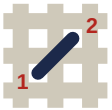
Santa face with a beard of snow pines

Needlepoint pattern | 140 x 140 stitches | 14 x 14 in (35.6 x 35.6 cm) on 10 mesh | 21 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 2, column 70, row 70 (DMC BLANC): 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, each stitch in the color it lies beside: 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, 10 mesh (10 threads to the inch), cut 18.5 in square (47 cm).

Needle: blunt tapestry, size 18. Also masking tape for the cut edges, and small scissors.

Thread: pearl cotton size 3, 21 colors, about 43 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 2 lengths together.

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
●	**BLANC**	White	4,272	7
■	**939**	Very Dark Navy Blue	3,488	6
▲	**336**	Navy Blue	2,567	5
◆	**3841**	Pale Baby Blue	1,854	3
▼	**3755**	Baby Blue	1,837	3
★	**823**	Dark Navy Blue	1,331	3
❖	**321**	Red	864	2
X	**931**	Medium Antique Blue	553	1
H	**501**	Dark Blue Green	520	1
+	**666**	Bright Red	490	1
=	**500**	Very Dark Blue Green	333	1
Z	**945**	Tawny	330	1
A	**815**	Medium Garnet	289	1
V	**3712**	Medium Salmon	226	1
T	**758**	Very Light Terra Cotta	153	1
N	**760**	Salmon	139	1
S	**498**	Dark Red	102	1
K	**898**	Very Dark Coffee Brown	92	1
E	**951**	Light Tawny	88	1
C	**3064**	Desert Sand	50	1
P	**322**	Dark Baby Blue	22	1

Skeins are estimates, with the two extra rows: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 10 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.

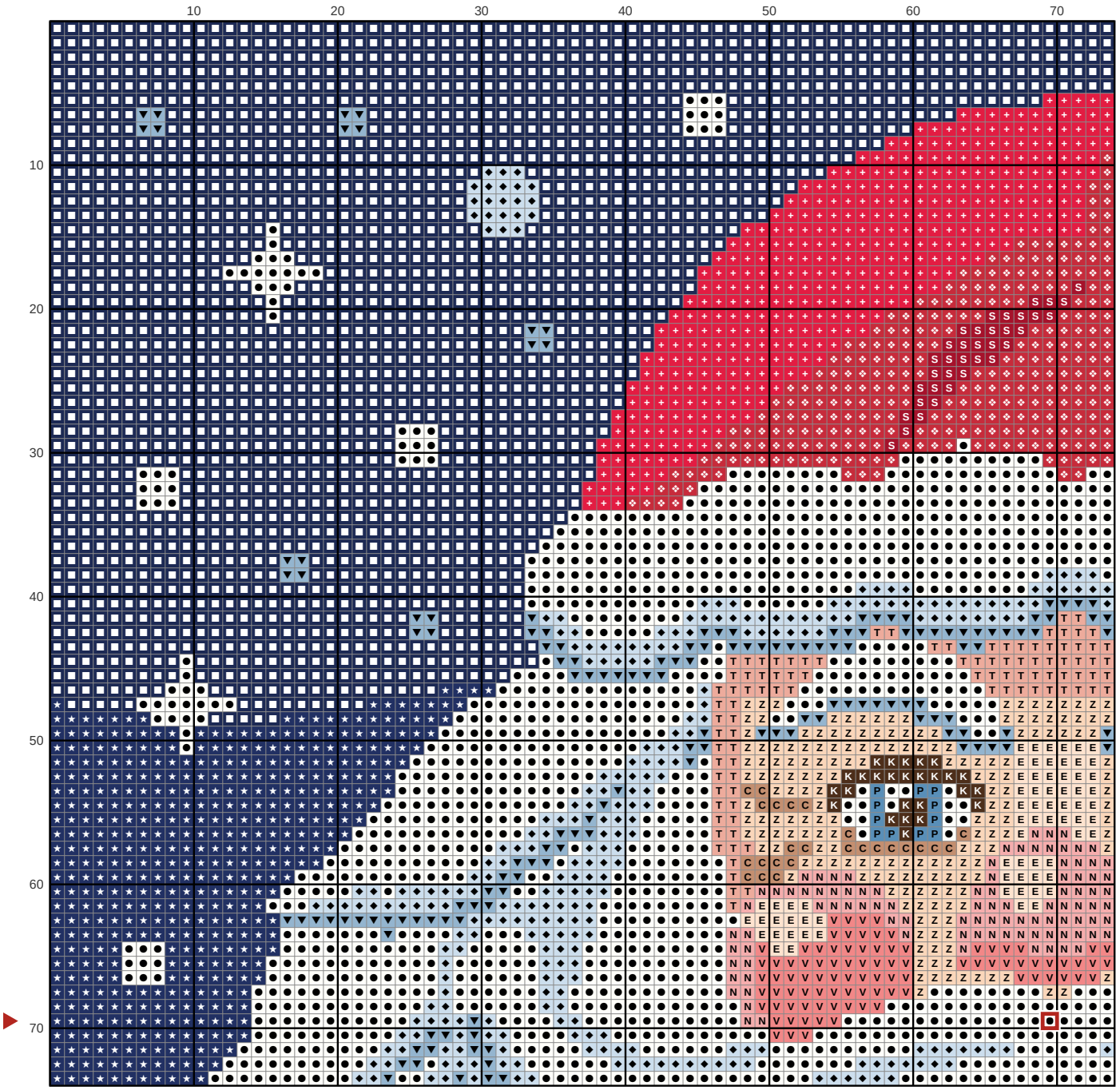
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Needlepoint pattern

