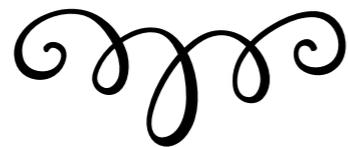


# Pickle Pie<sup>TM</sup>

## DESIGNS

### Baby It's Cold Outside Quilt Blocks



Get ready for some embroidery & quilting fun! This Quilt Block Design Set gives you 5 unique embroidered quilt blocks. Use them with the included Quilt Block Project Guides to create fun & easy quilt block projects.



A few of the things you can make with this set....



Hot Pad



Pin Cushion



Coaster



Quilted Table Runner

# Project Planning Worksheet....

Be sure to read through both the Block Instructions AND the Project Guide before you begin stitching!

1) Choose your project, referring to pages 5-8 to fill in the worksheet. If you're stitching a stand-alone block, skip ahead to the block instructions.

Hot Pad

Mug Rug

Coaster

Pin Cushion

Single Block Wall Hanging

Double 'in the hoop' Wall Hanging

Triple 'in the hoop' Wall Hanging

Quilted Table Runner

Quilted Wall Hanging

2) How many blocks do you need for your project? \_\_\_\_\_

3) Which block size do you need?  4"  5"  6"  7"  8"

	8" Block	7" Block	6" Block	5" Block	4" Block
Design Size	8" x 8"	7" x 7"	6" x 6"	5" x 5"	4" x 4"
Hoop Size	9" x 12"	8" x 12"	7" x 12"	6" x 10"	5" x 7"

# Project Planning Worksheet, page 2....

4) Which block(s) will you use for your project? If you need more than one block for your project, fill in the block # so you know which order to stitch them...

Snowman



Page 9

Block # \_\_\_\_\_

Mittens



Page 17

Block # \_\_\_\_\_

Baby It's Cold



Page 25

Block # \_\_\_\_\_

Stipple



Page 31

Block # \_\_\_\_\_

Sashing



Page 36

Block # \_\_\_\_\_

5) Supply Lists: Refer to the Supply List for EACH block, PLUS the Supply List for your chosen project on the separate Quilt Block Project Guide PDF document. **Note: Hot Pads require you to use cotton thread ONLY and Insulated Batting (you may also need to use a layer of cotton batting - refer to the insulated batting package to check.)**

6) Find the instructions for your block(s) on the indicated pages above and start stitching! Once the first block is stitched, you'll leave your project hooped, then move on to the separate Quilt Block Project Guide to complete your project.

# Quilt Block Projects!

Instructions for each project can be found in the accompanying “Quilt Block Project Guides”

## Project 1: Hot Pad

Complete these  
right in the hoop!

Choose any  
6”, 7”, or  
8” block

## Project 3: Coaster

Complete these  
right in the hoop!

Choose  
any 4”  
block

## Project 2: Mug Rug

Complete these  
right in the hoop!

Choose any  
6”, 7”, or  
8” block

## Project 4: Pin Cushion

Just a bit of hand  
stitching required

Choose  
any 4”  
block

**Remember:** Complete the stitching instructions for each chosen block up to the red **STOP** notation. You’ll then move on to the Project Guide Instructions for the specific project you are making.

# Quilt Block Project Options, continued...

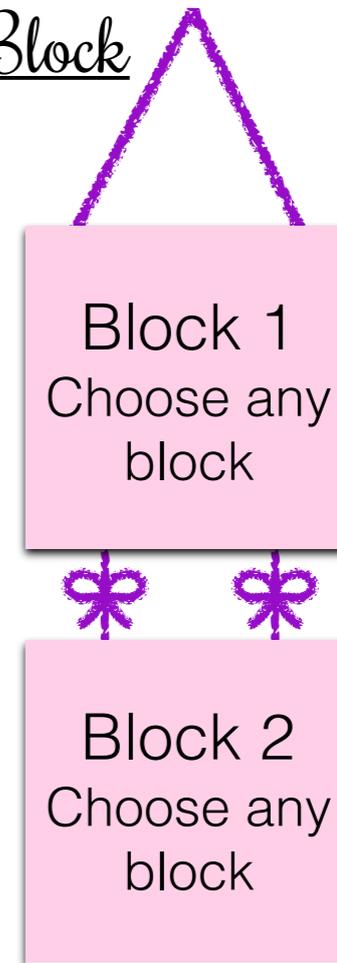
## Project 5: Single Block 'in the hoop' Wall Hanging

Complete these right  
in the hoop!



## Project 6: Double Block "In the Hoop" Wall Hanging

Complete these right in  
the hoop!

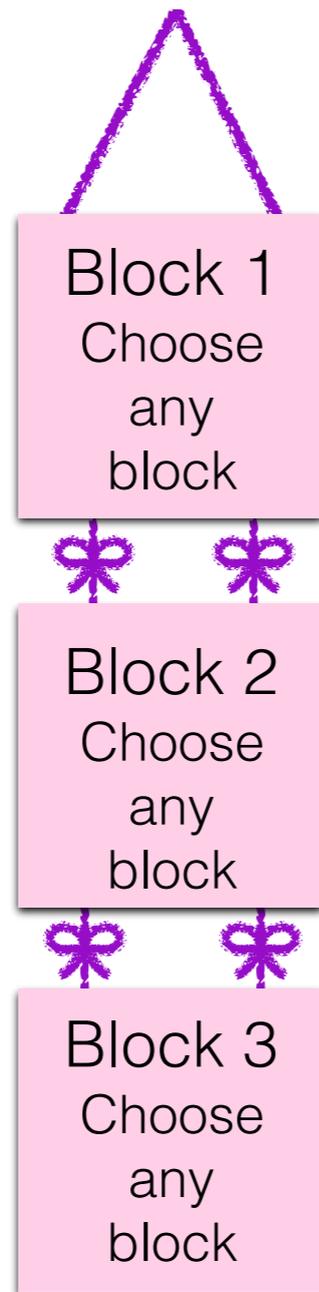


**Remember:** Complete the stitching instructions for each chosen block up to the red **STOP** notation. You'll then move on to the Project Guide Instructions for the specific project you are making.

