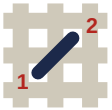
Whimsical game controller garden

Needlepoint pattern | 140 x 140 stitches | 14 x 14 in (35.6 x 35.6 cm) on 10 mesh | 23 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 154): 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 500: 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, 23 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
●	**500**	Very Dark Blue Green	7,906	14
■	**712**	Cream	2,488	4
▲	**154**	Very Dark Grape	1,869	3
◆	**471**	Very Light Avocado Green	1,324	2
▼	**905**	Dark Parrot Green	869	2
★	**3733**	Dusty Rose	644	1
❖	**BLANC**	White	577	1
X	**3350**	Ultra Dark Dusty Rose	480	1
H	**738**	Very Light Tan	415	1
+	**3716**	Very Light Rose	352	1
=	**815**	Medium Garnet	329	1
Z	**739**	Ultra Very Light Tan	293	1
A	**321**	Red	283	1
V	**800**	Pale Delft Blue	278	1
T	**799**	Medium Delft Blue	262	1
N	**3822**	Light Straw	239	1
S	**3820**	Dark Straw	232	1
K	**153**	Very Light Violet	210	1
E	**350**	Medium Coral	170	1
C	**797**	Royal Blue	142	1
P	**680**	Dark Old Gold	105	1
U	**3836**	Light Grape	101	1
L	**3731**	Very Dark Dusty Rose	32	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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Columns 1 to 74, rows 1 to 74. Start at the red outline