Columns 1 to 74, rows 1 to 74. Start at the red outline

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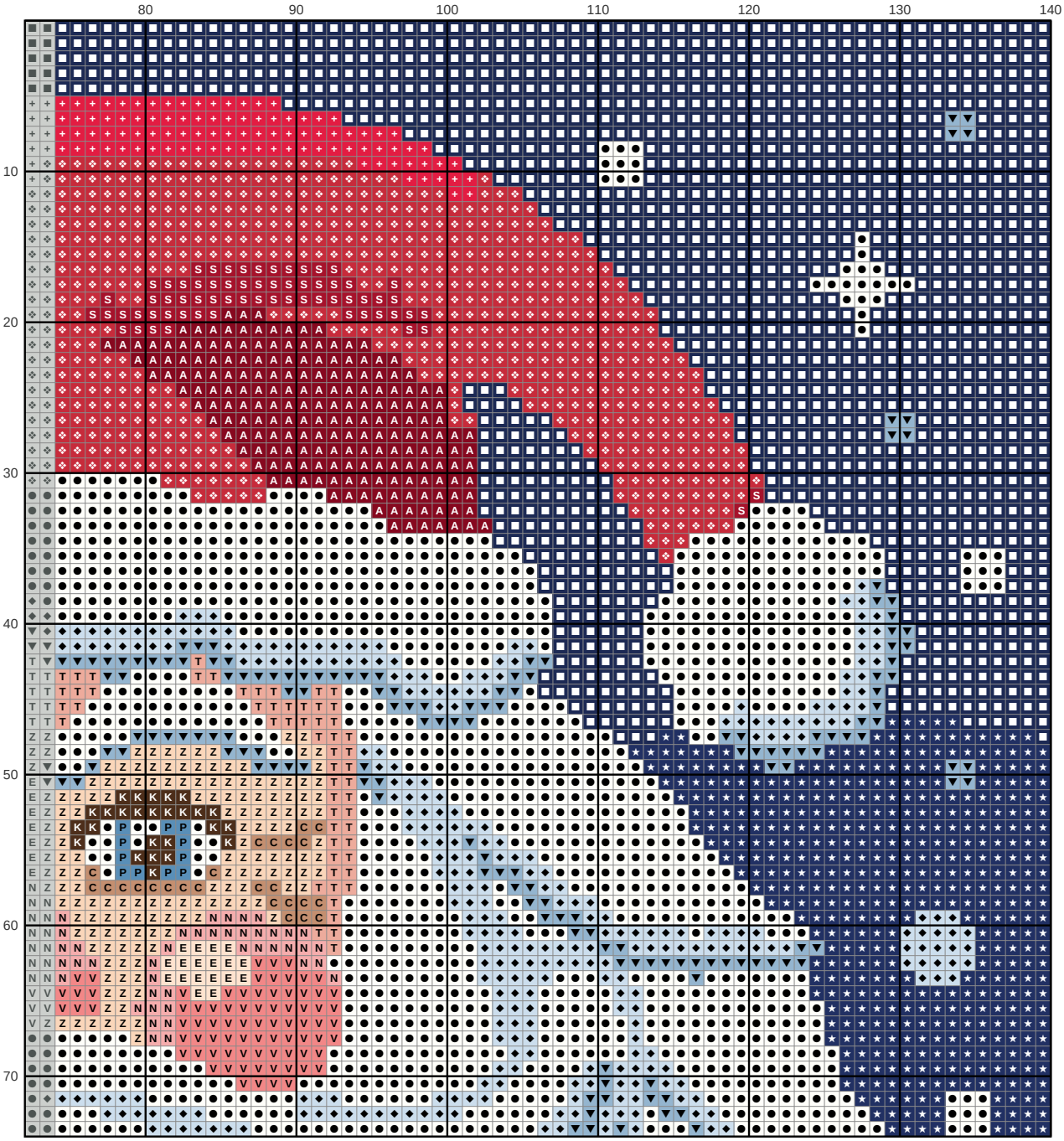
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- N **DMC 760** Salmon
- S **DMC 498** Dark Red
- K **DMC 898** Very Dark Coffee Brown
- E **DMC 951** Light Tawny
- C **DMC 3064** Desert Sand
- P **DMC 322** Dark Baby Blue