## Quilt Block Project Options, continued...

### Project 7: Triple “In the Hoop” Wall Hanging

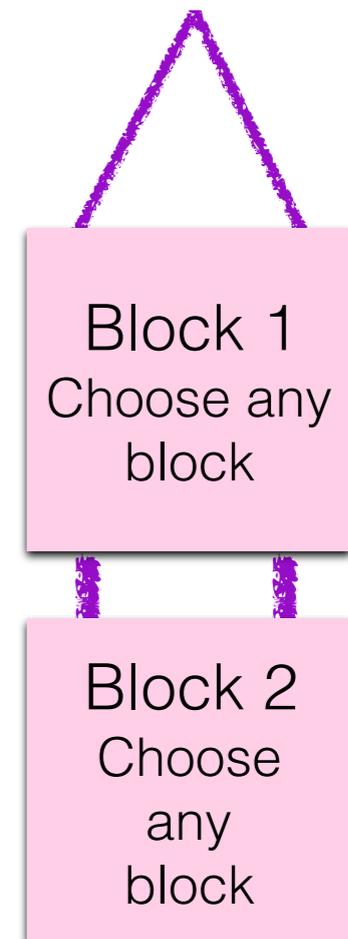
Complete these right in the hoop!



### *Note for Projects 6 & 7...*

You have the following options to connect the blocks to each other:

- Ribbon tied into bows
- Ribbon tabs with Velcro
- Ribbon tabs with snaps



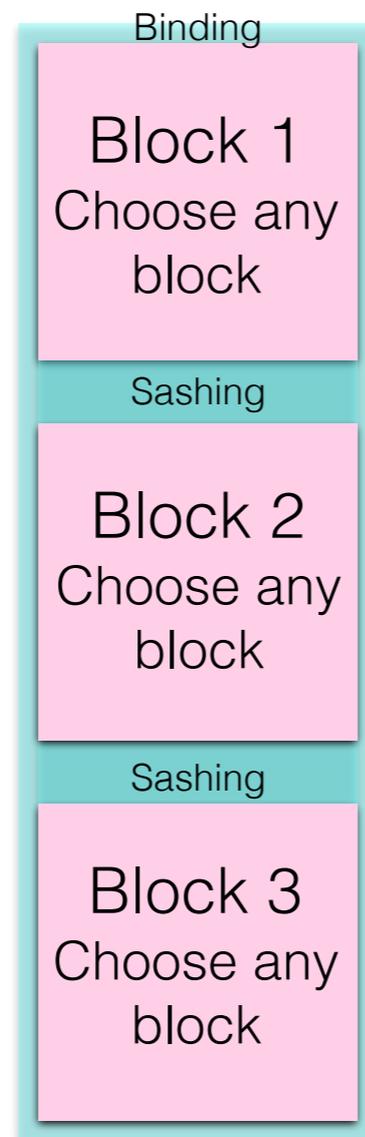
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# Quilt Block Project Options, continued...

## Project 8: Quilted Table Runner

Stitch the blocks & sashing on your embroidery machine, then take them to your sewing machine to...

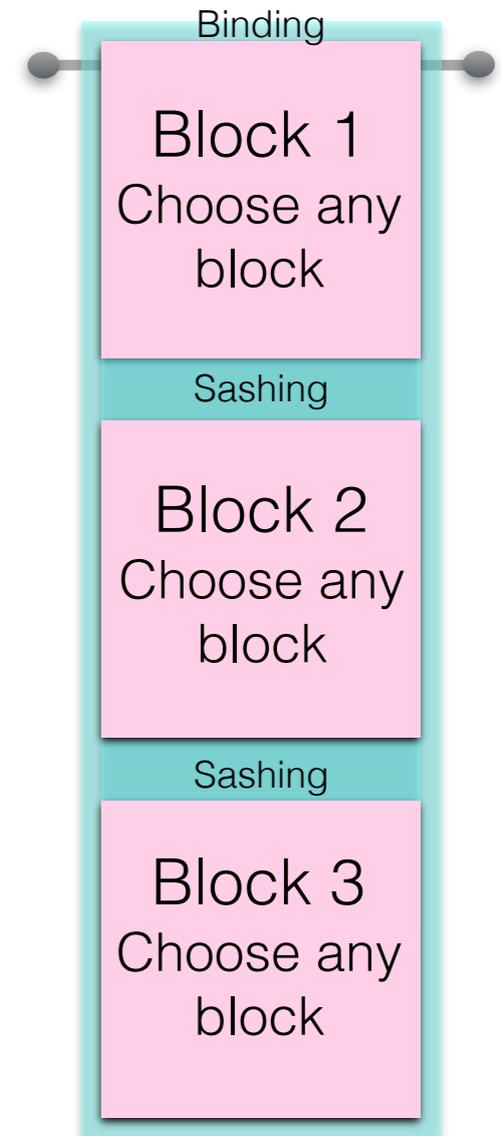
- Piece the blocks and sashing together
- Do a few simple straight quilt lines 'in the ditch' of the joined seams
- Stitch on the binding



## Project 9: Quilted Wall Hanging

Stitch the blocks & sashing on your embroidery machine, then take them to your sewing machine to...

- Piece the blocks and sashing together
- Do a few simple straight quilt lines 'in the ditch' of the joined seams
- Stitch on the binding



**Remember:** Complete the stitching instructions for each chosen block up to the red **STOP** notation. You'll then move on to the instructions for the specific project you are making.

# Snowman Block Instructions

## Supplies:

- Main Fabric for background, Fat Quarter
- White Fabric, Fat Quarter or Scrap
- Red Fabric, Scrap
- Fusible Webbing
- Pickle Pie Designs Machine Embroidery Scissors
- Mesh or Fusible Mesh Cutaway Stabilizer\*
- Cotton Batting and/or Insulated Batting\*\*
- Thread: To match background fabric, plus black, red, orange, white (For Hot Pads, use cotton thread ONLY, for both top thread and bobbin thread.)
- Microtex Needle, size 80/12

\* Use Fusible Mesh Cutaway Stabilizer for all projects EXCEPT for stand-alone quilt blocks, Project 8 (Quilted Table Runner), and Project 9 (Quilted Wall Hanging). For those, use NON-Fusible Mesh Cutaway Stabilizer.

\*\* Use Insulated Batting for Project 1 (Hot Pads). Use cotton batting for all other projects. Refer to the insulated batting manufacturer's instructions to determine if you need to add a layer of cotton batting to your project.

