

BERNINA
Embroidery

Boho Pillows

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The BERNINA Exclusive Embroidery Collection - Bohemian Rhapsody sings with artistic design to assist you in personalizing your creations.

Independent, freestyle, individual, uninhibited, daring are all words that describe the motifs that can be used as vintage or contemporary embroidery.

Use the BERNINA Embroidery Software 7 to create design combinations with Bohemian Rhapsody for clever embellishment on the Boho Pillows.



Supplies

Machine & Accessories

- BERNINA 880 Sewing & Embroidery Machine
- BERNINA Embroidery Software 7
- Jumbo Hoop
- Teardrop Embroidery Foot #26
- Edgestitch Foot #10D
- Patchwork Foot #37/37D or 97/97D
- Invisible Zipper Foot #35
- CutWork Tool
- CutWork/Straight Stitch Plate

Embroidery Design Collection

- BERNINA Exclusive Embroidery Collection - Bohemian Rhapsody #82007

Fabric & Notions

- OESD Ultra Clean and Tear Stabilizer
- OESD Appliqué Fuse and Fix
- 505 Temporary Spray Adhesive
- 2 - 18" Invisible zippers

- ½ yard Benartex Cachet (Contempo) Geo Gray - SKU: 3431-11
- ½ yard Benartex Cachet (Contempo) Mesh Texture Black - SKU: 3437-12
- ½ yard Benartex Cachet (Contempo) Confetti Green/Gray - SKU: 3436-90
- ½ yard Benartex Cachet (Contempo) Mesh Texture Turquoise - SKU: 3437-84
- Decorative Button
- Tassel
- Organ Titanium Needles - Sizes 80 for embroidery
- 75/11 Quilting needle for piecing
- 2 - 16" pillow forms

Threads

- Isacord Thread
- Embroidery Bobbin thread
- Aurifil Thread for piecing

General Instructions

- Fabric is cut larger for embroidery and trimmed to size after the embroidery is completed.
- ¼" seam allowance is used.
- Appliqué pieces are prepared by ironing Appliqué Fuse and Fix to the wrong side of the fabric and cut in advance using the files included in the collection with the CutWork Tool or Scissors.

Boho Pillow 1



Combining Designs

- Open BERNINA Embroidery Software 7 > Navigate to the Bohemian Rhapsody Design Collection and open 82007-02 > Rotate 180°.
*NOTE: **Opening** a design first will maintain the fabric settings and stitch integrity for that design.*
- Select the Digitize Toolbox > select the Rectangle Tool and Straight Outline to create a 16" square to use as a placement guideline. Unlock Proportional Scaling and type in W 16. and H 16.
- Insert 82007-05 - Rotate 30° > Insert 82007-19 -rotate 135° > Insert 82007-17 > Insert 82007-08 - rotate 45° > position as shown.
- Select the Color Wheel icon to change the design colors as desired. OK.
- Select the Thread Colors icon to select a thread chart and match and assign threads to all colors changes. OK.
- Isacord thread colors used: 0700, 1335, 1351, 1430 and 1521
- Select and delete the rectangle placement guide.
- File > Select all (CTRL A) > right click in color film and select Group.
- Save as: Boho Pillow 1.



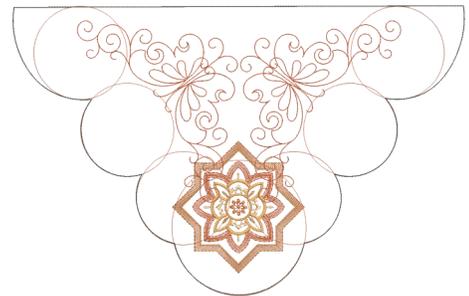
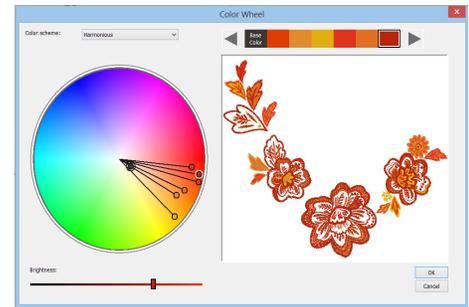
Boho Pillow 1 Flap

- Open design 82007-47 > rotate 180° > Select Mirror Merge in the Toolbox > select Mirror Merge Horizontal and arrange the mirror as shown.
- Insert design 82007-41 > arrange as shown.
- To create the scallop pattern for the flap > Select the Ellipse Tool from the Digitize Toolbox to create several circles around the Pillow Flap design as a guide for the scallops.
- Select the Closed Object Tool, Straight Outline and a black color to digitize around those circles. Reshape if necessary.
- Delete the circles > Adjust width to 16.5" to include seam allowance > Cut and paste the scallop pattern into a new page > Save as: Pillow flap pattern.
- Select Print Preview > Options > Select Whole Design and 100% of Actual > Print Now.
- Match and align the reference marks in the corners of the pages and tape or paste the pages together > Cut out the pattern.
- Select and delete the Boho Pillow1 section > Save As: Boho Pillow 1 Flap. *NOTE: Use Hoop Canvas for multi-hooping if using a hoop smaller than the Jumbo hoop.*
- Send the design to the machine, hoop the stabilizer and fabric and embroider.



Construction

- Place the embroidered flap piece on top of the flap backing fabric right sides together.
- Lightly spray the wrong side of the paper template with 505 Temporary Adhesive and center the pattern on the design > Trim the fabric to the pattern. Stitch together using Patchwork Foot #37/37D or 97/97D. Leaving the straight side open > Clip the curves > Turn and press. Edgestitch using Edgestitch Foot #10D.

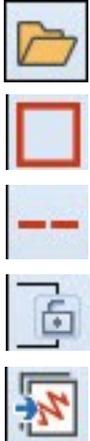


- Trim Boho Pillow 1 and pillow back to 16½" square.
- Use Invisible Zipper Foot #35 to insert the zipper into the bottom of the pillow.
- Center the pillow flap on the embroidered part of the pillow and baste in place.
- Open the zipper and sew the other three sides of the pillow. Attach a decorative button and tassel.



Boho Pillow 2

Combining Designs



- Open BERNINA Embroidery Software 7 > Navigate to the Bohemian Rhapsody Design Collection and open 82007-10.
- **NOTE: *Opening a design first will maintain the fabric settings and stitch integrity for that design.***
- Select the Digitize Toolbox > select the Rectangle Tool and straight Outline to create a 12"x16" rectangle to use as a placement guideline. (Unlock Proportional Scaling and type in W 12 in and H 16 in).
- Insert 82007-07, 10 and 12 > position as shown.
- Add an initial if desired. The letter C used is from the BERNINA Lillified Design Collection #82003.
- Select the Color Wheel icon to change the design colors as desired. OK.
- Select the Thread Colors icon to select a thread chart and match and assign threads to all colors changes. OK.
- Isacord thread colors used: 4032, 4122, 4515, 4620, 4952, and 5010.
- Select and delete the rectangle placement guide.
- Select and delete the rectangle.
- File Save As: Boho Pillow 2
- Send the design to the machine, hoop stabilizer and fabric and embroider.



Construction

- Trim the piece to 12½" x 16½". Cut a piece from the companion fabric that measures 4½" x 16½" and stitch to the side of the embroidered piece. Topstitch the seam allowance using Edgestitch Foot #10D
- Use Invisible Zipper Foot #35 to insert the zipper into the bottom of the pillow.
- Open the zipper and sew the other three sides of the pillow.



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