









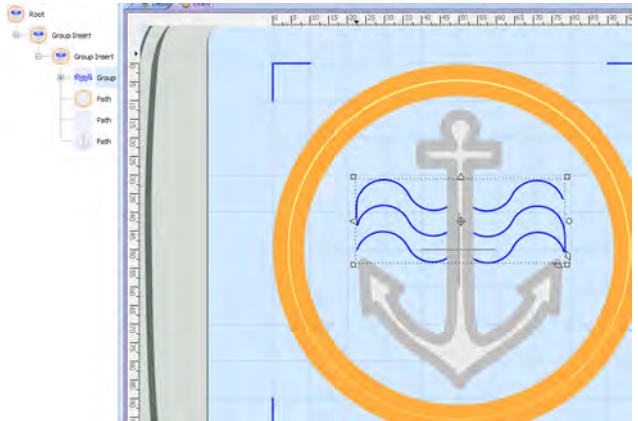





Make an Anchor Stamp from a Picture

This exercise is taken from the Motifs, Machine Stitches and Stamps chapter of the PREMIER+™ Create Reference Guide.

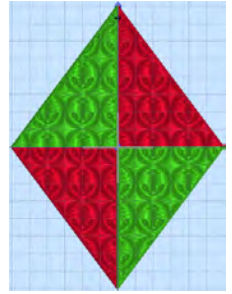
- 1 Open PREMIER+™ Create .
- 1 Click File, New  or File, New Window  and the Choose Design Type page of the ExpressDesign Wizard will appear.
- 2 Click Load a Vector Picture as Objects into the Draw Window, then click Next.
- 3 Click Load a Picture  and in the Picture Viewer, browse to Documents\Premier+\Samples\Create\Pics2\Anchor.4qb and click OK to load it onto the Choose Picture page. Click Next.
- 4 In the Design Size page click Finish to close the wizard.
- 5 In the Quick Access toolbar, click Change Hoop  and in the Hoop Selection dialog box set the Hoop to 100mm x 100mm - Universal Square Hoop 1. Click OK.
A small hoop is best for designing at this scale.
- 6 In the FilmStrip on the left of the screen, double-click the Group Insert entries to open the structure of the drawing.
- 7 In the FilmStrip, click the waves behind the anchor to select them.
- 8 Click Delete .
- 9 Between the circles and the anchor in the FilmStrip is the fill for the anchor. Select this fill area which appears transparent in the FilmStrip and click Delete .
- 10 Click File, Save As Drawing , and browse to the folder Documents\Premier+\My Pictures.
- 11 Save the edited picture as Anchor Stamp.4qb.
Alternatively, create a Stamps subfolder within this folder.
- 12 In the QuickLink toolbar at the bottom of the screen, click Premier+™ Modify.
- 13 Open an embroidery with large areas of fill or satin, for example Documents\Premier+\Samples\Create\Stitch\Diamond.
- 14 Click the Emboss tab.
- 15 Click Load Stamp File , and in the viewer load the file Documents\Premier+\My Pictures\Anchor Stamp.4qb.
- 16 Click Single Stamp . The pointer changes to an anchor. Stamp one of the green areas of the diamond. A large single stamp appears in the diamond fill area.



- 17 Click Undo  to remove this stamp.
- 18 Click Stamp Fill . The complete area of the diamond is stamped with the anchor design.
- 19 Click Undo  and vary the size and angle of the stamp before stamping again.

Try browsing to Documents\Premier+\Samples\Create \Pics2\ and using other .4qb pictures in this folder as stamps. Some work well, but others are too detailed.

You can also use Load a Background Picture into the Draw Window in the ExpressDesign Wizard to load a bitmap graphic or a photo to draw a design over.



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