



**TOP TIP**  
 Stitch all the larger areas of colour first, then move on to the smaller ones, leaving the backstitch until last

### Heather READER PANEL



“This panda design is my favourite in the magazine! I love stitching cute characters and this would look lovely framed and added to my collection. I would definitely stitch this piece for myself.”

### Panda Pair key

✂ Cross stitch in two strands

	DMC	Anchor	Madeira	
∩	blanc	2	2402	white
z	ecru	387	2404	cream
■	310	403	2400	black
■	317	400	1714	dark grey
J	318	399	1802	light grey
⦿	414	235	1801	grey
∞	712	926	2101	light cream
⦿	962	75	609	dark pink
A	963	73	502	light pink
\$	3347	265	1408	green
▽	3348	264	1409	light green
♡	3716	25	503	pink

✂ Cross stitch in one strand

×	168	1096	1708	light ash grey
☆	169	1040	1707	ash grey

✂ Backstitch in one strand

—	310	403	2400	black
—	3799	236	1713	very dark grey

✂ Backstitch in two strands

—	3345	268	1406	dark green
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**STITCH COUNT** 112 high x 84 wide

**DESIGN AREA** 14 HPI (28-count evenweave) – 20.5x15.5cm (8x6in)

This design was stitched using DMC stranded cotton

### Shopping list

- ✂ Zweigart\* 14-count white aida measuring 38x33cm (15x13in)
- ✂ Stranded cotton as listed in the key
- ✂ Size 24 tapestry needle
- ✂ Canvas measuring 25x20cm (10x8in), from local craft stores

**Thread & fabric cost**  
**Approximately £18**

\*For stockists see page 90

