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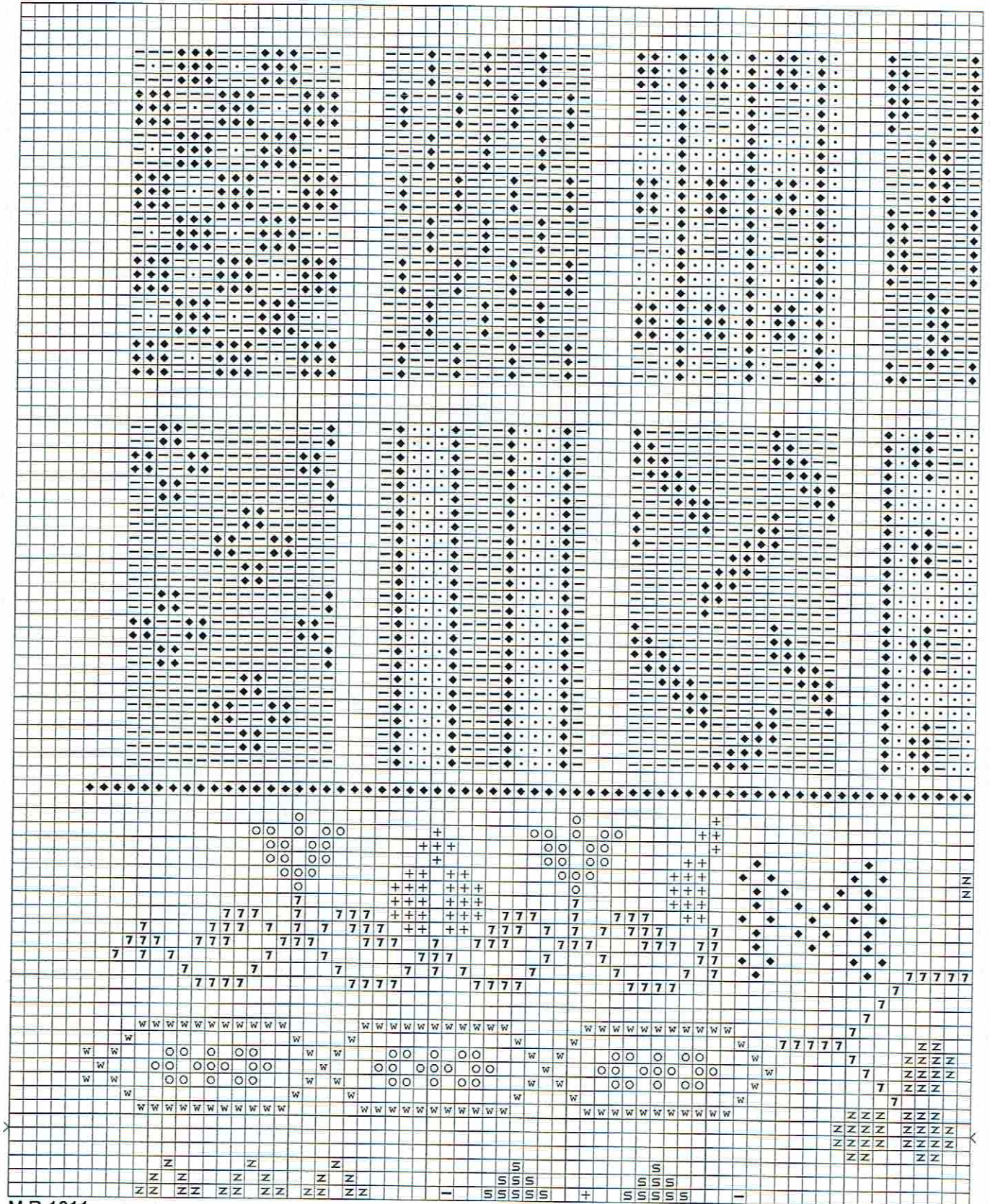


