Category: Knitted Home Décor/ Holidays

Skill Level:

INTERMEDIATE

Cascade 220®
Tree In The Snowy Woods

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Measurements:
Medium, (Large)

Measurements:
6 (6)” wide x 11 (13)” cuff
to center heel
x 7 (8)” center heel to toe.

Materials:

- Cascade Yarns® Cascade 220®
  100% Peruvian Highland Wool
  100 g (3.5oz) / 220 yds (200 m)
- MC - 1 Skein of
  #8895 (Christmas Red)
- CC1 - 1 Skein of
  #8267 (Forest Green)
- CC2 - 1 Skein of
  #8505 (White)
- US 6 (4.0 mm) /
  16” circular needles
- or size needed to obtain gauge
- US 5 (3.5 mm) /
  16” circular needles
- US 6 (4.0 mm)
  Double pointed needles (DPNs)
  for toe decreases.
- Crochet Hook Size J (6.0 mm)
  or 6” piece of ribbon
  for Hanger.
- Yarn Needle
- 2 Stitch Marker
- 1 Large Stitch Holder

Gauge:

22 sts x 26 rows = 4” (10 cm) blocked in stranded Stockinette st on larger needles

OR

22 sts x 26 rows = 4” (10 cm) blocked in single color Stockinette st on smaller needles.

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Abbreviations:

CC1	= Contrast Color 1
CC2	= Contrast Color 2
Ch	= Chain
CO	= Cast On
MC	= Main color
K	= Knit
K2tog	= Knit 2 stitches together
KFB	= Knit in front and back of stitch
P	= Purl
P2tog	= Purl 2 stitches together
PM	= Place Marker
Rnd(s)	= Round(s)
RS	= Right Side
Sl	= Slip
St(s)	= Stitch(es)
WS	= Wrong Side

Begin Pattern:

CO 70 sts with smaller needles and CC1 using long tail CO. PM.
Being careful not to twist your sts, join in the rnd.
K all sts for 10 rnds in CC1.
Next rnd: P all sts in CC1.
Next rnd: *[K34, KFB next st]; repeat from * once more. (72 sts)
Change to larger needles.

Note: Charts are worked in Stockinette st and are worked from right to left, bottom to top.

Plain Stocking with Holly Border:

Work rows 1 - 21 of Snowy Tree and Holly chart for size being made. PM at beginning of and after st 36 of rnd.
Repeat each row of the chart twice across each rnd, slipping markers while knitting.
Cut CC1 & CC2 leaving 8” (20 cm) tail.
Change to smaller needles.
All remaining rnds are worked with smaller needles.
Knit all rnds in MC until piece measures approx. 11 (13)” (27.5 [32.5] cm) from rolled edge.
Then work the heel.

Tree (Stranded) Stocking with Holly Border:

Work all rows of the Snowy Tree and Holly charts for size being made. PM at beginning of rnd and after st 36 of rnd.
Repeat each row of chart twice across each rnd, slipping markers while knitting.
Then work the heel.

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Note: All slipped sts are slipped purlwise unless otherwise stated. Heel rows are worked back & forth, not in the rnd. Heel is worked in CC1.

Heel:
Cut MC (and CC2 if applicable) leaving 8" (20 cm) tail.
Row 1 (RS): Join CC1, K18, turn.
Row 2 (WS): P36, turn.
Place remaining 36 instep sts on st holder.
Row 3 (RS): *[Sl1, K1]; repeat from * to end of row.
Row 4 (WS): *[Sl1, P1]; repeat from * to end of row.
Repeat Rows 3 and 4, 4 more times, ending with a Row 4.

Turn Heel:
Row 1 (RS): *[Sl1, K1]; repeat from * to end of row.
Row 2 (WS): Sl1, P10, P2tog, P10, P2tog, P11. (34 sts)
Row 3 (RS): *[Sl1, K1]; repeat from * to end of row.
Row 4 (WS): Sl1, P9, P2tog, P10, P2tog, P10. (32 sts)
Row 5 (RS): *[Sl1, K1]; repeat from * to end of row.
Row 6 (WS): Sl1, P8, P2tog, P10, P2tog, P9. (30 sts)
Row 7 (RS): *[Sl1, K1]; repeat from * to end of row.
Row 8 (WS): Sl1, P7, P2tog, P10, P2tog, P8. (28 sts)
Row 9 (RS): *[Sl1, K1]; repeat from * to end of row.
Row 10 (WS): Sl1, P6, P2tog, P10, P2tog. Turn. (26 sts)
Row 11 (RS): *[Sl1, K1]; repeat from * 5 times more. Turn.
Row 12 (WS): Sl1, P10, P2tog. Turn.
Row 13 (RS): *[Sl1, K1]; repeat from * 4 times more, Sl1, K2tog. Turn.

