


Mystical Whimsy Quilt – Class 5








Candlewicking Stitches

Candlewicking stitches can add an interesting dimension to your quilt and there are a variety of Candlewicking stitches available for you to use. The key to sewing Candlewicking stitches is using the Candlewicking Foot, which has a deep tunnel on the underside to feed over the built up stitch.



Supplies:

Fabric #2		1(3" x 42") for Small Circle 1(6" x 32") for Center Row Bands
Adjustable Guide Foot for IDT™ System		Part #820677096
Candlewicking Foot for IDT™ System		Part #820613096
Extension Table		Part number will be dependent on PFAFF® sewing machine model
PFAFF® Tear-A-Way Stabilizer 20" x 10 yards		Part #821399096

PFAFF® Topstitch Needle Size 90/14, 5 pack		Part #821196096
Robison-Anton Poly Filament Bobbin Thread		Part #140000905
Robison-Anton 40wt Rayon Thread		Part number based on color
PFAFF® 4"/10.2cm Micro Tip Straight Blade Scissor		Part #821286996
Chalk Marker or Water-soluble Marker		
SINGER® Steam Iron		Part number dependent on iron model.
Rotary Cutter, Mat, 6" x 24" Ruler		
Other Supplies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ironing Surface 		

Candlewicking Strip for Small Circle

Sewing Machine Preparations

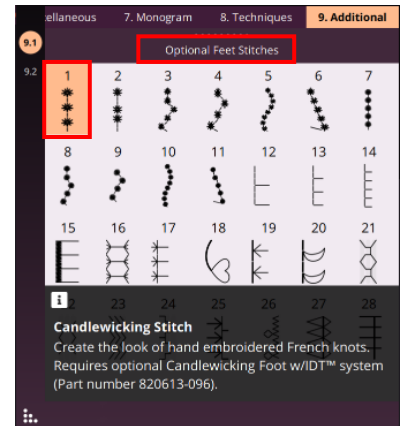
1. Insert a PFAFF® Topstitch Needle Size 90/14 in your PFAFF® sewing machine.
2. Attach the Extension Table, this will give you a larger sewing surface and better support for your project.
3. Thread with Robison-Anton 40wt Rayon thread on top and Robison-Anton Poly Filament Bobbin thread on the bobbin.
4. Attach the Candlewicking Foot for IDT™ System to your sewing machine. Engage the IDT™ only if it is recommended for the stitch selected.



5. Select the Candlewicking Stitch from the Optional Feet Stitches menu.

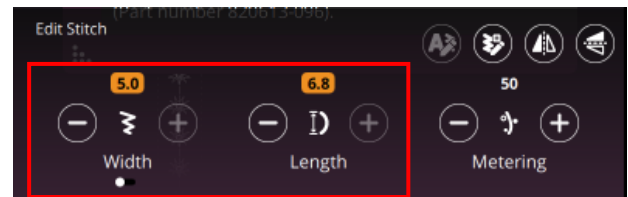
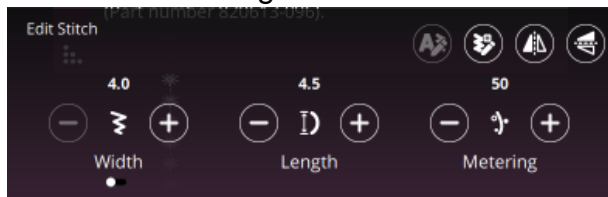
Fabric Preparation

1. Draw a line down the center of the 3" x 42" strip of Fabric #2 with the chalk or water-soluble marker.

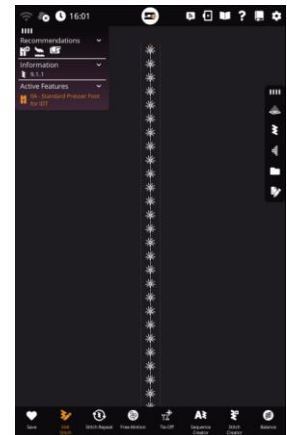


Sewing Instructions

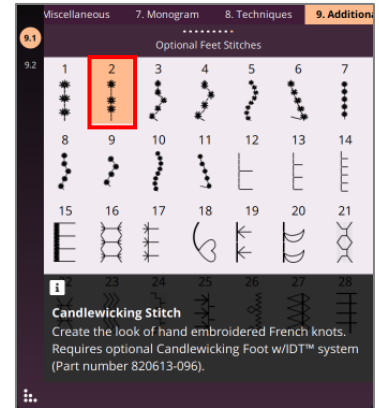
1. You can make the Candlewicking Stitch larger by increasing the Stitch Width to 5.0 and the Stitch Length to 6.8.



