Sunflowers in a jar after Van Gogh

Needlepoint pattern | 104 x 130 stitches | 8 x 10 in (20.3 x 25.4 cm) on 13 mesh | 22 colors



Thread key, DMC

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	**3811**	Very Light Turquoise	2,058	20	3
■	**747**	Very Light Sky Blue	1,375	14	2
▲	**936**	Very Dark Avocado Green	1,166	12	2
◆	**783**	Medium Topaz	1,053	10	2
▼	**729**	Medium Old Gold	1,023	10	2
★	**471**	Very Light Avocado Green	871	9	2
❖	**725**	Medium Light Topaz	721	7	2
X	**469**	Avocado Green	689	7	2
O	**726**	Light Topaz	590	6	1
+	**920**	Medium Copper	556	6	1
=	**3760**	Medium Wedgwood	492	5	1
Z	**676**	Light Old Gold	475	5	1
A	**780**	Ultra Very Dark Topaz	344	4	1
V	**3371**	Black Brown	321	4	1
T	**918**	Dark Red Copper	318	4	1
N	**598**	Light Turquoise	315	3	1
S	**727**	Very Light Topaz	278	3	1
K	**741**	Medium Tangerine	255	3	1
E	**801**	Dark Coffee Brown	241	3	1
C	**712**	Cream	185	2	1
P	**436**	Tan	144	2	1
U	**921**	Copper	50	1	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 12 x 14 in (30.5 x 35.6 cm) for 13 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

13,520 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 2 pages. 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. 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 31 skeins of 8.7 yd in all. Or pearl cotton size 3, 1 strand, about 23 skeins of 16.4 yd; or tapestry wool, 1 strand, about 28 skeins of 8.7 yd; or Persian wool, 2 strands, about 24 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 140 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.

Frame it: also have acid-free board and a frame. "How to frame needlepoint" is a guide linked from this pattern's page.

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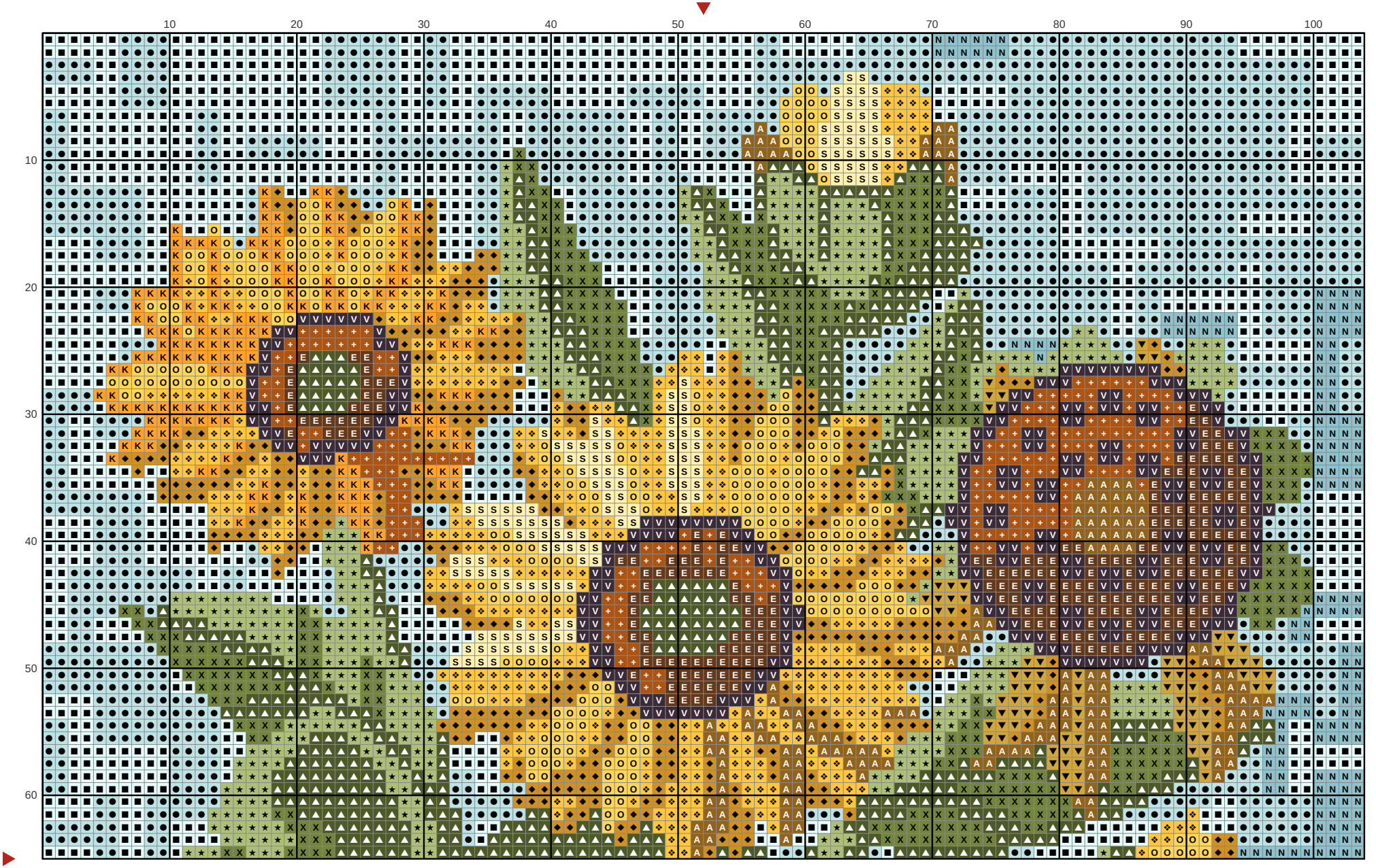

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Chart 2 of 2: columns 1 to 104, rows 66 to 130; gray squares repeat rows 64 and 65

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