The supplies listed above are for a stand-alone quilt block. If you are making a project, see the accompanying PDF Quilt Block Project Guides for any additional supplies you may need for that project.





## Snowman Block Instructions, continued...

### Stitch Sequence/Color Chart:

Stitch Sequence:	For:	Thread Color Suggestion:
1	Placement line for batting	Match Fabric A
2	Tack down batting	Match Fabric A
3	Tack down Fabric A	Match Fabric A
4	Quilting stitches on background only	Coordinate w/ Fabric A
5	Placement line for Fabric B	White
6	Tack down line for Fabric B	White
7	Zigzag Fabric B	White
8	Satin stitch Fabric B	White
9	Nose	Orange
10	Eyes, mouth, buttons	Black
11	Placement line for Fabric C	Red
12	Tack down line for Fabric C	Red
13	Zigzag Fabric C	Red
14	Satin stitch Fabric C	Red
15	Snowflakes	White or blue
<b>STOP!</b>	<b>LEAVE THE PROJECT HOOPED!</b> Proceed to the starting page for the project you're making for additional instructions.	—
16	Final Outline (for projects that call for one)	Match Fabric A



## Prepare your Snowman Block Materials...

Follow the charts below to cut, fold & label your materials, finding the columns for your block size...

### *Cut Main Fabric...*

For:	Label:	8" Block	7" Block	6" Block	5" Block	4" Block
Background	A	10" x 10"	9" x 9"	8" x 8"	7" x 7"	6" x 6"

### *Cut White Fabric...*

For:	Label:	8" Block	7" Block	6" Block	5" Block	4" Block
Snowman	B	8" x 8"	7" x 7"	6" x 6"	6" x 6"	5.5" x 5.5"

### *Cut Red Fabric...*

For:	Label:	8" Block	7" Block	6" Block	5" Block	4" Block
Bow tie	C	3" x 2"	3" x 2"	3" x 2"	3" x 2"	2" x 2"

### *Cut Fusible Webbing...*

<b>For:</b>	<b>Label:</b>	<b>8" Block</b>	<b>7" Block</b>	<b>6" Block</b>	<b>5" Block</b>	<b>4" Block</b>
Fabric B	B	8" x 8"	7" x 7"	6" x 6"	6" x 6"	5.5" x 5.5"
Fabric C	C	3" x 2"	3" x 2"	3" x 2"	3" x 2"	2" x 2"

### *Cut Batting...*

<b>8" Block</b>	<b>7" Block</b>	<b>6" Block</b>	<b>5" Block</b>	<b>4" Block</b>
10" x 10"	9" x 9"	8" x 8"	7" x 7"	6" x 6"

### *Other fabric prep...*

Press fusible webbing B to the back of Fabric B with an iron. Set aside.

Press fusible webbing C to the back of Fabric C with an iron. Set aside.

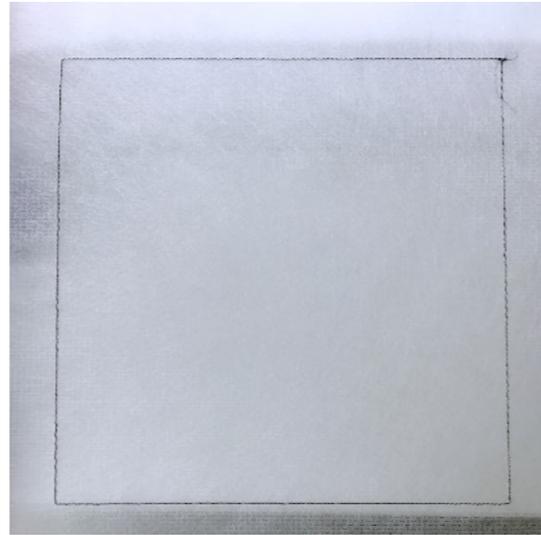


# Snowman Block Instructions

Load the Snowman Block design to your embroidery machine...

1. Hoop a piece of stabilizer.

Using thread for the quilting stitches, sew Stitch Sequence 1 directly on your stabilizer to create a placement line for your batting.

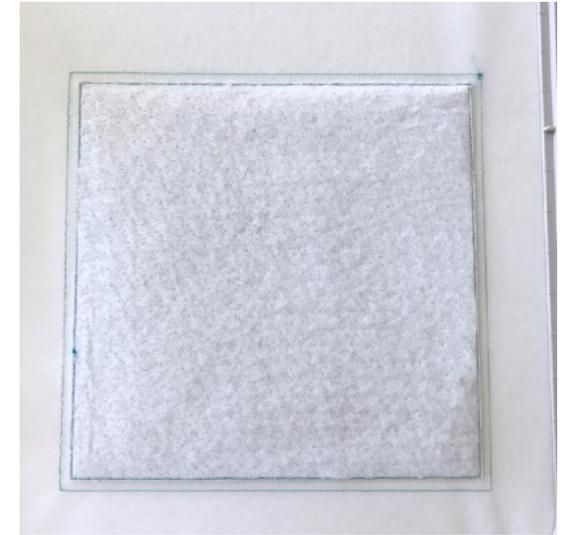


2. Center a piece of Batting over the placement line. Tape in place.

Sew Stitch Sequence 2 to create a cutting line on the batting.



3. Remove the hoop from your machine and trim around the outside of the cutting line. This will lessen the bulk in the seam of the finished project. It helps to use Applique Scissors.



4. Center Fabric A over the batting, right side up, and tape in place.

Put the hoop back on your machine and sew Stitch Sequence 3 to tack down the fabric.



5. Stitch Sequence 4 to create the stipple quilting.



6. Change to white thread, then Sew Stitch Sequence 5 to create a placement line for Fabric B.



7. Remove any paper backing from Fabric B, then center the fabric over the placement line.

Sew Stitch Sequence 6 to create a cutting line on Fabric B.