2. Place PFAFF® Tear-A-Way Stabilizer under the fabric.
Tip: Cut strips of stabilizer and place under the stitching area. Once you finish stitching the row, tear away the stabilizer. It is much easier to tear the stabilizer as you go along stitching, then trying to tear it all away at the end. Then place another strip under the next stitching area and stitch.
3. Stitch the first row of stitches lining up the edge of the foot with the drawn line. Note: When sewing long lengths of decorative stitches it is helpful to use the Start/Stop button.

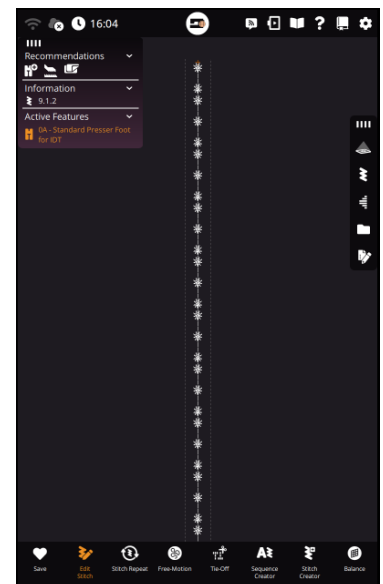
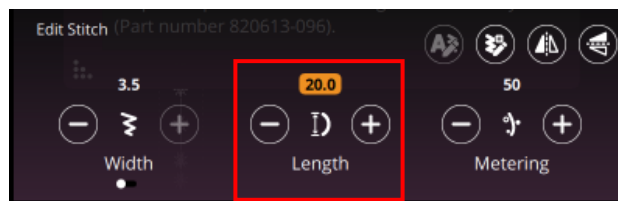
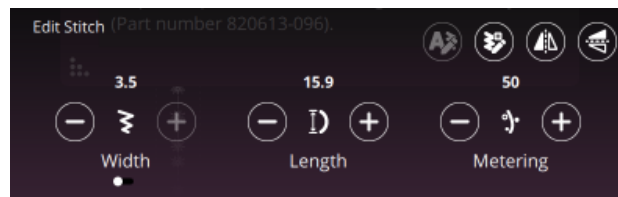


4. Stitch the second row of stitches lining up the edge of the foot with the drawn line.



Sewing Machine Preparations

1. Select another Candlewicking Stitch from the Optional Feet Stitches menu.
2. You can make the Candlewicking Stitch larger by increasing the Stitch Length to 20.0.

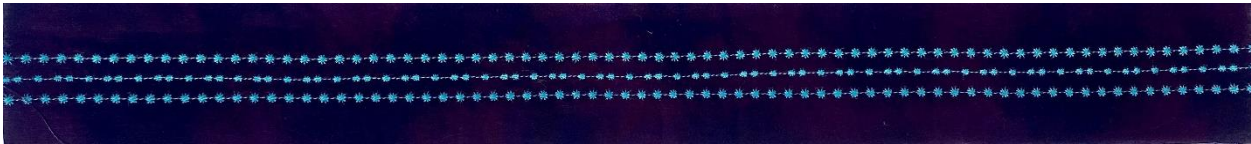


Sewing Instructions

1. Stitch the middle row of stitches lining up the center of the foot with the drawn line.



2. Press the strip.



3. Cut the strip into 2(2½" x 21") for Class 7.

Candlewicking Strip for Center Row Bands

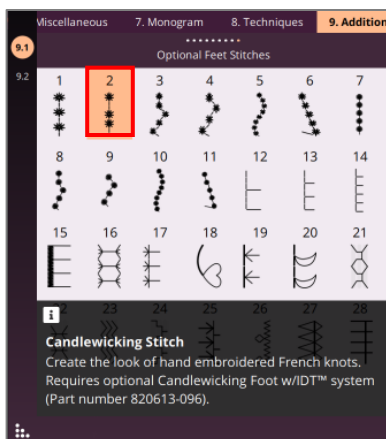
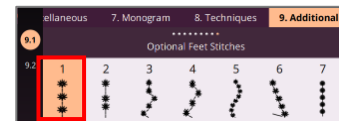
Fabric Preparation

