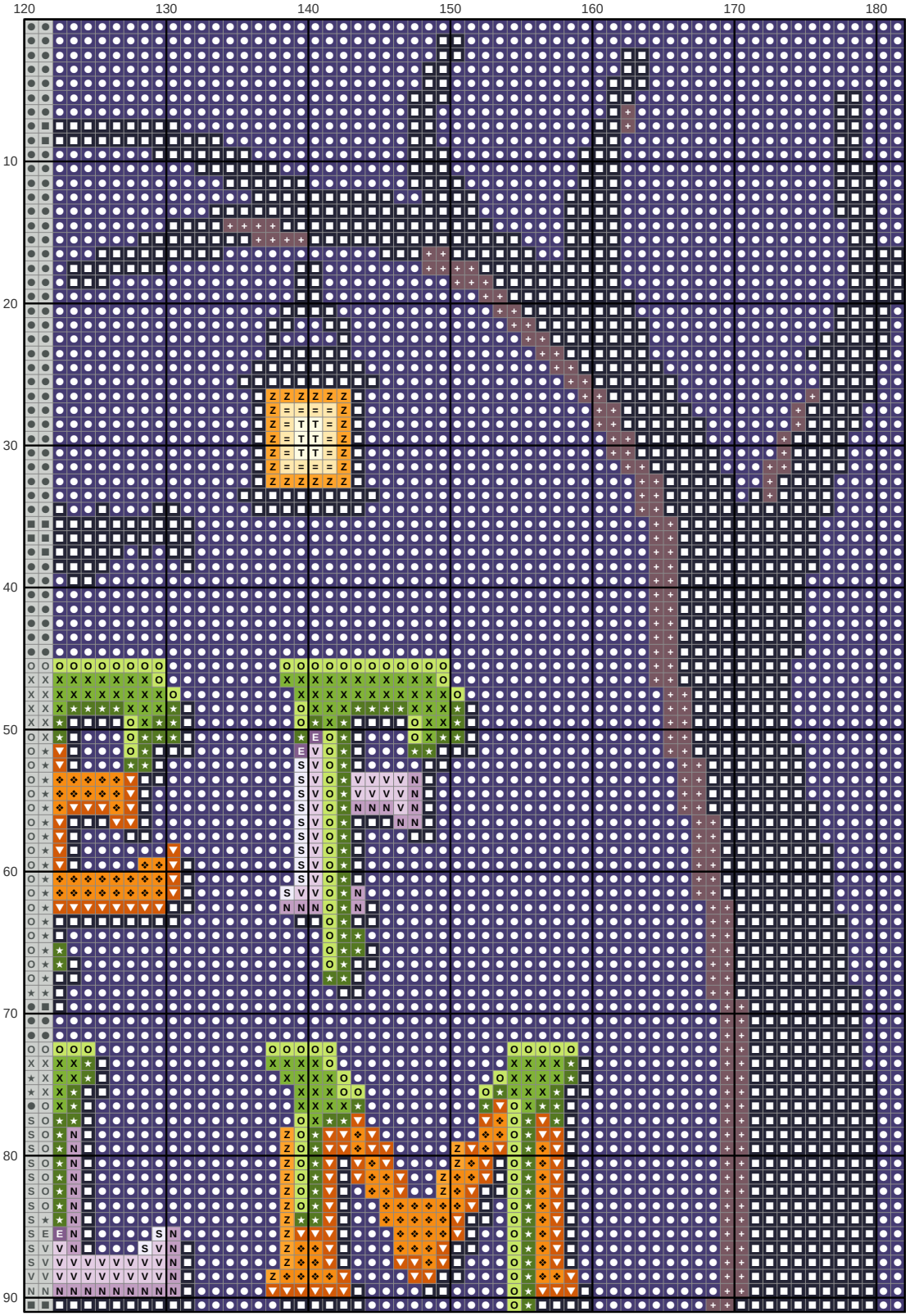
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- **DMC 970** Light Pumpkin
- **X** **DMC 906** Medium Parrot Green
- **O** **DMC 907** Light Parrot Green
- **=** **DMC 745** Light Pale Yellow
- **Z** **DMC 741** Medium Tangerine
- **V** **DMC 211** Light Lavender
- **T** **DMC 3823** Ultra Pale Yellow
- **N** **DMC 210** Medium Lavender
- **S** **DMC 27** White Violet
- **E** **DMC 208** Very Dark Lavender
- **C** **DMC 676** Light Old Gold

