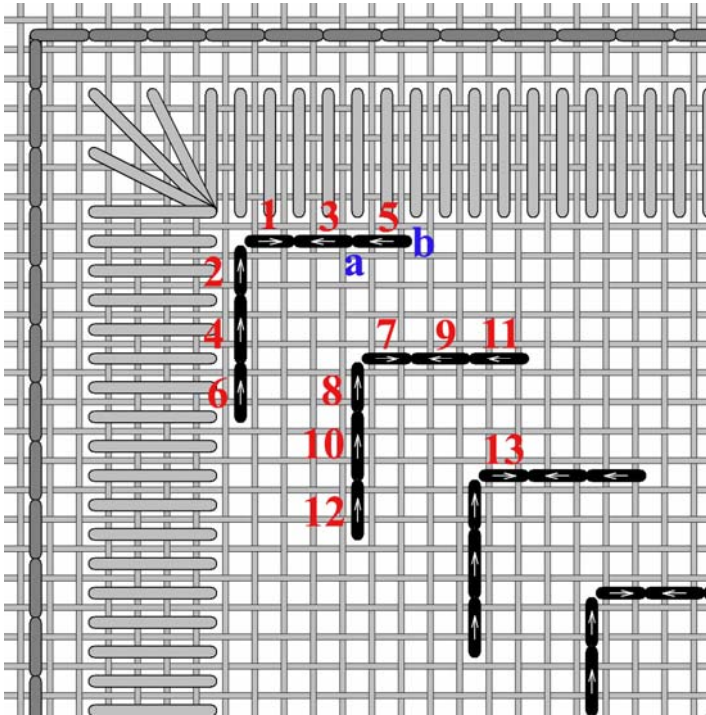


13. Triangle Stitch



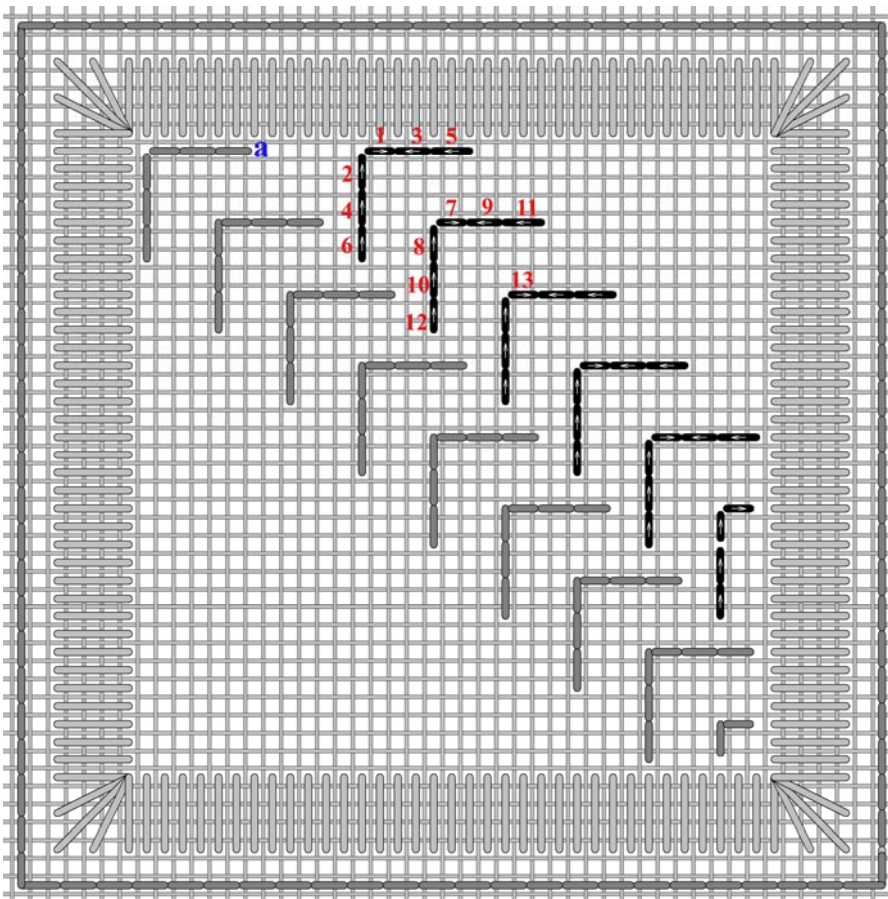
The Triangle Stitch is started from the top left corner and moves down towards the bottom right corner.

Rather than number the start and end of each stitch, in these stitch diagrams each stitch is numbered. Each stitch is over 2 linen threads and the arrows indicate their direction.

Stitch **1** begins 1 linen thread to the right and 1 linen thread down from the top left corner, stitch down 2 linen threads to the right. To start stitch **2** come up 1 linen thread to the right and 3 linen threads down from the top left corner (or 2 linen threads down from the start of stitch **1**). Then pull. To end stitch **2**, stitch over 2 linen threads up from it's beginning. Stitch **3** is 2 linen threads to the right of stitch **1**. Pull. The end of stitch **3** shares the same hole as the end of stitch **1**. Begin stitch **4** 2 linen threads down from stitch **2**, then pull. Always pull when you come up to begin the next stitch. Complete stitch **5** and **6**.