1. Draw a line down the center of the 6" x 32" strip of Fabric #2 with the chalk or water-soluble marker.



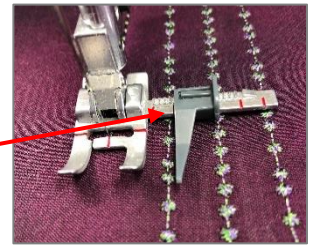
Sewing Instructions

1. Select a Candlewicking Stitch.
2. Place PFAFF® Tear-A-Way Stabilizer under the fabric.
3. Stitch the first row of stitches lining up the center of the foot with the drawn line.
4. Select another Candlewicking Stitch.
5. Stitch the second row of stitches lining up the edge of the foot with the center sewn stitches.
6. Stitch the third row of stitches on the opposite side of the center.



Sewing Machine Preparations

1. Attach the Adjustable Guide Foot for IDT™ System to your sewing machine and engage the IDT™. Set the adjustable grey guide on the Adjustable Guide Foot to the second line on the right ($\frac{5}{8}$ " mark).

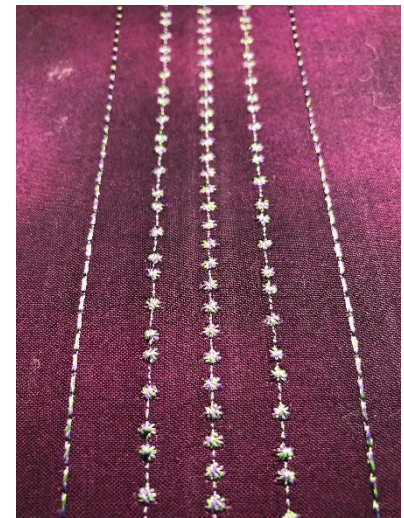
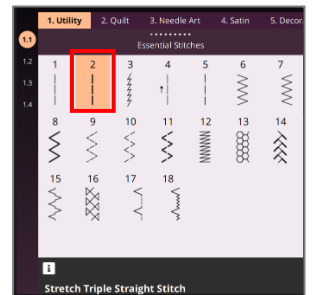


2. Select the Stretch Triple Straight Stitch from the Utility menu.



Sewing Instructions

1. Line up the grey guide along the previously sewn Candlewicking Stitch and stitch the Stretch Triple Straight Stitch down the length of the strip.
2. Repeat on the other side.

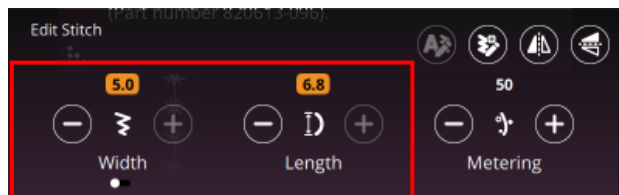
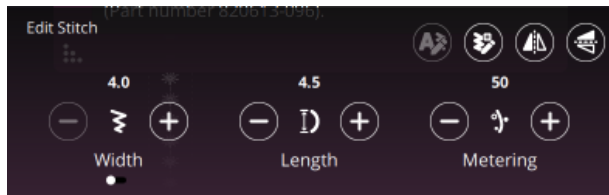
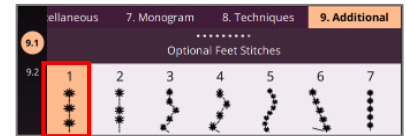


3. Line up the grey guide along the previously sewn Stretch Triple Straight Stitch and stitch the Stretch Triple Straight Stitch down the length of the strip.
4. Repeat on the other side.



Sewing Machine Preparations

1. Attach the Candlewicking Foot for IDT™ System to your sewing machine.
2. Select a Candlewicking Stitch.
3. You can make the Candlewicking Stitch larger by increasing the Stitch Width to 5.0 and the Stitch Length to 6.8.



Sewing Instructions

1. Stitch a row of Candlewicking Stitches down the middle of the row of Stretch Triple Straight Stitches.
2. Repeat for the other side.
3. Sew another row of Candlewicking Stitches beside the row of Stretch Triple Straight Stitches.
4. Repeat for the other side.



5. Press.
6. Cut the stitched piece into 2 pieces 5" x 15" for Class 9.