

All Dressed Up!

Dress up those purchased blouses by embroidering with Pattern Run stitches on the collar. To do this, follow the instructions below.



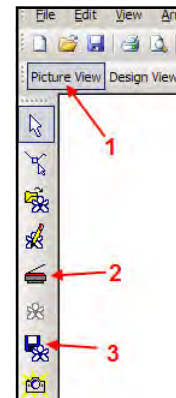
Let's get started ---

Step 1: Most adult collars are too long to fit in the embroidery space of our largest hoop so to remedy this problem, digitize only half of the collar design at a time.

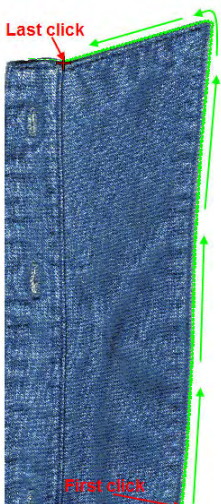
- ⇒ To do this, simply fold the collar in half.
- ⇒ Place the folded edge even with the top edge of the scanner area on your computer scanner.
- ⇒ Connect your scanner to your computer and turn it on.

Step 2: Open the BERNINA® Embroidery Software

- ⇒ Select the **Picture View** tab(1).
- ⇒ Click on the **Scan Picture** icon(2); scan the collar.
- ⇒ Click on the **Save Picture** icon(3); save the scanned image.



Step 3: In the embroidery process, AquaMesh Plus stabilizer is hooped and the first color of the design will be stitched. This is the placement line for the collar in the hoop. It will be digitized first.

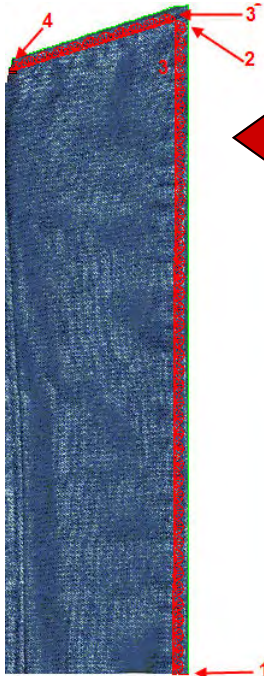


- ⇒ Go to the **Design View** tab.
- ⇒ From the Menu Toolbar, select **File > Save As**; name your collar design.
- ⇒ Select the **Open Object** tool and **Single Outline** stitch.
- ⇒ Digitize the **Single Outline** stitch around the outside edge of the collar as shown in the picture on the left.

Step 4: Now it is time to place the Pattern Run stitches on the Collar.

- ⇒ From the NP004a Folder, select stitch #K0015a.

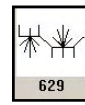




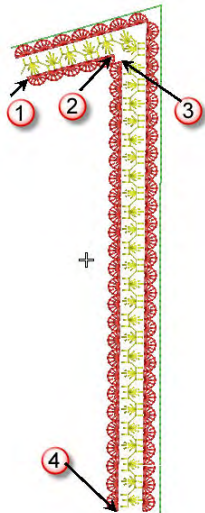
Step 5: Digitize as follows—

- ⇒ Place the first stitch starting at the center of the collar(1).
- ⇒ The second left click(2) should be at the point of the collar; touch the <Enter> key on the keyboard. The first line of stitching is digitized.
- ⇒ Next(3) click at the point of the collar where the first line of stitches ended.
- ⇒ The last click(4) should be at the inside edge of the collar.
- ⇒ You no longer need the scanned image of the collar.
- ⇒ Go to the **Picture View** tab; **Select** the collar picture; touch the <Delete> key on the keyboard.

Step 6: Select Pattern Run stitch #629 from the Embellishment folder.



Step 7: Digitize this stitch on the collar in the same way as the first stitch.



Step 8: Select Pattern Run stitch #K0015a.

- ⇒ Digitize one more row of stitching in the opposite order as before.
- ⇒ As in the picture shown at the left, start at the inside edge of the collar(1)
- ⇒ Digitize to the corner(2); touch <Enter>.
- ⇒ Continue digitizing to the center with left clicks at (3) and (4).
- ⇒ Touch <Enter>.
- ⇒ **Save** the design.
- ⇒ Send it to the embroidery machine.

Step 9: Embroider the collar.

- ⇒ Hoop AquaMesh Plus stabilizer; embroider the first color of the design. This is the placement line for the collar in the hoop.
- ⇒ Place the collar inside the placement stitch on the sticky stabilizer; embroider the design.

Step 10: Engage the Mirror Image function and mirror the design in the machine.

- ⇒ Hoop a new piece of AquaMesh Plus stabilizer; embroider the placement line again.
- ⇒ Place the collar on the sticky stabilizer. When you touch the Start/Stop button on the machine, the embroidery arm will move the hoop to the first stitch of the second color. Quickly touch the Start/Stop button after it moves to make sure the stitch matches the previously sewn stitch. You may need to use the Move Hoop function on the machine to slightly adjust the positioning of the design.
- ⇒ Embroider the second half of the collar.

Step 11: Enjoy your “All Dressed Up” shirt!

For additional stitch recipe ideas, log onto www.berninausa.com > Sewing Studio > Stitch Recipes > Software Recipes. Download the instructions for one of the Software Recipes.