

Cross Stitch Project Planner

Pattern Name: _____

Designer: _____

Fabric color I plan to use: _____

Count of fabric I plan to use: _____

Fabric size calculations:

What is the stitch count of my pattern:

A _____ x *B* _____

What count is my fabric? If using aida cloth, or stitching "over one", enter the amount in blank *C*. If using linen or evenweave and stitching "over two", divide that number by 2. (Example: For 28 count fabric, divide by 2, and enter '14' in blank *C*)

C _____

To figure the finished design size, divide the stitch count by your fabric count. Find the values from the blanks above and do the calculations here:

A _____ divided by *C* _____ = *D* _____ inches

B _____ divided by *C* _____ = *E* _____ inches

My finished design size will be *D* x *E*, but I will need to add extra fabric to each side to allow for framing. Most framers like to have an extra 3-4 inches on each side. (This also helps if I accidentally stitch my design off center a bit.)

How much fabric do I want to add to each side? *F* _____ inches

Now, multiply this by two. *F* _____ x 2 = *G* _____ inches

Add this to my finished design size that I figured earlier (*D* x *E*).

D _____ inches + *G* _____ inches = *H* _____ inches length

E _____ inches + *G* _____ inches = *I* _____ inches width

The fabric size that I need for my project is:

_____ x _____ inches

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