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Chart 3 of 6: columns 123 to 182, rows 1 to 91. Gray squares repeat columns 121 and 122: do not stitch them twice



Key

- **DMC 32** Dark Blueberry
- **DMC 310** Black
- **DMC 900** Dark Burnt Orange
- **DMC 904** Very Dark Parrot Green
- **DMC 970** Light Pumpkin
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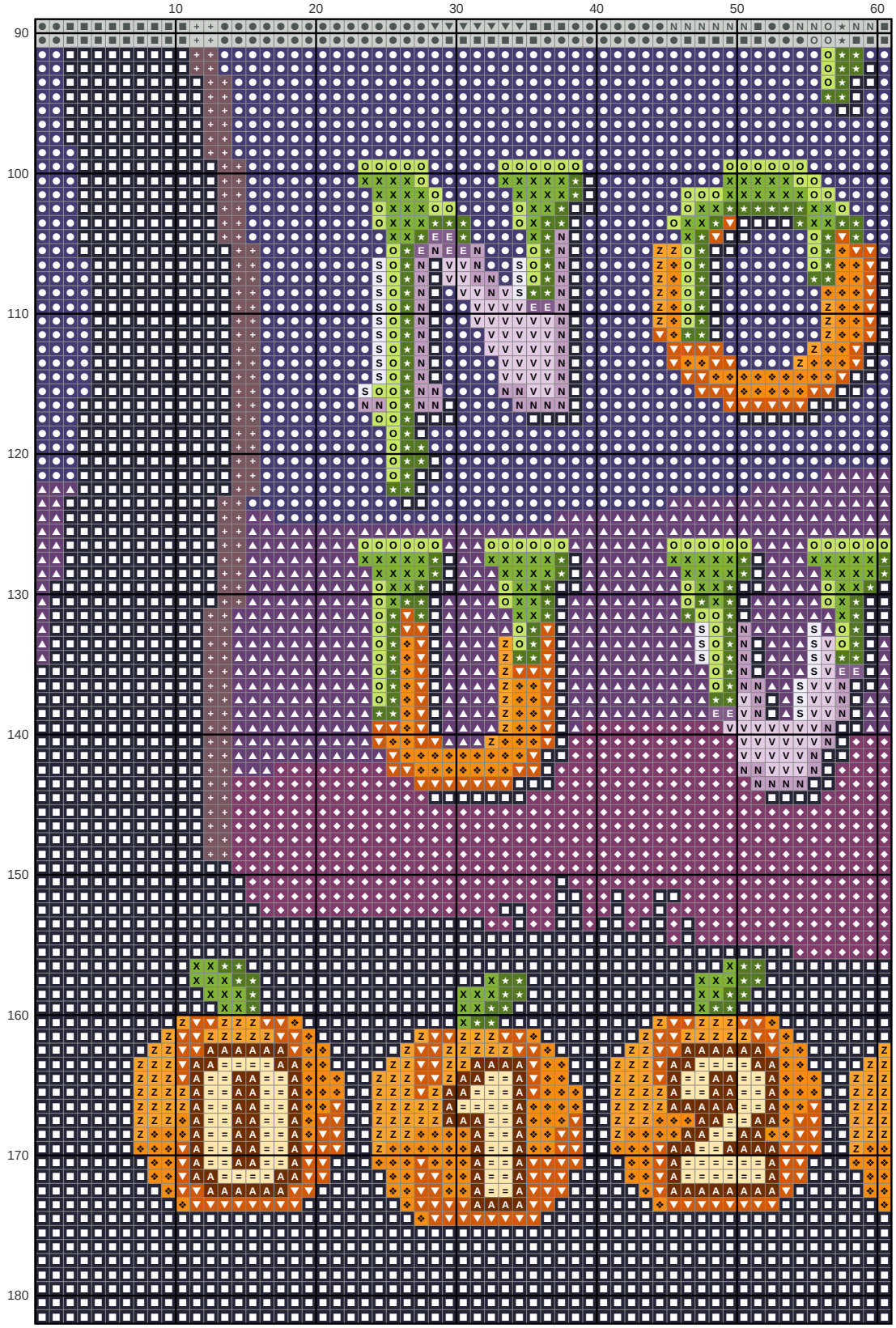
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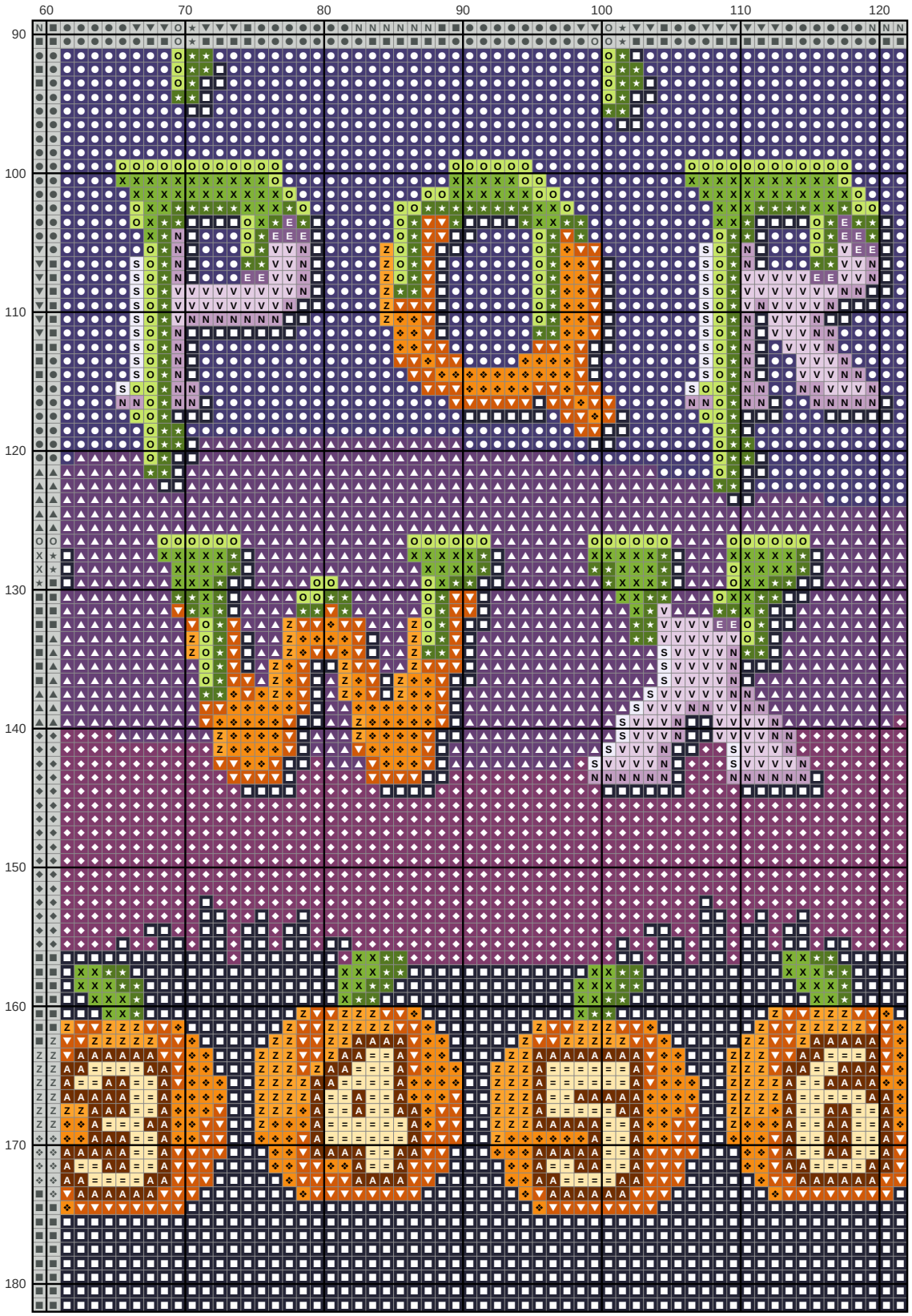
