

Skew to an Irregular Border

Learn how to repeat a design and skew to an irregular border.

1. Select Design

- Select **File** tab.



- Press **Design**.

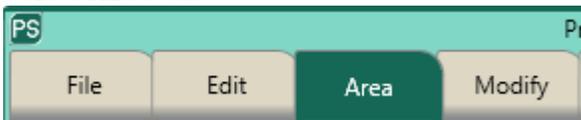


- Press **Open**.
- Select **Designs/HQ Designs/Continuous Line/Ribbon Candy**

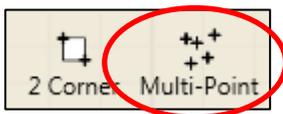


2. Create an Area

- Select **Area** tab.



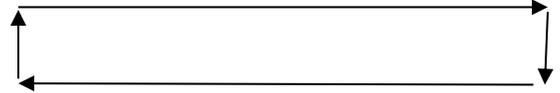
- Move machine to top left corner.
- Press **Multi-Point**.



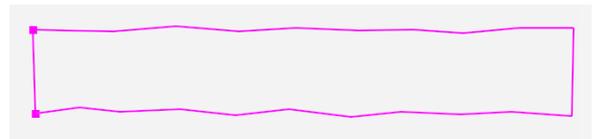
- Move machine 1 inch to the right. (Following the fabric piecing on the quilt.)

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- Press **Multi-Point**.
- Move machine 1 inch more to the right.
- Press **Multi-Point** again.
- Continue across the border pressing **Multi-Point** about every 1 inch on the top of the border and the bottom. You can create the area going around clockwise or counter-clockwise.



- The area now appears as a pink box. This irregular area has 22 points.



- Press **Refresh** in the status bar at the bottom of the screen. The area, design and crosshairs will be visible in the workspace window.

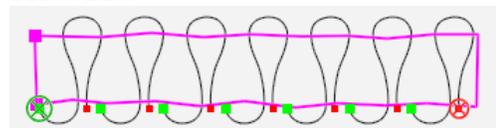


3. Repeat Design.

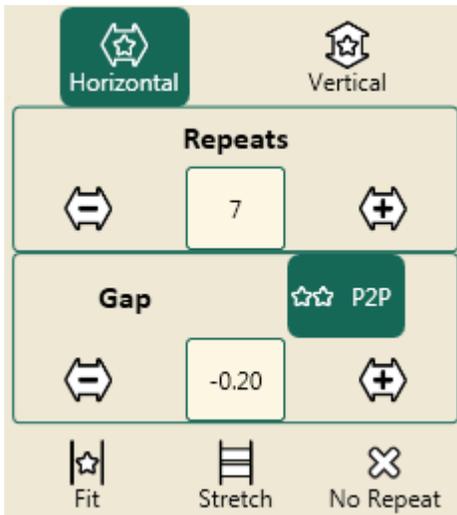
- Select **Repeat** tab.
- Press **Basic**.



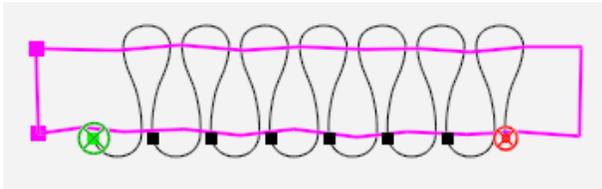
- Press **Horizontal**.
- Press **Fit**.



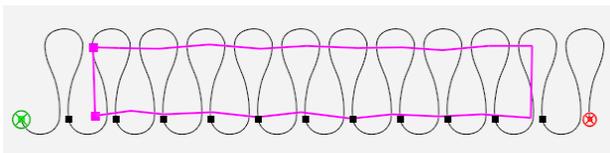
- **Note:** Fit will repeat the design at its original size in the area without skewing or stretching.
- Press **P2P**.



The ribbon candy will snap the start and end point of each repeat together.



- Press **Fit** again. More repeats will be added to fit the area width.



4. Skew Repeat to Area

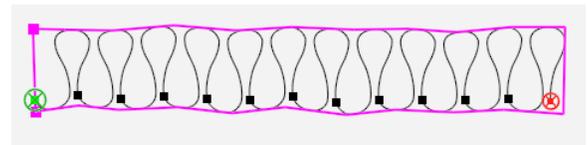
- Select **Modify**.
- Press **Skew**.



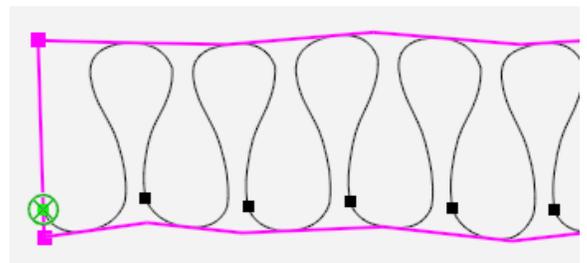
- Press **Skew 2**.



- The ribbon repeat will skew to the irregular border.



- Close-up view of skewed border.



- More repeats could be added for a different look. This border has 24 repeats.

