

interactive

EMBROIDERY DESIGNS

Welcome to Sashiko Embroidery, part of the Interactive Embroidery Series from Designer's Gallery! Sashiko Embroidery includes an exclusive Sashiko stitch that allows your machine to perfectly replicate the painstaking hand-stitch of traditional Sashiko. With the 12 projects in the Sashiko Embroidery collection, you can easily customize the size, stitch, design height and more. Create continuous borders and wallpaper designs with your choice of rows. Plus, add elements from other Interactive Embroidery collections for one-of-a-kind projects.

Sashiko Wine Cooler



It's time for wine with this fun cooler project using Sashiko Embroidery! Combine the traditional look of Sashiko with the modern whimsy of lining this project with plastic. The only thing cooler than making this project is the wine it will cool.

Skill Level: Advanced

Supplies:

Baby Lock® sewing and embroidery machine (200mm x 300mm)

Sashiko Embroidery from Designer's Gallery®

Thumb drive or the USB cable (comes with the machine)

Baby Lock® Tear-Away stabilizer

Firm-Flex Interfacing from Baby Lock

Steam-A- Seam

2/3 yd cotton print fabric

½ yd of contrasting fabric for lining

Madeira sewing and embroidery thread

Madeira temporary spray adhesive


General sewing and embroidery supplies

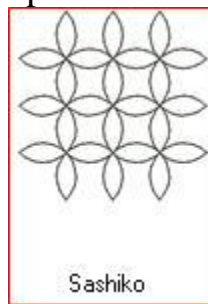
Printed templates

Gallon size plastic bag for liner

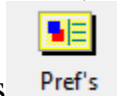
Instructions

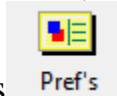
At the Computer:

1. Open the program by clicking on the Interactive icon  on the desktop.
2. On the left side of the screen, next to the workspace, the individual programs are listed. To select the program, slide the Scroll bar downward and left click on Sashiko. If you have more than one program installed, the programs will be listed in alphabetic order.

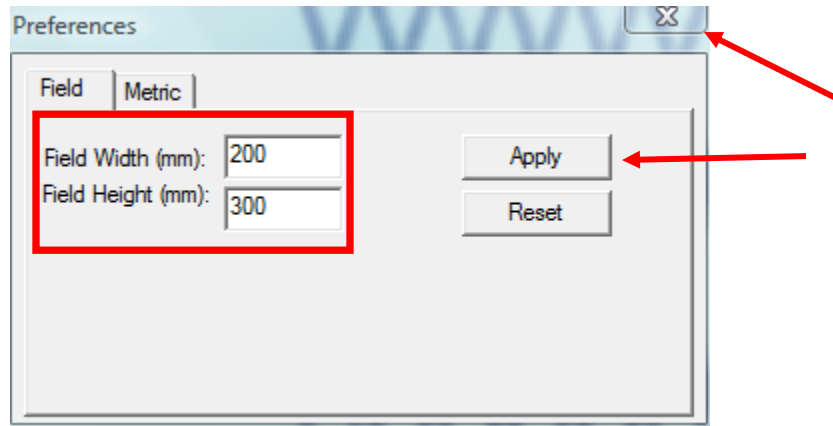


3. To set the parameters of the design, measure the template provided at its widest point and longest points (200mm x 300mm).

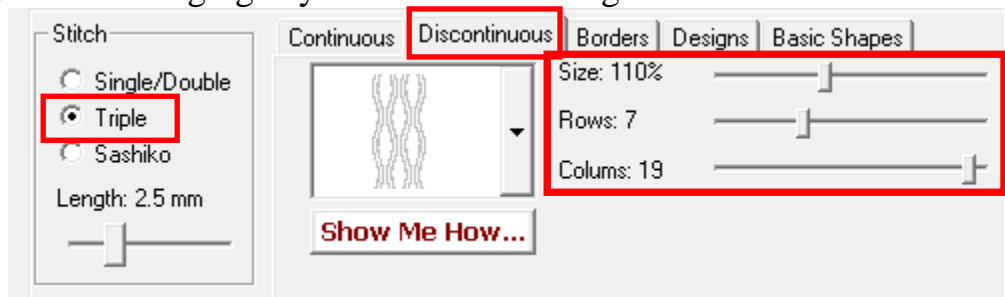


- Click on Preferences  on the top toolbar.
- Type in 200mm in the Width and 300mm in the height fields.
Note: If your hoop is smaller multiple hooppings are required to create one area.

