Brown footstool cover, pears and grapes

Needlepoint pattern | 156 x 156 stitches | 12 x 12 in (30.5 x 30.5 cm) on 13 mesh | 24 colors



Thread key, DMC

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	**938**	Ultra Dark Coffee Brown	5,176	50	8
■	**801**	Dark Coffee Brown	2,683	26	4
▲	**898**	Very Dark Coffee Brown	1,985	19	3
◆	**831**	Medium Golden Olive	1,814	18	3
▼	**834**	Very Light Golden Olive	1,631	16	3
★	**829**	Very Dark Golden Olive	1,470	14	3
❖	**433**	Medium Brown	1,092	11	2
X	**3363**	Medium Pine Green	940	9	2
O	**3834**	Dark Grape	920	9	2
+	**3826**	Golden Brown	843	8	2
=	**310**	Black	832	8	2
Z	**154**	Very Dark Grape	776	8	2
A	**3827**	Pale Golden Brown	618	6	1
V	**3051**	Dark Green Gray	582	6	1
T	**977**	Light Golden Brown	521	5	1
N	**3013**	Light Khaki Green	397	4	1
S	**934**	Black Avocado Green	384	4	1
K	**161**	Gray Blue	378	4	1
E	**975**	Dark Golden Brown	329	4	1
C	**3721**	Dark Shell Pink	282	3	1
P	**739**	Ultra Very Light Tan	251	3	1
U	**160**	Medium Gray Blue	217	3	1
L	**223**	Light Shell Pink	124	2	1
2	**3328**	Dark Salmon	91	1	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 16 x 16 in (40.6 x 40.6 cm) for 13 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

24,336 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 divided evenly over 4 pages. 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: six-strand floss, 7 or 8 strands in the needle on 13 mesh (counted at 8), about 48 skeins of 8.7 yd in all. Or pearl cotton size 3, 1 strand, about 29 skeins of 16.4 yd; or tapestry wool, 1 strand, about 39 skeins of 8.7 yd; or Persian wool, 2 strands, about 34 skeins of 8 yd. Wool is numbered differently: match it by eye. Needle: tapestry, size 20.

Yards and 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 (about 241 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.

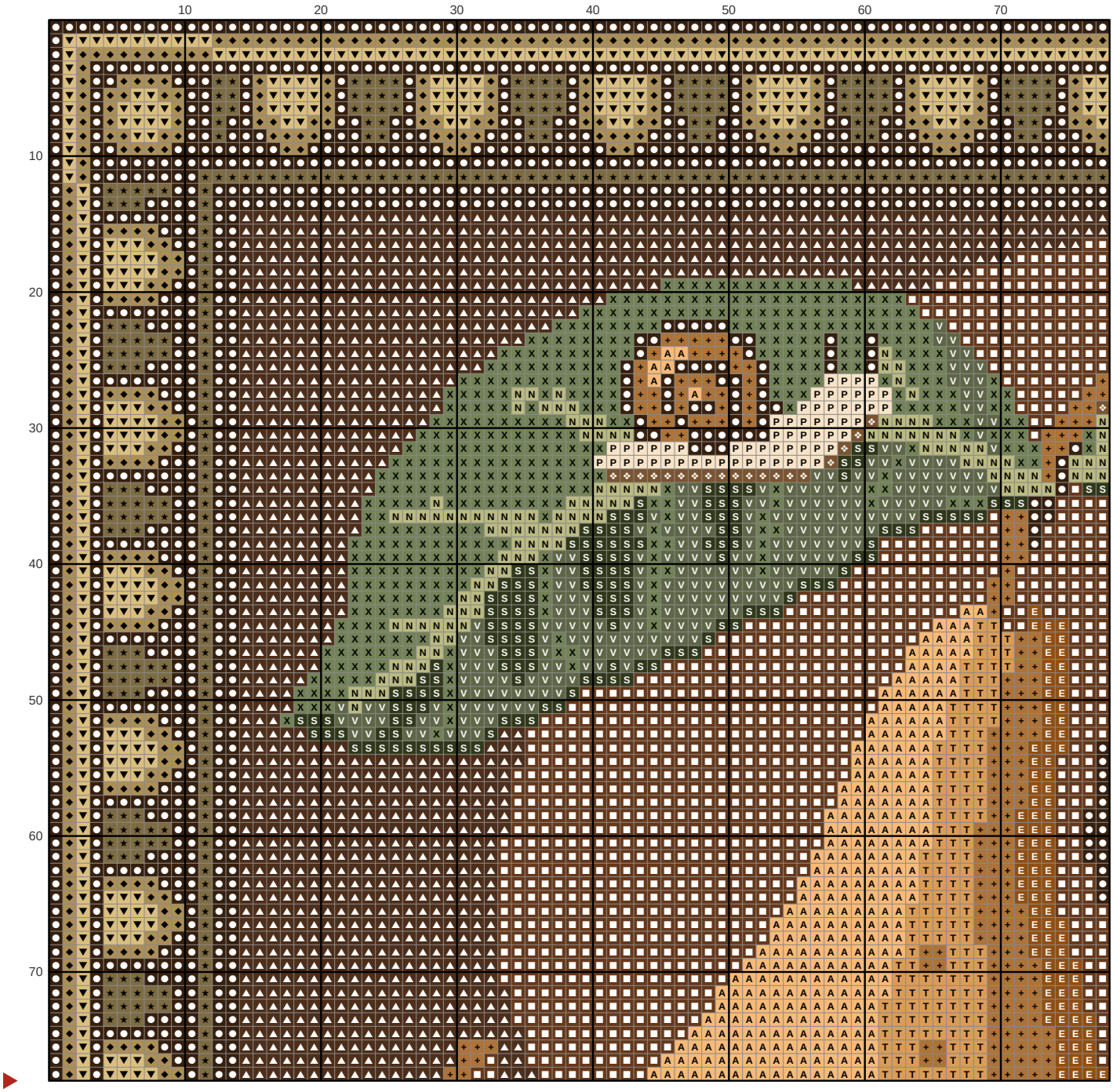
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Chart 1 of 4: columns 1 to 78, rows 1 to 78