Repeat rows 12 and 13 until 12 sts remain, ending with K2tog. Turn.
Last row: Sl1, P5. Turn. PM for beginning of rnd.

Note: This is center of heel.

Foot:
Cut CC1 leaving 8" tail.
Rnd 1: With MC, K6. Pick up and K12 sts evenly in the ch sts along side of heel flap. Place sts from holder back onto left needle. K36 instep sts, pick up and K12 sts evenly in the ch sts along the 2nd side of heel flap. K6 sts. (72 sts).
Join on next rnd.
Rest of stocking is knit in the rnd. Go to foot section for stocking being made.

Foot for Plain Stocking with Holly Border:
Work all rnds in MC until foot measures approx. 5 (6)" (12.5 (15) cm) from 1st rnd knit after completion of heel.
Then work the Toe.

Foot for Tree (Stranded) Stocking with Holly Border:
Work Foot Chart for size being made.
Then work the Toe.

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Toe:
Cut MC and (CC2 if applicable) leaving 8” (20 cm) tail.
Toe is worked in CC1.
Join CC1.
Switch to DPNs to complete decrease rnds if needed.
Rnd 1: K all sts.
Rnd 2: *[K6, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. (63 sts)
Rnd 3: K all sts.
Rnd 4: K all sts.
Rnd 5: *[K5, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. (54 sts)
Rnd 6: K all sts.
Rnd 7: K all sts.
Rnd 8: *[K4, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. (45 sts)
Rnd 9: K all sts.
Rnd 10: K all sts.
Rnd 11: *[K3, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. (36 sts)
Rnd 12: K all sts.
Rnd 13: *[K2, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. (27 sts)
Rnd 14: K all sts.
Rnd 15: *[K1, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. (18 sts)
Rnd 16: K all sts.
Rnd 17: *[K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. (9 sts)
Cut yarn, leaving a 12” (30 cm) tail.

Finishing:
With yarn needle, weave the tail through remaining toe sts twice.
Pull tightly, then push needle through to WS and secure the tail with an anchor st.
Weave in all ends and block as necessary.

Hanger: Use ribbon to make a hanging tab and sew in securely with needle and thread to the WS of work or use 2 - 20” (50 cm) strands of CC1 held together and crochet a 3” (7.5 cm) ch.
Secure the ch to the inside of cuff with tapestry needle and CC1.
Weave in ends.

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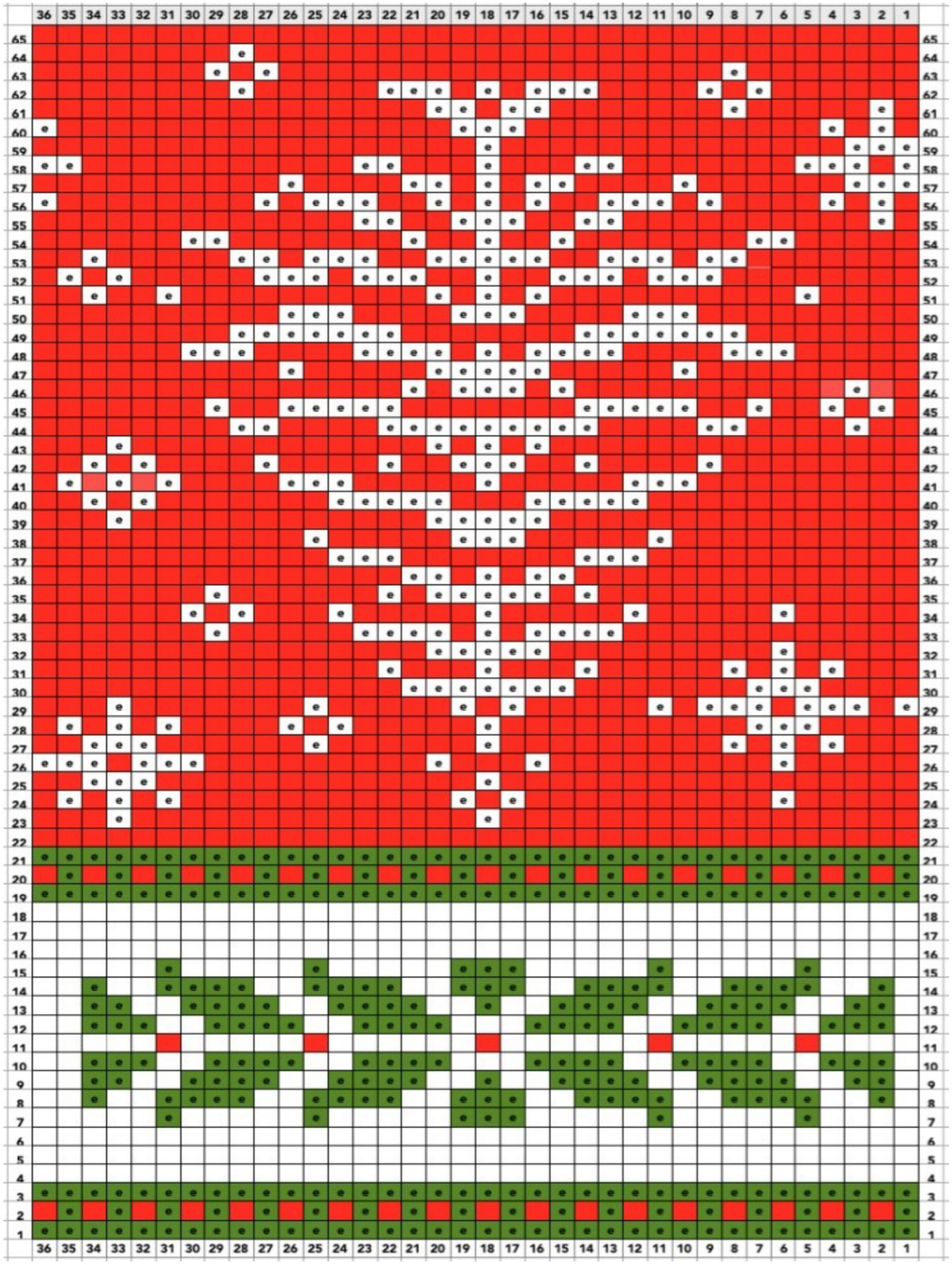
Medium Snowy Tree and Holly Chart *(Work colors as shown in Chart)*:



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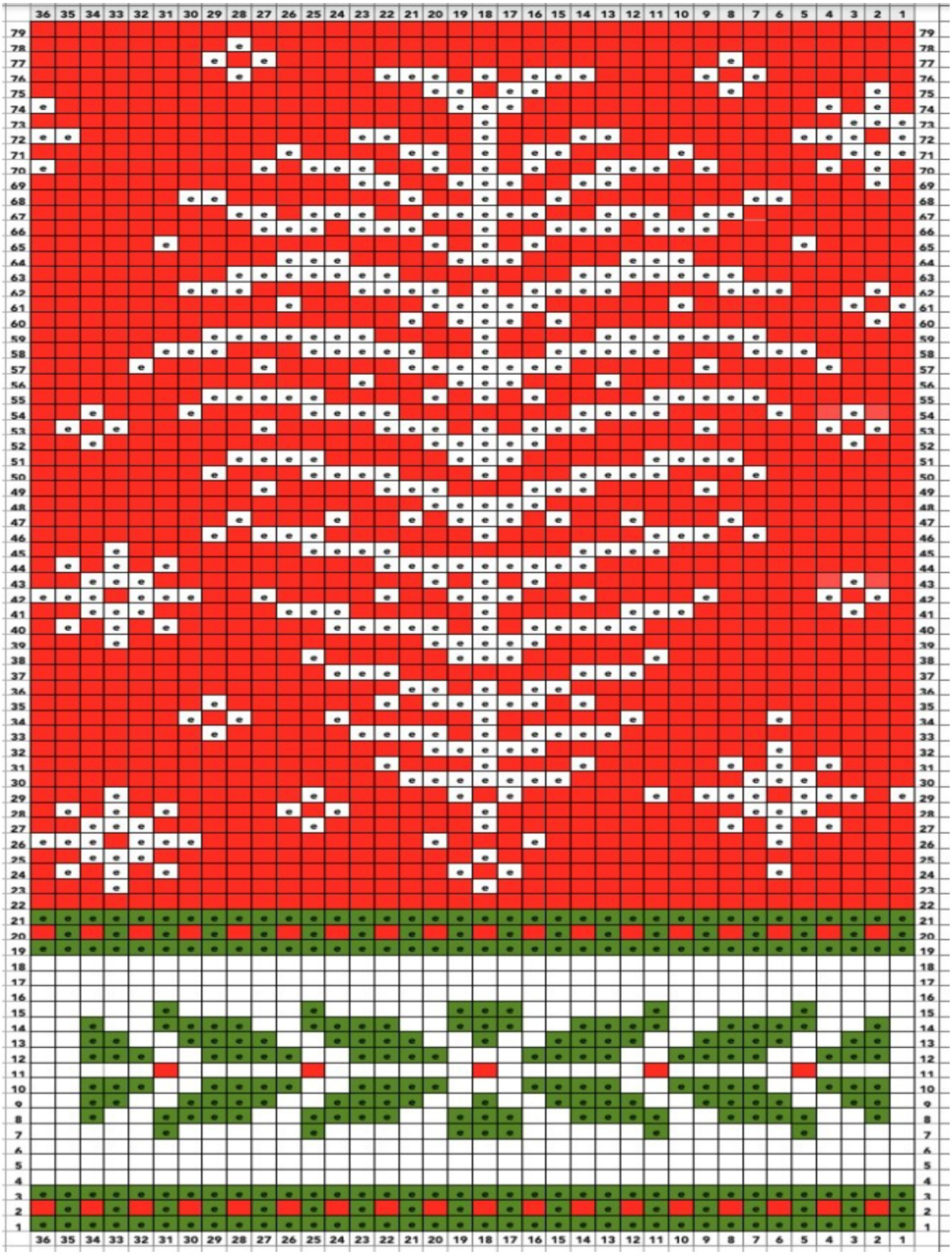
Large Snowy Tree and Holly Chart *(Work colors as shown in Chart)*:



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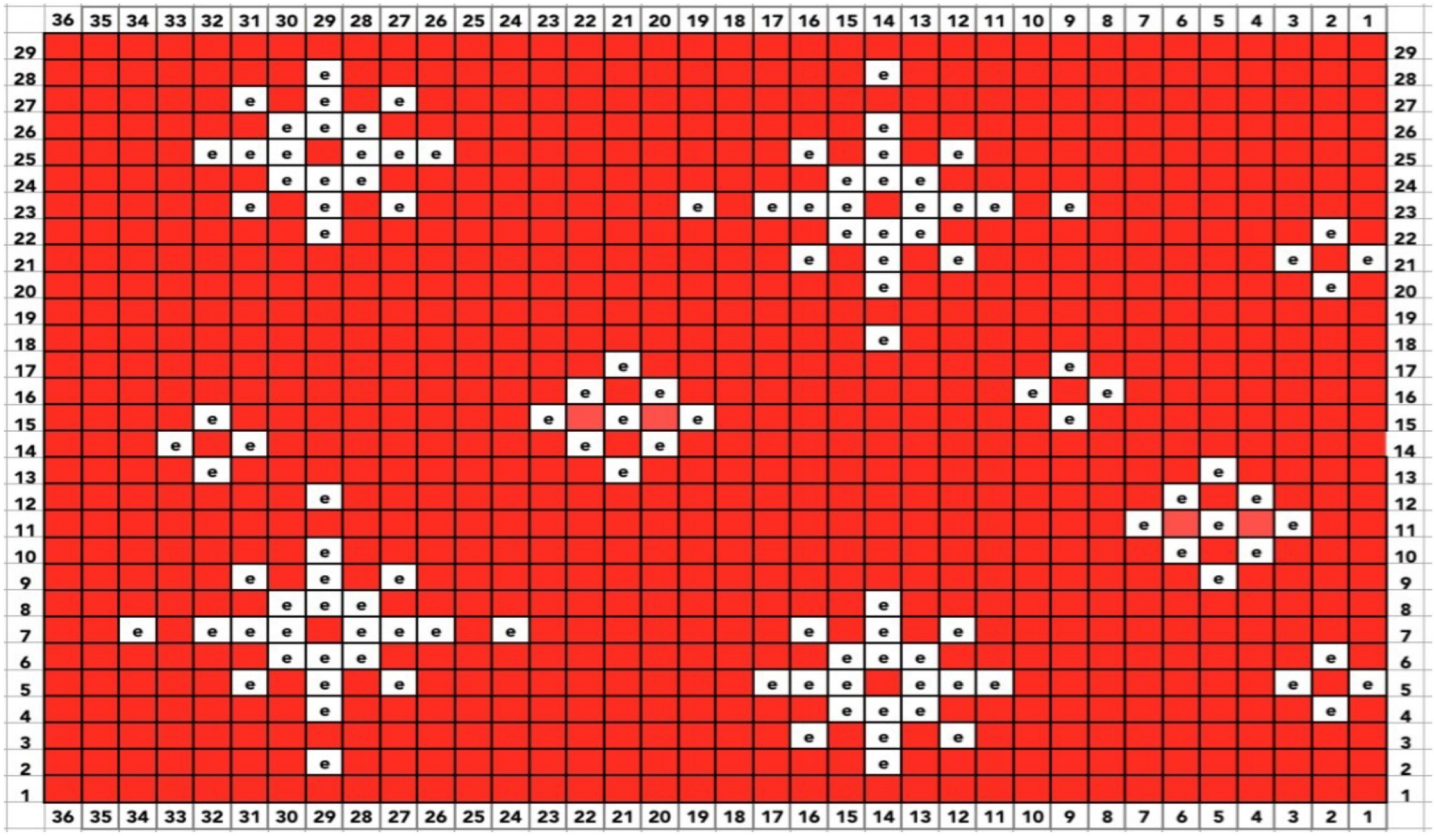