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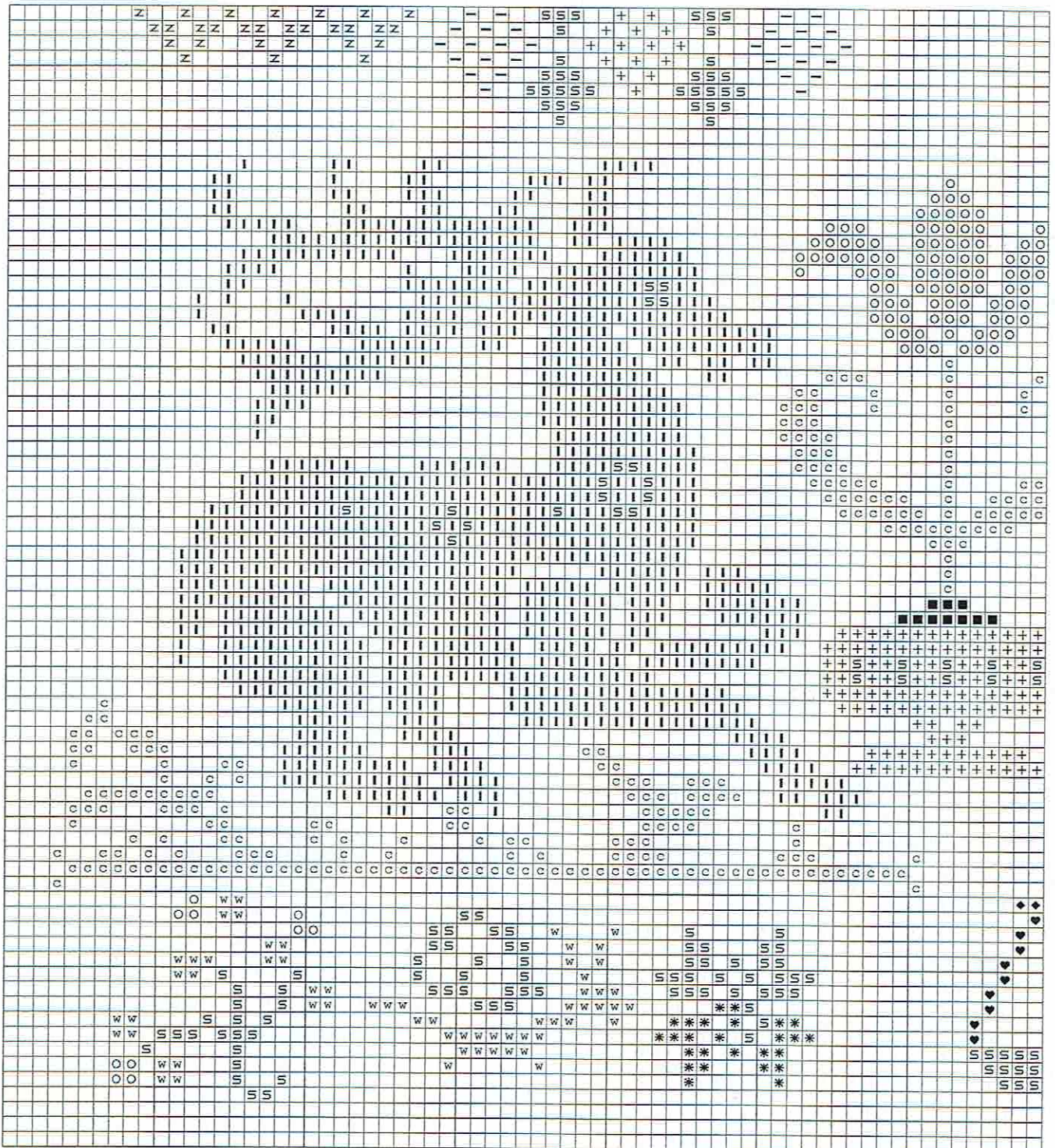
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