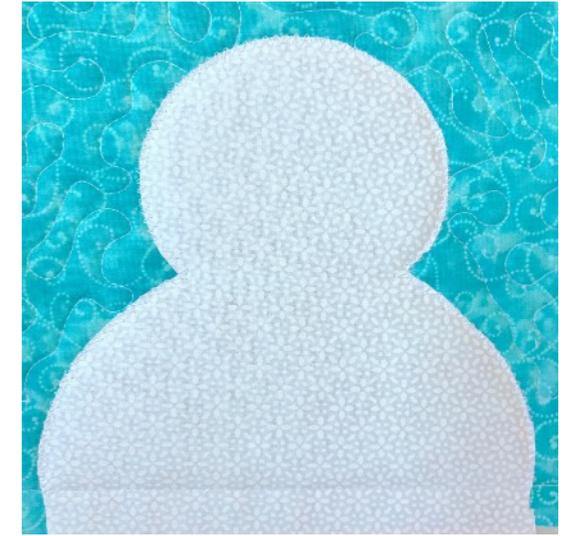


8. Remove the hoop from your machine. Trim around the cutting line, getting as close as you can to the line of stitches without cutting through them. Leave the bottom edge uncut, as shown.

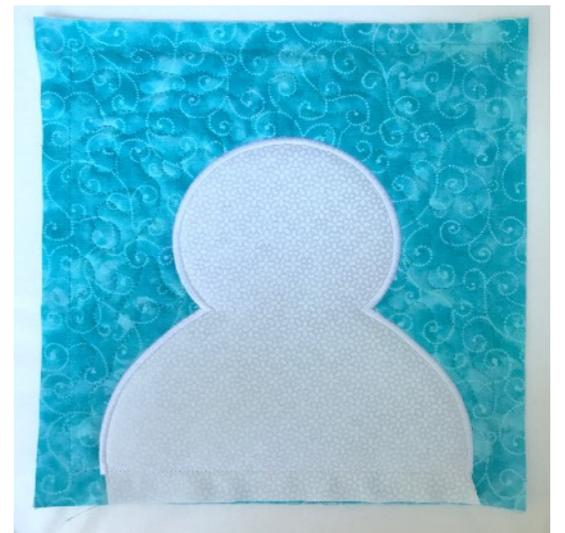


9. Replace the hoop on your machine. Sew Stitch Sequence 7 to create a zigzag stitch.

Trim any bits of fabric from outside the zigzag.



10. Sew Stitch Sequence 8 to complete the satin stitch.



11. Change to orange thread.

Sew Stitch Sequence 9 to create the nose.



12. Change to black thread.

Sew Stitch Sequence 10 to create the eyes, mouth, and buttons.



13. Change to red thread.

Sew Stitch Sequence 11 to create a placement line.



14. Remove any paper backing from Fabric C.

Center Fabric C over the placement line and sew Stitch Sequence 12 to create a cutting line.



15. Remove the hoop from your machine and trim around the cutting line, getting as close as you can to the stitch line without cutting through it.



16. Replace the hoop on your machine. Sew Stitch Sequence 13 to create a zigzag stitch.

Trim any bits of fabric from outside the zigzag.



17. Sew Stitch Sequence 14 to complete the satin stitch.



18. Change to white or blue thread and sew Stitch Sequence 15 to create the snowflakes.



## **STOP HERE & leave your project hooped!!!**

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If you are making a quilt block or a Quilted Table Runner or Quilted Wall Hanging, continue to the next column of these instructions.

## *Quilt Blocks:*

1. Skip the last Stitch Sequence.

Remove the hoop from your machine, and take the project out of the hoop

2. Using a rotary cutter, trim your block to size by cutting around the outside stitch line plus a 1/4” seam allowance.

Your finished block will measure an additional 1/2” larger than the design size. For example, an 8” block will measure 8.5” x 8.5” when cut.



If you are making a Quilted Table Runner (Project 8) or Quilted Wall Hanging (Project 9), refer to the separate Quilt Block Project Guide document for your chosen project.

# Mittens Block Instructions

## Supplies:

- Main Fabric for background, Fat Quarter
- Fabric for Mittens, Fat Quarter or Scrap
- Fabric for Cuffs, Fat Quarter or Scrap
- Mesh or Fusible Mesh Cutaway Stabilizer\*
- Cotton Batting or Insulated Batting\*\*
- Pickle Pie Designs Machine Embroidery Scissors
- Thread: To match background fabric, mittens fabric, and cuff fabric (For Hot Pads, use cotton thread ONLY, for both top thread and bobbin thread.)
- Microtex Needle, size 80/12



\* Use Fusible Mesh Cutaway Stabilizer for all projects EXCEPT for stand-alone quilt blocks, Project 8 (Quilted Table Runner), and Project 9 (Quilted Wall Hanging). For those, use NON-Fusible Mesh Cutaway Stabilizer.

\*\* Use Insulated Batting for Project 1 (Hot Pads). Use cotton batting for all other projects. Refer to the insulated batting manufacturer's instructions to determine if you need to add a layer of cotton batting to your project.

The supplies listed above are for a stand-alone quilt block. If you are making a project, see the accompanying PDF Quilt Block Project Guides for any additional supplies you may need for that project.



# Mittens Block Instructions, continued...

## Stitch Sequence/Color Chart:

Stitch Sequence:	For:	Thread Color Suggestion:
1	Placement line for batting	Match Fabric A
2	Tack down batting	Match Fabric A
3	Tack down Fabric A	Match Fabric A
4	Quilting Stitches	Coordinate w/ Fabric A
5	Snowflakes	Blue or White
6	Ribbon	Match Fabric B
7	Placement line for Fabric B (Mittens)	Match Fabric B
8	Tack down line for Fabric B	Match Fabric B
9	Zigzag around Fabric B	Match Fabric B
10	Satin around Fabric B	Match Fabric B
11	Placement line for Fabric C (Cuffs)	Match Fabric C
12	Tack down line for Fabric C	Match Fabric C
13	Zigzag around Fabric C	Match Fabric C
14	Satin around Fabric C	Match Fabric C
<b>STOP!</b>	<b>LEAVE THE PROJECT HOOPED!</b> Proceed to the starting page for the project you're making for additional instructions.	—
15	Final Outline (for projects that call for one)	Match Fabric A



## Prepare your Mittens Block Materials...

Follow the charts below to cut, fold & label your materials, finding the columns for your block size...

