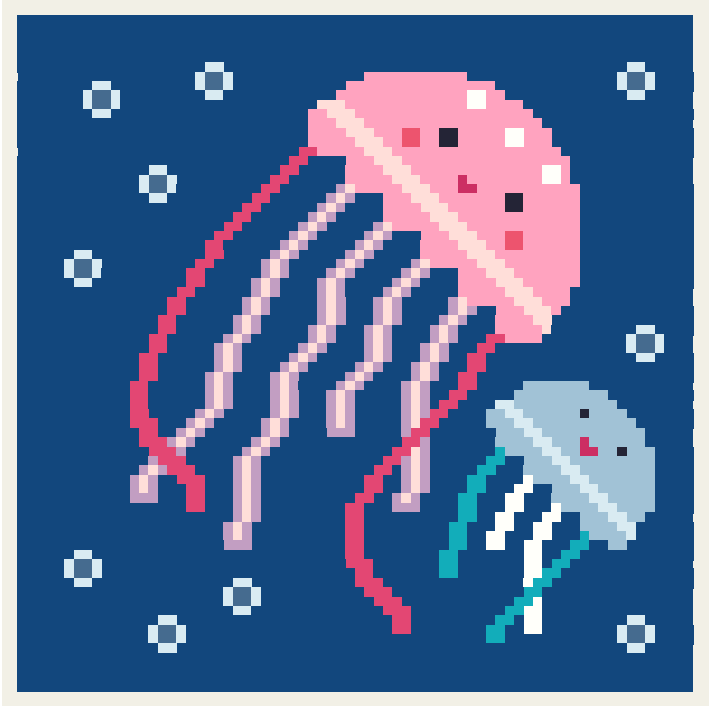
Whimsical two jellyfish

Needlepoint pattern | 72 x 72 stitches | 4 x 4 in (10.2 x 10.2 cm) on 18 mesh | 13 colors



Thread key

			stitches	yards	skeins
●	**DMC 797**	Royal Blue	3,790	26	3
◆	**DMC 603**	Cranberry	409	3	1
=	**DMC 210**	Medium Lavender	216	2	1
★	**DMC 818**	Baby Pink	175	2	1
Z	**DMC 813**	Light Blue	168	2	1
O	**DMC 602**	Medium Cranberry	153	2	1
■	**DMC 775**	Very Light Baby Blue	109	1	1
▼	**DMC BLANC**	White	50	1	1
A	**DMC 3844**	Dark Bright Turquoise	50	1	1
▲	**DMC 798**	Dark Delft Blue	40	1	1
X	**DMC 310**	Black	10	1	1
❖	**DMC 335**	Rose	8	1	1
+	**DMC 600**	Very Dark Cranberry	6	1	1

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

Cut the canvas at least 8 x 8 in (20.3 x 20.3 cm) for 18 mesh: the design and 2 in (5.1 cm) of margin on every side.

5,184 stitches in all. Start from the center: the red arrows above and to the left of the chart mark it.

Thread: six-strand floss, 4 to 6 strands in the needle on 18 mesh (counted at 6), about 15 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 14 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 44 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.

Make it an ornament: also have board, thin batting, backing fabric and twisted cord. Stitch two or three extra rows of background all round: the edge of the board takes them. "How to finish an ornament" is a guide linked from this pattern's page.

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Chart: 72 x 72 stitches