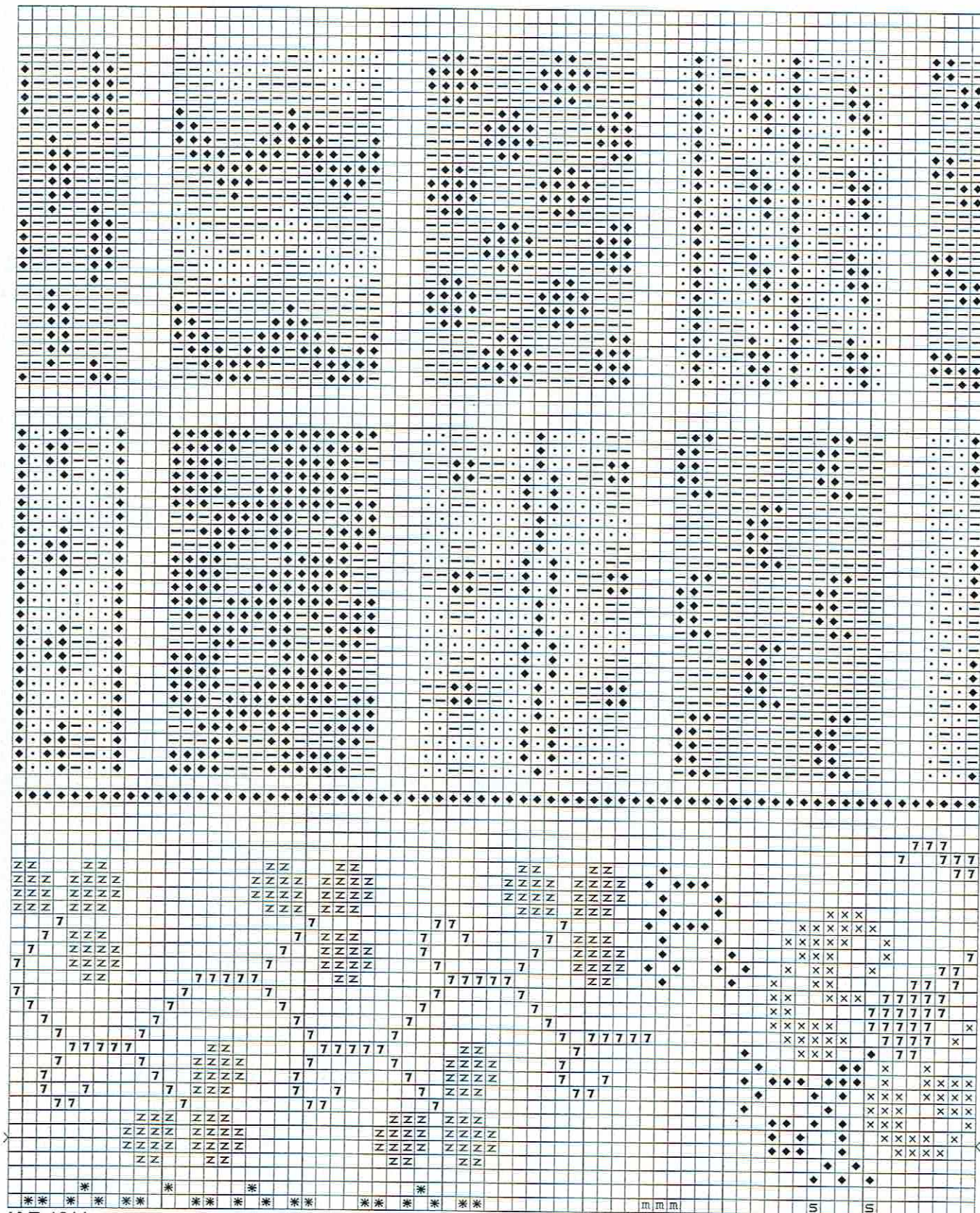
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