## Halloween Couture



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## Halloween Couture <br> \#12513 / 41 Designs

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12513-01 Bat 1 Appliqué $5.05 \times 3.56$ in. 128.27 X 90.42 mm 3,370 St. L


12513-05 Witch Appliqué $7.31 \times 6.13$ in.
185.67 X 155.70 mm 5,681 St. 盆 L


12513-09 Trick or Treat Appliqué $4.45 \times 3.64$ in.
$113.03 \times 92.46 \mathrm{~mm}$ 6,109 St.


12513-02 Bat 2 Appliqué $5.90 \times 4.03$ in. 149.86 X 102.36 mm 4,332 St. L


12513-06 Cauldron Appliqué
$3.72 \times 6.00$ in.
94.49 X 152.40 mm 3,251 St. L


12513-10 Jumbo Jack o' Lantern
Face Appliqué $6.52 \times 5.79$ in.
$165.61 \times 147.07 \mathrm{~mm}$ 6,104 St. L

If Design contains a loose fill.
Some solid areas shown are not stitched.


12513-03 Bat Linework $4.36 \times 5.81$ in. $110.74 \times 147.57 \mathrm{~mm}$ 2,276 St. L


12513-07 Ghost Appliqué $5.34 \times 5.87$ in.
$135.64 \times 149.10 \mathrm{~mm}$ 3,372 St. L


12513-11 Jack o' Lantern 1 Appliqué
$6.32 \times 5.49$ in. $160.53 \times 139.45 \mathrm{~mm}$ 5,282 St. L


12513-04 Halloween Cat Appliqué 5.04 X 4.57 in. $128.02 \times 116.08 \mathrm{~mm}$ 4,312 St. © L


12513-08 Boo! Appliqué
$5.77 \times 2.37$ in.
146.56 X 60.20 mm 2,814 St. L


12513-12 Jack o' Lantern 2
Appliqué
4.29 X 7.96 in.
108.97 X 202.18 mm

4,999 St. L
L Design is larger than $5^{\prime \prime}(127 \mathrm{~mm})$ in either direction.
S Design is smaller than $1.5^{\prime \prime}(38.1 \mathrm{~mm})$ in either direction.

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12513-13 Jack o' Lantern 3
Appliqué
8.04 X 4.48 in.
204.22 X 113.79 mm 5,345 St.


12513-17 Skull 1 Appliqué
5.19 X 6.15 in.
$131.83 \times 156.21 \mathrm{~mm}$ 6,496 St. L


12513-20 Spider Appliqué
$3.39 \times 2.57 \mathrm{in}$.
86.11 X 65.28 mm $1,788 \mathrm{St}$.


12513-14 Frankenstein Monster Appliqué $2.89 \times 7.32$ in. 73.41 X 185.93 mm 3,695 St. L


12513-18 Skull 2 Appliqué 4.00 X 5.47 in. $101.60 \times 138.94 \mathrm{~mm}$ 3,304 St. L


12513-21 Spider Web Corner
$2.90 \times 2.89$ in.
$73.66 \times 73.41 \mathrm{~mm}$
2,071 St.
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12513-15 Mummy Appliqué $3.30 \times 6.64$ in. $83.82 \times 168.66 \mathrm{~mm}$ 4,936 St.


12513-16 Zombie Appliqué
$3.14 \times 6.31$ in.
79.76 X 160.27 mm 3,673 St.


12513-19 Jumbo Haunted House
Appliqué
7.73 X 8.80 in.
$196.34 \times 223.52 \mathrm{~mm}$ 14,950 St. L

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12513-22 Spider Web 5.59 X 5.57 in. 141.99 X 141.48 mm 6,558 St. L


12513-26 Swirl Accent 2
$2.34 \times 2.11 \mathrm{in}$.
$59.44 \times 53.59 \mathrm{~mm}$
1,034 St.