- Click on Apply.
- Close out of the field.



4. Click Discontinuous tab under the Project or Design Window below the workspace. The finished design size will be approximately 196mm x 199mm. The size will be shown on the right side of the Status bar below the workspace. 196.3mm x 299.4mm In this project there will be several hoopings using the same design. The goal is to make the design as large as the hoop to reduce the number of hoopings. .
5. Using the following options to create the design:
6. Click on the down arrow in the Design Selection box and select the Rising Steam pattern.
7. Set the Rows scroll bar to 7.
8. Slide the Columns scroll bar to 19.
9. Slide the Size scroll bar to 110%.
10. Under Stitch, click on Triple. Note: The size of the design size will change when changing any of the above settings.



11. Since we will do several hoopings with the design, we will print out a



template of the design. Click on the Print icon on the top toolbar. Click on the Print button when the dialog box opens to print out an actual size copy of the design.



12. Click on Save found on the top toolbar. Name your file and select your USB drive or other location using the Save in drop down menu. Select the format from the list by clicking the down on the on the Save as Type box and clicking the desired format. Click Save. If your machine requires media other than a USB drive, follow the manufacturer's instructions to transfer the designs to that media.

At the Cutting Table:

1. Print out the pattern pieces following the directions on each of the patterns.
2. Fold the fabric in fourths.
3. Place the pattern along the folded edges and cut out one piece of fabric and interfacing (Firm-Flex).
4. Using Steam A Seam fuse the interfacing to the wrong side of the fabric.
5. Embroider the bag front and back sections at this time. Follow "At the Computer" to create the design.
6. Cut out the handle holes according to markings on the pattern.
7. Using pattern C cut out one piece from the lining fabric while following the markings on the pattern.
8. Using pattern B cut two pieces from the print fabric and two from the interfacing material. This will form the facing around the handles.
9. Fuse the interfacing to the wrong side of the two facing sections.
10. Cut along the handle cutout lines.

At the Embroidery Machine:

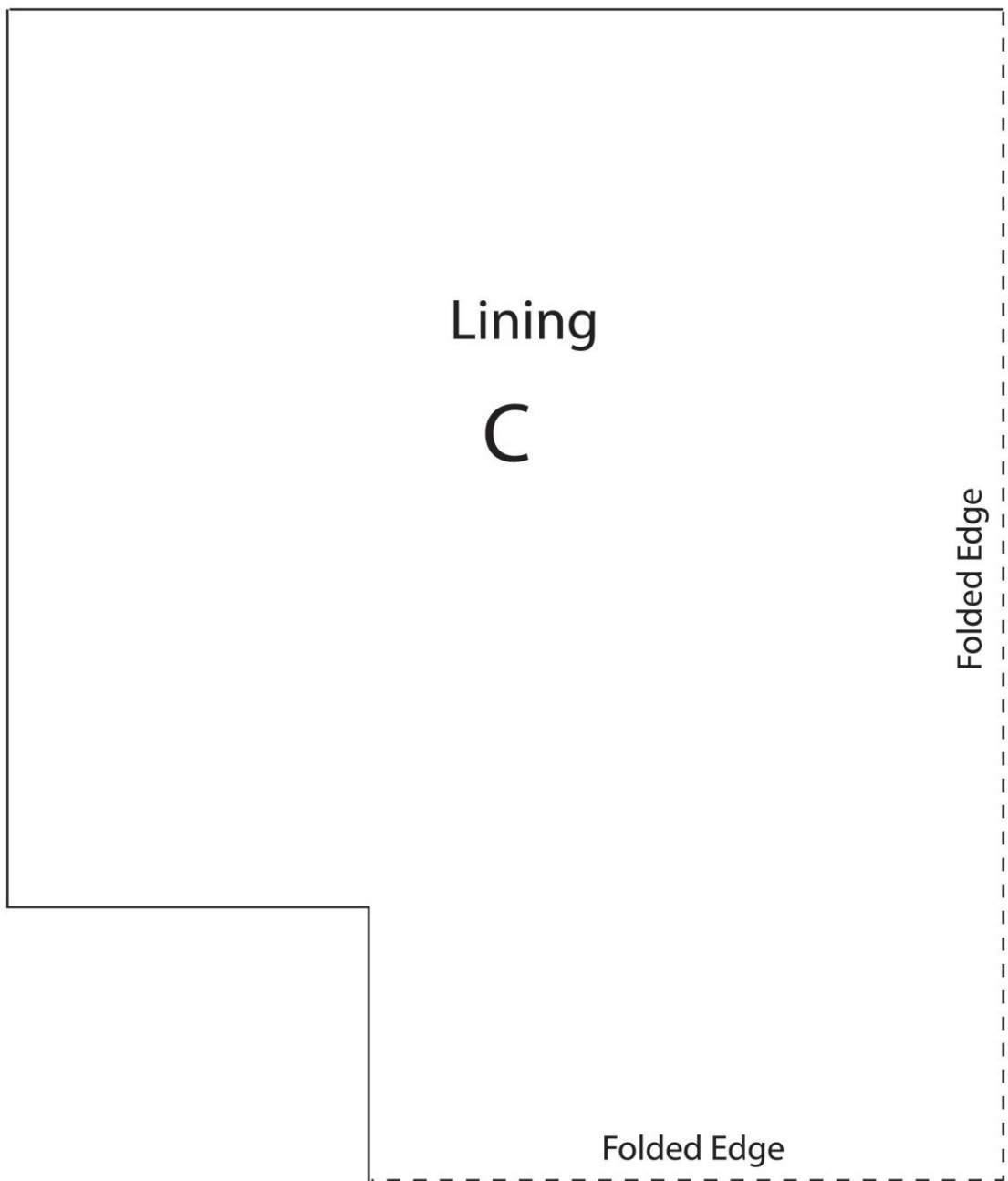
1. Hoop the Baby Lock Tear-Away stabilizer and spray with the temporary spray adhesive.
2. Center and place the top edge of the bag even with the edge of the hoop. Finger press in place.
3. Embroider the design using contrasting thread.
4. Remove the bag from the hoop.
5. Pin the printed template next to the first embroidered area, being careful to place the template the same distance away from the embroidery that the rows of stitches are spaced within the design.
6. Hoop the stabilizer and spray with the temporary spray adhesive.
7. Place the template in the hoop being careful to center the design in the hoop using the cross marks on the template with the marks on the sides of the hoop.
8. Move the design in the machine, if necessary, so that the needle lines up with the cross marks on the template.
9. Embroider the design with the same thread color that was used in the first hooping.

10.Repeat Steps 6-9 until the entire piece (front and back) is embroidered.

Assembly of the Wine Cooler:

Use a ¼" seam allowance for all seams unless otherwise stated.

1. With right sides together, pin the facing to the outer bag section. This will form the handles on the bag. Stitch around the handle hole using a ¼" seam allowance.
2. Trim and clip the seam allowance and turn the facing pieces to the wrong side of the bag. Press.
3. Top stitch around the opening.
4. With right sides together pin the lining pieces to the bottom of each of the facings. Turn and press.
5. Cut two bias strips 2" x 25" long from the contrasting fabric. With wrong sides together fold in half lengthwise and press.
6. Pin the bias 5/8" below where the lining meets the facing, with raw edges even; place the bias on the wrong side of the bag top.
7. Stitch the bias to the bag using a ¼" seam allowance. Trim if necessary.
8. Fold the binding to the right side and press. Using a straight stitch, sew the binding in place close to the edge. Repeat for the opposite side of the bag.
9. Fold the bag with right sides together while having the raw edges even on the side and sew the seam starting at the bias binding using a ½" seam allowance.
- 10.Match the bottom edges to form the bottom and sew together using a ½" seam allowance.
- 11.Turn the bag right side out.
- 12.Place a gallon size plastic bag on the inside for the liner. Add ice and your favorite wine to finish.



Enlarge 200%