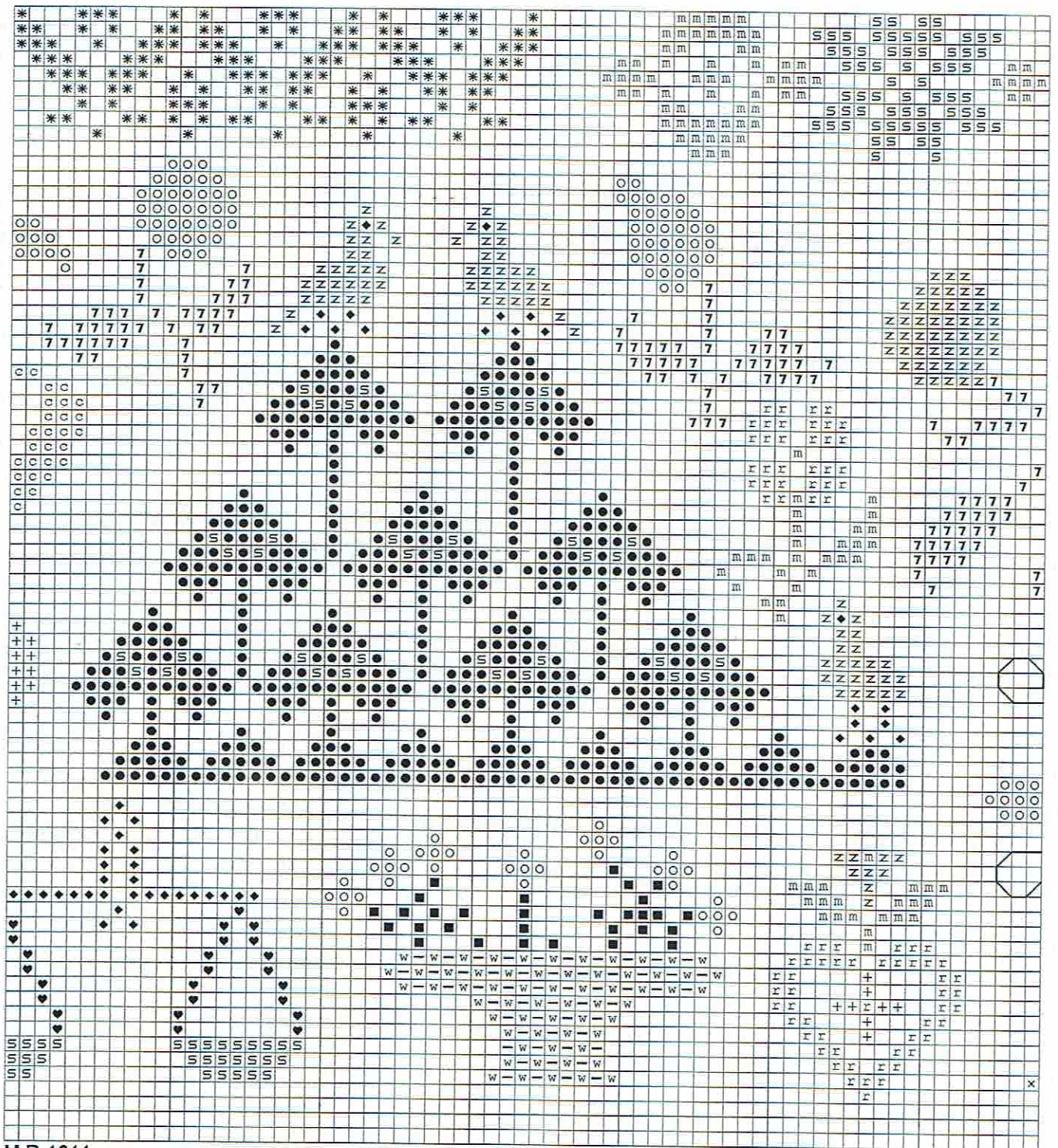
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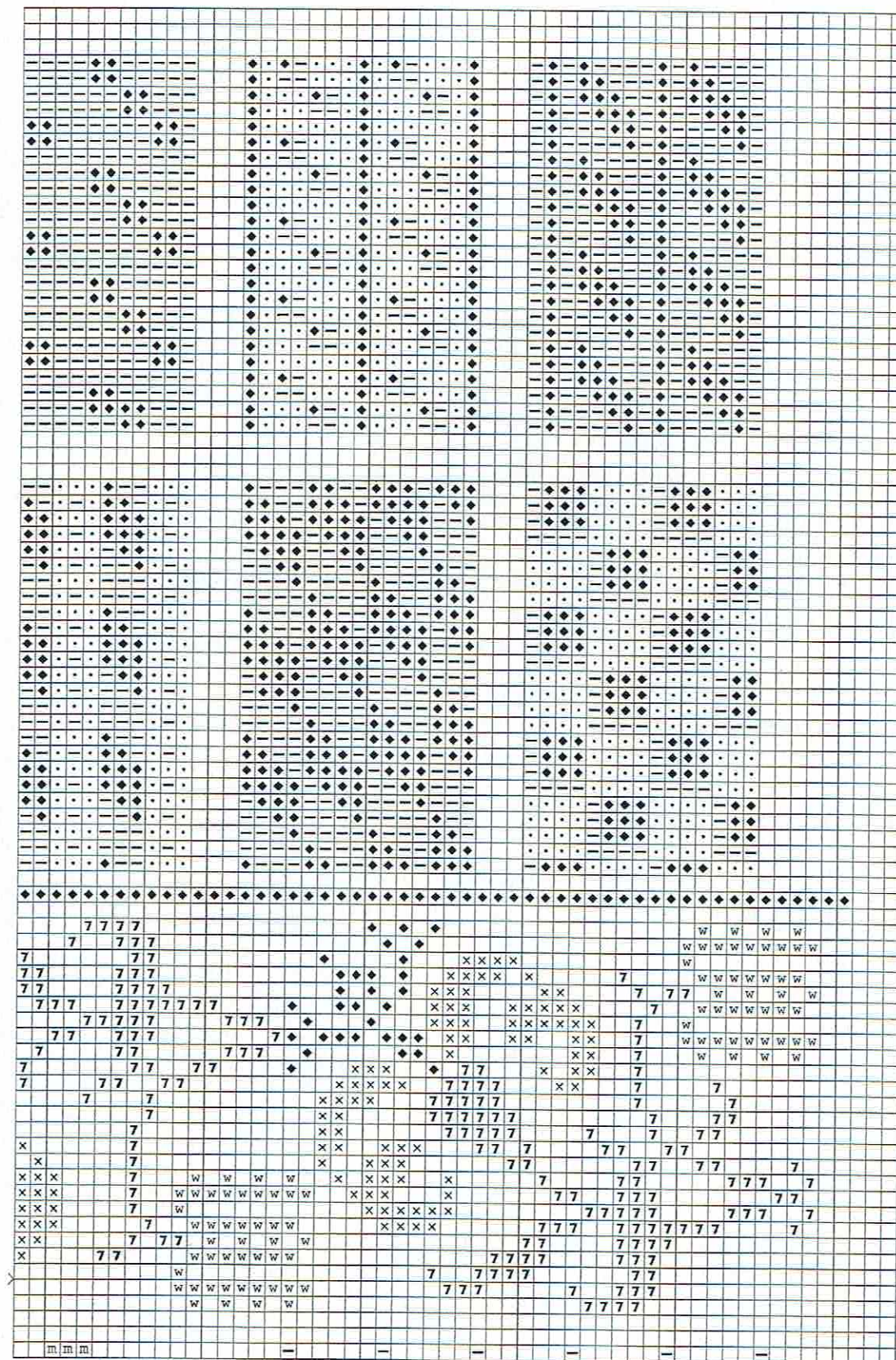
