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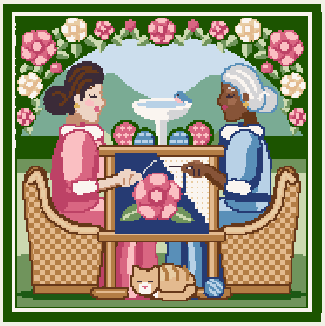
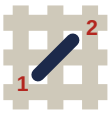
Needlepoint pattern | 182 x 182 stitches | 14 x 14 in (35.6 x 35.6 cm) on 13 mesh | 24 colors



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 3, column 91, row 91 (DMC 336): 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 895: 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, 24 colors, about 62 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
●	895	Very Dark Hunter Green	6,861	13
■	3865	Winter White	2,725	4
▲	435	Very Light Brown	2,696	4
◆	437	Light Tan	2,656	4
▼	3841	Pale Baby Blue	1,879	3
★	3347	Medium Yellow Green	1,840	3
❖	801	Dark Coffee Brown	1,776	3
X	503	Medium Blue Green	1,766	3
H	336	Navy Blue	1,706	3
+	3731	Very Dark Dusty Rose	1,453	3
=	3689	Light Mauve	1,336	2
Z	3350	Ultra Dark Dusty Rose	1,302	2
A	3348	Light Yellow Green	1,016	2
V	322	Dark Baby Blue	895	2
T	3325	Light Baby Blue	718	2
N	3371	Black Brown	487	1
S	738	Very Light Tan	484	1
