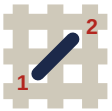
Whimsical lavender field by moonlight

Needlepoint pattern | 104 x 104 stitches | 8 x 8 in (20.3 x 20.3 cm) on 13 mesh | 18 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 52, row 52 (DMC 433): 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, 13 mesh (13 threads to the inch), cut 12.5 in square (31.8 cm).

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

Thread: six-strand floss, 18 colors, about 26 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	1,561	3
■	712	Cream	1,204	2
▲	31	Blueberry	1,112	2
◆	823	Dark Navy Blue	926	2
▼	30	Medium Light Blueberry	802	2
★	502	Blue Green	764	2
❖	739	Ultra Very Light Tan	693	2
X	437	Light Tan	677	1
H	500	Very Dark Blue Green	602	1
+	435	Very Light Brown	561	1
=	208	Very Dark Lavender	523	1
Z	801	Dark Coffee Brown	483	1
A	433	Medium Brown	336	1
V	210	Medium Lavender	205	1
T	211	Light Lavender	170	1
N	3859	Light Rosewood	91	1
S	550	Very Dark Violet	88	1
K	3371	Black Brown	18	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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Columns 1 to 56, rows 1 to 104. Start at the red outline

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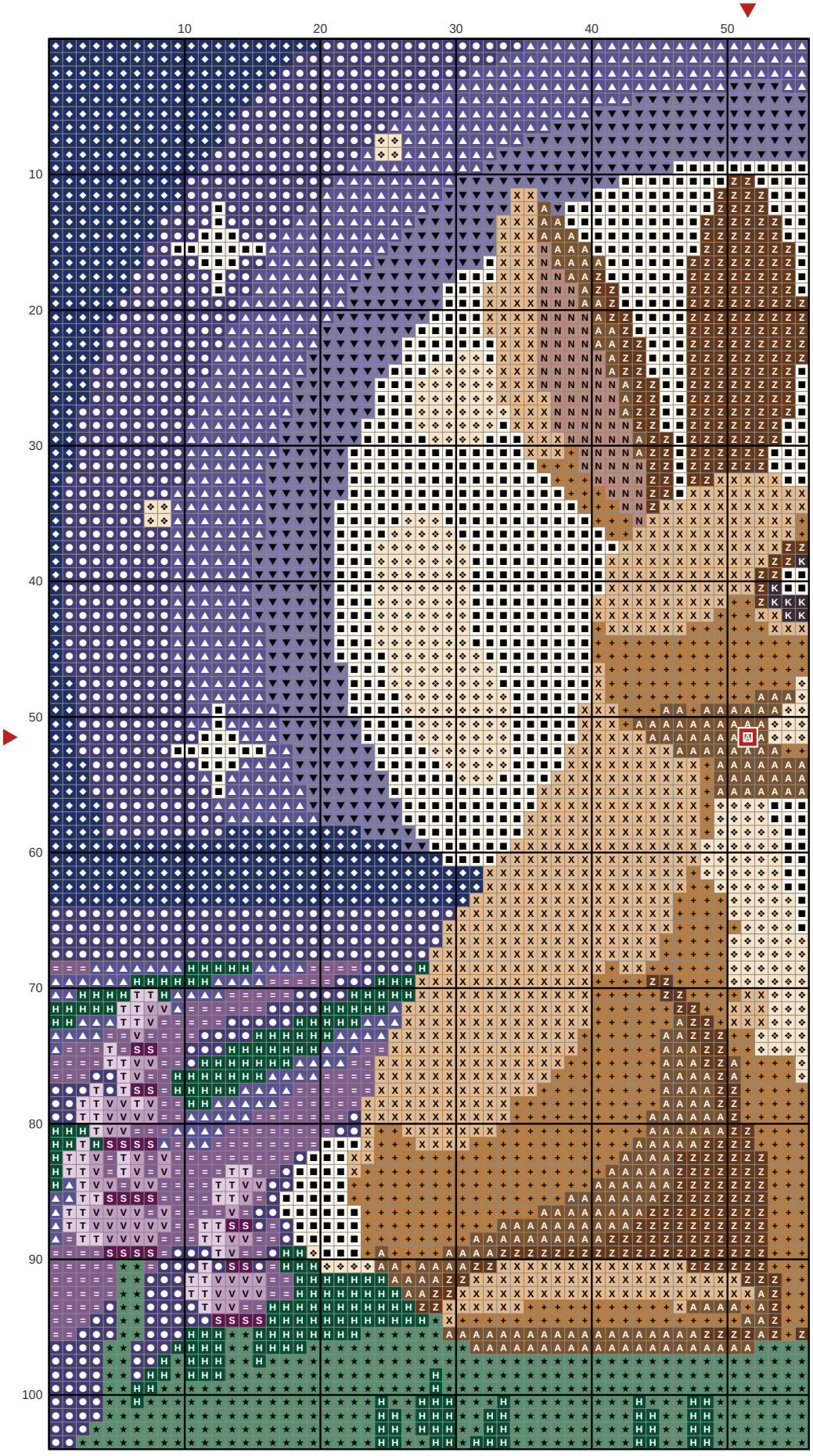