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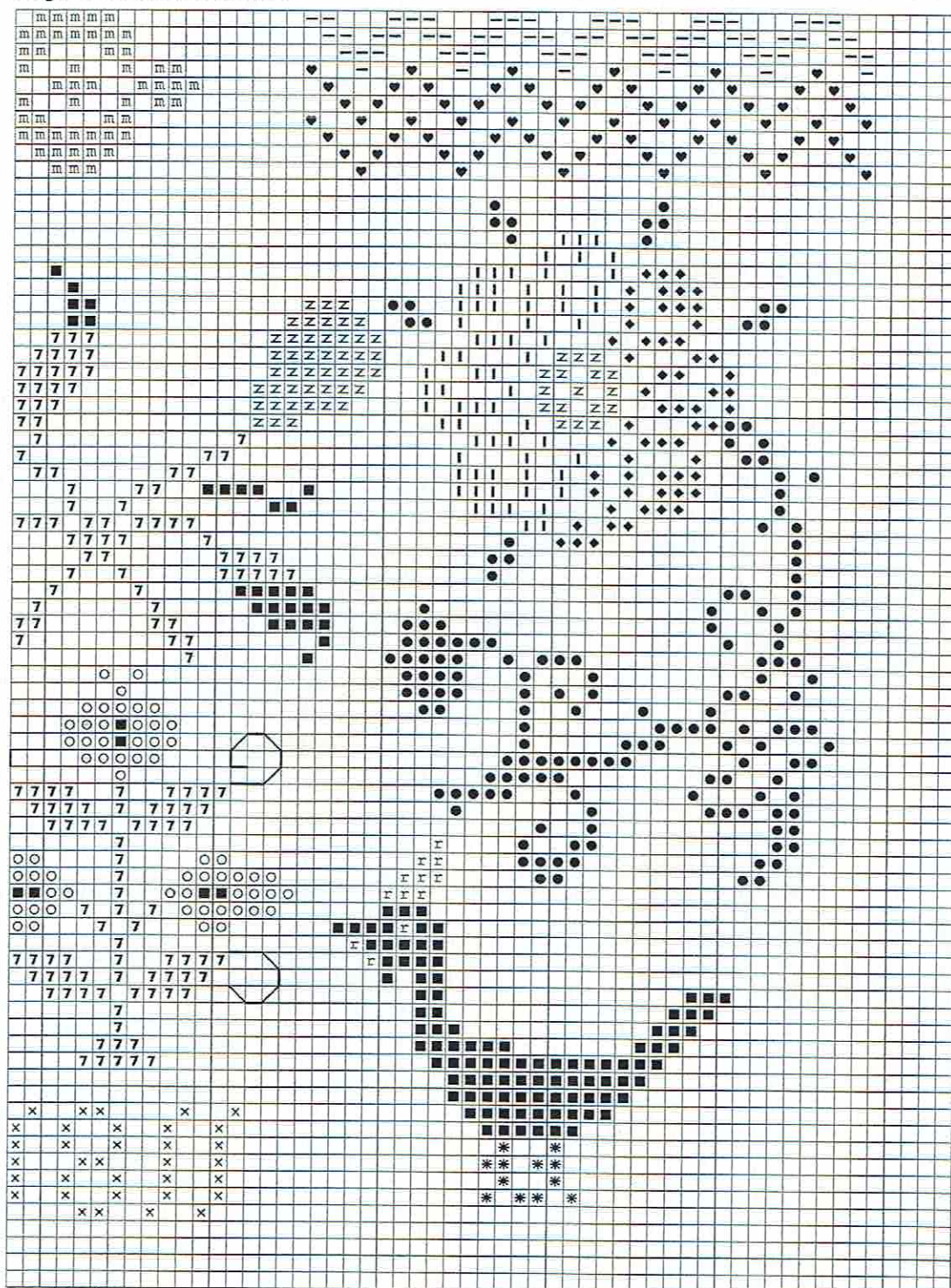
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