The next set of stitches begin with stitch **7**. Either count down 4 linen threads from **a**, or count down 4 linen threads down and 2 linen threads to the left of **b**. I found the second easier. Complete the set of six stitches in the same manner as the first.

Continue in this manner, until you reach the bottom, eight full sets of stitches and the ninth is a compensating set. This can be seen in the next diagram.



Slip your thread through the satin stitch border on the reverse side until you reach the beginning of the next run. Or end your thread, and secure your thread again close to the beginning of the next run.

The stitches and set of stitches in this run are the same as in the previous run.

When starting stitch **1** come up in the 6th hole to the right of **a**.

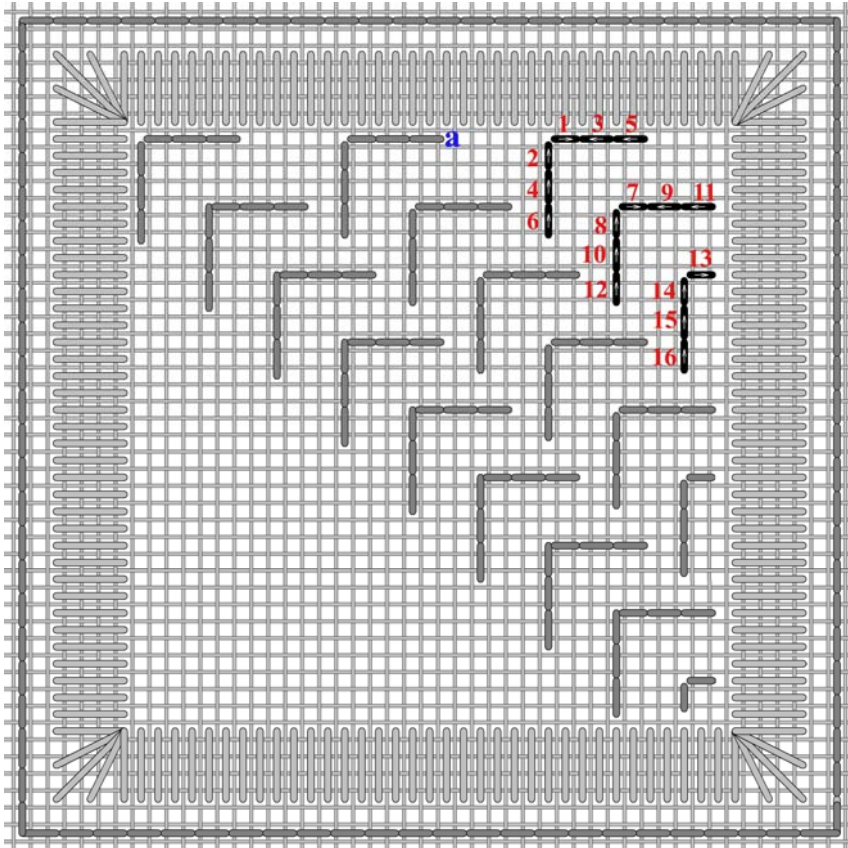
Then complete each set of stitches as described above. In this run there are five full sets of stitches and one compensating set.

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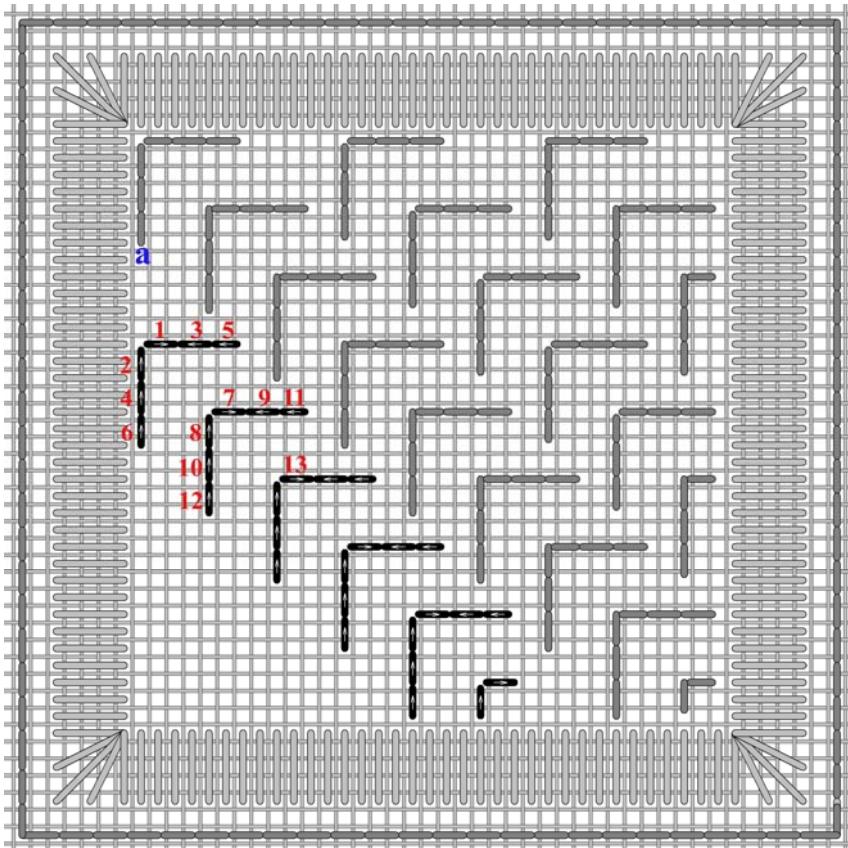
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To begin the third run stitch up at the beginning of stitch **1**, the 6th hole to the right of **a**.

