Using the Monogram Feature

With PE-DESIGN[®] 10, monogram fonts and monogram decorations resize to fit each other. You no longer have to choose to resize one of the parts. They automatically adjust when they are entered.

1. Open Layout and Editing. When the Wizard appears, click Close this Wizard. If you are

in an open session of Layout and Editing, click New Page





- 2. Click on the Text tool ^{Text} and choose the Monogram tool
- 3. From the **Font pull down menu choose** a **monogram font**. For this lesson, **choose** the **Diamond font**. There are 2 specially digitized monogram fonts, **Script and Diamond**, signified by an **MG**. They are located at the top of the Font Style pull down menu. **Any** font may be used for monogramming. These two fonts are only available for monograms.



4. **Choose** the **size** for the monogram in the same manner as regular text fonts (for this exercise leave the size at 30mm).



 To change the color, click on the desired color for the text in the Integrated Sewing Attributes window on the Color Tab Color.



- 6. Click on the design page to activate the Monogram Text tool.
- 7. **Type in** the **letters for** the **monogram** (use your initials for this lesson) and **press Enter** on the **keyboard**. The order of letters is a personal choice. Some place their Last name in the center, some place their Middle or Maiden name in the center. One to three letters may be input and in this version, you can type directly on the design page or in the Text box.



8. If a decorative pattern is desired around the monogram, on the Text Attributes Tab AB Text Attrib..., click on Add Decorative Pattern



9. The Import Patterns window in the Integrated Sewing Attributes window will activate and the Decorative Patterns will be displayed.

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10. Click on a decorative pattern and click Decorative Import. When the checkmark is in front of Maintain Aspect Ratio and the monogram is selected, the pattern will fit to the size of the monogram.

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11. The monogram decoration will appear around the monogram.



14. From the Font pull down menu choose a font that does not have a MC in front.

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026	ABC	Gothic 06			
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028	ABC	Gothic 07			
029	ABC	Brussels Demi Outline			
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031	ABC	Istanbul			
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- 15. Click on the design page to activate the Monogram tool.
- 16. Type in the 1-3 letter monogram and press Enter on the keyboard.



17. If a decorative pattern is desired for the monogram, on the Text Attributes Tab AB Text Attrib..., click on Add Decorative Pattern
Add Decorative Pattern... 18. In the **Decorative Pattern window**, from the **Category pull down menu**, **choose** the **Monogram Decoration** to select a decorative pattern. This will show all the decorative patterns in the window.



- 19. Select a decorative pattern and click Decorative Import.
- 20. If you place a **checkmark in front** of **Maintain aspect ratio**, the decorative pattern will size proportionally to fit the lettering. If Maintain aspect ratio is not selected, the pattern will fit directly around the monogram on all sides. This only happens when a font other than a MC font is selected.



21. Save the design and send to the machine via your preferred method.

Note: If you don't like the decorative pattern that you have selected, click Undo on the quick access toolbar or press Delete on the keyboard. Reselect the monogram and then choose another decorative pattern.