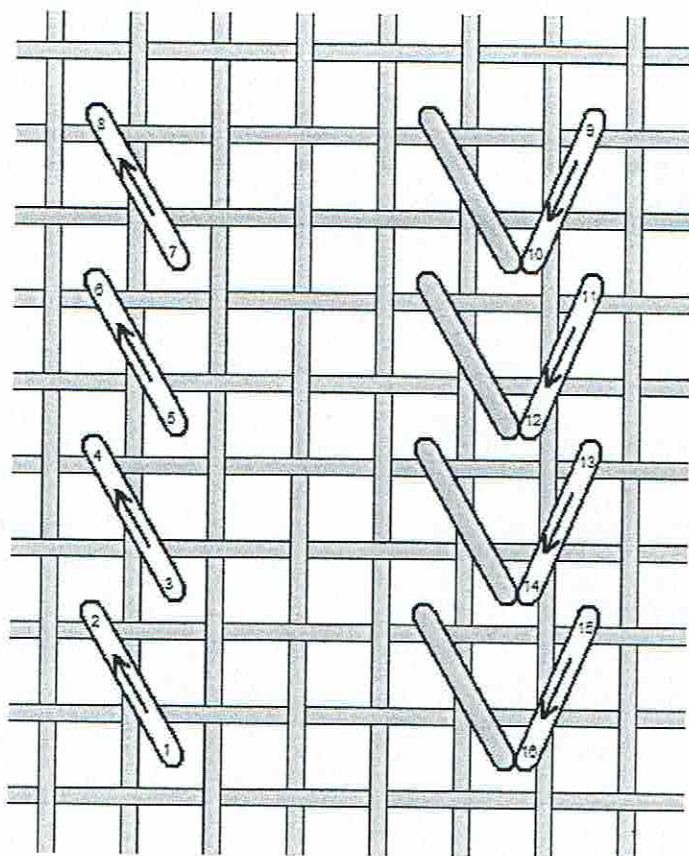
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V Stitch Diagram