12513-30 Web FSL $5.66 \times 5.66$ in.
143.76 X 143.76 mm 31,766 St. L


12513-27 Swirl Accent Border 7.65 X . 77 in.
194.31 X 19.56 mm

1,122 St. L S

12513-31 Small Bat FSL
$5.18 \times 2.04 \mathrm{in}$.
131.57 X 51.82 mm 15,228 St. $\mathscr{4}$ L


12513-23 Tombstone Border $5.62 \times 2.15 \mathrm{in}$. 142.75 X 54.61 mm 3,116 St. L



12513-24 Jack o' Lantern Border $5.31 \times 2.25 \mathrm{in}$.
134.87 X 57.15 mm

3,796 St. L


12513-28 Swirl Accent Corner
3.27 X 3.66 in .
83.06 X 92.96 mm
$1,432 \mathrm{St}$


12513-33 Cat FSL
$4.50 \times 5.50 \mathrm{in}$.
$114.30 \times 139.70 \mathrm{~mm}$ 31,788 St. 觡 L


12513-29 Spider FSL 3.34 X 2.59 in .
84.84 X 65.79 mm

12,092 St. भ\&


12513-25 Swirl Accent 1
2.04 X 2.17 in.
$51.82 \times 55.12 \mathrm{~mm}$
729 St.
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12513－34 Skeleton Skull FSL
$2.35 \times 3.13$ in．
$59.69 \times 79.50 \mathrm{~mm}$



12513－38 Skeleton Left Arm FSL 2．77 X 5.19 in．
70.36 X 131.83 mm

17，640 St．昗 L


12513－35 Skeleton Ribcage FSL

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12513－36 Skeleton Spine FSL
$1.21 \times 6.24$ in． 30．73 X 158.50 mm
12,789 St．\＆f L S



12513－37 Skeleton Pelvis FSL
$3.51 \times 2.85 \mathrm{in}$ ．
$89.15 \times 72.39 \mathrm{~mm}$ 15，632 St． 8 穹

12513－39 Skeleton Right Arm FSL

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2.77 \text { X } 5.19 \text { in. }
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$70.36 \times 131.83 \mathrm{~mm}$
17，643 St．\＆bs L
3.16 X 5.87 in ．
80.26 X 149.10 mm

22，300 St．唵 L


12513－40 Skeleton Left Leg FSL 12513－41 Skeleton Right Leg FSL 3．16 X 5.87 in． 80.26 X 149.10 mm 22，300 St．胡 L

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General Freestanding Lace Instructions

## General Freestanding Lace Guidelines

## Supplies:

## Embroidery Thread:

- Use the same embroidery thread in the bobbin as the needle.


## Needles:

- Use an Organ 80/12 Titanium needle for extended needle life.


## Stabilizer:

- Use water-soluble stabilizer or film water-soluble stabilizer.


## Handy Hints:

## For Stiffer Lace:

- DO NOT rinse away all of the stabilizer for a "stiffer" lace. Note that the thread may appear a shade darker if stabilizer is not removed completely.
- If you happen to wash too much out, easily re-stiffen by diluting some stabilizer scraps in water and dipping the item in the solution.


## For Very Soft Lace:

- Cut away excess stabilizer. Remove remaining stabilizer by rinsing under warm running water until all traces of the stabilizer are gone. Note: If lace should become too limp to work with, dissolve stabilizer scraps in warm water and apply to the lace.


## Drying Lace:

- The lace looks best when left to dry completely. Lay lace piece with right side down to dry. This will minimize the tendency for the lace to curl. Be sure to flatten the piece out entirely and allow ample time to dry.



## General Instructions

1. Hoop two layers of water-soluble stabilizer.
2. Attach the hoop to the machine and select the design of your choice.
3. Stitch the design.
4. Remove the hoop from the machine and the design from the hoop. Trim excess stabilizer from the design.
5. Rinse away remaining stabilizer and allow it to dry.

## Handy Hints:

## For 3D Lace Projects:

- Adhere 2 layers of heavy weight stabilizer to back of fabrics with temporary adhesive spray before hooping or placing down for tackdown and cut in place. This gives fabric a more rigid structure.
- Rinsing out lace with very hot water can cause wrinkles in some fabrics after it has been embroidered. To prevent this, pre-shrink cotton fabric by washing it in warm water and drying it in a dryer.
- If item becomes too limp to work with, iron the appliqué pieces on the wrong side while applying spray starch. After ironing, spray again with starch and allow to dry completely. This will stiffen the lace pieces nicely and aid in construction.
- A pair of tweezers, hemostats, stiletto or a tiny crochet hook can be extremely helpful when inserting the buttonettes into the eyelets. (Please see Diagram 1 for explanation of "buttonette" and "eyelet".)
- Insert the tip of the tweezers, hemostats or crochet hook into the eyelet, grasp the buttonette and pull through the eyelet. Or a stiletto could be used to push the buttonette through the eyelet.


