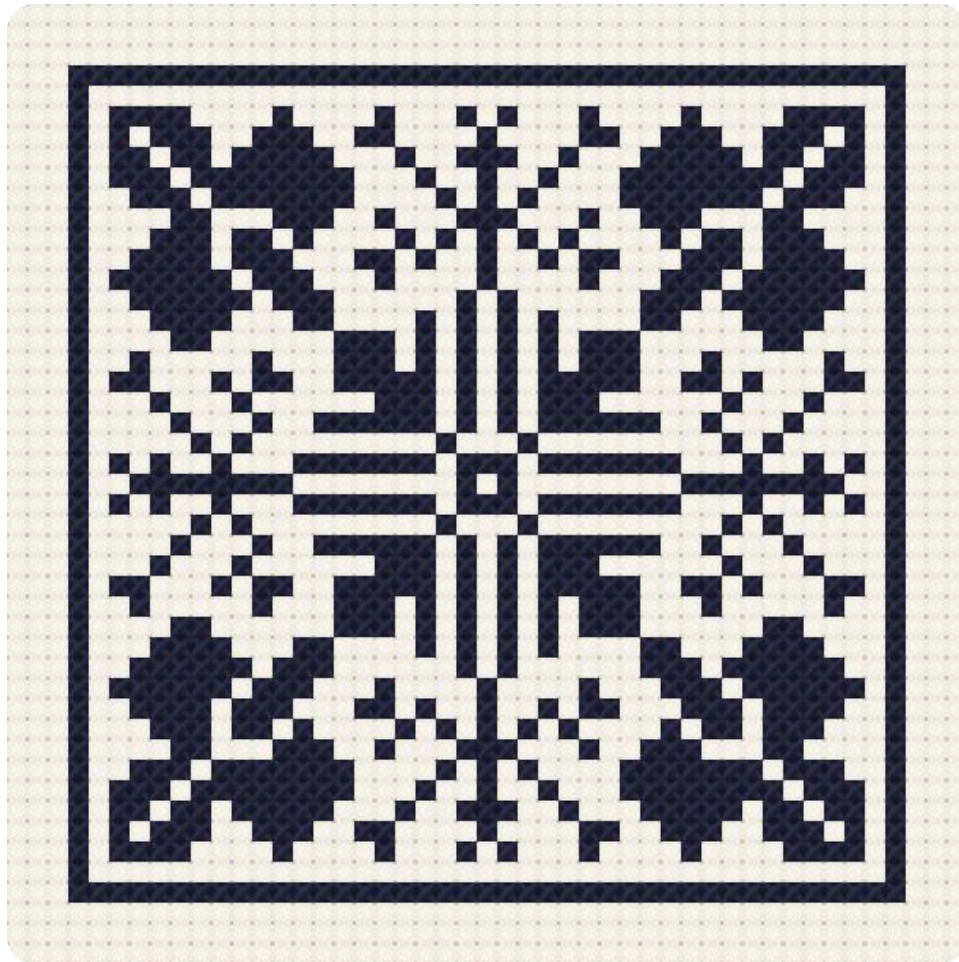


# Antique striped cross

A cross of stripes round a small square, with a flower in every corner, inside a plain frame, sized for a card, a coaster or a sampler panel.



## Size

**41 × 41 stitches**

824 full cross stitches

## Colours

**1 DMC stranded cotton**

Difficulty: Beginner

## On 14-count Aida

**2.9 × 2.9 in**

7.4 × 7.4 cm, design

## On 16-count Aida

**2.6 × 2.6 in**

6.5 × 6.5 cm, design

## Fabric to cut, 14-count Aida

**6.9 × 6.9 in**

18 × 18 cm, with 2 in (5 cm) of cloth on every side

## Fabric to cut, 16-count Aida

**6.6 × 6.6 in**

17 × 17 cm

## Open this PDF in Crosstela

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Redrawn square by square after Thérèse de Dillmont (1846–1890), Album de broderies au point de croix, series 3, plate 8, no. 86, printed for DMC. The plates print in one colour: the thread colour is our choice.

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| SYMBOL                                                                            |                                                                                   | THREAD  | NAME      | STITCHES | SKEINS |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|-----------|----------|--------|
|  |  | DMC 823 | Blueberry | 824      | 1      |
| Total                                                                             |                                                                                   |         |           | 824      |        |

Two strands for every cross on 14-count Aida, one or two on 16-count. Skeins: 8 m skeins, two strands on 14-count, rounded up with room to spare.

Start in the middle: the arrows on the edges of the chart point to the centre row and column. Each square is one cross stitch in the colour of its symbol; blank squares are bare cloth.