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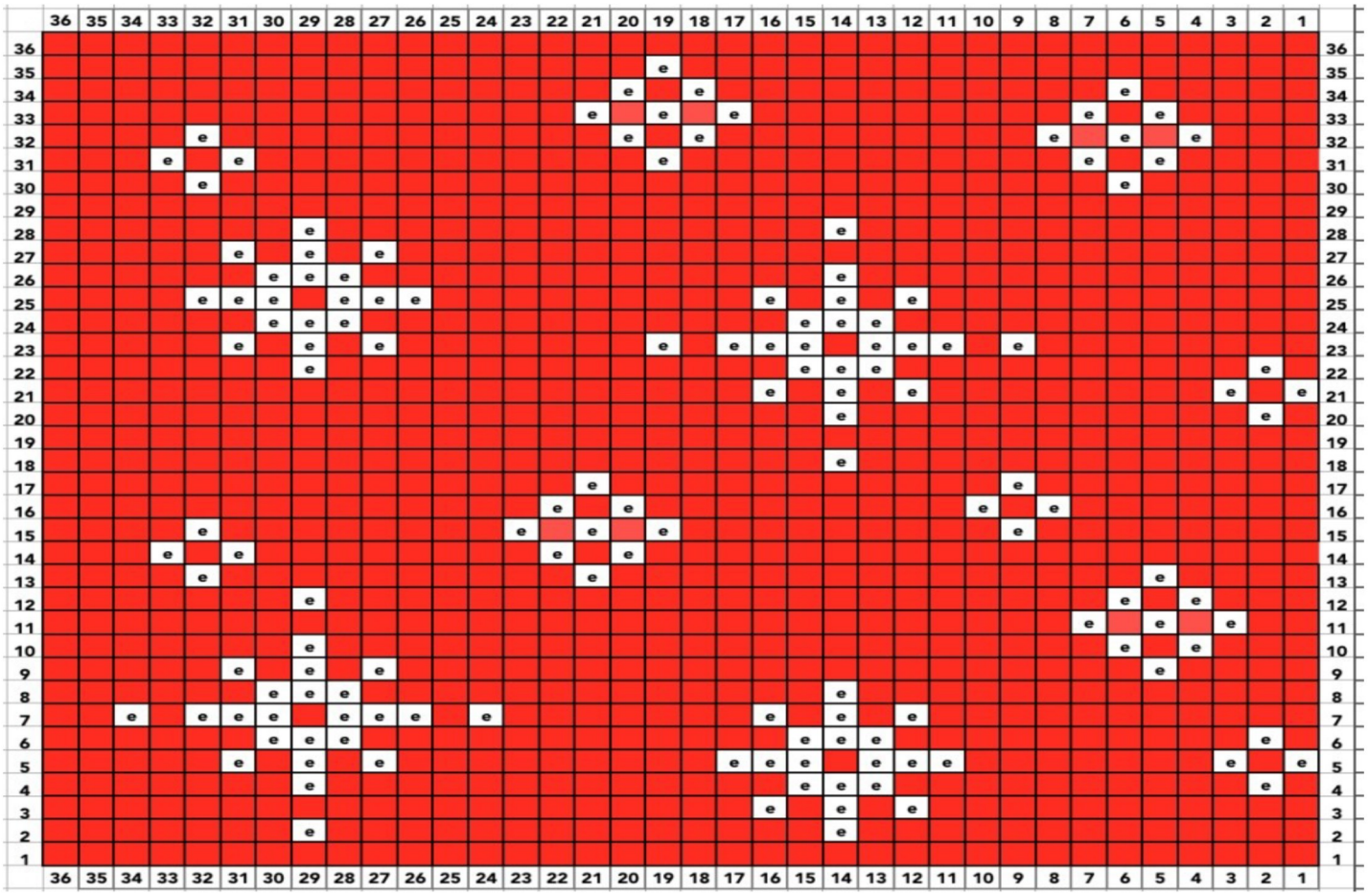

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