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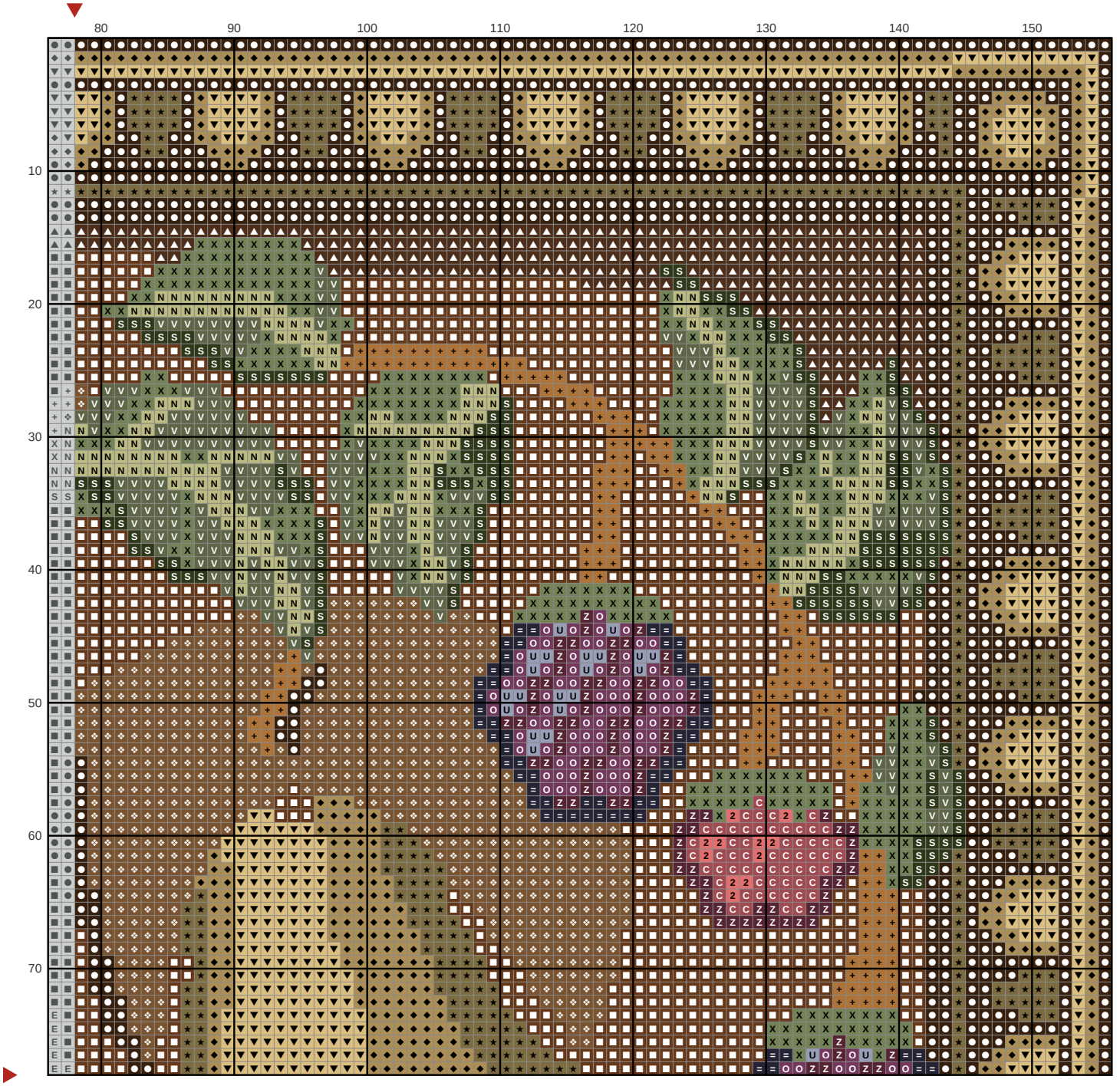


