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## HQ Pro-Stitcher

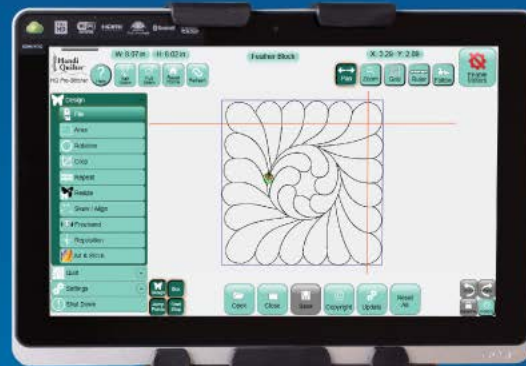
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HQ WEBINAR

## HQ Pro-Stitcher

SIMULATOR • NEW START/END • REPOSITION • MORE!

Presented by the HQ Studio Educators

# Your presenters today are:

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# Topics discussed today:

1. How to find a new Start Point when the Thread Breaks or you run out of bobbin thread
2. How to advance the quilt and design when doing edge to edge
3. How to reposition on the Pro-Stitcher when you lose your positioning
4. How to install the simulator on a home computer
5. How to Update your HQ Pro-Stitcher to version 16.01.00091



# How to find a new Start Point when the Thread Breaks or you run out of bobbin thread

Once you have created your quilt layout and have started quilting there are times that the thread may break or your bobbin runs out of thread and you need to find a new start point to continue stitching.

- Fix thread issue by rethreading or placing a new filled bobbin in the machine.
- Unpick the thread so that it is close to a point. Leave a few stitches past the point so that the threads can overlap without a tie off.



# How to find a new Start Point when the Thread Breaks or you run out of bobbin thread

1. Press **Quit**.



2. Press **New Start/End**.

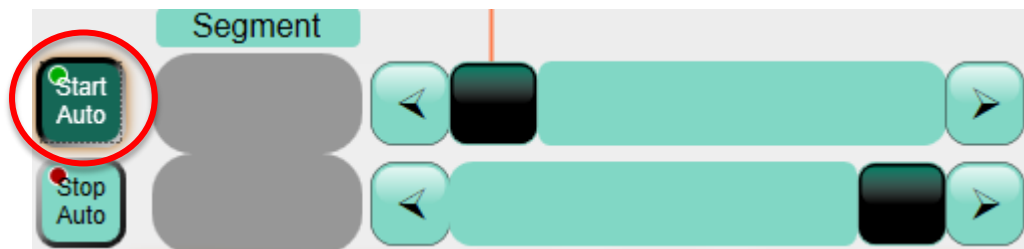


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3. Move machine needle to the nearest **point** on the design before the thread break.



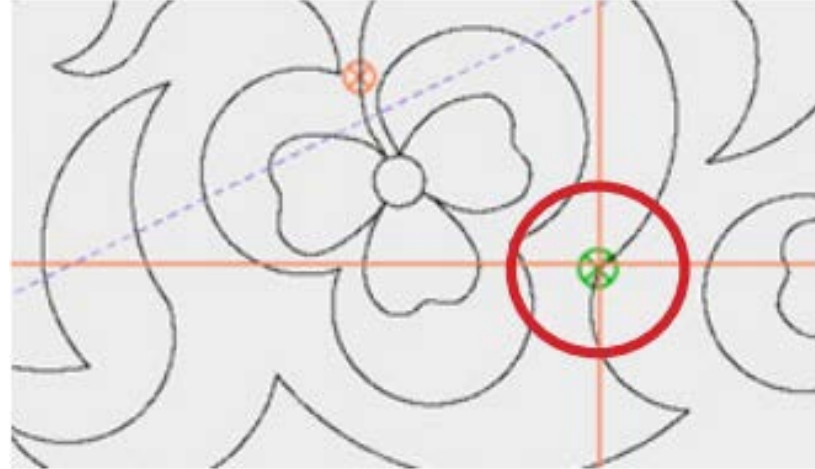
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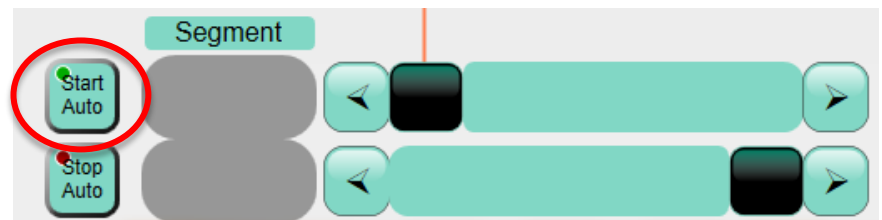


