



Blooms & Vines Mock Flange Pillow

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Add a little whimsy to your décor with this mock flanged pillow. Sewing assembly is a breeze no matter what your level of sewing skill!

The whimsy comes by combing design motifs from OESD's Whimsical Wildflowers Embroidery Collection #008. The tools available in BERNINA Embroidery Software 6 make design layout a snap and embroidery a breeze. So start playing...you'll never want to come in from recess!



Machine & Accessories Supplies

- BERNINA Sewing and Embroidery Machine
- Jumbo Hoop or Mega Hoop and Templates
- #57C or D Patchwork Foot with guide
- BERNINA Embroidery Software 6
- OESD Whimsical Wildflowers Embroidery Collection #008:
BC00917 *Flower Medallion with Border*,
BC00924 *Flower Patch & Vines*,
BC00948 *Vine Scallop*.



Fabric & Notion Supplies

- Fabric - *sample features Benartex Arianna*

Center block	Cut 1: 12" x 12"
Inner borders	Cut 2: 1 ½" x 12" Cut 2: 1 ½" x 14 ½"
Outer borders	Cut 2: 3" x 14 ½" Cut 2: 3" x 22"
Pillow back	Cut 2: 18 ½" x 13"
- Batting – Cut 1: 22" x 22"
- 16" Square Pillow Form
- Ultra Clean and Tear Stabilizer
- 505 Temporary Adhesive Spray (optional)
- Isacord or PolySheen Thread– *Refer to the color chart included in Design Collection*
- Bobbin Thread 60 wt -Superior Bottom Line – color neutral
- Organ Titanium Needle Size 80/12
- Embroidery Snips
- 7" x 24" Ruler – Nifty Notions Cut for the Cure
- Rotary Cutter and Mat.

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Creating the Pillow Top Design in BERNINA Embroidery Software 6



- From the Whimsical Wildflowers Embroidery Collection, Open design BC00917 *Flower Medallion With Border*
- Select the Design
- Select Jumbo Hoop #26 w/grid.
- Select File > Insert Design to add design BC00924 *Flower Patch & Vines* from the Whimsical Wildflowers
- Left click on Rotate 45 degrees.
- Select design and move to upper left corner close to Medallion Border. (A)
- Use Mirror-Merge Horizontal & Vertical and form three duplicate corners. (B)
- Select File > Insert Design to add design BC00948 *Vine Scallop* from Whimsical Wildflowers.
- Move above the top center of the Flower Medallion Border. (C)
- Select the Wreath Tool and the number of spokes to four.
- Place the three duplicate spokes on the sides and bottom of the Flower Medallion Border. (D)
- Save the design and use the Write to Machine icon to transfer the design directly to the machine or to a USB Stick .

Preparing to Embroider

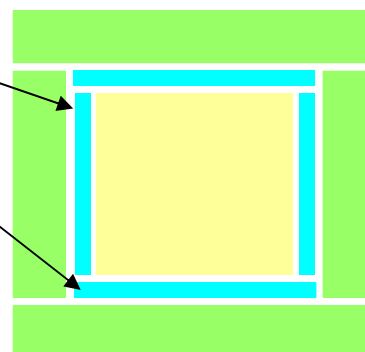
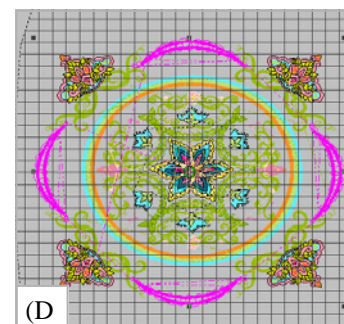
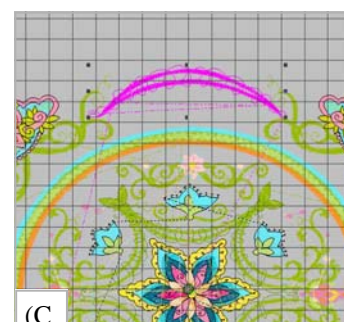
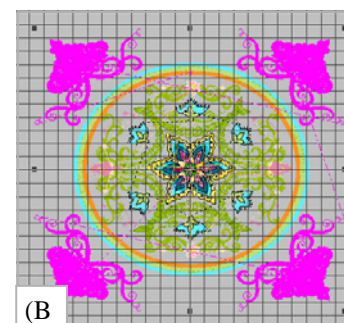
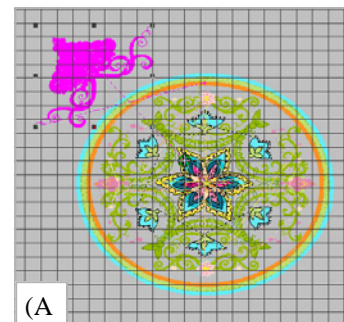
- Piece together the pillow top and borders.
 - Using a 1/4" seam allowance sew the Inner border-short to the center block, then sew the inner border-long to the center block. Press seams away from center block.
- Repeat the process and sew the Outer Border-short followed by the Outer Border-long. Press seams away from center block.

