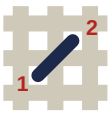
Whimsical Little Miss Muffet

Needlepoint pattern | 72 x 72 stitches | 4 x 4 in (10.2 x 10.2 cm) on 18 mesh | 13 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, column 36, row 36 (DMC 415): start there. Count threads, not holes.
4. Go on from it: picture first, background last. End the thread before crossing another color.
5. Last, two more rows all round in DMC 321: the board's edge 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, 18 mesh (18 threads to the inch), cut 8.5 in square (21.6 cm).

Needle: blunt tapestry, size 22. Also masking tape for the cut edges, and small scissors.

Thread: six-strand floss, 13 colors, about 15 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 4 strands (5 or 6 if canvas shows).

Make it an ornament: board, thin batting, backing fabric and twisted cord.
How to finish an ornament.

Thread list, DMC

			stitches	skeins
■	**809**	Delft Blue	3,381	3
●	**321**	Red	562	1
A	**701**	Light Green	318	1
=	**603**	Cranberry	226	1
◆	**310**	Black	197	1
❖	**353**	Peach	178	1
▲	**BLANC**	White	168	1
★	**433**	Medium Brown	60	1
▼	**799**	Medium Delft Blue	54	1
+	**415**	Pearl Gray	28	1
H	**352**	Light Coral	6	1
Z	**602**	Medium Cranberry	4	1
X	**939**	Very Dark Navy Blue	2	1

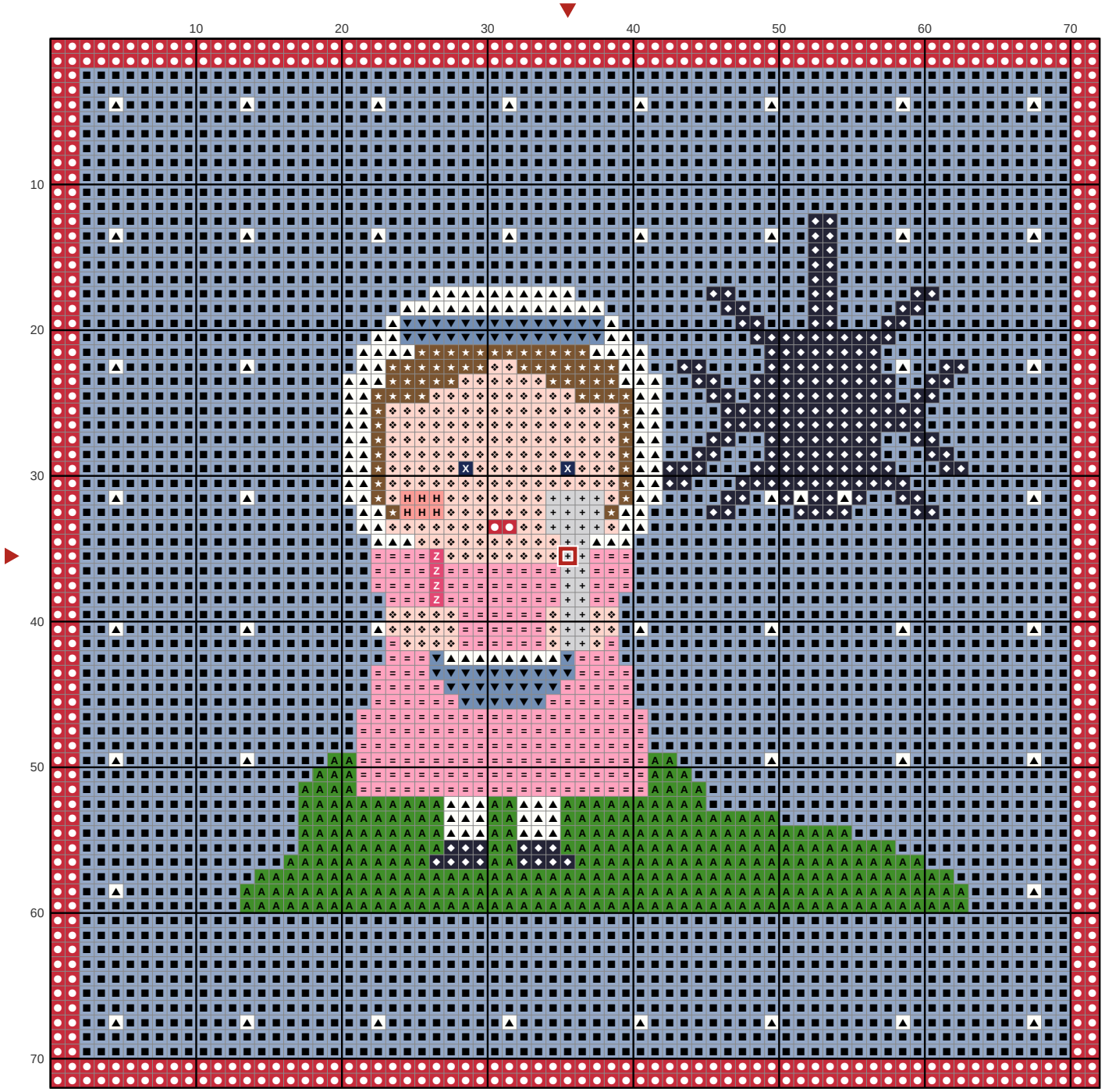
Skeins are estimates, with the two extra rows: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 18 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color.

Thread colors are approximate screen matches to DMC numbers. Check against real thread before you buy.

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Chart: 72 x 72 stitches. Start at the red outline



Key

- DMC 809 Delft Blue
- DMC 321 Red
- DMC 701 Light Green
- DMC 603 Cranberry
- DMC 310 Black
- DMC 353 Peach
- DMC BLANC White
- DMC 433 Medium Brown
- DMC 799 Medium Delft Blue
- DMC 415 Pearl Gray
- DMC 352 Light Coral
- DMC 602 Medium Cranberry
- DMC 939 Very Dark Navy Blue