### *Cut Main Fabric...*

For:	Label:	8" Block	7" Block	6" Block	5" Block	4" Block
Background	A	10" x 10"	9" x 9"	8" x 8"	7" x 7"	6" x 6"

### *Cut Fabric for Mittens...*

For:	Label:	8" Block	7" Block	6" Block	5" Block	4" Block
Mittens	B	7" x 6"	7" x 5"	6" x 5"	5" x 4"	4" x 4"

### *Cut Fabric for Cuffs...*

For:	Label:	8" Block	7" Block	6" Block	5" Block	4" Block
Cuffs	C	6" x 4"	6" x 4"	5" x 4"	5" x 3"	4" x 3"

### *Cut Fusible Webbing...*

<b>For:</b>	<b>Label:</b>	<b>8" Block</b>	<b>7" Block</b>	<b>6" Block</b>	<b>5" Block</b>	<b>4" Block</b>
Fabric B	B	7" x 6"	7" x 5"	6" x 5"	5" x 4"	4" x 4"
Fabric C	C	6" x 4"	6" x 4"	5" x 4"	5" x 3"	4" x 3"

### *Cut Batting...*

<b>8" Block</b>	<b>7" Block</b>	<b>6" Block</b>	<b>5" Block</b>	<b>4" Block</b>
10" x 10"	9" x 9"	8" x 8"	7" x 7"	6" x 6"

### *Other fabric prep...*

Press fusible webbing B to the back of Fabric B with an iron. Set aside.

Press fusible webbing C to the back of Fabric C with an iron. Set aside.

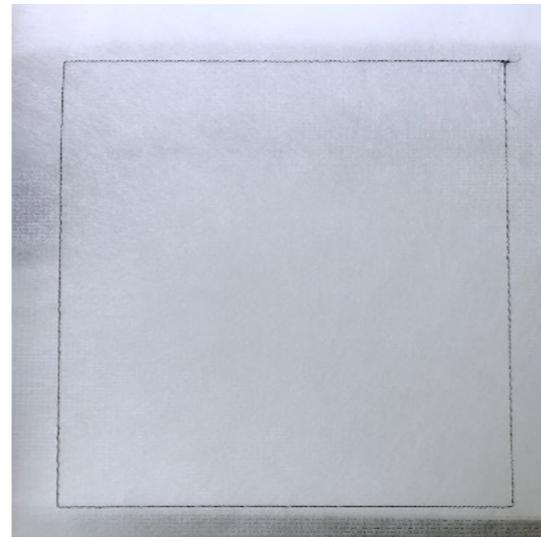


# Mittens Block Instructions

Load the Mittens Block design to your embroidery machine...

1. Hoop a piece of stabilizer.

Using thread for the quilting stitches, sew Stitch Sequence 1 directly on your stabilizer to create a placement line for your batting.

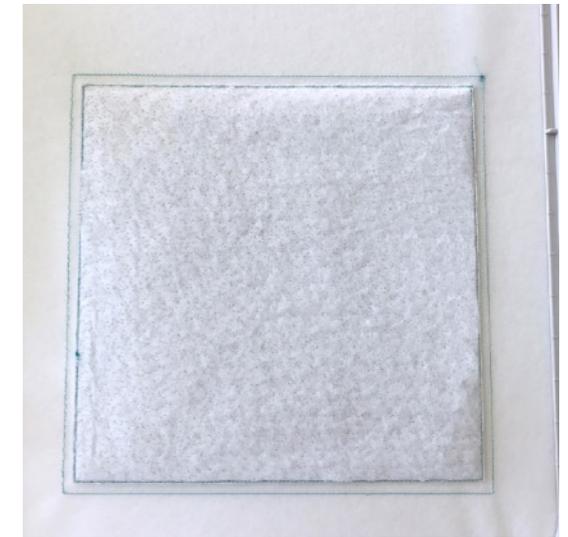


2. Center a piece of Batting over the placement line. Tape in place.

Sew Stitch Sequence 2 to create a cutting line on the batting.



3. Remove the hoop from your machine and trim around the outside of the cutting line. This will lessen the bulk in the seam of the finished project. It helps to use Applique Scissors.



4. Center Fabric A over the batting, right side up, and tape in place.

Put the hoop back on your machine and sew Stitch Sequence 3 to tack down the fabric.



5. Stitch Sequence 4 to create the stipple quilting.



6. Change to your chosen snowflakes thread, then Sew Stitch Sequence 5 to create the snowflakes (the 4" block will only have one snowflake).



7. Change to your chosen ribbon thread, then Sew Stitch Sequence 6 to create the ribbon.



8. Change to your chosen mittens thread, then Sew Stitch Sequence 7 to create a placement line for Fabric B.



9. Remove any paper backing from Fabric B, then center the fabric over the placement line.



Sew Stitch Sequence 8 to create a cutting line on Fabric B.

10. Remove the hoop from your machine. Trim around the cutting line, getting as close as you can to the line of stitches without cutting through them.



11. Replace the hoop on your machine. Sew Stitch Sequence 9 to create a zigzag stitch.

Trim any bits of fabric from outside the zigzag.



12. Sew Stitch Sequence 10 to complete the satin stitch.



13. Sew Stitch Sequence 11 to create a placement line for Fabric C.



14. Remove any paper backing from Fabric C.

Center Fabric C over the placement line and sew Stitch Sequence 12 to create two cutting lines.



15. Remove the hoop from your machine and trim around the cutting lines, getting as close as you can to the stitch line without cutting through it.



16. Replace the hoop on your machine. Sew Stitch Sequence 13 to create a zigzag stitch.

Trim any bits of fabric from outside the zigzag.



17. Sew Stitch Sequence 14 to complete the satin stitch.



## Quilt Blocks:

1. Skip the last Stitch Sequence.

Remove the hoop from your machine, and take the project out of the hoop.

2. Using a rotary cutter, trim your block to size by cutting around the outside stitch line plus a 1/4" seam allowance.

Your finished block will measure an additional 1/2" larger than the design size. For example, an 8" block will measure 8.5" x 8.5" when cut.



## **STOP HERE & leave your project hooped!!!**

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If you are making a quilt block or a Quilted Table Runner or Quilted Wall Hanging, continue to the next column of these instructions.

If you are making a Quilted Table Runner (Project 8) or Quilted Wall Hanging (Project 9), refer to the separate Quilt Block Project Guide document for your chosen project.

