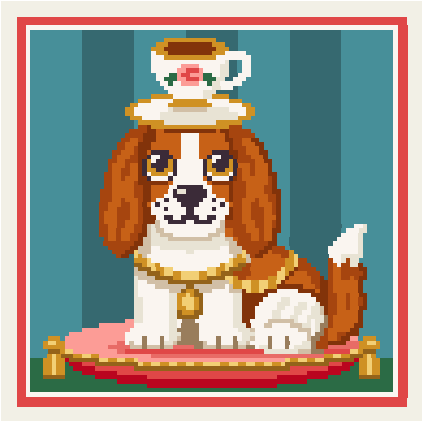
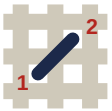
Whimsical Staffordshire dog

Needlepoint pattern | 90 x 90 stitches | 5 x 5 in (12.7 x 12.7 cm) on 18 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 45, row 45 (DMC 3865): 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 350: the opening'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 9.5 in square (24.1 cm).

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

Thread: six-strand floss, 18 colors, about 21 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 4 strands (5 or 6 if canvas shows).

Fit it into a lid: the box or tray, acid-free board and backing. Measure the opening first.
How to fit it into a lid.

Thread list, DMC

			stitches	skeins
●	3810	Dark Turquoise	2,047	2
□	3808	Ultra Very Dark Turquoise	1,314	2
▲	3865	Winter White	1,130	1
◆	350	Medium Coral	848	2
▼	921	Copper	431	1
★	919	Red Copper	341	1
❖	783	Medium Topaz	306	1
X	918	Dark Red Copper	265	1
H	822	Light Beige Gray	260	1
+	561	Very Dark Jade	248	1
=	352	Light Coral	146	1
Z	842	Very Light Beige Brown	144	1
A	780	Ultra Very Dark Topaz	143	1
V	817	Very Dark Coral Red	132	1
T	3371	Black Brown	110	1
N	3821	Straw	109	1
S	351	Coral	64	1
K	840	Medium Beige Brown	62	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.

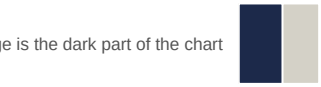
Thread colors are approximate screen matches to DMC numbers. Check against real thread before you buy.

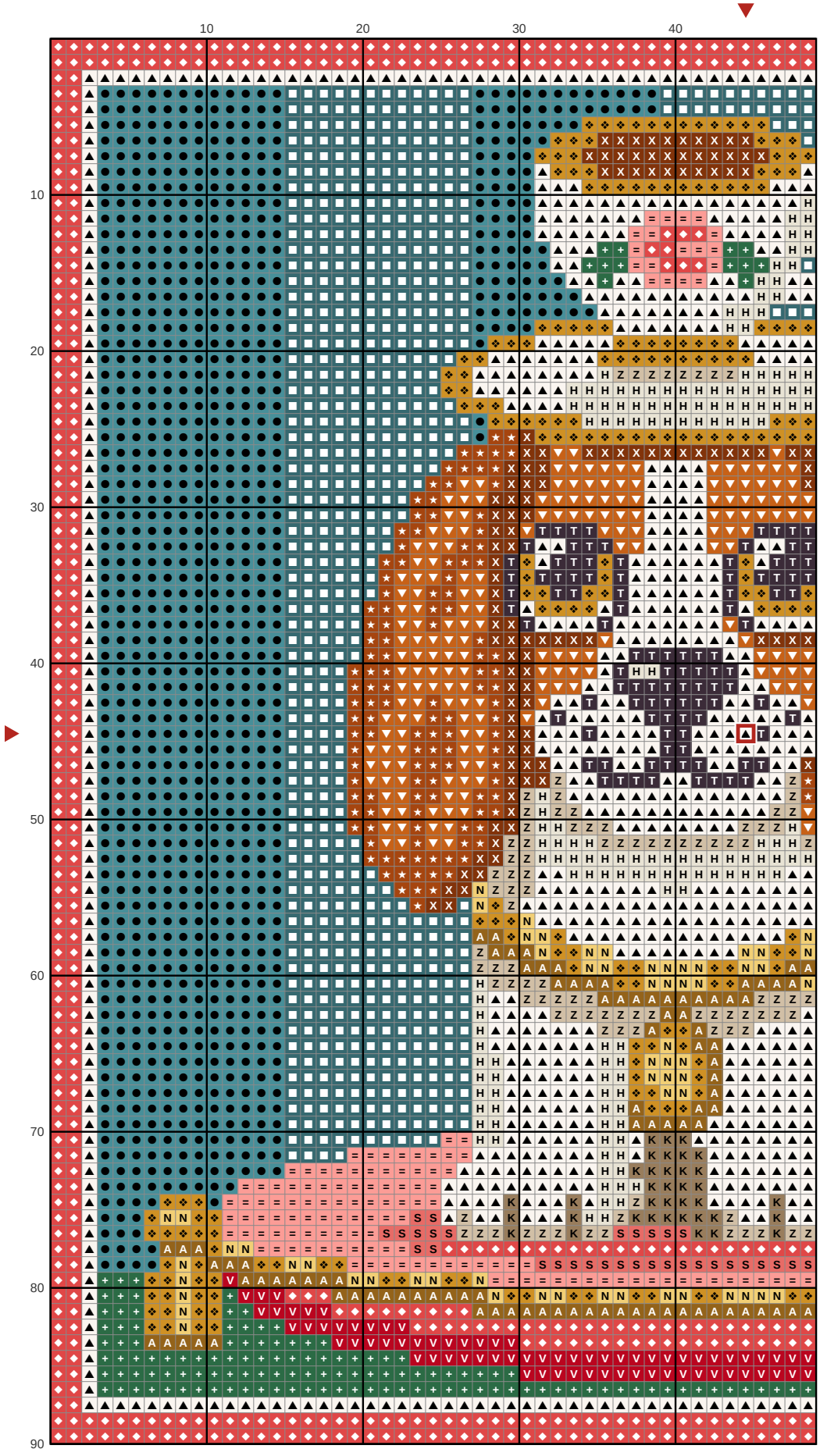
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Whimsical Staffordshire dog Needlepoint pattern

