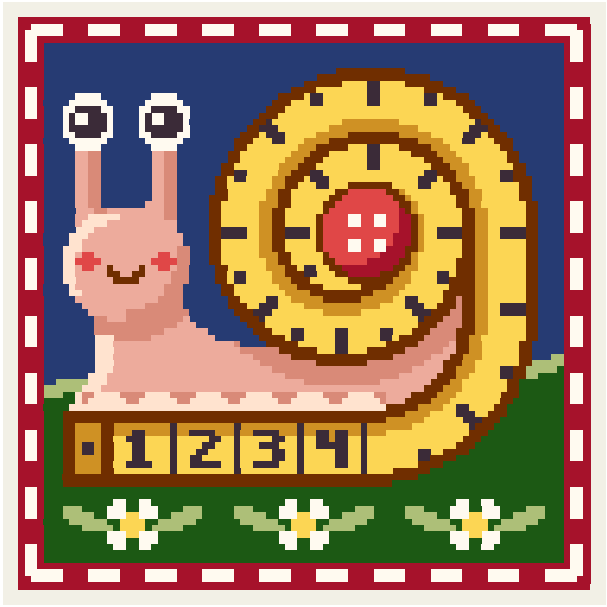
Tape measure snail

Needlepoint pattern | 90 x 90 stitches | 5 x 5 in (12.7 x 12.7 cm) on 18 mesh | 13 colors



Thread key

			stitches	yards	skeins of floss
●	**DMC 336**	Navy Blue	1,447	10	2
■	**DMC 726**	Light Topaz	1,255	9	1
▲	**DMC 3345**	Dark Hunter Green	1,019	7	1
◆	**DMC 498**	Dark Red	1,018	7	1
▼	**DMC 300**	Very Dark Mahogany	881	7	1
★	**DMC 712**	Cream	584	4	1
❖	**DMC 758**	Very Light Terra Cotta	515	4	1
X	**DMC 783**	Medium Topaz	357	3	1
O	**DMC 3371**	Black Brown	315	3	1
+	**DMC 3778**	Light Terra Cotta	279	2	1
=	**DMC 951**	Light Tawny	172	2	1
Z	**DMC 471**	Very Light Avocado Green	142	1	1
A	**DMC 350**	Medium Coral	116	1	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 9 x 9 in (22.9 x 22.9 cm) for 18 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

8,100 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. Where chart pages join, gray squares repeat two columns. The small picture at the top of each chart page shows which part it is.

Thread: six-strand floss, 4 to 6 strands in the needle on 18 mesh (counted at 6), about 14 skeins of 8.7 yd in all. Or pearl cotton size 5, 1 strand, about 13 skeins of 27.3 yd; or Persian wool, 1 strand, about 13 skeins of 8 yd. Wool is numbered differently: match it by eye. Needle: tapestry, size 22.

Yards and skeins are estimates: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 18 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color (about 60 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.

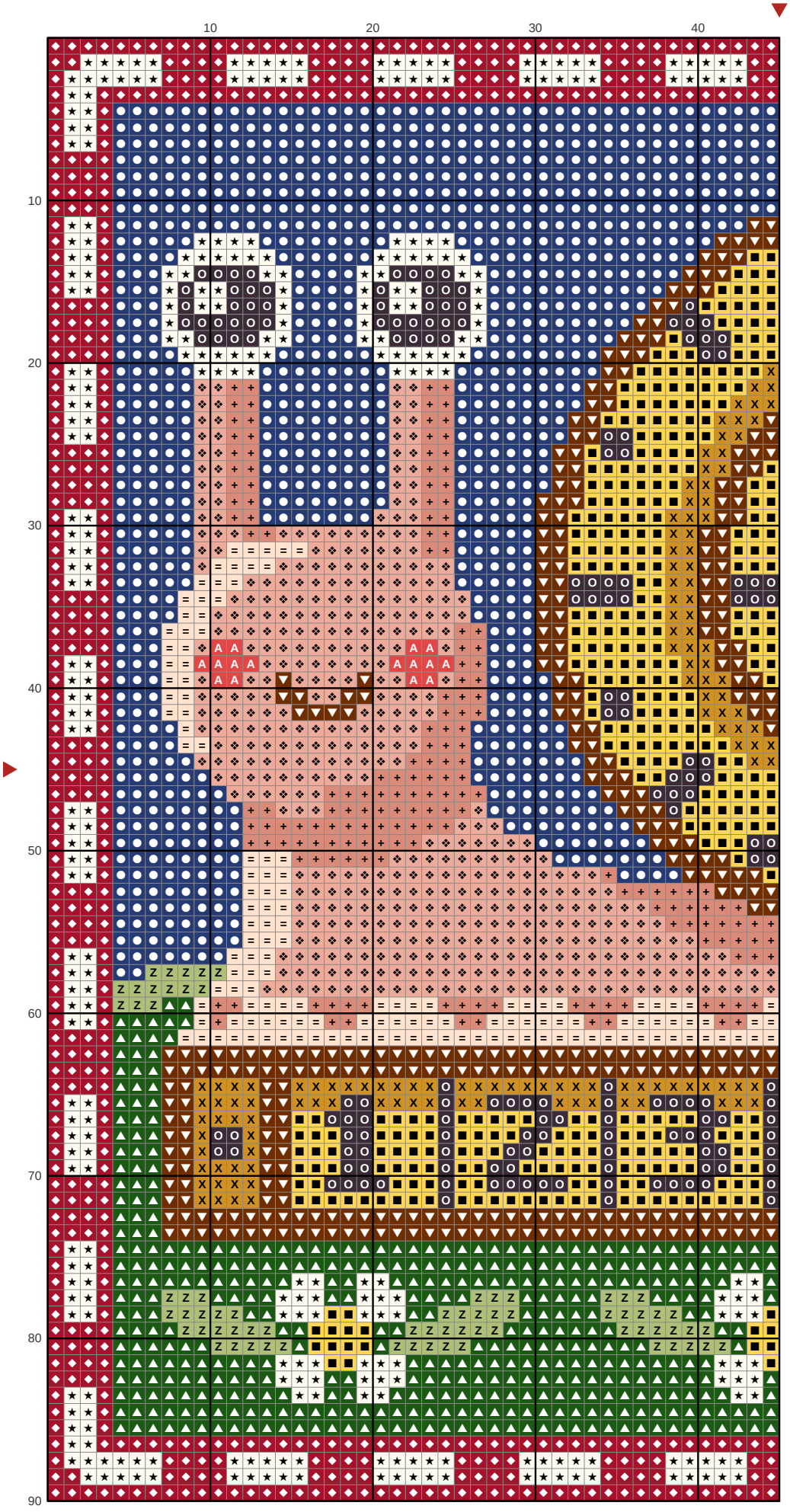
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Chart 1 of 2: columns 1 to 45, rows 1 to 90