Use 2 strands and work stitch in direction as indicated.

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Although it is not possible to trace the needleworker, her arrangement of patterns and motifs attest to her design skills, as does her balanced use of color. The design motifs include a stag, snail, pine forest, birds, and floral bands. This sampler was probably used as a pattern record of the stitcher's favorite motifs. The twenty patterns on the top rows could be used to cover cushions, pillows, or as embellishments on other household goods. Worked in a simple "V" stitch, the finished patterns have a knitted appearance.

The soft earthy colors of the sampler were matched to the original sampler, which was worked with silks on fine linen. The original sampler is in a private collection.

Stitching Notes:

Stitches used are cross stitch over two, back stitch, and "V" stitch (stitch diagram included). Use 2 strands of DMC for all stitching, including backstitch with 732 where indicated. Our model stitched by Sue Hargrove.

Stitch count **188 x 156**

Size of stitched area:

Thread Count

Size in inches

**32 count cream Belfast linen
from Wichelt Imports**

Fabric Cut

28	11 1/4 x 13 1/2	17 1/4 x 19 1/2
32	9 3/4 x 11 3/4	15 3/4 x 17 3/4
36	8 3/4 x 10 1/2	14 3/4 x 16 1/2
40	7 3/4 x 9 1/2	13 3/4 x 15 1/2

DMC Colors:

C	367	Pistachio Green Dark
I	420	Hazel Nut Brown Dark
w	435	Brown Very Light
—	597	(2) Turquoise
♥	598	Turquoise Light
S	729	Old gold Medium
7	732	Olive Green
x	738	Tan Very Light
•	739	Tan Ultra Very Light
r	758	Terra Cotta Very Light
◆	869	(2) Hazel Nut Brown Very Dark
■	898	Coffee Brown Very Dark
●	3346	Hunter Green
+	3768	Grey Green Dark
m	3790	Beige Gray Ultra Dark
*	3829	Old Gold Very Dark
O	3863	Mocha Beige Medium
Z	3864	Mocha Beige Light

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