

embroidery
made
simple.

stitch & sew

embroidery
studio



key features

An excellent value, Stich & Sew's embroidery studio is packed with all the digitizing & editing essentials including these must-have features:

- Full drawing tools
- 70 Pre-digitized fonts
- Design Library/Manager
- All essential stitch types
- Special effects fills
- Full editing & stitch processing
- Commercial & home formats
- Fabric/materials manager
- Online & printed help documents

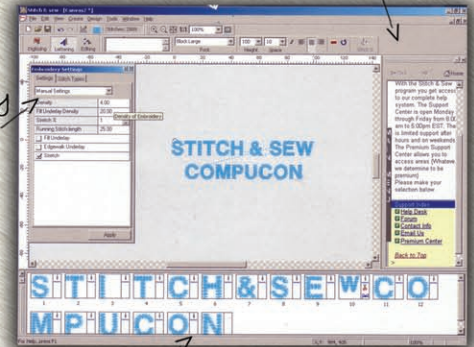
Embroidery software that makes sense.

Stich & Sew by Compucon is a full-featured digitizing package designed to simplify your life. With a modular, easy-to-learn interface, Stich & Sew makes custom jobs a snap. A great value, packed with features found normally on much "bigger" commercial software systems. You'll **demand** Stich & Sew for all those **key digitizing, editing & design management** features together in one smooth interface. You'll **love** Stich & Sew for its built-in **special features** that give you a creative edge. - which translates to better service for your customers.

Easy lettering

Lots of available help!

Embroidery
Settings
wizard



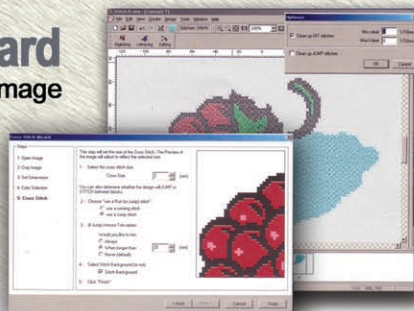
Block List to re-organize
and manage designs

special features

Special features lend your work a creative edge as well as added dimension to the services you can offer your customer. Create decorative effects with the special fills. Generate instant on-the-spot stitched images with photo-stitch or auto-punch. Or beautiful cross-stitch designs. There's lots to play with that preserves the fun & creativity in custom embroidery!

cross stitch wizard

Automatically converts an image into cross stitch embroidery. Just an example of the many special features in Stich & Sew!



photostitch

Ability to automatically convert photo images into embroidery in black & white or in full color!



autopunch

A function that converts most kinds of images into embroidery designs - automatically!



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Embroidery Studio Feature List

General Functions

file handling functions

- New - opens blank workspace or existing file
- Open - reads home / commercial embroidery formats*
- Browser - browse through folders and designs
- Save/Save As - home & commercial formats
- Read from machine disks
- Format floppy
- Library - Library of free pre-constructed designs
- CD Library - ability to browse Compucon stock design products
- Print design
- Print Preview
- Import file as background template
- Twain scanner compliant - scan directly into Stitch & Sew

view functions

- Zoom in/out
- Full Screen View: enlarges the workspace
- Background (select either color or a scanned fabric bitmap)
- Grid with adjustable size
- Stitch points: display or hide hit points of a design
- Ruler: measure distances / parts of a design
- Hoop: select hoop to view with design
- Variable-speed re-draw of stitches in a design
- Toolbars - show/hide toolbars
- Set screen color

design manipulation functions

- Change dimensions and density of both source files and expanded files with stitch processing
- Center design
- Cleanup
- 1-step Apply Fabric settings to entire design

parameter setting functions

- Embroidery parameters: properties for embroidery objects
- System Parameters: set various parameters for the system
- Diagnostics: PC configuration for troubleshooting

graphic functions

- Drawing package

help features

- Help (topics)
- Tutorials

editing functions

- Select block or part of a design
- Move selected block or part
- Cut selected block or part
- Copy selected block or part
- Paste selected block or part
- Delete selected block or part
- Block editing (outline - inclination - start & end point)
- Stitch Editing - move/insert/delete stitches
- Set "connection policy" for connection between blocks
- Change color of each individual block
- Apply fabric - sets parameters to preset values for fabrics

Lettering Features

- 70 preconstructed font styles
- 5 lettering frames
- Define "Height" of letters
- Define "Space" between letters
- Advanced letter/line spacing

Create Functions

drawing creation tools

- Outline creation tool (open / closed outline)
- Branches creation tool
- Auto-creation of geometrical shapes: Rectangle
- Auto-creation of geometrical shapes: Rounded rectangle
- Auto-creation of geometrical shapes: Circle / Ellipse
- Auto-creation of geometrical shapes: Polygon
- Auto-creation of geometrical shapes: Star

fill types

- "Line" - Running stitch
- "Satin" - satin fill
- "Normal Fill" - complex fill
- "Normal Fill inclination" - branches
- "Applique" - Applique fill

stitch types

- Satin
- Step satin
- Step 1/1
- Step 1/2
- Step 1/3
- Random step
- Triple Run Stitch for Redwork/Blackwork
- 100 Pattern step fills
- 100 Elastic step fills
- 100 Motif fills

embroidery parameters

- Density
- Underlay
- Pull Compensation
- Inserts
- Long Satin
- Tie in/off
- Auto-Outline: satin and running stitch outline
- Degrade Density for color blending
- Jagged edge for Satin & Random Stitch

included special features

- Realistic View: 3D simulation of design
- Block List: ability to re-order and easily edit blocks
- Stitch Processor
- Cross-stitch type for manual punching
- Magic Wand
- Hyperfont: automatic TTF conversion
- Autopunch (fill) auto digitizing wizard
- Cross-stitch automatic wizard
- Photostitch automatic wizard

Windows 98/ME/2000/XP and VISTA compatible