# “Baby It’s Cold Outside” Block Instructions

## Supplies:

- Fabric for Border, Fat Quarter
- Fabric for Center, Fat Quarter or Scrap
- Mesh or Fusible Mesh Cutaway Stabilizer\*
- Cotton or Insulated Batting\*\*
- Pickle Pie Designs Machine Embroidery Scissors
- Thread: To match background fabric, for wording (up to 3 colors), to match border fabric, plus white or blue for snowflakes. For Hot Pads, use cotton thread ONLY, for both top thread and bobbin thread.)
- Microtex Needle, size 80/12

\* Use Fusible Mesh Cutaway Stabilizer for all projects EXCEPT for stand-alone quilt blocks, Project 8 (Traditional Quilted Table Runner), and Project 9 (Traditional Quilted Wall Hanging). For those, use NON-Fusible Mesh Cutaway Stabilizer.

\*\* Use Insulated Batting for Project 1 (Hot Pads). Use cotton batting for all other projects. Refer to the insulated batting manufacturer’s instructions to determine if you need to add a layer of cotton batting to your project.

The supplies listed above are for a stand-alone quilt block. If you are making a project, see the accompanying PDF Quilt Block Project Guides for any additional supplies you may need for that project.





## “Baby it’s Cold Outside” Block Instructions, continued...

### Stitch Sequence/Color Chart:

Stitch Sequence:	For:	Thread Color Suggestion:
1	Placement line for batting	Match Fabric A
2	Tack down batting	Match Fabric A
3	Tack down Fabric A	Match Fabric A
4	Quilting Stitches	Coordinate w/ Fabric A
5*	Word “Baby”	Color of Choice
6	Words “it’s Cold”	Color of Choice
7	Word “Outside”	Color of Choice
8	Snowflake	White or Blue
9	Tackdown Fabric B	Contrast or Match Fabric B
10	Zigzag around Fabric B	Contrast or Match Fabric B
11	Satin around Fabric B	Contrast or Match Fabric B
<b>STOP!</b>	<b>LEAVE THE PROJECT HOOPED!</b> Proceed to the starting page for the project you’re making for additional instructions.	—
12	Final Outline (for projects that call for one)	Match Fabric A

\* The block with wording is broken up into 3 Stitch Sequences so you can stitch them in different colors.



## Prepare your 'Baby It's Cold Outside Block Materials...

Follow the charts below to cut, fold & label your materials, finding the columns for your block size...

### *Cut Fabric for Center...*

For:	Label:	8" Block	7" Block	6" Block	5" Block	4" Block
Center	A	10" x 10"	9" x 9"	8" x 8"	7" x 7"	6" x 6"

### *Cut Fabric for Border...*

For:	Label:	8" Block	7" Block	6" Block	5" Block	4" Block
Border	B	10" x 10"	9" x 9"	8" x 8"	7" x 7"	6" x 6"

### *Cut Batting...*

8" Block	7" Block	6" Block	5" Block	4" Block
10" x 10"	9" x 9"	8" x 8"	7" x 7"	6" x 6"

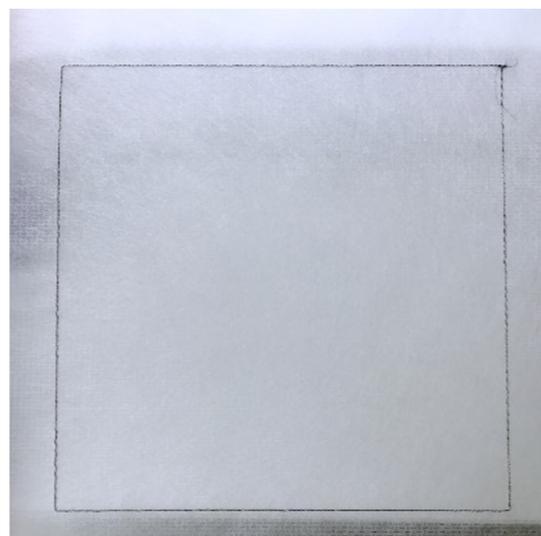


## Baby It's Cold Outside Block Instructions

Load the “Baby It’s Cold Outside” Block design to your embroidery machine...

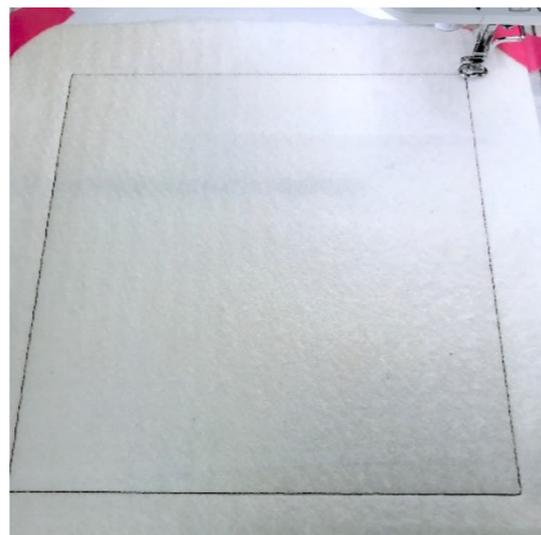
1. Hoop a piece of stabilizer.

Using thread for the wording, sew Stitch Sequence 1 directly on your stabilizer to create a placement line for your batting.



2. Center a piece of Batting over the placement line. Tape in place.

Sew Stitch Sequence 2 to create a cutting line on the batting.



3. Remove the hoop from your machine and trim around the outside of the cutting line. This will lessen the bulk in the seam of the finished project. It helps to use Applique Scissors. If you are using insulated batting with a layer of cotton batting for a hot pad, trim one layer at a time.



4. Center Fabric A over the batting, right side up, and tape in place.

Put the hoop back on your machine and sew Stitch Sequence 3 to tack down the fabric.



5. Change to thread for the stipple quilting stitches.

Sew Stitch Sequence 4.



6. Change to thread for the first line of wording, if desired. Sew Stitch Sequence 5 to stitch "Baby".

7. Change to thread for the second line of wording, if desired. Sew Stitch Sequence 6 to stitch "it's Cold".

8. Change to thread for the third line of wording, if desired. Sew Stitch Sequence 7 to stitch "Outside!"



9. Change to thread for the snowflake.

Sew Stitch Sequence 8 to stitch the snowflake.



