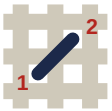
Whimsical witch

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 919): 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, each stitch in the color it lies beside: 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
●	823	Dark Navy Blue	2,140	3
■	746	Off White	1,463	2
▲	310	Black	561	1
◆	552	Medium Violet	550	1
▼	553	Violet	525	1
★	550	Very Dark Violet	479	1
❖	745	Light Pale Yellow	466	1
X	951	Light Tawny	378	1
H	907	Light Parrot Green	302	1
+	921	Copper	286	1
=	154	Very Dark Grape	256	1
Z	3853	Dark Autumn Gold	170	1
A	3820	Dark Straw	152	1
V	919	Red Copper	141	1
T	3778	Light Terra Cotta	123	1
N	760	Salmon	65	1
S	3771	Ultra Very Light Terra Cotta	29	1
K	318	Light Steel Gray	14	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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Columns 1 to 49, rows 1 to 90. Start at the red outline

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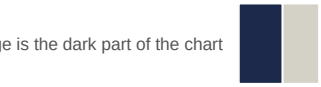

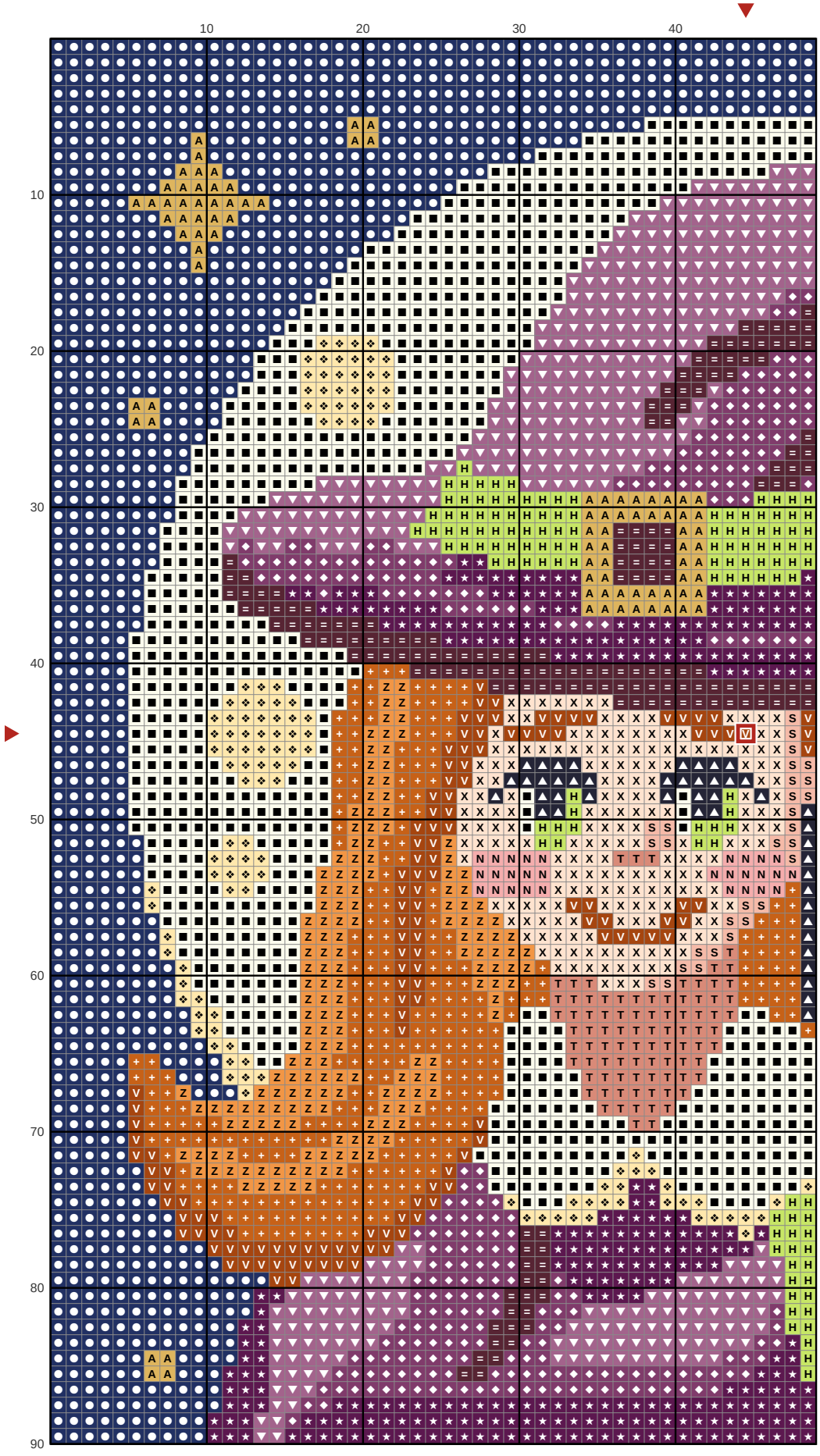

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- **DMC 823** Dark Navy Blue
- **DMC 746** Off White
- **DMC 310** Black
- **DMC 552** Medium Violet
- **DMC 553** Violet
- **DMC 550** Very Dark Violet
- **DMC 745** Light Pale Yellow
- **X** **DMC 951** Light Tawny
- **H** **DMC 907** Light Parrot Green
- **+** **DMC 921** Copper
- **=** **DMC 154** Very Dark Grape
- **Z** **DMC 3853** Dark Autumn Gold
- **A** **DMC 3820** Dark Straw
- **V** **DMC 919** Red Copper
- **T** **DMC 3778** Light Terra Cotta
- **N** **DMC 760** Salmon
- **S** **DMC 3771** Ultra Very Light Terra Cotta

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

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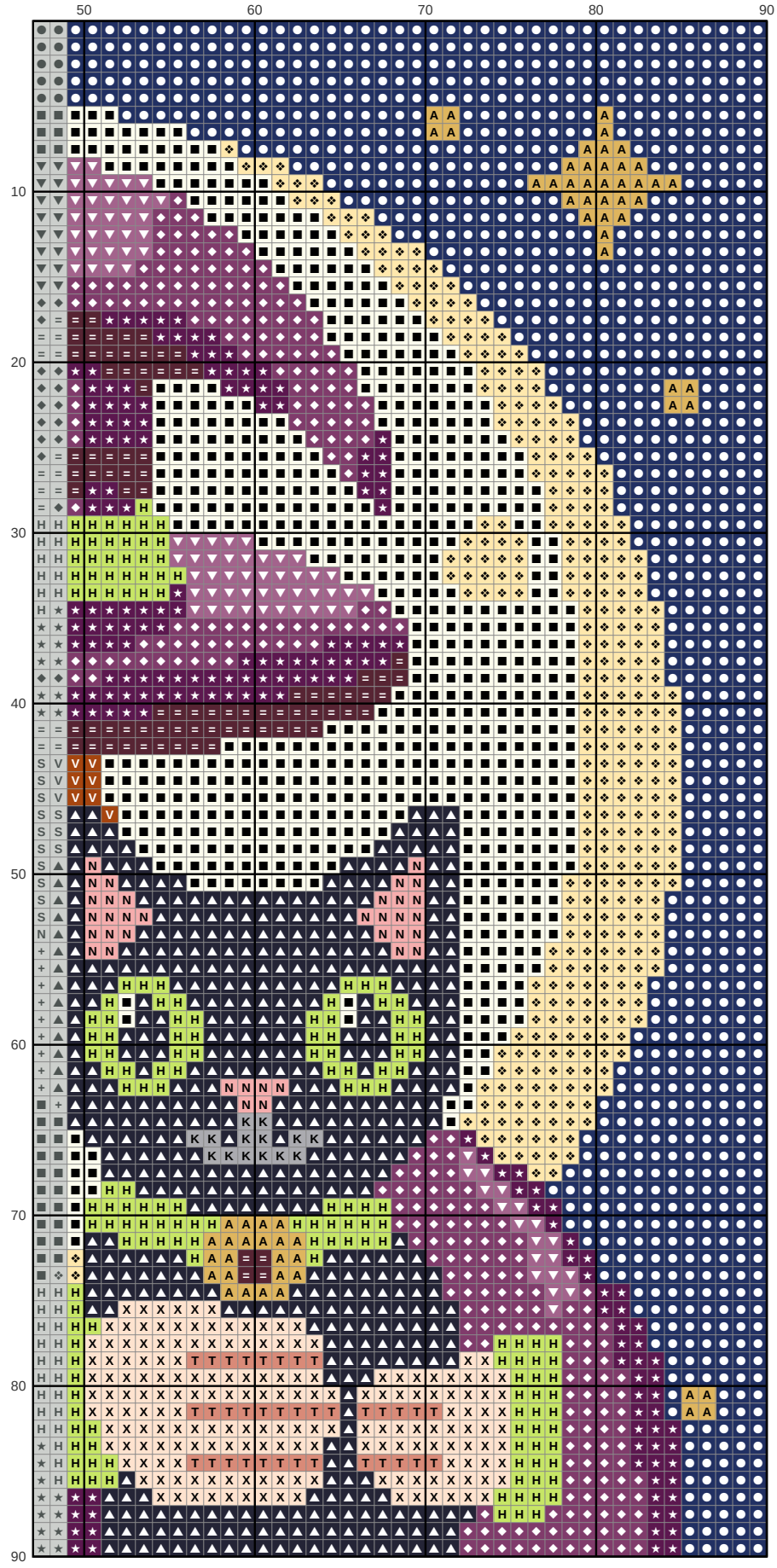

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