1. Inner Border –short

2. Inner Border– long

3. Outer Border– short

4. Outer Border– long

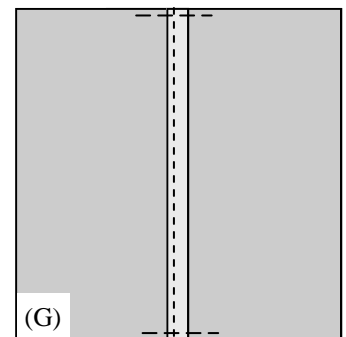
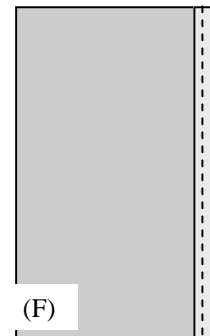
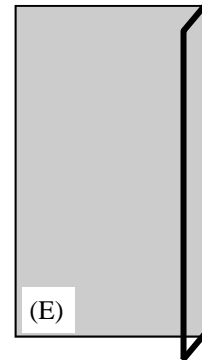
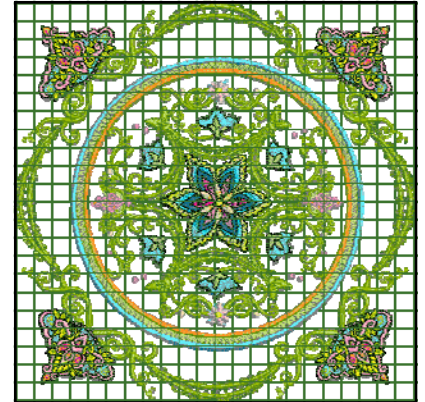


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- Layer the Pillow top with batting and hoop with Tear Away stabilizer .
- Attach hoop to machine and select the Basting around the design perimeter option.
- Embroider the design.
- When the design stitching is completed remove from hoop and remove excess stabilizer.
- Size up the pillow top to 18 1/2" square.

Pillow Finishing

- Preparing the pillow backs:
 - Fold under and press 1" to the wrong side on one long edge of both pillow back rectangles. Fold under 1" again and press on the same edges. (E)
 - Stitch close to the first fold through all the thicknesses to hem the edges of the pillow back pieces. (F)
 - Overlap the hemmed edges of the pillow backs so they form and 18 1/2' square. Sew a basting stitch across the overlap to hold in place. (G)
- Lay the pillow front and prepared pillow back right sides together matching the outer edges and pin together.
- Using a 1/4" seam allowance stitch around the perimeter of the pillow. Finish edges of seam with a zigzag stitch or serge the edge.
- Turn right sides out and press edges.
- To create the mock flange stitch 1" away from the pillow edge using a triple straight stitch.
- Insert a pillow form through the back opening.



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