## Skeleton - Summary

Requires 1 Skeleton Skull FSL - 12513-34
Requires 1 Skeleton Ribcage FSL - 12513-35
Requires 1 Skeleton Spine FSL - 12513-36
Requires 1 Skeleton Pelvis FSL - 12513-37
Requires 1 Skeleton Left Arm FSL - 12513-38
Requires 1 Skeleton Right Arm FSL - 12513-39
Requires 1 Skeleton Left Leg FSL - 12513-40
Requires 1 Skeleton Right Leg FSL - 12513-41

## Supplies:

- Embroidery thread
- Embroidery machine
- Wash away stabilizer
- Mini brads
- Hand sewing needle and thread


## Assembly for Freestanding Lace Skeleton:

- Refer to Diagram 1 when assembling the freestanding lace skeleton using mini brads inserted into each piece to attach to another piece. Note: If you cannot find mini brads, you can also stitch the pieces together by hand with a simple bar stitch
- Attach the Skeleton Skull (12513-34) with a mini brad at the bottom center of the skull to the top center of the Skeleton Spine (12513-36). Set aside. Photo 1
- Attach the upper arm of the Skeleton Left Arm (1251338) and Skeleton Right Arm (12513-39) with a mini brad to both upper corners of the Skeleton Ribcage (12513-35) being sure the more rounded part faces inside. Photo 2
- Attach the ribcage and upper arm section with a mini brad to the lower arm/elbow section of the Skeleton Left Arm (12513-38) and Skeleton Right Arm (12513-39) in the center of each piece. Set aside. Photo 3

- Attach the hip joints of the upper legs from the Skeleton Left Leg (12513-40) and the Skeleton Right Leg (12513-41) with a mini brad to the Skeleton Pelvis (12513-37) about two-thirds down from the top on either side. Photo 4
- Attach the pelvis and upper legs with mini brads to the remaining lower leg sections of the Skeleton Left Leg (12513-40) and Skeleton Right Leg (12513-41). Set aside. Photo 5
- Using hand sewing needle and thread, stitch together the sternum of the ribcage with arms to the spine with the skull. Photo 6
- Attach the center bottom of the spine section with the top center of the pelvis section to complete the skeleton.


Halloween Couture \#12513 embroidery collection features 41 appliqué, linework and freestanding lace designs. This fun collection has a variety of scary and pleasant designs for all ages from scary cats to smiling pumpkins. You are sure to find something you like in this collection. A Halloween quilt was made using several of the designs including a freestanding lace spider stitched to the quilt for added dimension. Choose any of the designs you want to showcase and have fun. The finished quilt size is approximately 44" x 44".

## Supplies:

- OESD embroidery collection Halloween Couture \#12513
- 3 yds. black fabric (embroidered center blocks, outer borders, backing and binding)
- $1 / 2$ yd. gray fabric (sashing and inner borders)
- Gold, yellow and orange fabrics for appliqués
- $1 / 2$ yd. fabric (binding) (sample uses a gold plaid)
- $1 \frac{1}{3}$ yds. or 46 " x 46 " piece cotton batting
- Embroidery threads
- Medium weight tear away stabilizer
- Wash away stabilizer
- OESD Appliqué Fuse and Stick (for appliqué pieces)
- Temporary spray adhesive
- Double sided fabric tape
- Curved safety pins
- Thread for piecing



## Cut:

NOTE: The designs used for the center blocks are \#12513-01, \#12513-04 and \#12513-05, \#12513-06, \#1251307, \#12513-10 (jumbo design), \#12513-14, \#12513-16, and \#12513-17. Other designs used once the quilt top is put together are \#12513-20, \#12513-21, \#12513-22, \#12513-23 and \#12513-29 (Spider FSL). If using a jumbo hoop design then you will need to cut a bigger piece of fabric and stabilizer than called for below to fit your hoop.

- Fabrics for appliqué using templates and OESD Appliqué Fuse and Stick following manufacturer's directions.
- (9) $11^{\prime \prime} \times 14^{\prime \prime}$ black fabric for embroidered center blocks
- (9) $11^{\prime \prime} \times 14^{\prime \prime}$ medium weight tear away stabilizer
- (6) $2^{\prime \prime} \times 11^{\prime \prime}$ gray fabric (short sashing)
- (2) $2^{\prime \prime}$ strips gray fabric (long sashing)
- (4) $2^{\prime \prime}$ strips gray fabric (inner borders)
- (4) $4^{1 / 2 "}$ strips black fabric (outer borders)
- (5) $2 \frac{1}{4} 4^{\prime \prime}$ strips fabric (binding)


## Embroider:

- Using temporary spray adhesive, spray $11^{\prime \prime} \times 14^{\prime \prime}$ piece tear away stabilizer and adhere to wrong side of the black fabric. Hoop
 the layers. Embroider one of the Halloween designs. Remove from hoop and remove stabilizer. Repeat for the remaining eight designs. Cut to 11 " x 11" blocks with the design centered. Photo 1
NOTE: The remainder of the designs will be stitched on the quilt after it is pieced together.