10. Center Fabric B over project. Tape in place.

Change to thread to contrast or match Fabric B. Sew Stitch Sequence 9 to tack down and create a cutting line on Fabric B.



11. Remove the hoop from your machine. Poke a small hole into the center of Fabric B. To get started, use a pin or seam ripper to gently pull the center of Fabric B up slightly. Carefully snip Fabric B to start the cut, being careful not to snip down into Fabric A.



12. Trim the fabric from inside the cutting line, as shown.



13. Place the hoop back on your machine.

Sew Stitch Sequence 10 to create the zigzag stitch. Check that there are no bits of fabric extending outside the zigzag and trim, if necessary.



14. Sew Stitch Sequence 11 to create the satin stitch.



## **STOP HERE & leave your project hooped!!!**

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If you are making a quilt block or a Quilted Table Runner or Quilted Wall Hanging, continue to the next column of these instructions.

## *Quilt Blocks:*

1. Skip the last Stitch Sequence.

Remove the hoop from your machine, and take the project out of the hoop

2. Using a rotary cutter, trim your block to size by cutting around the outside stitch line plus a 1/4” seam allowance.

Your finished block will measure an additional 1/2” larger than the design size. For example, an 8” block will measure 8.5” x 8.5” when cut.



If you are making a Quilted Table Runner (Project 8) or Quilted Wall Hanging (Project 9), refer to the separate Quilt Block Project Guide document for your chosen project.

# Stipple Block Instructions

## Supplies:

- Fabric, Fat Quarter
- Mesh or Fusible Mesh Cutaway Stabilizer\*
- Cotton or Insulated Batting\*\*
- Thread: To Match Fabric, and to Coordinate with Fabric
- Microtex Needle, size 80/12

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\*\* Use Insulated Batting for Project 1 (Hot Pads). Use cotton batting for all other projects. Refer to the insulated batting manufacturer's instructions to determine if you need to add a layer of cotton batting to your project.

The supplies listed above are for a stand-alone quilt block. If you are making a project, see the accompanying PDF Quilt Block Project Guides for any additional supplies you may need for that project.





## Stipple Block Instructions, continued...

### Stitch Sequence/Color Chart:

Stitch Sequence:	For:	Thread Color Suggestion:
1	Placement line for batting	Match Fabric
2	Tack down batting	Match Fabric
3	Tack down Fabric A	Match Fabric
4	Quilting Stitches	Coordinate w/ Fabric
<b>STOP!</b>	<b>LEAVE THE PROJECT HOOPED!</b> Proceed to the starting page for the project you're making for additional instructions.	—
5	Final Outline (for projects that call for one)	Match Fabric



## Prepare your Stipple Block Materials...

Follow the charts below to cut, fold & label your materials, finding the columns for your block size...

### *Cut Fabric...*

<b>8" Block</b>	<b>7" Block</b>	<b>6" Block</b>	<b>5" Block</b>	<b>4" Block</b>
10" x 10"	9" x 9"	8" x 8"	7" x 7"	6" x 6"

### *Cut Batting...*

<b>8" Block</b>	<b>7" Block</b>	<b>6" Block</b>	<b>5" Block</b>	<b>4" Block</b>
10" x 10"	9" x 9"	8" x 8"	7" x 7"	6" x 6"

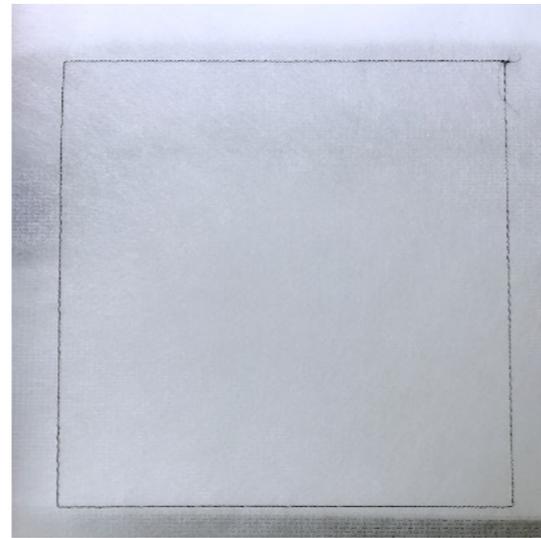


# Stipple Block Instructions

Load the Stipple Block design to your embroidery machine...

1. Hoop a piece of stabilizer.

Using thread to match the fabric, sew Stitch Sequence 1 directly on your stabilizer to create a placement line for your batting.

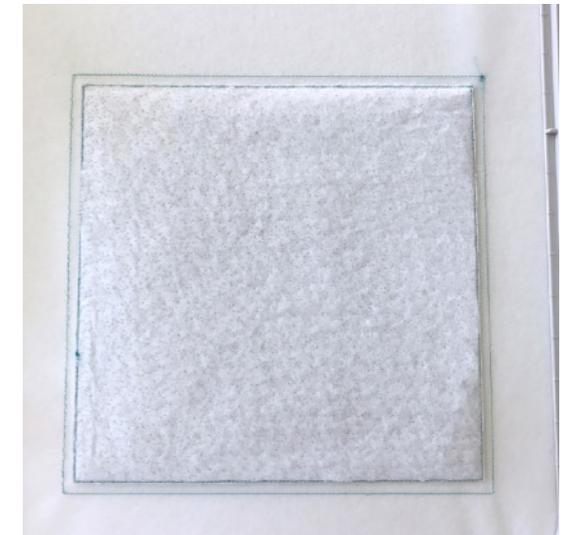


2. Center a piece of Batting over the placement line. Tape in place.

Sew Stitch Sequence 2 to create a cutting line on the batting.



3. Remove the hoop from your machine and trim around the outside of the cutting line. This will lessen the bulk in the seam of the finished project. It helps to use Applique Scissors.



4. Center Fabric A over the batting, right side up, and tape in place.

Put the hoop back on your machine and sew Stitch Sequence 3 to tack down the fabric.



5. Change to thread for the stipple quilting stitches. Sew Stitch Sequence 4.



## **STOP HERE & leave your project hooped!!!**

If you are continuing on to create an “In the Hoop” Quilt Block project (such as a Hot Pad, Coaster, etc.), refer to the separate Quilt Block Project Guide document for your chosen project.