Santa face with a beard of snow pines Needlepoint pattern

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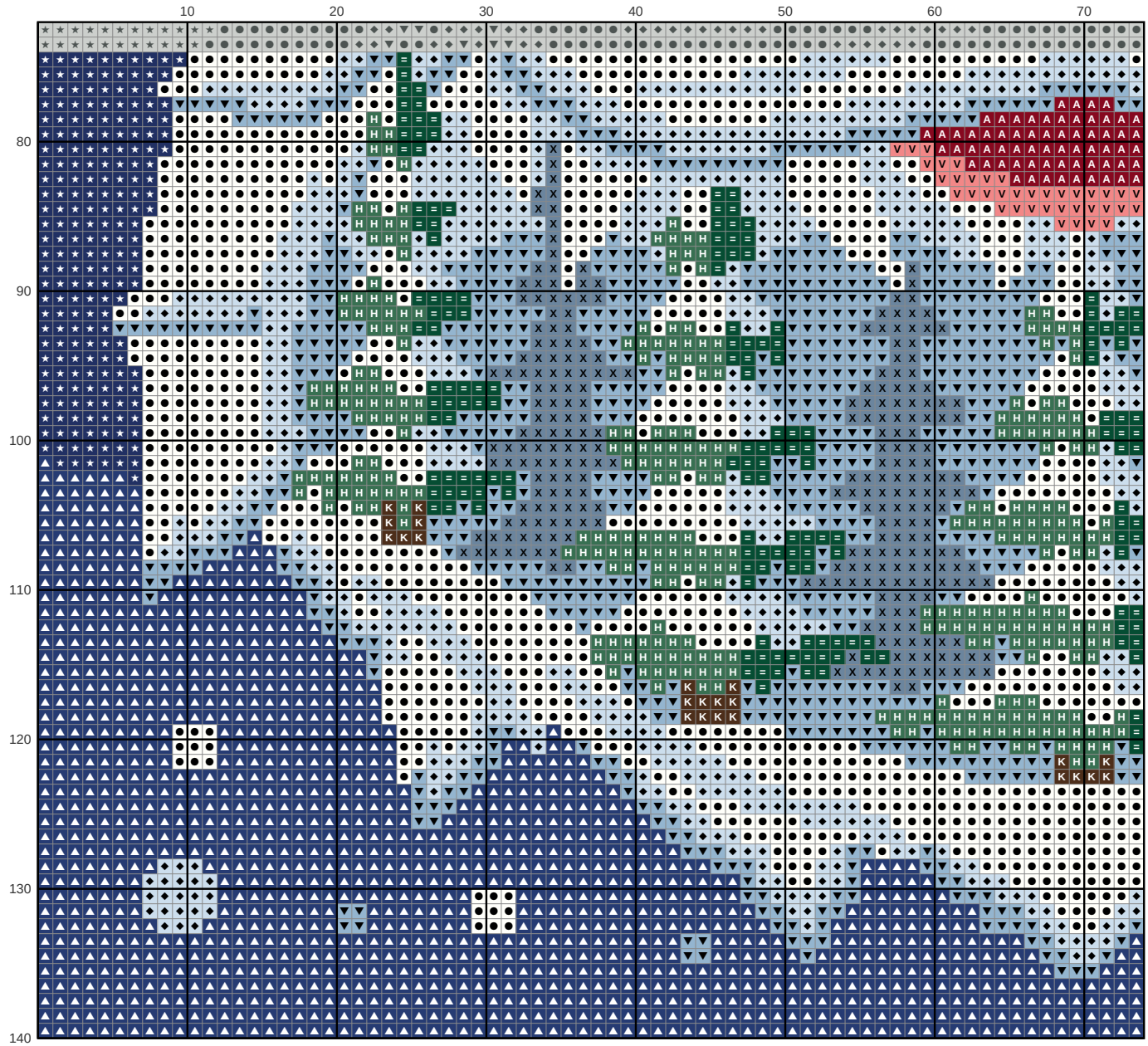