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- DMC 32 Dark Blueberry
- DMC 712 Cream
- DMC 31 Blueberry
- DMC 823 Dark Navy Blue
- DMC 30 Medium Light Blueberry
- DMC 502 Blue Green
- DMC 739 Ultra Very Light Tan
- DMC 437 Light Tan
- DMC 500 Very Dark Blue Green
- DMC 435 Very Light Brown
- DMC 208 Very Dark Lavender
- DMC 801 Dark Coffee Brown
- DMC 433 Medium Brown
- DMC 210 Medium Lavender
- DMC 211 Light Lavender
- DMC 3859 Light Rosewood
- DMC 550 Very Dark Violet
- DMC 3371 Black Brown

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Columns 57 to 104, rows 1 to 104. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again

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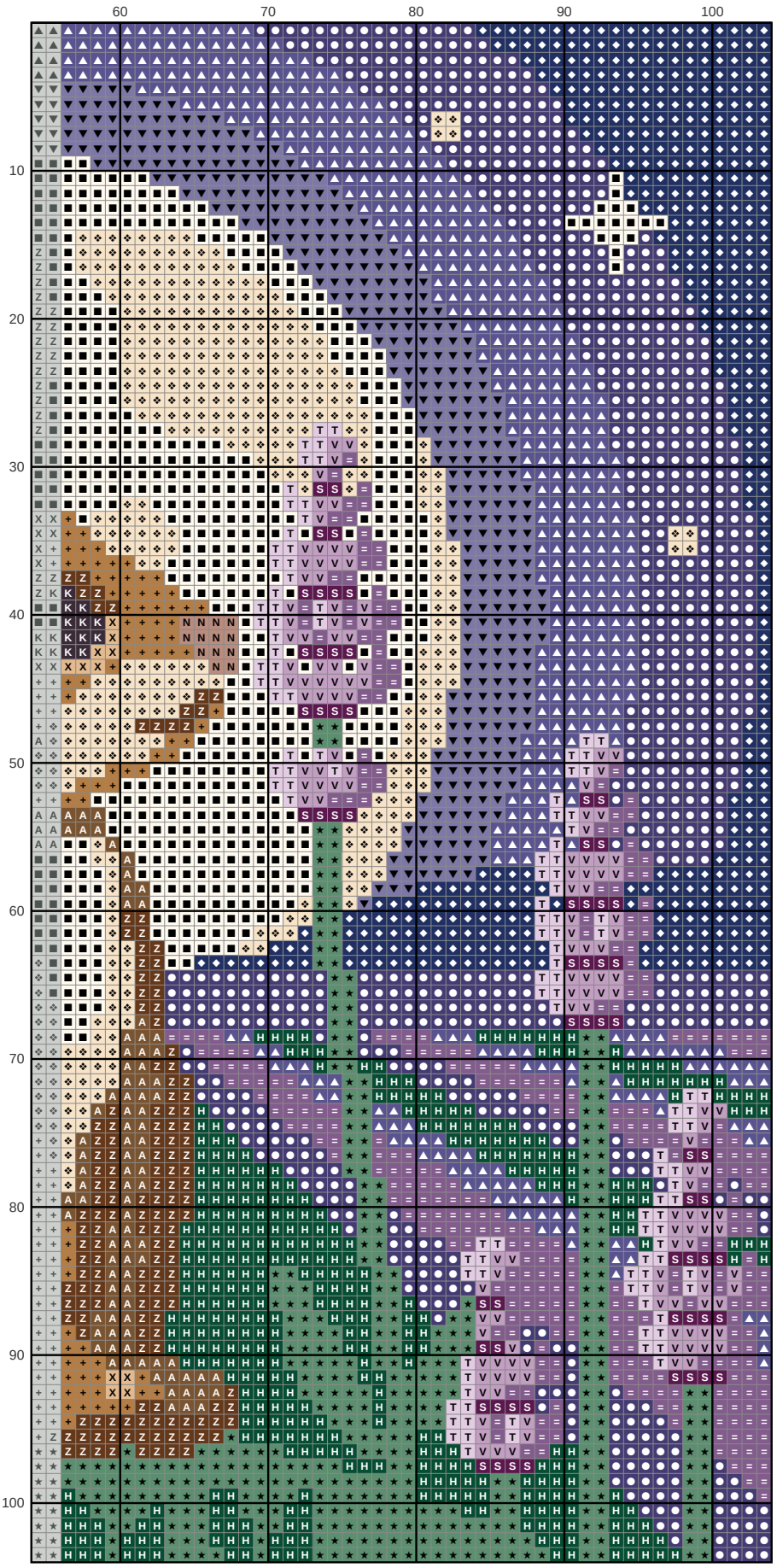

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