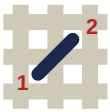
Whimsical tureen

Needlepoint pattern | 72 x 72 stitches | 4 x 4 in (10.2 x 10.2 cm) on 18 mesh | 16 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 369): 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, each stitch in the color it lies beside: 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, 16 colors, about 17 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
●	745	Light Pale Yellow	1,556	2
■	211	Light Lavender	768	1
▲	505	Jade Green	414	1
◆	369	Very Light Pistachio Green	395	1
▼	BLANC	White	366	1
★	564	Very Light Jade	354	1
❖	772	Very Light Yellow Green	344	1
X	562	Medium Jade	232	1
H	563	Light Jade	218	1
+	209	Dark Lavender	166	1
=	210	Medium Lavender	121	1
Z	907	Light Parrot Green	75	1
A	3716	Very Light Rose	69	1
V	904	Very Dark Parrot Green	59	1
T	3350	Ultra Dark Dusty Rose	36	1
N	3371	Black Brown	11	1

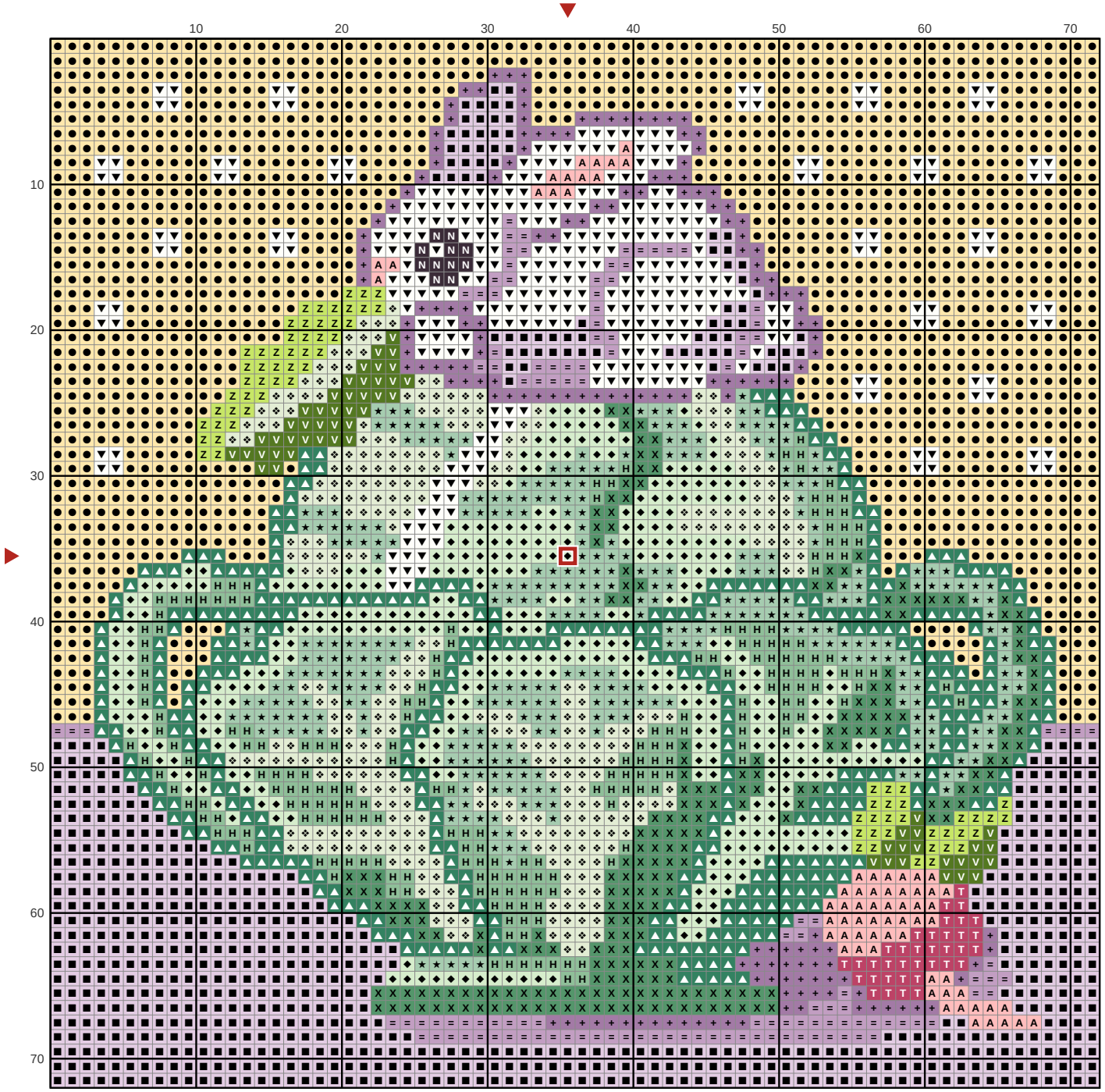
Skeins are estimates, with the two extra rows: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 18 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color.

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 745** Light Pale Yellow
- ■ **DMC 211** Light Lavender
- ▲ **DMC 505** Jade Green
- ◆ **DMC 369** Very Light Pistachio Green
- ▼ **DMC BLANC** White
- ★ **DMC 564** Very Light Jade
- ❖ **DMC 772** Very Light Yellow Green
- X **DMC 562** Medium Jade
- H **DMC 563** Light Jade
- \+ **DMC 209** Dark Lavender
- = **DMC 210** Medium Lavender
- Z **DMC 907** Light Parrot Green
- A **DMC 3716** Very Light Rose
- V **DMC 904** Very Dark Parrot Green
- T **DMC 3350** Ultra Dark Dusty Rose
- N **DMC 3371** Black Brown