

Artistic Digitizer – Name Drop

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Use Name Drop to quickly insert several names in a single design for caps, badges, or shirt logos.



Time: 3 hours

Skill Level: Confidant Beginner

Janome Supplies Required:

- Artistic Digitizer
- Any Janome Embroidery Machine
- Hat Hoop Insert
- Embroidery foot P
- High Tension Bobbin Holder
- Janome Blue Tip needle
- Janome Prewound bobbin

Fabric/Notions Required:

- Desired number of caps
- OESD Stable Stick Stabilizer (self-adhesive tear away stabilizer) Sticky Stabilizer
- Embroidery thread

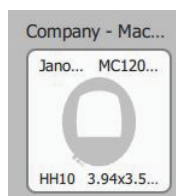
Student Supplies:

- Laptop with Artistic Digitizer installed
- Mouse
- Thread snips

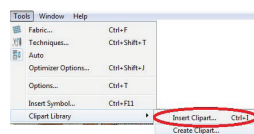
Digitizing Directions

Create Design

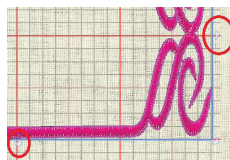
1. Open Artistic Digitizer.
2. In Welcome window click once on Hoop.



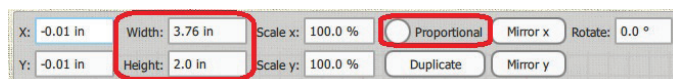
3. Choose "Company" > "Machine" > and then select Hat Hoop.
4. Click Create New.
5. From Techniques, choose Embroidery > OK.
6. On menu select Tools > Clipart Library > Insert Clipart.



7. Type "border" in Name search bar.
8. Select Borders:04 > Insert.
9. Click on screen to insert border. Move object to center of hoop.

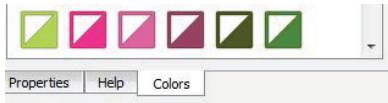


10. With object selected; on Tool Options bar, deselect Proportional (no check mark) > change Width to 3.9 in and Height to 2.0 in.

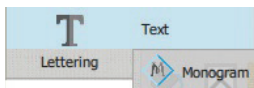


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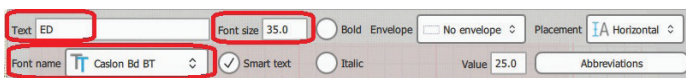
11. Press Enter on keyboard.
12. Click Colors tab found in lower right-hand corner of screen, choose a color for your border.



13. Click off object to deselect.
14. Select Lettering > Text from tool bar.



15. Type desired name > Font size 35 > Choose desired font Caslon BD BT was used for sample shown.

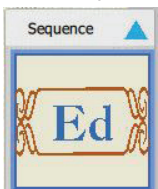


16. Click Select on tool bar.
17. Move object to center of border > choose a new color.
18. Click Properties tab found in lower right-hand corner of screen, change Fill to Satin.

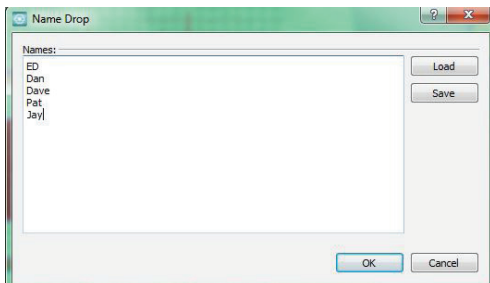


Creating the Name Drop:

1. Select both objects by clicking the object box in the Sequence bar.



2. Right Click on the selected objects in the hoop > select Name Drop from pop up window.
3. Type additional names in box > click OK.



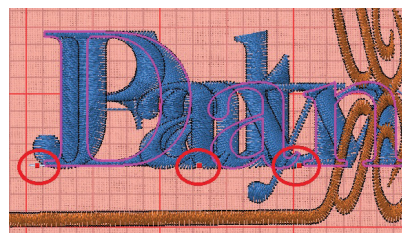
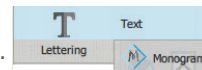
4. The Sequence bar will now show all the names in individual borders.




5. Select the name you want to work with in the Sequence bar,



6. Click Text tool.
7. Move and resize the name as desired.

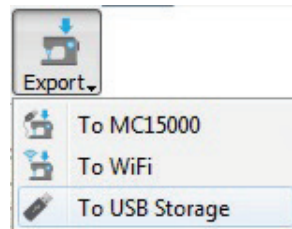


Optional method to align names:

1. Click Auto Sequence tool  to separate the objects.
2. Select the text object and move into position and resize with editing nodes if necessary.

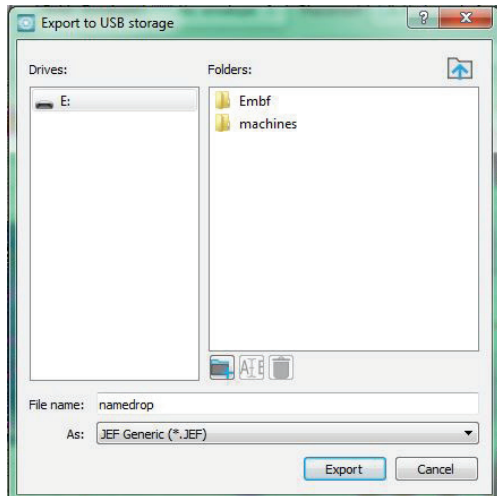
Save and Export

1. Save the file (*.draw) in a folder of your choice.
2. Insert USB stick into laptop.
3. Click Export > To USB Storage.



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4. Navigate to the folders on your storage device, select *.jef > Export.



Embroidery Directions:

1. Set up machine for embroidery: High Tension Bobbin Holder, Straight Stitch Needle Plate, Embroidery foot P, Blue Tip Needle, Janome Prewound bobbin.
2. Place sticky stabilizer in hat hoop and place cap in hoop.
3. Open design.
4. After the first cap is completed, set second cap in hoop and continue.
5. Remove excess stabilizer.

