





# Projects

## "Halloween Tea Towel"



This Halloween Tea Towel is quick and fun to make. Choose your favorite Halloween fabrics for the appliqué. Designer's Gallery EmbroideryWorks with built-in appliqué shapes makes the stitching easy while using the Ellisimo Gold II sewing and embroidery machine. This towel is perfect decoration or a great gift for a friend.

#### Skill Level: Easy

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#### **Supplies:**

Baby Lock® Ellisimo Gold II Sewing and Embroidery Machine EmbroideryWorks™ Everyday from Designer's Gallery® with the new AccuQuilt® update installed

AccuQuilt GO! Cutter
AccuQuilt Die #55323 Pumpkins
Flour sack towel
Madeira® embroidery thread

### At the Computer:

- Open the program by clicking on the EmbroideryWorks icon on the desktop.
- 2. Set up the workspace with the 200mm x 200mm hoop. Click on Preferences and select the Hoops category. Select the .pes file format from the list. Select the 200mm x 200mm hoop.
- 3. To create the designs follow the next set of steps:
  - Click on the Merge Designs icon
     on the top toolbar.
  - Click on the down arrow under the Catalog tab and select the AccuQuilt Holiday category.
  - Scroll down and select the 55323 Pumpkin designs.
  - Scroll down and select the first pumpkin design in the category.
  - Click on new page and place the second pumpkin on this workspace.
  - Click on new page again and place the third pumpkin on this page.
- 4. Click on the Print icon to print an exact size template for each of the designs.
- 5. Click on File Save As (Stitch and Working File). The working file format is .be.
- Since the templates are the exact size of the designs, arrange the templates on the towel to determine the placement of the designs. Reposition them until you are satisfied with their placement or place them as shown in the opening picture.

#### At the Sewing and Embroidery Machine:

- 1. Hoop the stabilizer in the 200mm x 200mm hoop. Spray the hooped stabilizer with the temporary spray adhesive.
- 2. Place a Positioning Sticker on the center of the first printed template. Remove the other templates at this time.
- 3. Place the towel in the hoop with the template close to center and finger press smooth.
- 4. Select the Positioning icon on the machine to find the Positioning Sticker.
- 5. The design will move according to the placement of the sticker. Remove the template and embroider the design.
- 6. Repeat these steps until all three of the designs have been embroidered.
- 7. To finish the towel, attach a 5" strip of Halloween fabric the same width as the towel to the bottom edge. Hem the sides and bottom edge.

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