K	415	Pearl Gray	439	1
E	950	Light Desert Sand	338	1
C	632	Ultra Very Dark Desert Sand	314	1
P	3345	Dark Hunter Green	269	1
U	3064	Desert Sand	121	1
L	3772	Very Dark Desert Sand	31	1
2	3820	Dark Straw	16	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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Columns 1 to 61, rows 1 to 91

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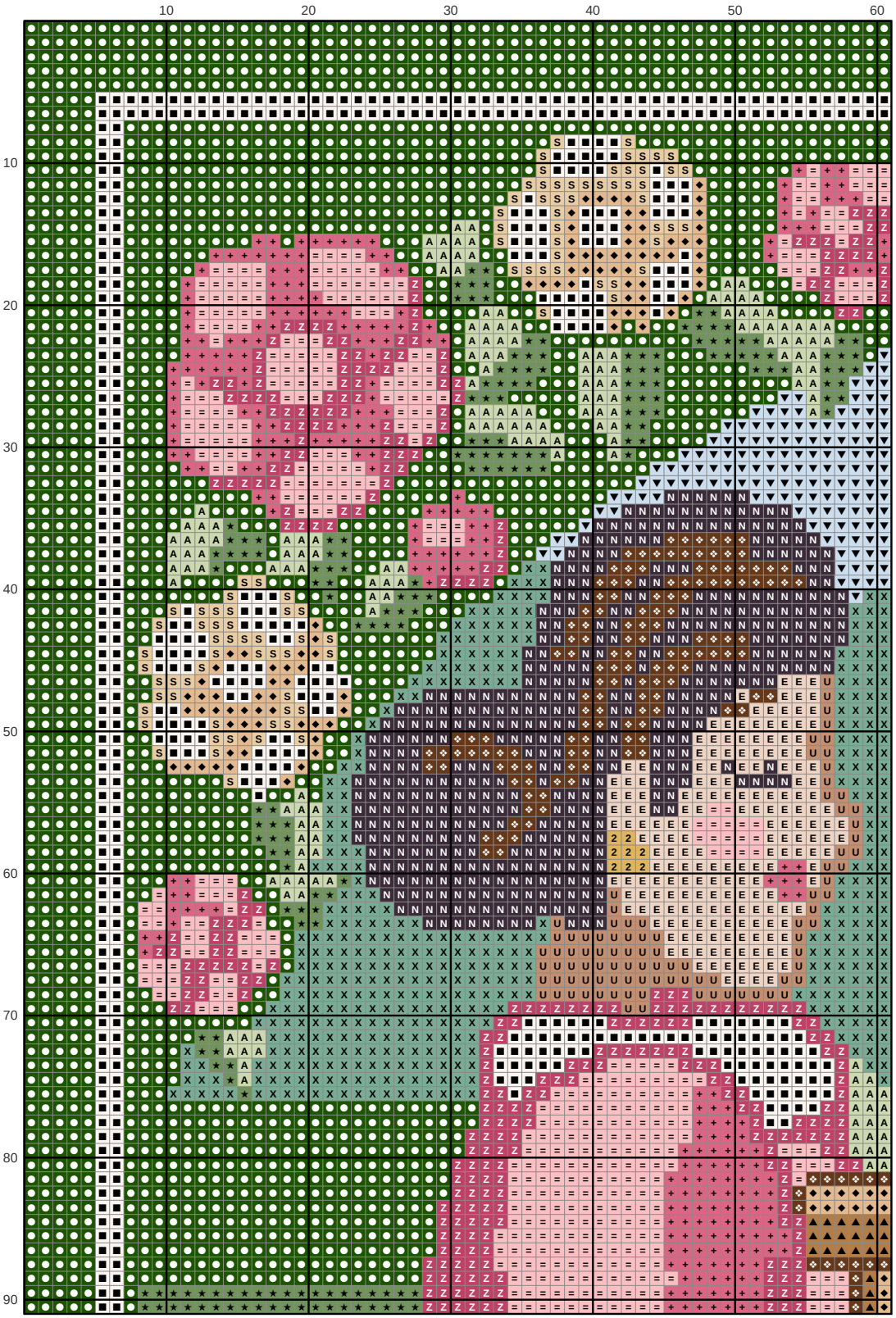

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- **DMC 3064** Desert Sand
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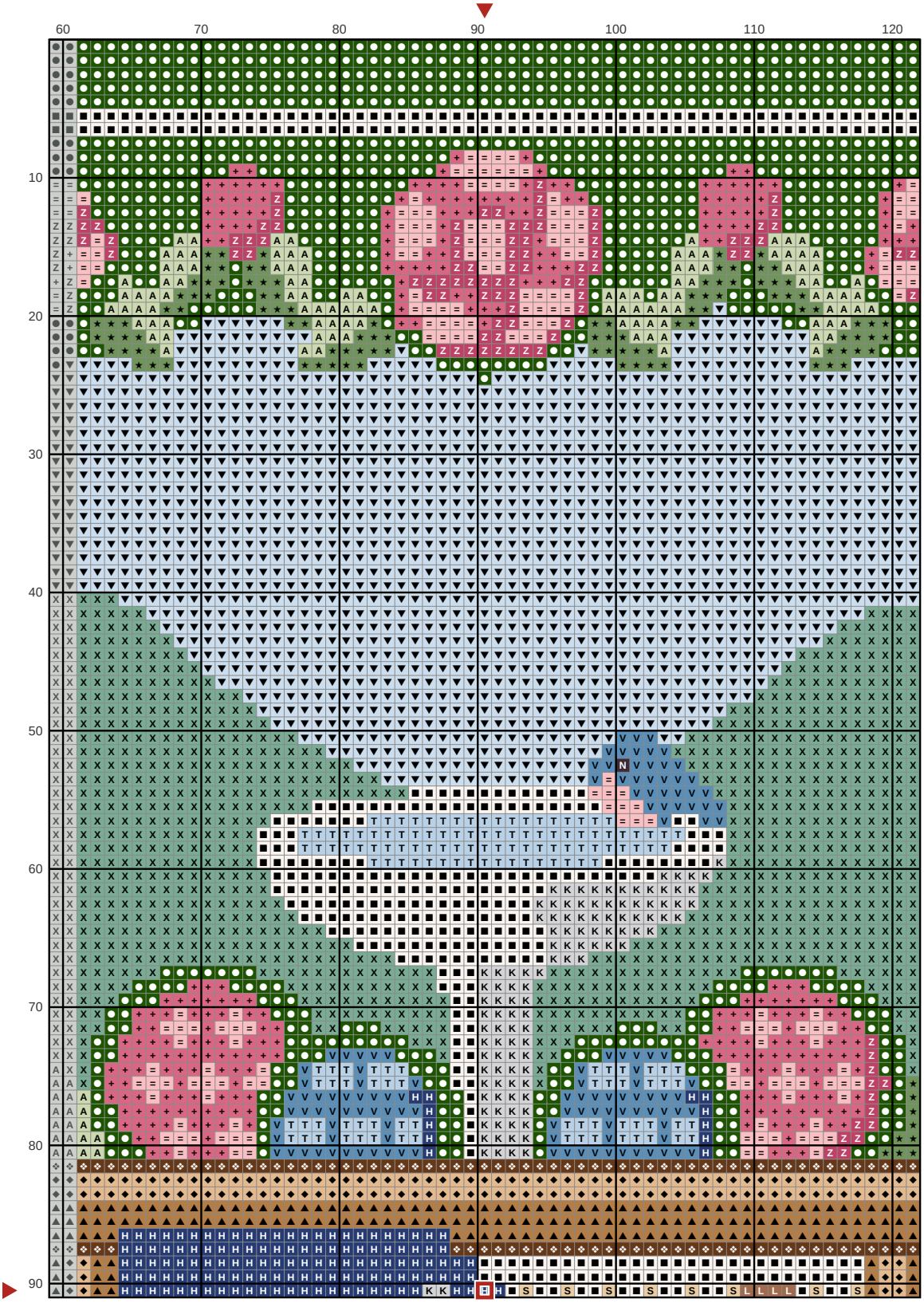

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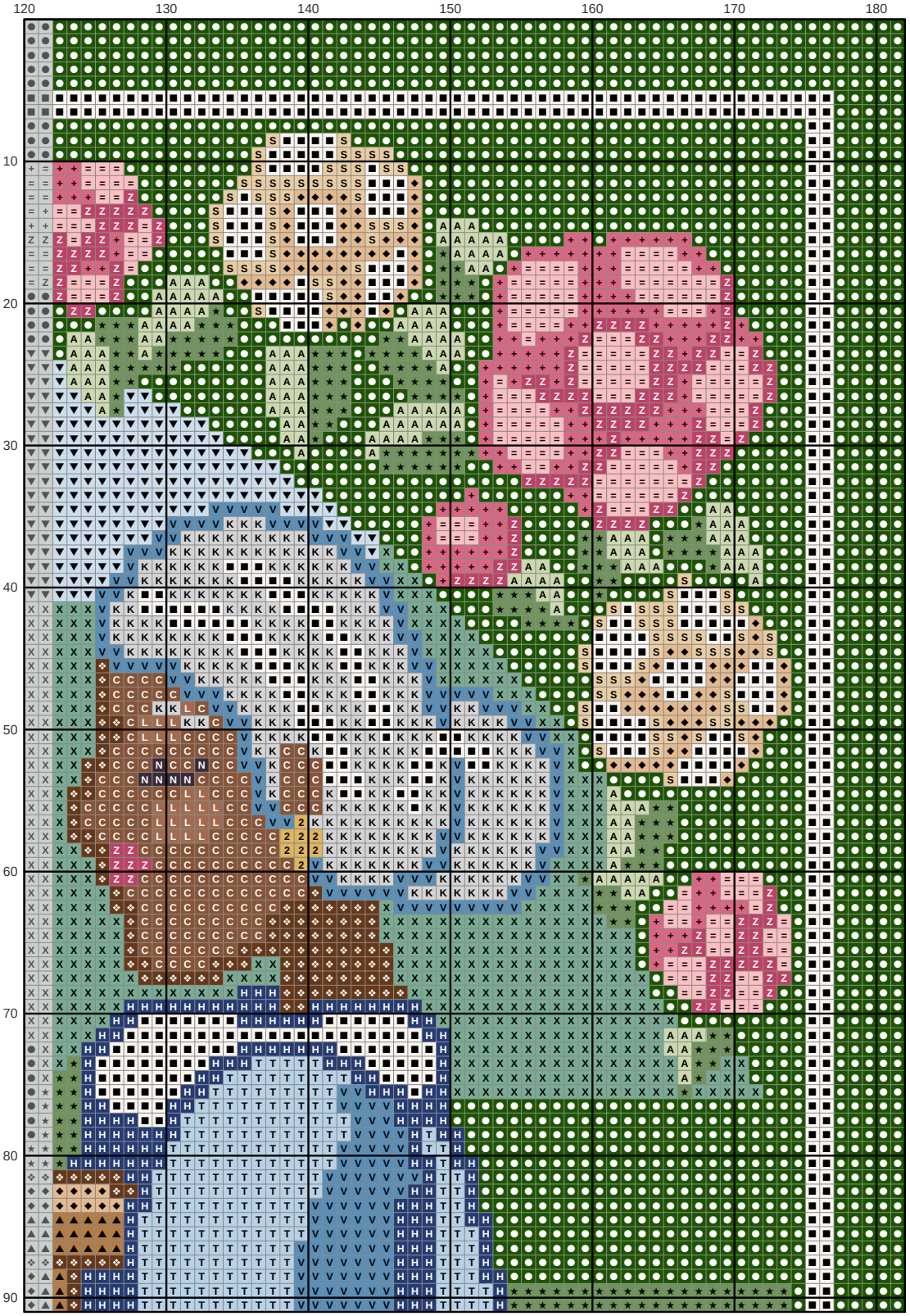