Columns 1 to 49, rows 1 to 90. Start at the red outline

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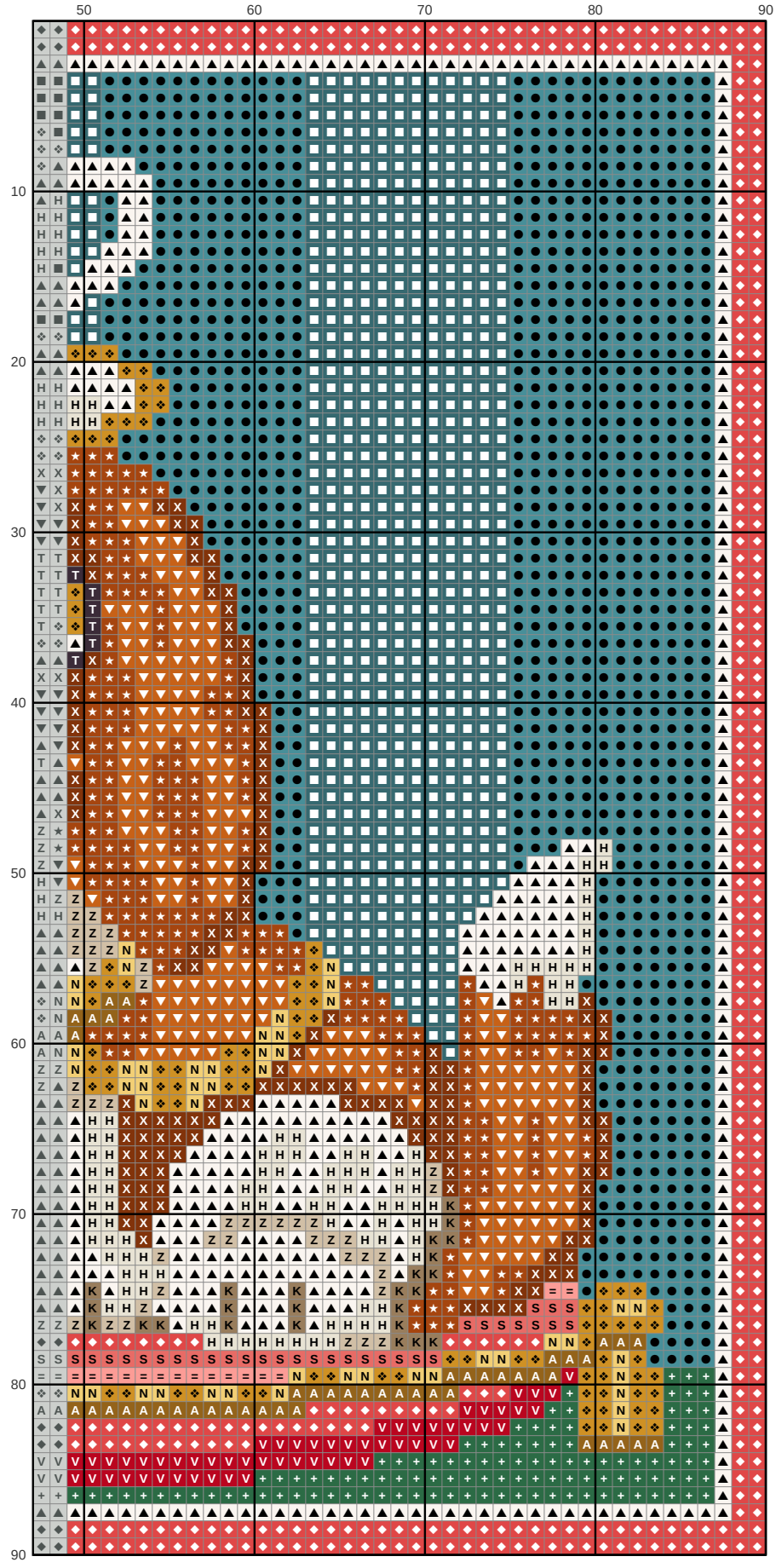
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Needlepoint pattern

Columns 50 to 90, rows 1 to 90. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again

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