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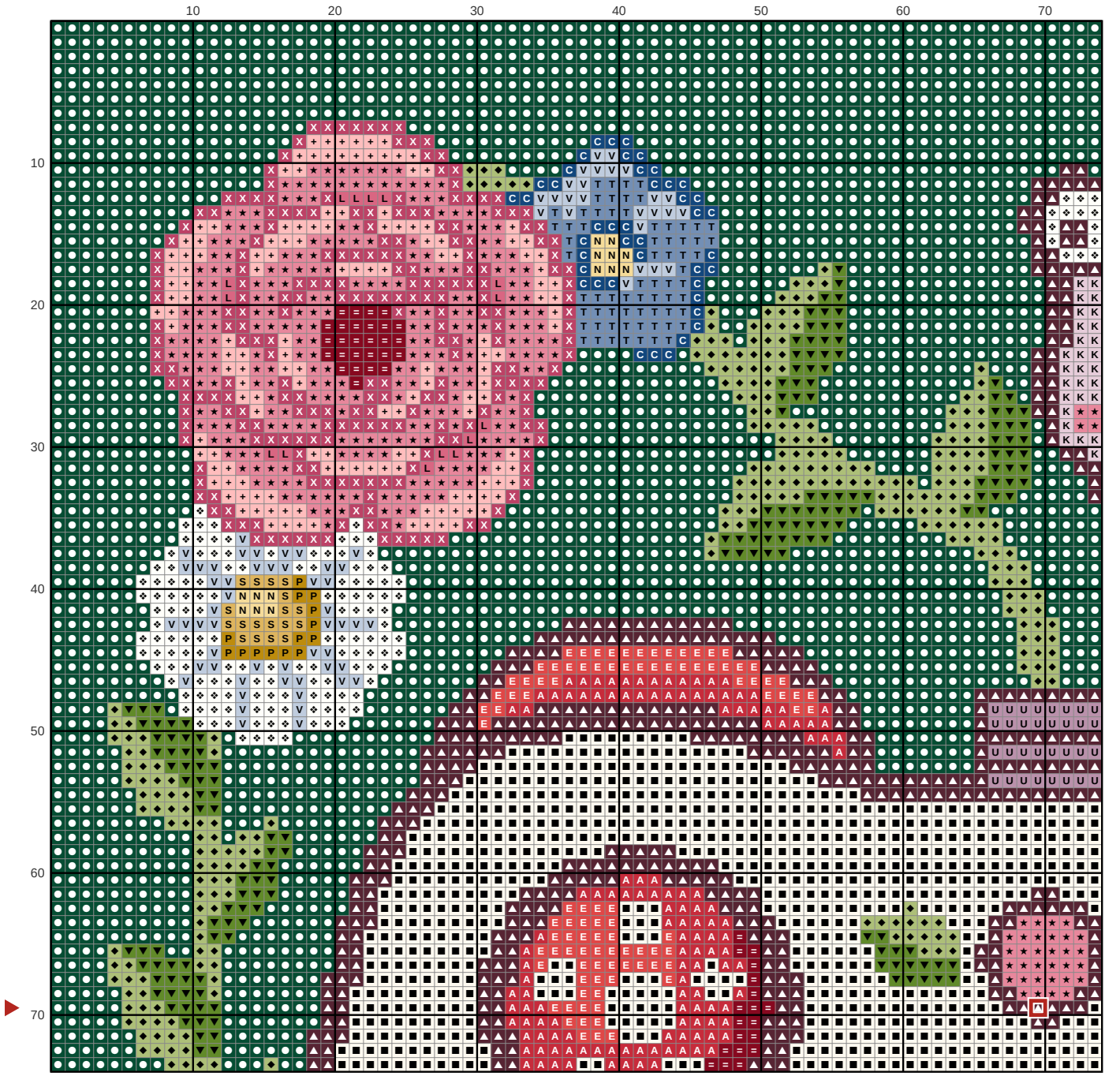

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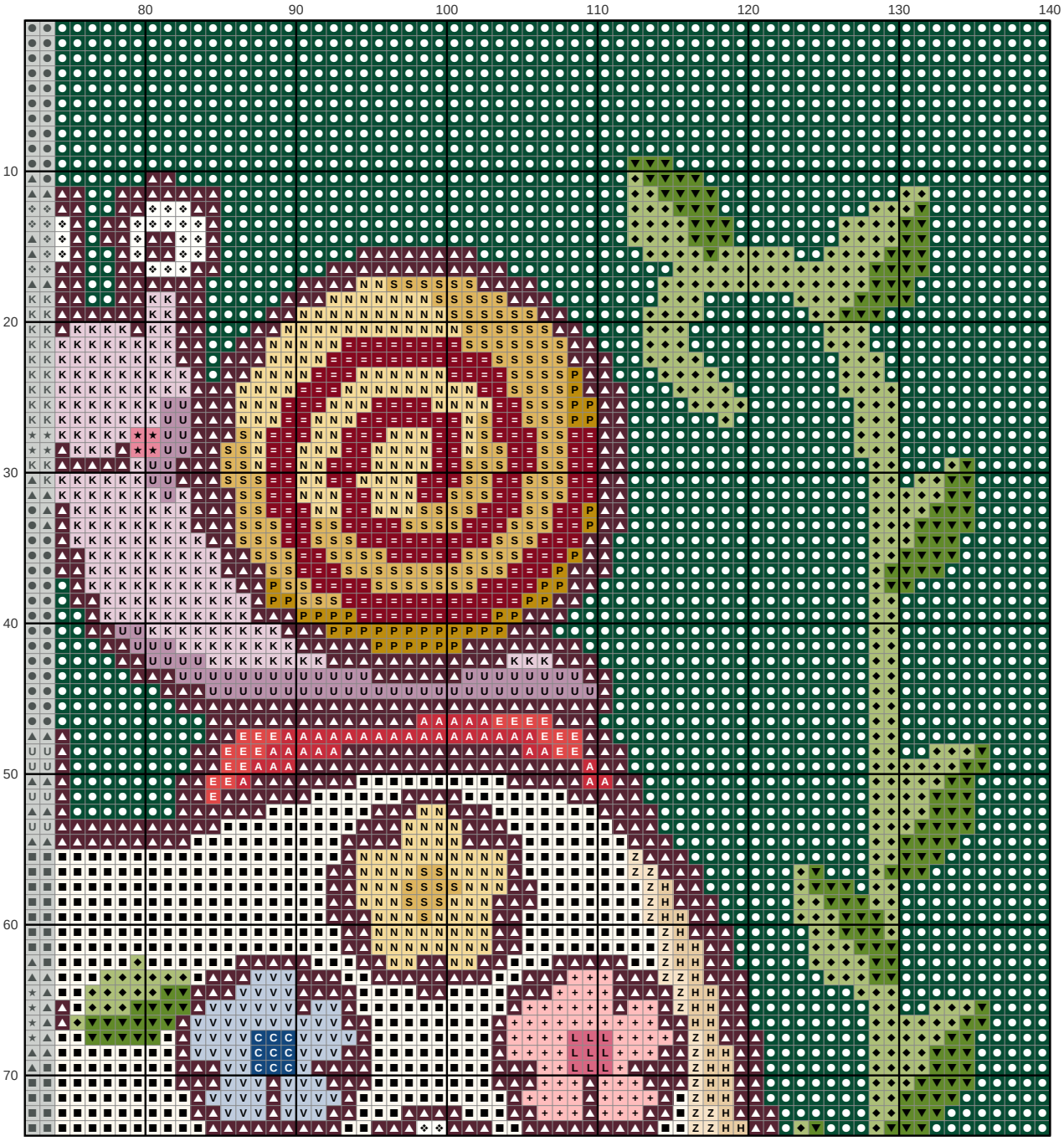

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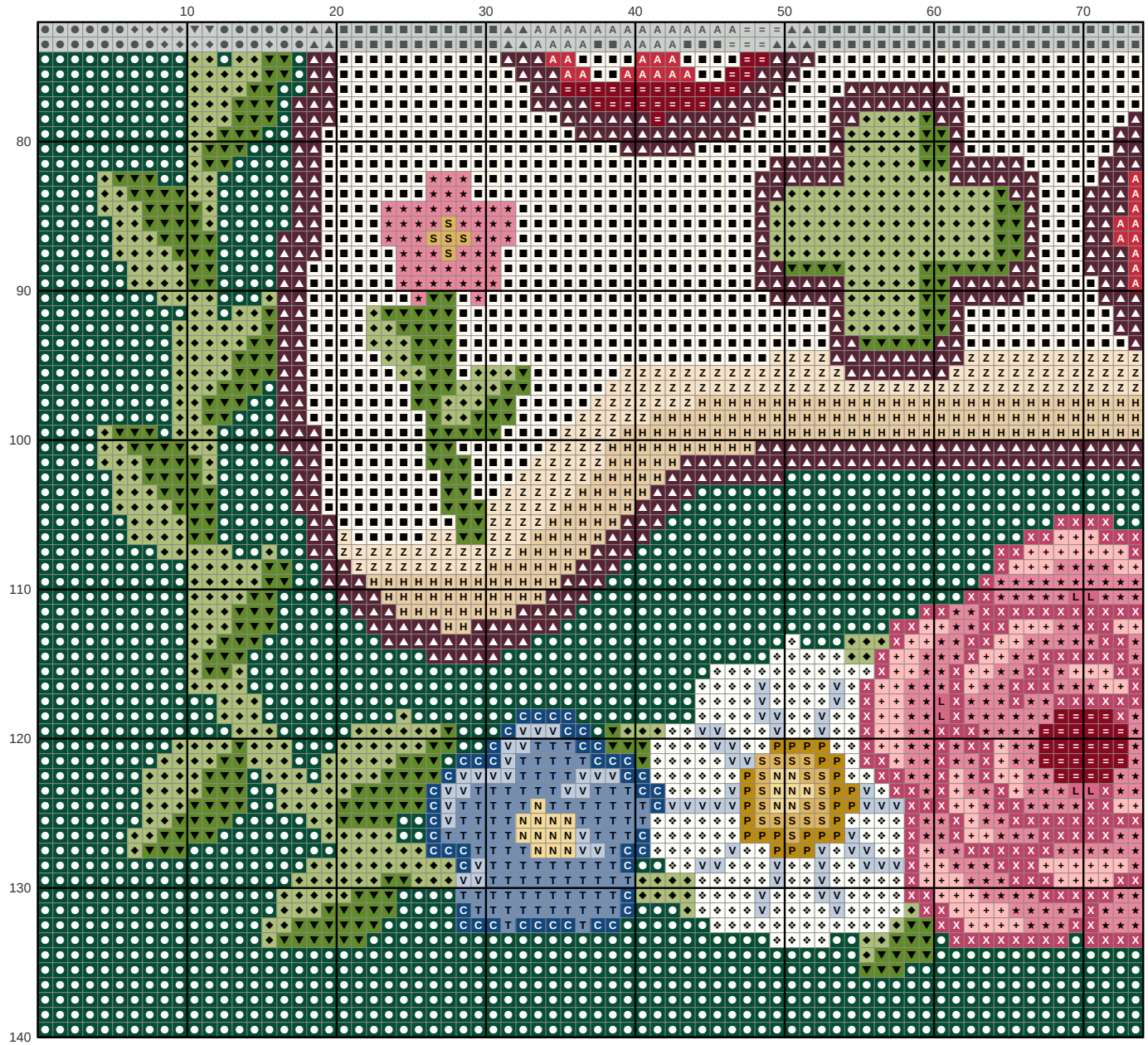

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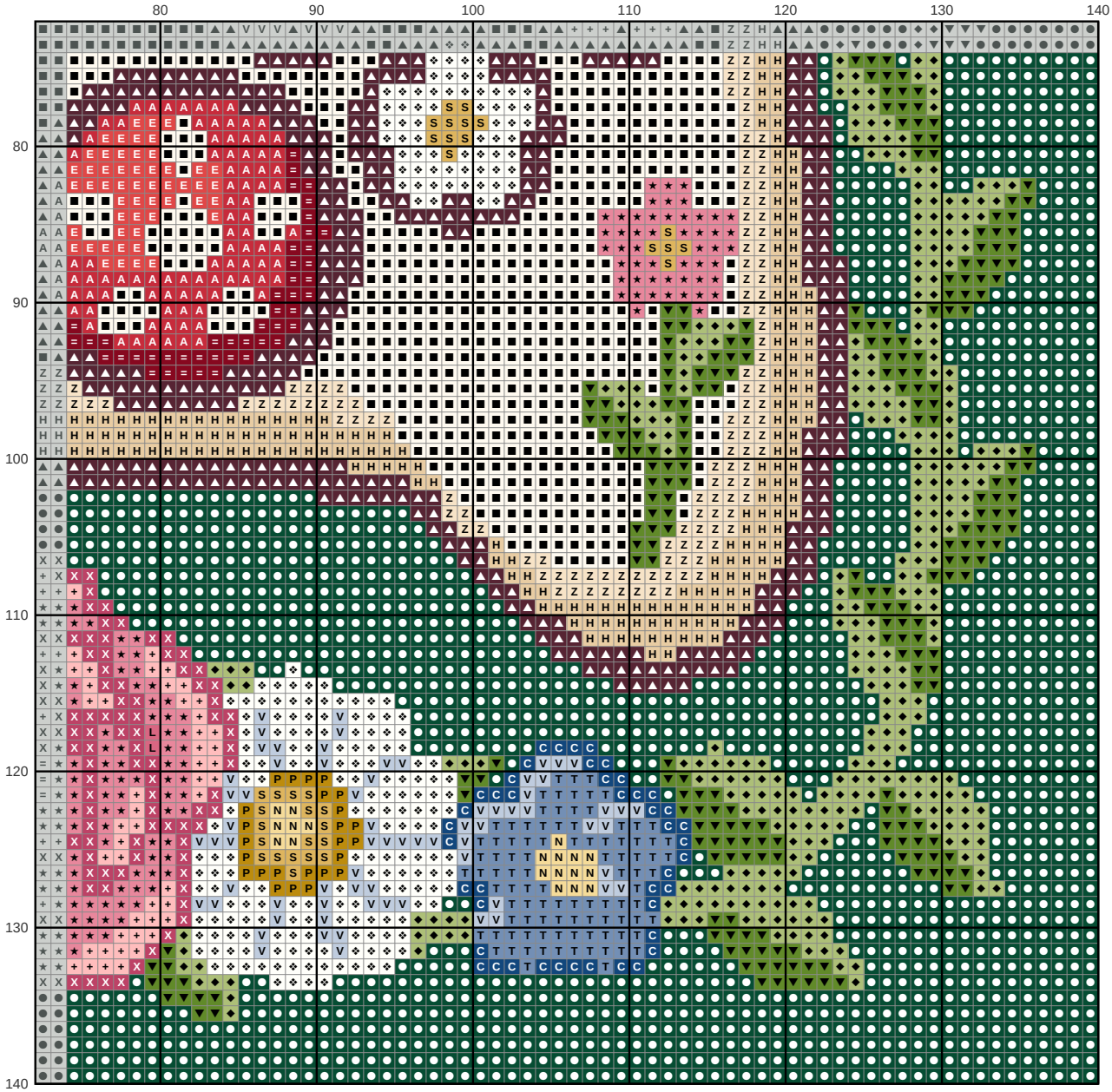

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