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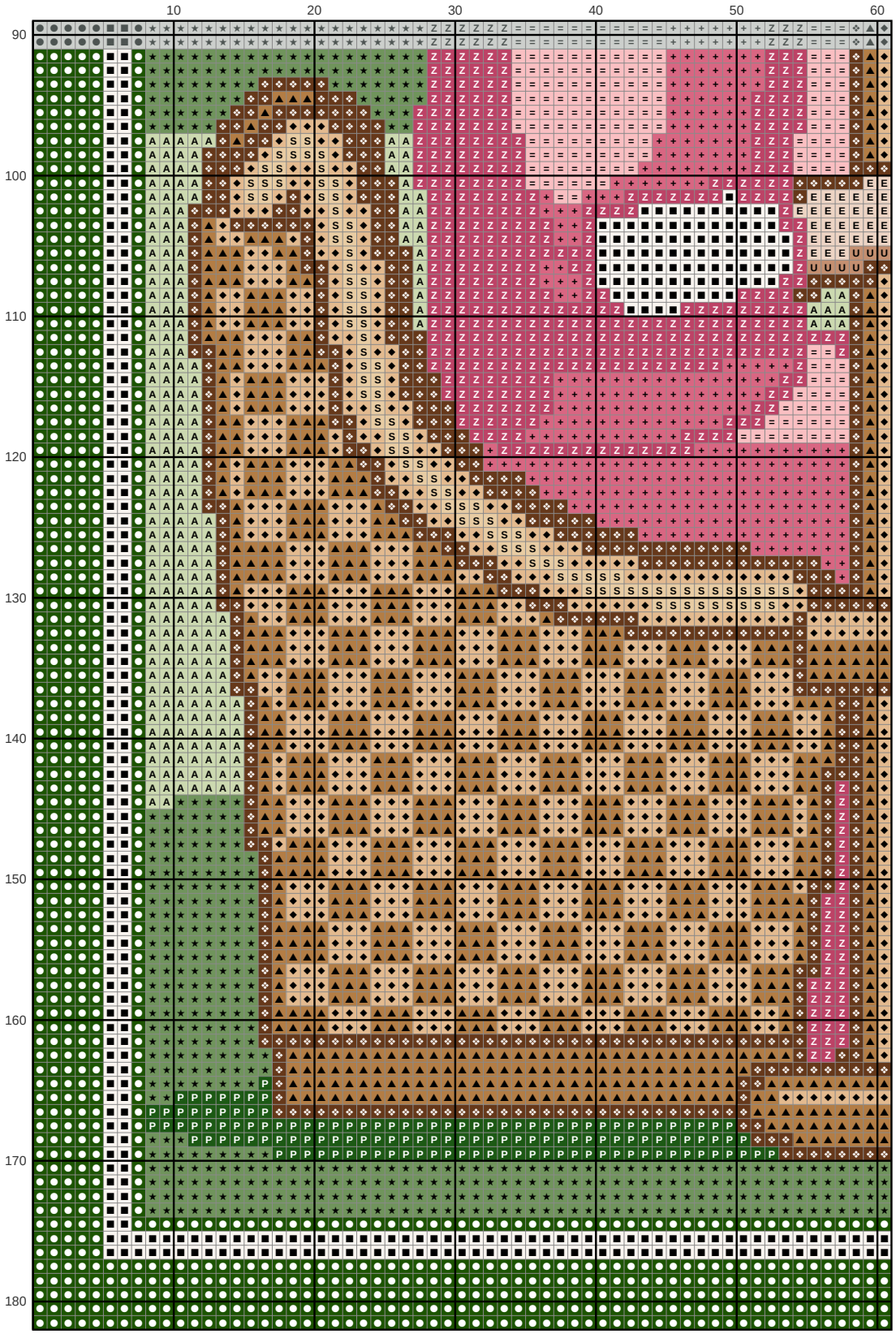

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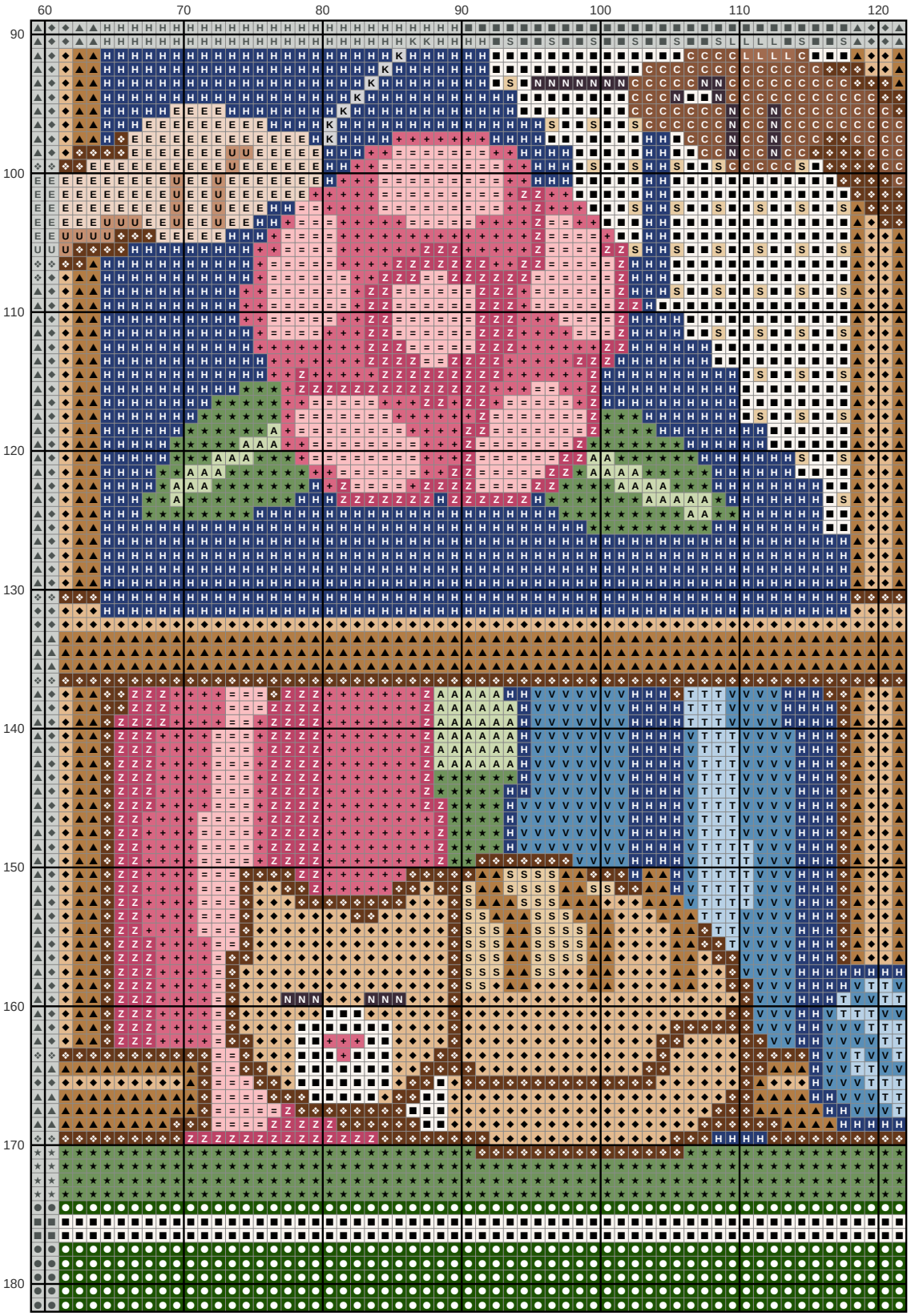

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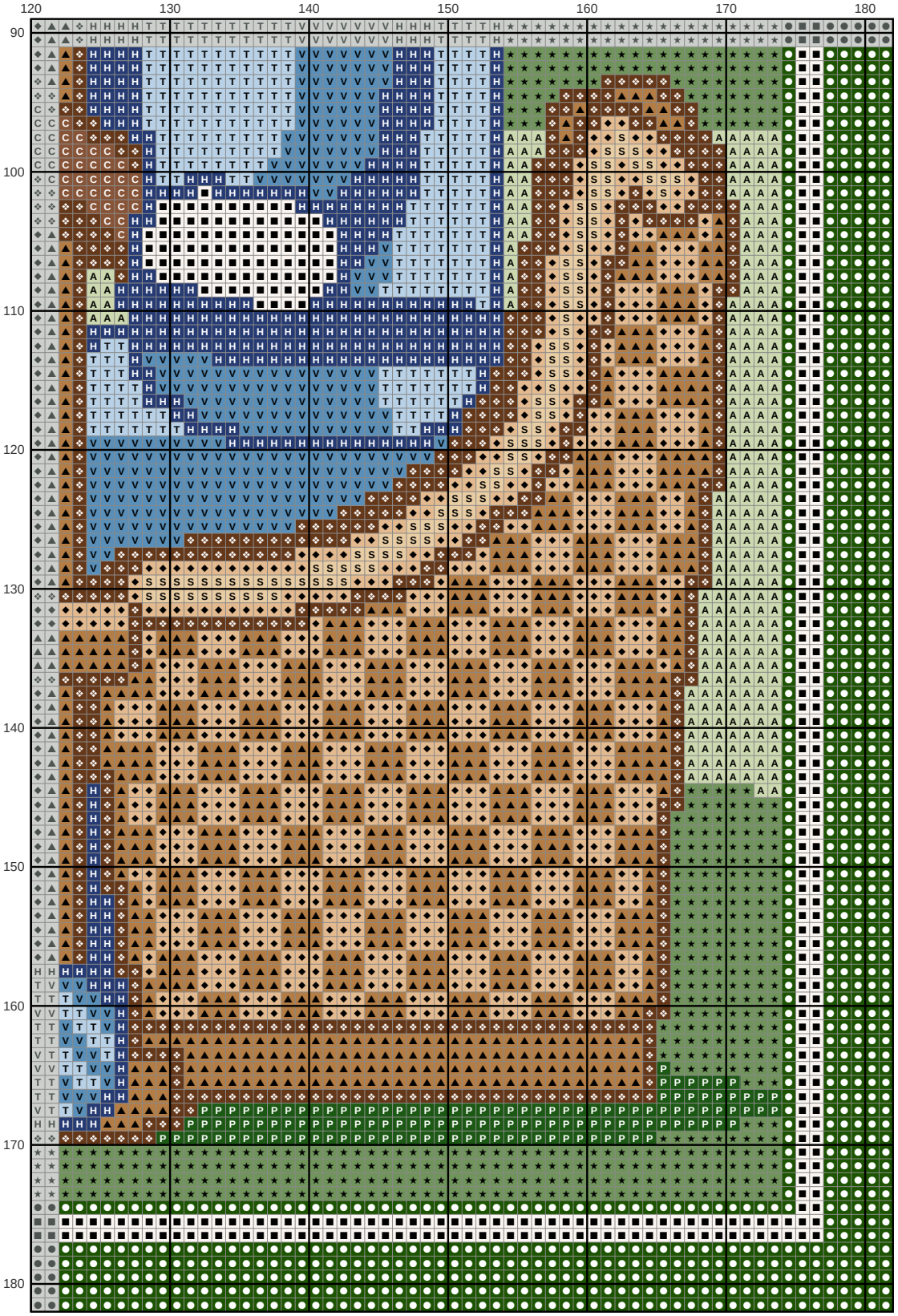

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