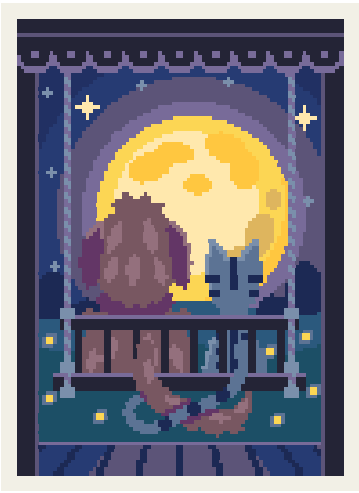
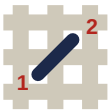
Whimsical porch swing in moonlight

Needlepoint pattern | 90 x 126 stitches | 5 x 7 in (12.7 x 17.8 cm) on 18 mesh | 17 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 45, row 63 (DMC 327): 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. When it is done, block it square.

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 9 in wide x 11 in high (22.9 x 27.9 cm).

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

Thread: six-strand floss, 17 colors, about 20 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 4 strands (5 or 6 if canvas shows).

Frame it: acid-free board and a frame.
How to frame needlepoint.

Thread list, DMC

			stitches	skeins
●	**310**	Black	2,659	3
□	**333**	Very Dark Blue Violet	1,430	2
▲	**3746**	Dark Blue Violet	1,032	1
◆	**311**	Medium Navy Blue	879	1
▼	**336**	Navy Blue	866	1
★	**3740**	Dark Antique Violet	797	1
❖	**745**	Light Pale Yellow	667	1
X	**939**	Very Dark Navy Blue	477	1
H	**726**	Light Topaz	442	1
+	**3838**	Dark Lavender Blue	441	1
=	**725**	Medium Light Topaz	354	1
Z	**3839**	Medium Lavender Blue	311	1
A	**3041**	Medium Antique Violet	252	1
V	**327**	Dark Violet	249	1
T	**803**	Ultra Very Dark Baby Blue	195	1
N	**823**	Dark Navy Blue	194	1
S	**3820**	Dark Straw	95	1

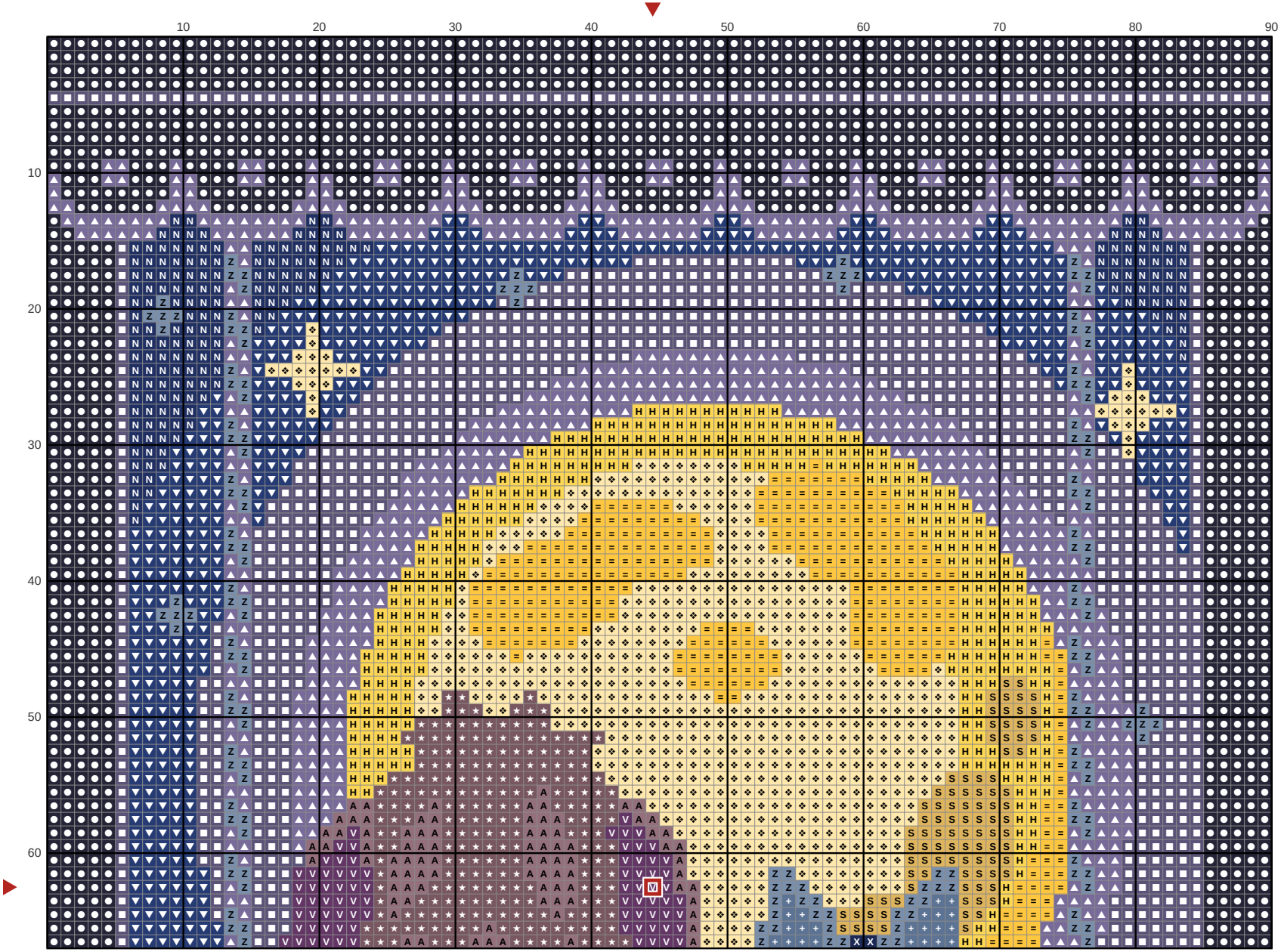
Skeins are estimates: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 18 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color.
Thread colors are approximate screen matches to DMC numbers. Check against real thread before you buy.
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Needlepoint pattern