Then complete each set of stitches as in the previous runs. In this run there are two full sets of stitches and one compensating set.



The fourth run starts 6 linen threads down from **a**.

The second set of stitches start with stitch **7**, and stitch **7** begins 4 linen threads to the right and 2 up from the bottom of stitch **6**.

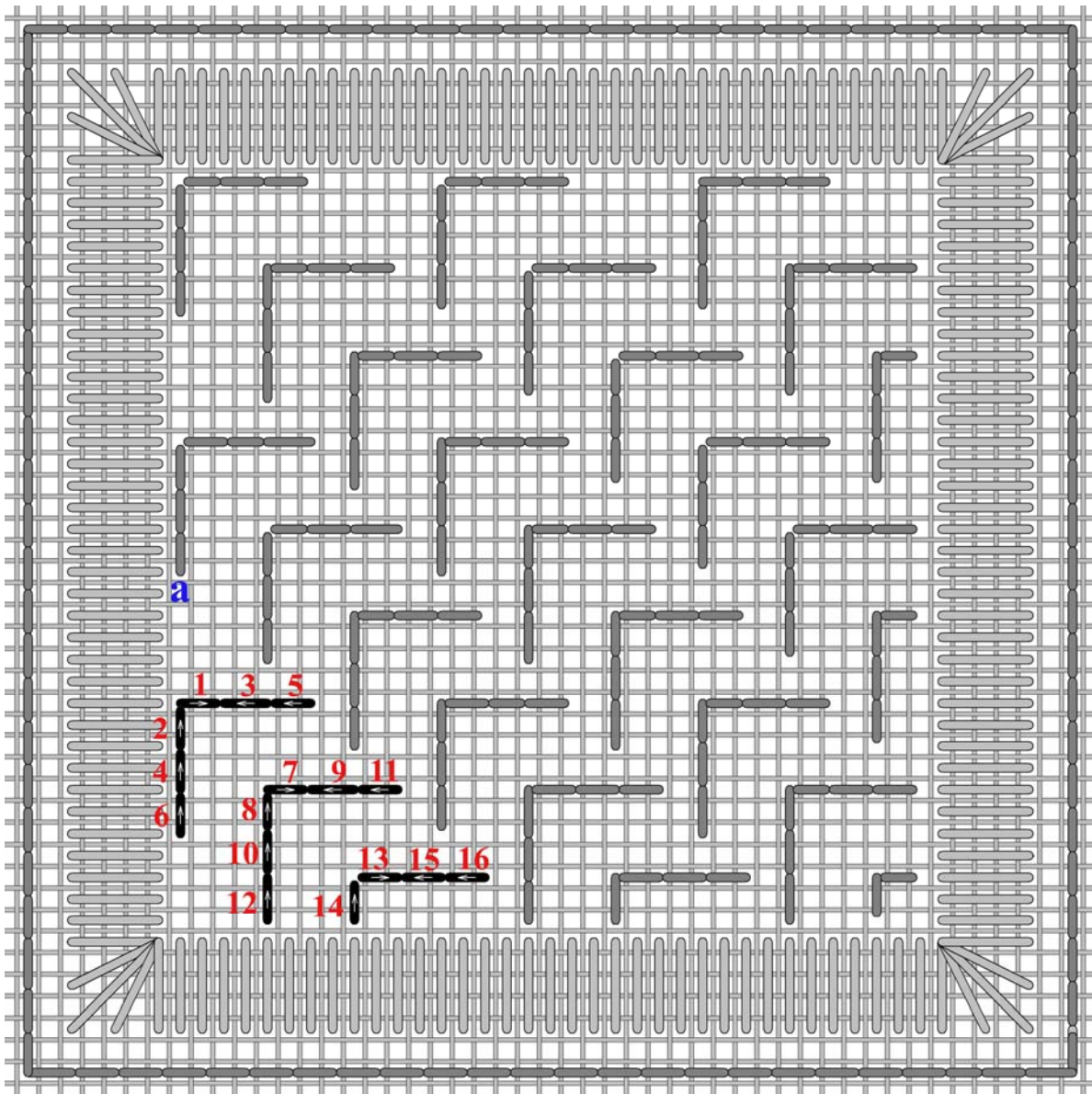
Complete each set of stitches as in the previous runs. In this run there are five full sets of stitches and one compensating set.

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The final (fifth) run starts 6 linen threads down from **a**. Complete each set of stitches as in the previous runs. In this run there are two full sets of stitches and one compensating set.

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