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- **DMC 970** Light Pumpkin
- **X DMC 906** Medium Parrot Green
- **O DMC 907** Light Parrot Green
- **+ DMC 3740** Dark Antique Violet
- **= DMC 745** Light Pale Yellow
- **Z DMC 741** Medium Tangerine
- **A DMC 300** Very Dark Mahogany
- **V DMC 211** Light Lavender
- **N DMC 210** Medium Lavender
- **S DMC 27** White Violet
- **E DMC 208** Very Dark Lavender

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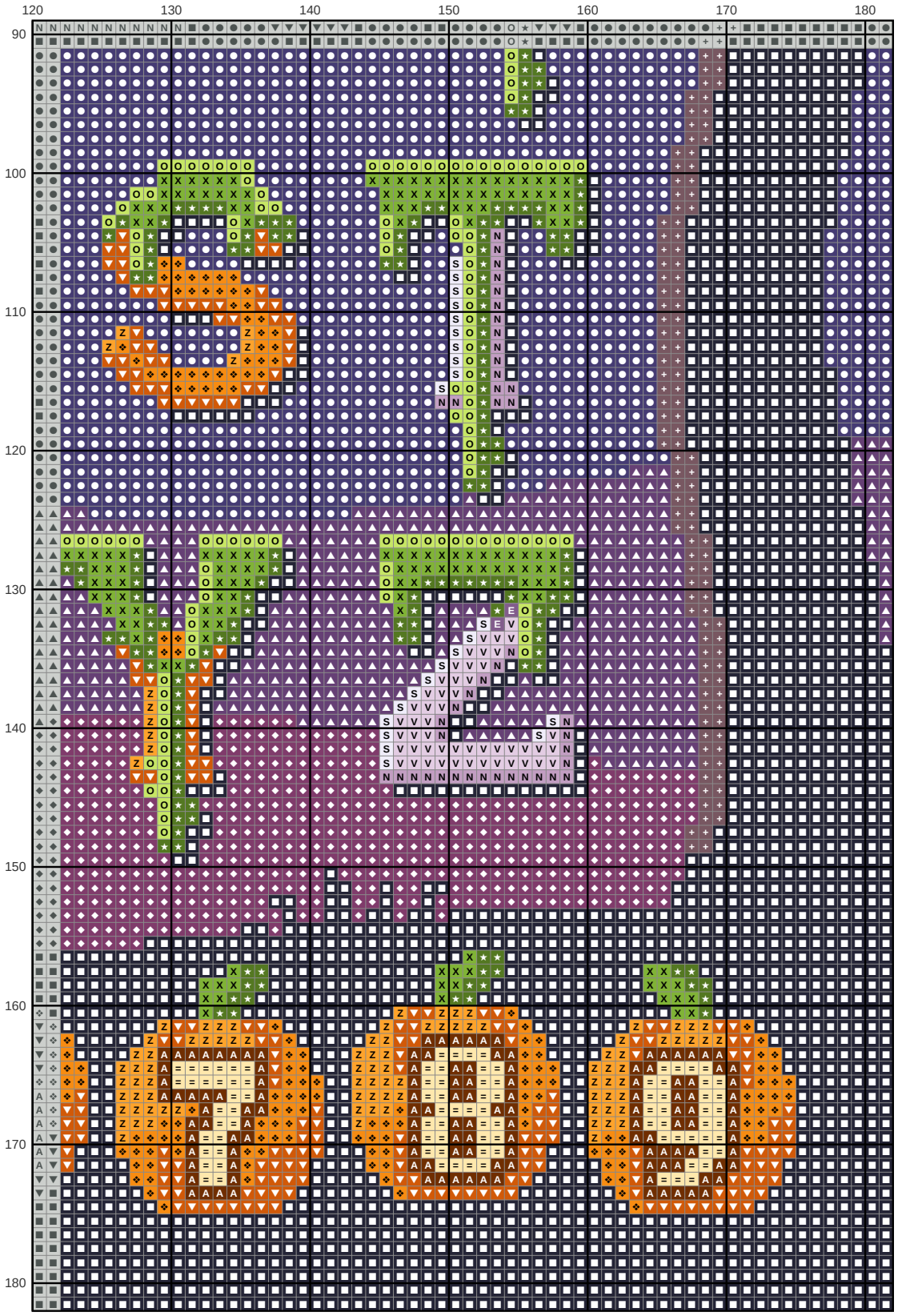
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- **DMC 208** Very Dark Lavender

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Chart 6 of 6: columns 123 to 182, rows 92 to 182. Gray squares repeat columns 121 and 122 and rows 90 and 91: do not stitch them twice



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- **A** **DMC 300** Very Dark Mahogany
- **V** **DMC 211** Light Lavender
- **N** **DMC 210** Medium Lavender
- **S** **DMC 27** White Violet
- **E** **DMC 208** Very Dark Lavender