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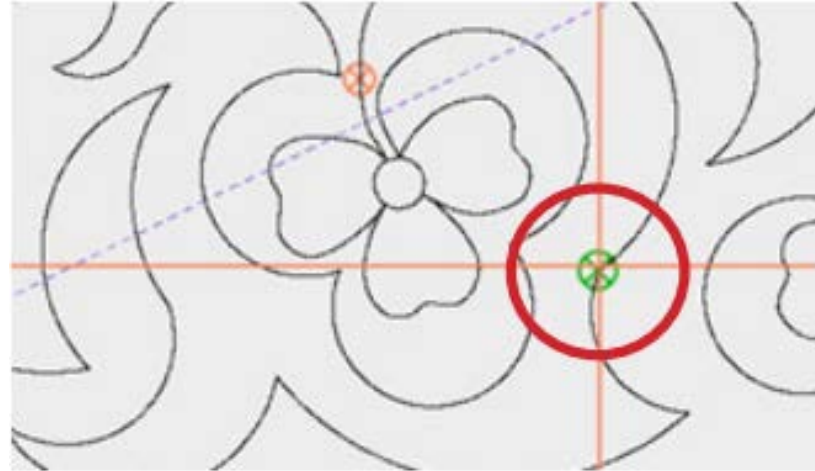


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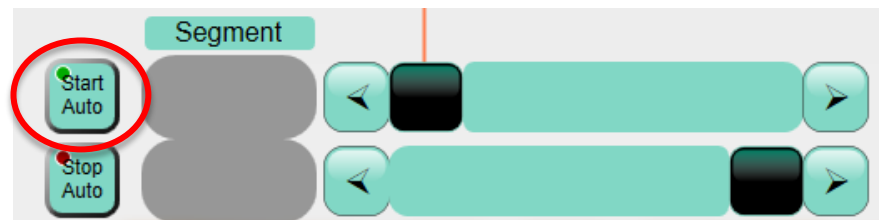


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# How to Install The HQ Pro-Stitcher Simulator on a home computer

- You can create a simulation version of Pro-Stitcher which enables you to use the Pro-Stitcher software in simulation mode on any computer running Microsoft Windows 7 or 8.
- It also runs on the Pro-Stitcher tablet itself when not attached to the quilting machine. Using a simulation license enables you to take the tablet computer or a notebook computer to Pro-Stitcher training and use the software functions even though the computer isn't attached to a quilting machine.
- Go to **Section 8.6** in your HQ Pro-Stitcher user manual for written instructions to create a simulator on your home computer.
- Watch the Video of Richard Eich (Director Of Quality Assurance) for tips and instructions to create the simulator.

# How to Update your HQ Pro-Stitcher to version 16.01.00091

Your Tablet	Asus EEEPC Acer W500 HP Omni Please see the <a href="#">installation instructions</a> to find out which tablet you have.	Acer W700 Acer Aspire Switch 11 Please see the <a href="#">installation instructions</a> to find out which tablet you have.
Software Version	Version 16.01.0092	Version 16.01.0091
Release Date	Released: February 12, 2016	Released: February 12, 2016
	<a href="#">Download version 16.01.0092</a>	<a href="#">Download version 16.01.0091</a>

Release notes for Versions 16.01.0091 and 16.01.0092:

- Includes all previous enhancements.
- Resolves unresponsive touchscreen issues.
- Reduces the potential for Buffer Underflow issues.
- Resolves the potential for the HQ Infinity console display software (version 47) to crash.



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