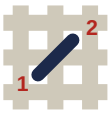
Whimsical Viking with a little dragon

Needlepoint pattern | 104 x 130 stitches | 8 x 10 in (20.3 x 25.4 cm) on 13 mesh | 22 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 65 (DMC 3820): 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, 13 mesh (13 threads to the inch), cut 12 in wide x 14 in high (30.5 x 35.6 cm).

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

Thread: six-strand floss, 22 colors, about 32 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 7 strands (8 if canvas shows).

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

Thread list, DMC

			stitches	skeins
●	**519**	Sky Blue	1,785	3
■	**3822**	Light Straw	1,130	2
▲	**518**	Light Wedgwood	1,046	2
◆	**349**	Dark Coral	1,044	2
▼	**3820**	Dark Straw	948	2
★	**782**	Dark Topaz	941	2
❖	**433**	Medium Brown	909	2
X	**3761**	Light Sky Blue	755	2
H	**3865**	Winter White	730	2
+	**703**	Chartreuse	637	1
=	**932**	Light Antique Blue	583	1
Z	**3340**	Medium Apricot	576	1
A	**951**	Light Tawny	545	1
V	**986**	Very Dark Forest Green	518	1
T	**801**	Dark Coffee Brown	292	1
N	**3752**	Very Light Antique Blue	246	1
S	**815**	Medium Garnet	224	1
K	**472**	Ultra Light Avocado Green	166	1
E	**3371**	Black Brown	166	1
C	**760**	Salmon	109	1
P	**905**	Dark Parrot Green	93	1
U	**930**	Dark Antique Blue	77	1

Skeins are estimates: 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 104, rows 1 to 69. Start at the red outline

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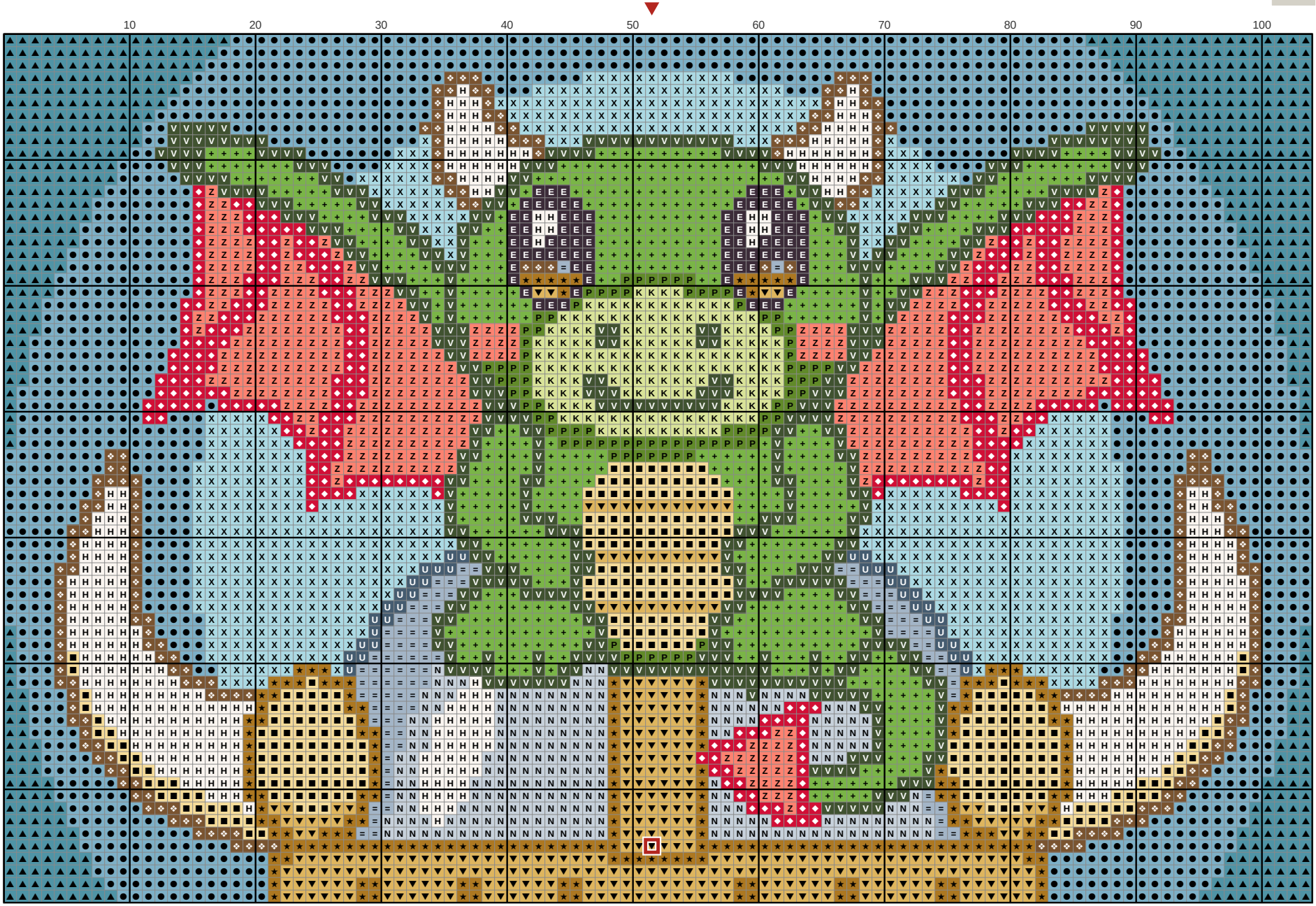

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Columns 1 to 104, rows 70 to 130. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again

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