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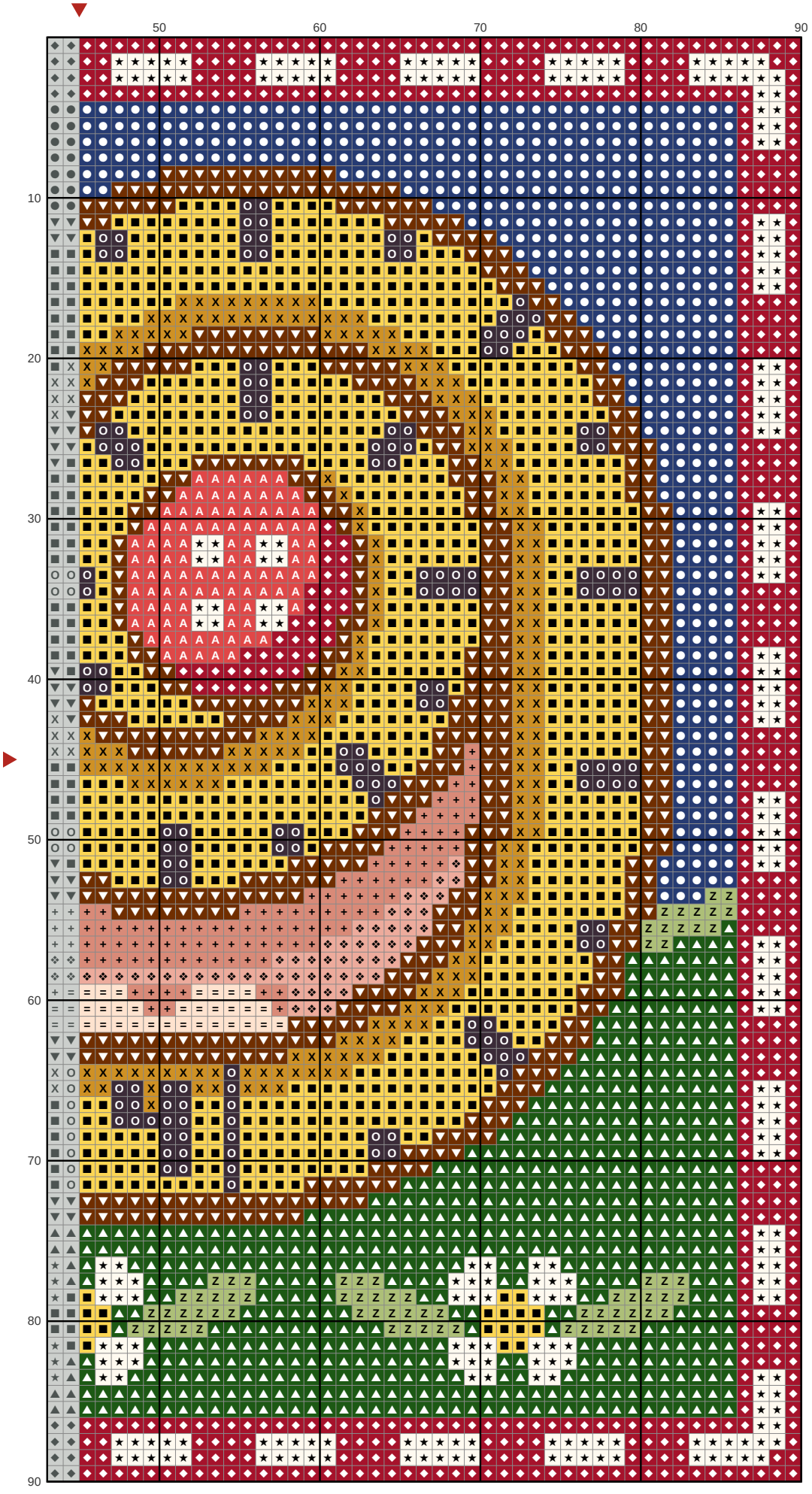
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Chart 2 of 2: columns 46 to 90, rows 1 to 90; gray squares repeat columns 44 and 45



Key

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