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Chart 2 of 4: columns 79 to 156, rows 1 to 78; gray squares repeat columns 77 and 78

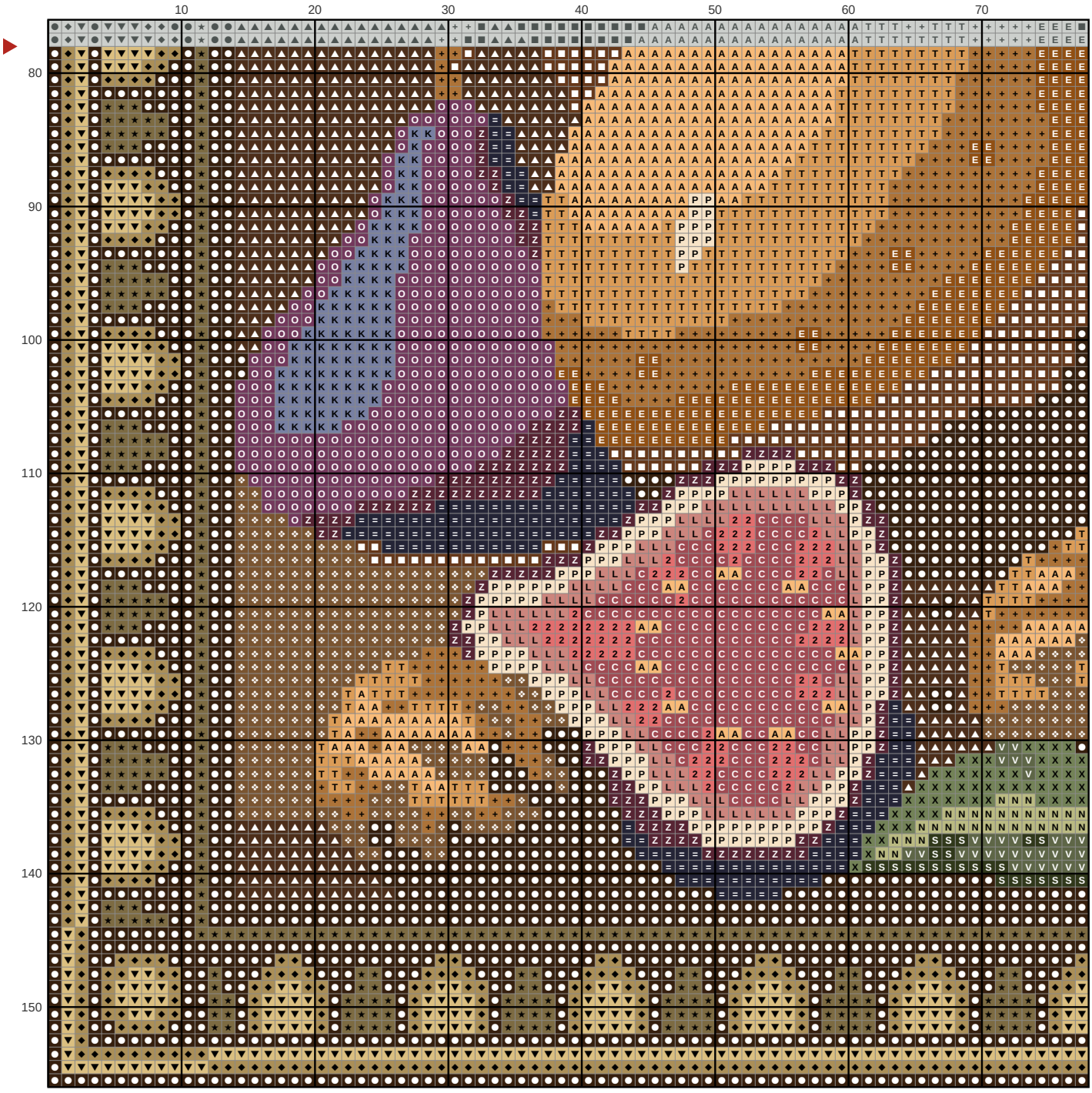


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Chart 3 of 4: columns 1 to 78, rows 79 to 156; gray squares repeat rows 77 and 78

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Chart 4 of 4: columns 79 to 156, rows 79 to 156; gray squares repeat columns 77 and 78 and rows 77 and 78