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Quilt Instructions

- Using design Spider FSL \#12513-29, two layers of wash away stabilizer and embroidery thread in the top and bobbin, stitch out the spider. Wash out the stabilizer and shape the spider so that it dries dimensional. Set aside. NOTE: It will be stitched on when the quilt is complete.


## Quilt Top Assembly \& Embroidery:

$1 / 4$ " seam allowance

- Arrange the embroidered designs in the order you want them placed in the quilt.
- Right sides together, stitch the short sashing to the Halloween embroidered block. Press. Repeat for the remaining pieces of short sashing. You will have three sections with a block, sashing, block, sashing and block. Photo 2 \& 3
- Right sides together, stitch the long sashing to either side of the center section. Press. Right sides together, stitch the other two sections to either side of the center section with sashing. Press. Photo $4 \& 5$
- Right sides together, stitch each inner border to top and bottom of the pieced
 center section. Press. Right sides together, stitch each inner border to either side of the pieced center section. Press. Photo 6
- Right sides together, stitch each outer border to top and bottom of the pieced center section. Press. Right sides together, stitch each outer border to either side of the pieced center section. Press. (Quilt Top) Photo 7
- Now that the quilt top is finished you can decide where
 to stitch some of the linework type designs and other appliqués. The spider web (12513-22) was stitched in two places on the quilt. The spider web corner (12513-21) was stitched in opposite corners. The spider appliqué (12512-20) was stitched in three different places with two of them close to spider webs. The tombstone border (12513-23) was stitched once at the bottom corner of the outer border. Be sure that you place the designs within the seam allowance. When placing the designs in specific places on the quilt, use the double sided fabric
 tape on your inner hoop for accurate placement.
- Cut a piece of tear away stabilizer for the size of hoop needed. Using temporary spray adhesive, spray stabilizer and adhere to wrong side of the quilt top. Place double sided fabric tape on the wrong side of the inner hoop. Using template in inner hoop, position onto center mark on quilt top, and hoop. Place hoop on embroidery machine and find center
 point. Embroider design. Remove from hoop and remove stabilizer. Repeat for the other designs on the quilt top. Photo $8 \& 9$


## Finishing the Quilt:

- Layer a quilt sandwich, by placing back wrong side up, cotton batting, and the quilt top right side up. Use curved safety pins to baste the layers together. If the quilt measures larger than the back piece, then add a piece of gray or black to the back to make it 2" larger than the front. Photo 10
- Quilt as desired. Free-motion quilting was the technique used around each of the designs in the blocks and in the outer borders.
- Square up the quilt, this is trimming the quilt until the sides are equal. This prepares the quilt for stitching on the binding. Stitch on the binding as desired. For stitching on the binding the mitered corner technique was used.
- Stitch on the dimensional freestanding lace spider by tacking the legs to the quilt as it is partially on a spider web.


1. Print out the necessary pages from the PDF of the appliquè pattern(s).
2. Mark the right side of the pattern pieces so you'll know which direction to lay the pattern on the fabric.
3. Lightly spray the wrong side of the pattern pieces with temporary adhesive spray and allow it to set for a few minutes.
4. Place the pattern pieces on the right side of the fabric and carefully cut them out. PHOTO 1
5. Sew the placement stitch on your hooped fabric. PHOTO 2
6. With the paper still stuck to the right side of the appliqué fabric, spray the wrong side of the fabric with temporary spray adhesive.
7. Place the fabric inside the sewing placement stitch so that it matches the stitching line, and then remove the paper pattern. PHOTO 3
8. Sew the tackdown. PHOTO 4
9. Sew the remainder of the design and repeat for any remaining pieces. PHOTO 5

NOTE: The patterns are sized for the designs as they were made. If you resize the design, you will need to resize the pattern the same amount. You can print out the pattern at the normal size then copy it on a copy machine at the changed size. For example, resize the designs to $\mathbf{8 0 \%}$, resize the printed pattern to $\mathbf{8 0 \%}$.

TIP: When Printing the patterns, make sure that the "Fit to page" option is UNCHECKED in the Print Dialog Box. If this option is checked the printed patterns will not be actual size.


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