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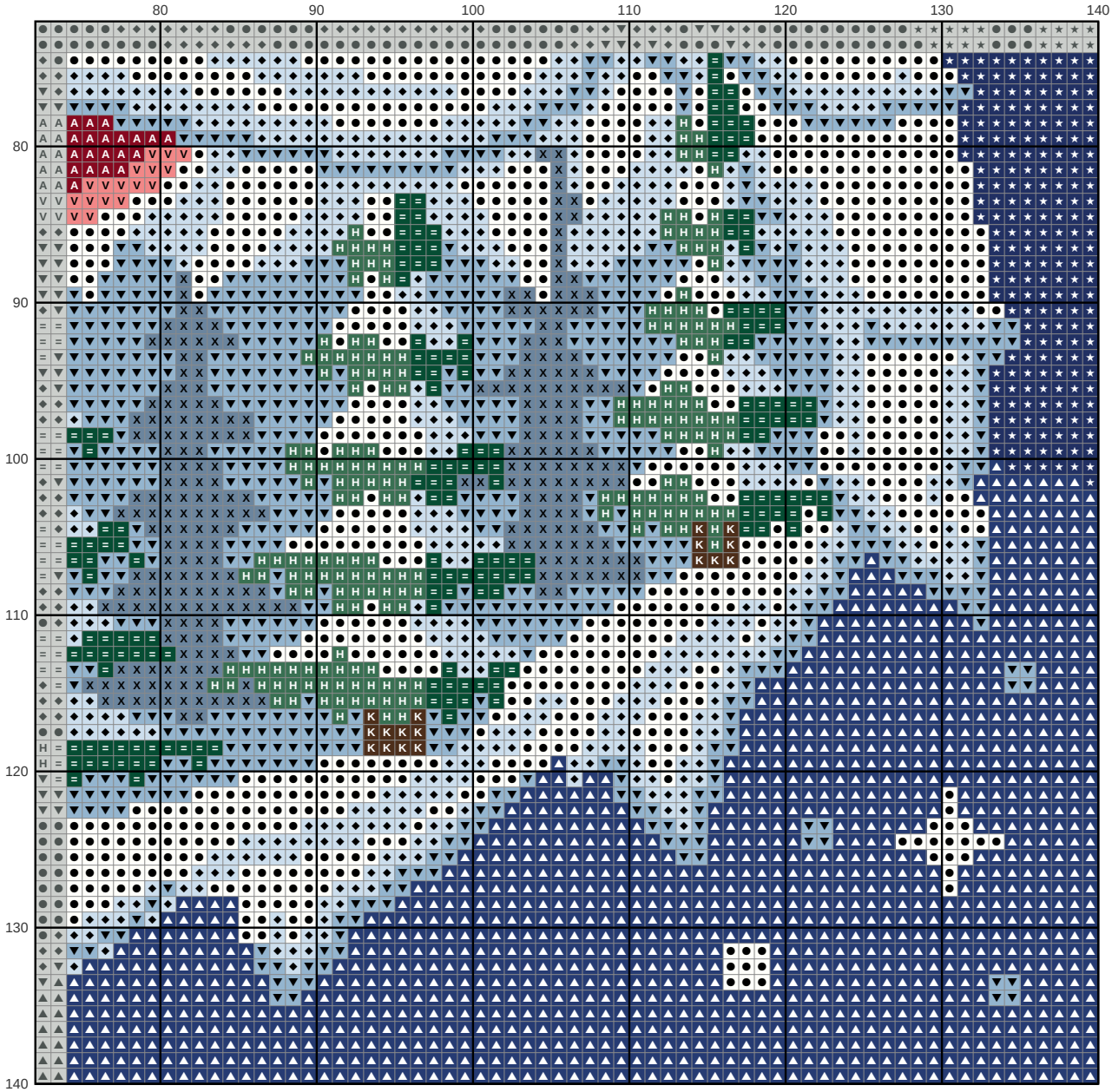
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