

# IMPORTANT INFORMATION READ THIS FIRST

Congratulations on purchasing the Maggie Magnetic Hoop by Sewtech.

There are some very important precautions you should be aware of when using magnetic frames.



## Personal Safety

**Pacemaker Warning:** Strong magnets can interfere with medical devices such as pacemakers. We do not recommend this product be operated by anyone with a pacemaker device.



## Pinch Hazard

These frames use very powerful magnets and are a pinch hazard. Be careful not to get your fingers caught between the frames when hooping.



## Equipment Safety

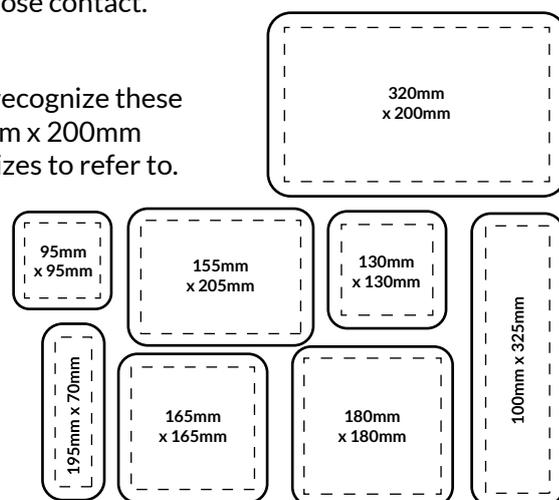
**Electronics:** These frames are tested to work on Brother PR Series machines, however care should be taken around other electronic devices. Strong magnets can damage sensitive electronics such as computer hard drives and may also be detrimental to credit cards etc. Avoid close contact.

## Frame Size and Embroidery area

Maggie Frames are not genuine Brother frames so your machine will not recognize these sizes. Your machine will see all 7 frames sizes as having an available 300mm x 200mm embroidery area, **but they do not!** Here are the actual embroidery field sizes to refer to.

### Maggie Frame sizes:

- 95mm x 95mm (available embroidery area 65mm x 65mm) **NEW**
- 100mm x 325mm (available embroidery area 70mm x 295mm)
- 130mm x 130mm (available embroidery area 100mm x 100mm)
- 155mm x 205mm (available embroidery area 125mm x 175mm)
- 165mm x 165mm (available embroidery area 135mm x 135mm)
- 180mm x 180mm (available embroidery area 150mm x 150mm)
- 195mm x 70mm (available embroidery area 165mm x 40mm)
- 200mm x 320mm (available embroidery area 170mm x 290mm)



## Needle or Presser Foot Strike

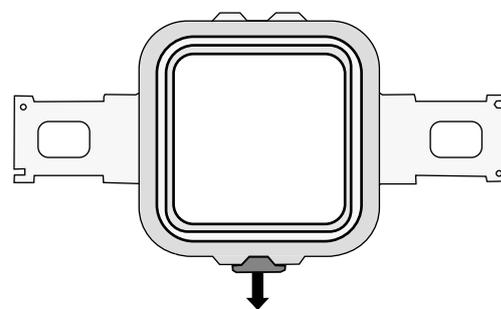
To avoid a needle and presser foot strike on the frame, you **MUST** ensure the selected design will stitch within the available embroidery area. This is a common process required for most commercial machines.

We strongly recommend using the built-in Design Trace function on your machine along with the embroidery area template provided to avoid any potential needle or foot strike. Ensure that your design does not extend beyond the inner edge of the template when placed in the hoop on top of the item to be embroidered. Remember, if you move the start point of your design after checking the position, you should recheck using the trace function.

You can download this template file and easily create more templates. We have also included a cutting file for most craft cutting machines such as the Brother ScanNCut from [www.echidnasewing.com.au/assets/MaggiePRHoop.zip](http://www.echidnasewing.com.au/assets/MaggiePRHoop.zip)

## Frame Orientation

You will see the bottom frame ring has a release tab with the SewTech brand name clearly visible. This tab **must always** be at the front of the machine when the framed item is mounted on your machine. Failure to do this will interfere with the stitching process and may damage your machine.



## Support Table Recommended

By design, magnetic frames are heavier than standard frames. We strongly recommend using a correctly fitted wide support table for flat work. This table comes standard with the Brother PR series 10-needle machines and is an optional accessory for 6 needle machines. Or, use the new optional Tubular Frame Table from Brother for tubular work. These tables prevent the Maggie Frame from being obstructed during embroidery or when tracing the design. It is very important when using the camera scan function on Brother PR series 10-needle machines.

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