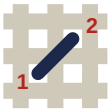
Trick or treat children and moon

Needlepoint pattern | 130 x 130 stitches | 10 x 10 in (25.4 x 25.4 cm) on 13 mesh | 19 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 65, row 65 (DMC 3865): 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.

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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 14.5 in square (36.8 cm).

Needle: blunt tapestry, size 20. Also masking tape for the cut edges, and small scissors.

Thread: six-strand floss, 19 colors, about 35 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
●	**32**	Dark Blueberry	3,526	6
■	**939**	Very Dark Navy Blue	3,399	6
▲	**745**	Light Pale Yellow	2,522	4
◆	**29**	Eggplant	916	2
▼	**310**	Black	721	2
★	**743**	Medium Yellow	692	2
❖	**742**	Light Tangerine	685	1
X	**3865**	Winter White	656	1
H	**33**	Fuchsia	633	1
+	**918**	Dark Red Copper	549	1
=	**704**	Bright Chartreuse	478	1
Z	**741**	Medium Tangerine	467	1
A	**946**	Medium Burnt Orange	422	1
V	**905**	Dark Parrot Green	290	1
T	**351**	Coral	226	1
N	**945**	Tawny	196	1
S	**3747**	Very Light Blue Violet	193	1
K	**632**	Ultra Very Dark Desert Sand	188	1
E	**28**	Medium Light Eggplant	141	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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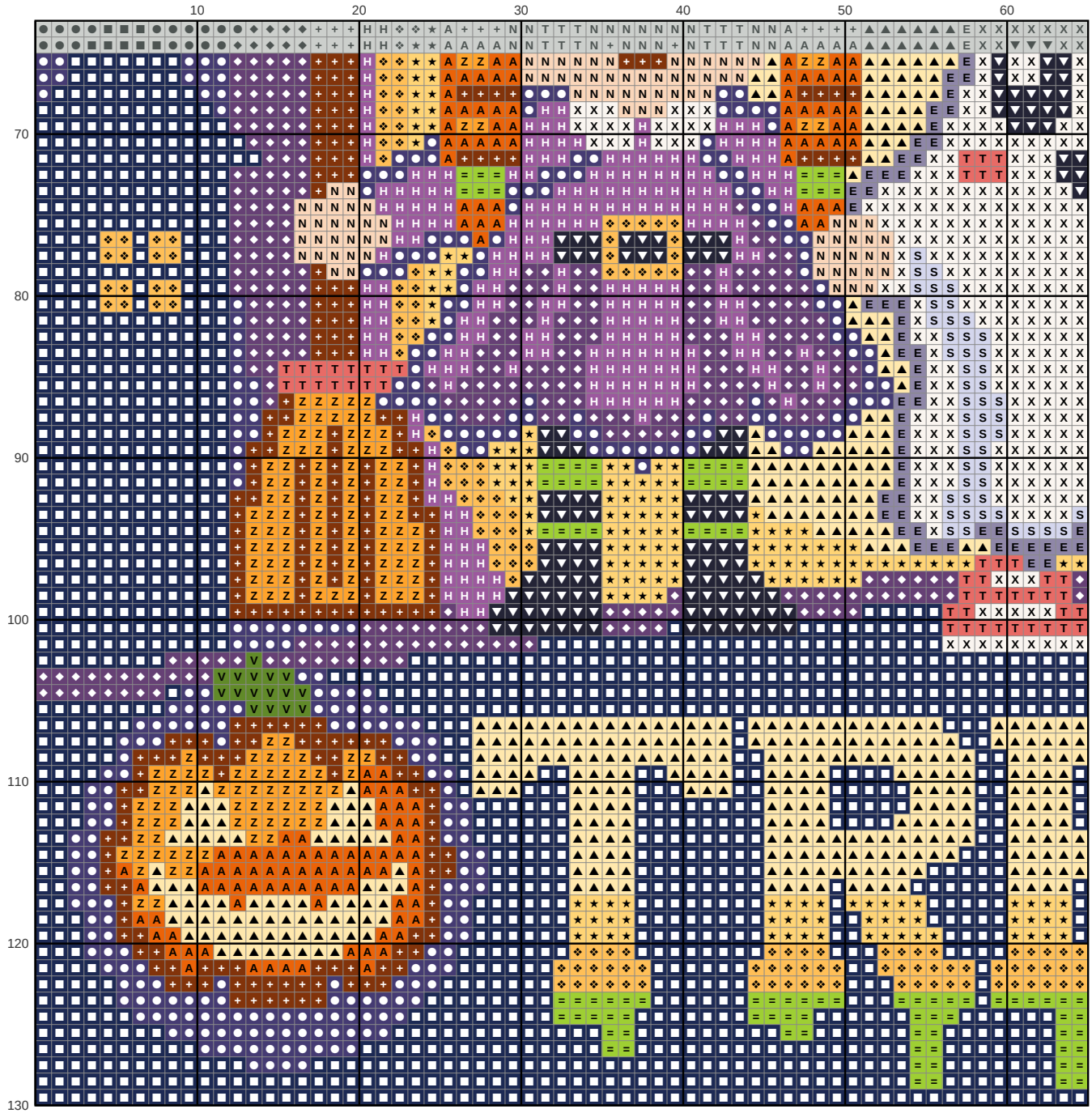

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