Columns 1 to 90, rows 1 to 67. Start at the red outline

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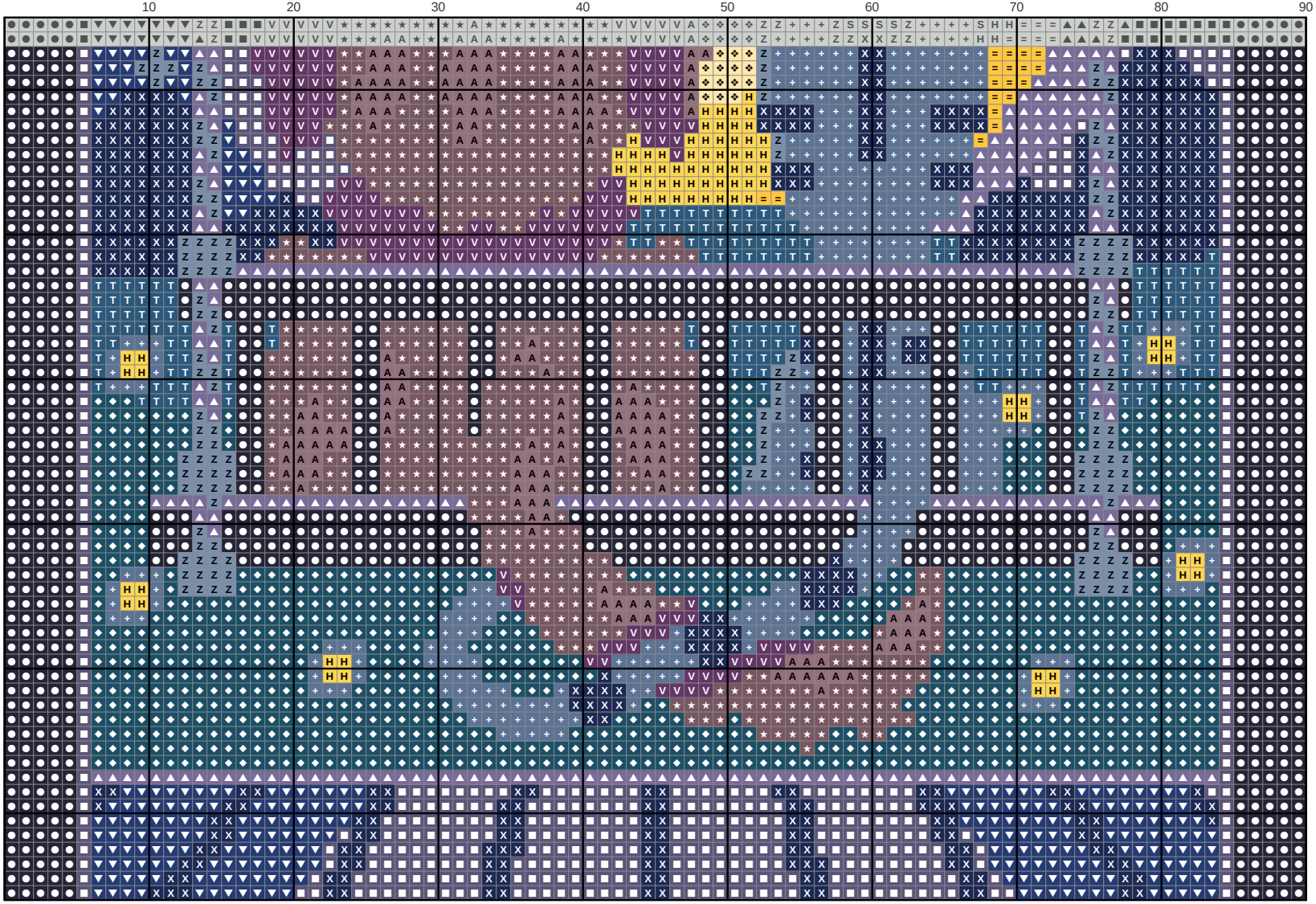
- **DMC 310** Black
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- **DMC 336** Navy Blue
- **DMC 3740** Dark Antique Violet
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- **DMC 939** Very Dark Navy Blue
- **DMC 726** Light Topaz
- **DMC 3838** Dark Lavender Blue
- **DMC 725** Medium Light Topaz
- **DMC 3839** Medium Lavender Blue
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- **DMC 823** Dark Navy Blue
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Needlepoint pattern

Columns 1 to 90, rows 68 to 126. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again

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