If you are making a quilt block or a Quilted Table Runner or Quilted Wall Hanging, continue to the next column of these instructions.

## *Quilt Blocks:*

1. Skip the last Stitch Sequence.

Remove the hoop from your machine, and take the project out of the hoop

2. Using a rotary cutter, trim your block to size by cutting around the outside stitch line plus a 1/4” seam allowance.

Your finished block will measure an additional 1/2” larger than the design size. For example, an 8” block will measure 8.5” x 8.5” when cut.



If you are making a Quilted Table Runner (Project 8) or Quilted Wall Hanging (Project 9), refer to the separate Quilt Block Project Guide document for your chosen project.

# Sashing Block Instructions

## Supplies:

- Fabric, Fat Quarter or Scrap
- Mesh or Fusible Mesh Cutaway Stabilizer\*
- Cotton Batting
- Thread: To match background fabric, plus
- Microtex Needle, size 80/12



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## Sashing Block Instructions, continued...

### Stitch Sequence/Color Chart:

Stitch Sequence:	For:	Thread Color Suggestion:
1	Placement line for batting	Match Fabric
2	Tack down batting	Match Fabric
3	Tack down Fabric A	Match Fabric
4	Quilting Stitches	Coordinate w/ Fabric
5	Snowflakes	Color of Choice
<b>STOP!</b>	<b>LEAVE THE PROJECT HOOPED!</b> Proceed to the starting page for the project you're making for additional instructions.	—
6	Final Outline (for projects that call for one)	Match Fabric A



## Prepare your Sashing Block Materials...

Follow the charts below to cut, fold & label your materials, finding the columns for your block size...

### *Cut Fabric...*

8" Block	7" Block	6" Block	5" Block	4" Block
10" x 4"	9" x 4"	8" x 4"	7" x 4"	6" x 4"

### *Cut Batting...*

8" Block	7" Block	6" Block	5" Block	4" Block
10" x 4"	9" x 4"	8" x 4"	7" x 4"	6" x 4"

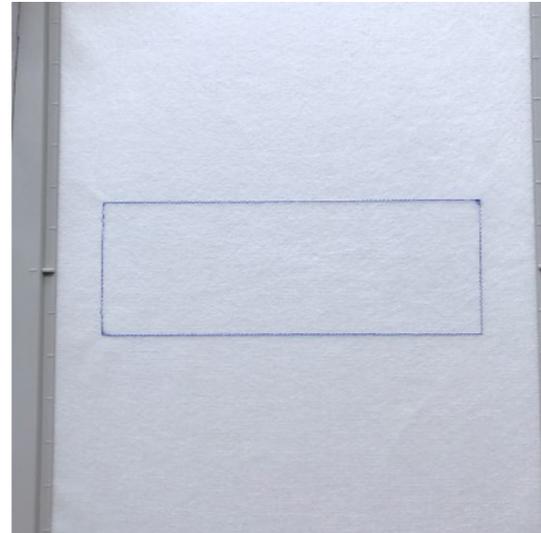


## Sashing Block Instructions

Load the Sashing Block design to your embroidery machine...

1. Hoop a piece of stabilizer.

Sew Stitch Sequence 1 directly on your stabilizer to create a placement line for your batting.

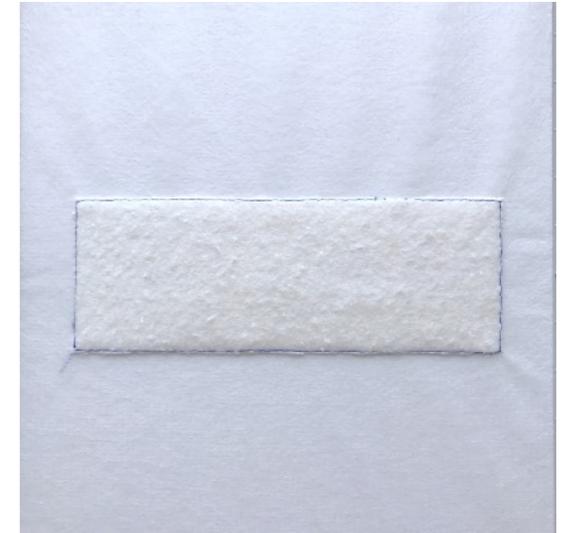


2. Center a piece of Batting over the placement line. Tape in place.

Sew Stitch Sequence 2 to create a cutting line on the batting.



3. Remove the hoop from your machine and trim around the outside of the cutting line. This will lessen the bulk in the seam of the finished project. It helps to use Applique Scissors.

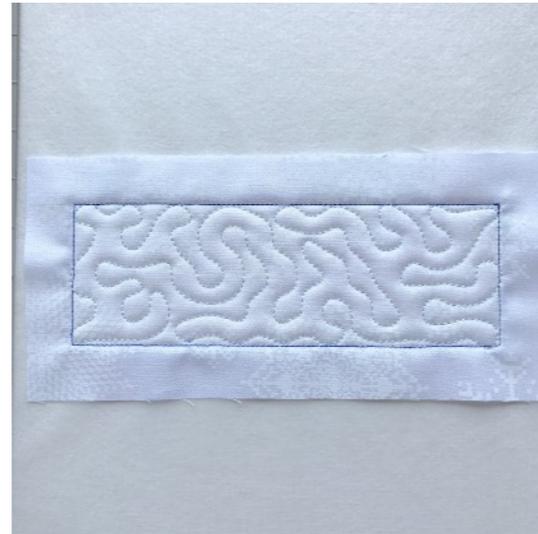


4. Center Fabric A over the batting, right side up, and tape in place.

Put the hoop back on your machine. Sew Stitch Sequence 3 to tack down the fabric.



5. Change to thread for quilting stitches. Sew Stitch Sequence 4.



6. Change to thread for snowflakes. Sew Stitch Sequence 5.



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If you are making a quilt block or a Quilted Table Runner or Quilted Wall Hanging, continue to the next column of these instructions.

## *Quilt Blocks:*

1. Skip the last Stitch Sequence.

Remove the hoop from your machine, and take the project out of the hoop

2. Using a rotary cutter, trim your block to size by cutting around the outside stitch line plus a 1/4” seam allowance.



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