

## **Create and Save a Circle Area**

Create a circle area, save and use anytime you need a circle area to resize, position or align.

#### 1. Select Design

• Select **File** tab. The circle design in the workspace will be used as a background design to create a circle area.



• Press Design.



- Press Open.
- Select Designs/HQ Designs/Block/Circle



### 2. Create an Area

• Select Area tab.



• The circle design in the workspace will be used as a guide to create a circle area.

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• Move crosshair to the circle line.



• Press Multi-Point.



- Move machine  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch to the right.
- Press Multi-Point.
- Continue moving around the circle pressing **Multi-Point** every ½ inch. The closer the multi-points are together the more accurate the circle.
- This small amount of the area created has 18 points.



This 6" x 6" circle has 78 points. The advantage of creating an area that has many points is the accuracy of the area.



### 3. Save Circle Area

• Press **Select** under the Area tab.



• The circle area will turn green.



- Select **File** tab.
- Press Save.



- A drop-down box will appear.
- Press Area.
- A window will open allowing you to save the circle area for future use.
- Touch the area bar.



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• A keyboard will appear allowing you to type in the name of the area.



- Press **Save** on the keyboard.
- Press Clear All. This closes the circle design and the area in the workspace.

# 4. Open Circle Area

- Select File tab.
- Press Area.
- Press Circle Area.



• The Circle Area will appear in the workspace as a pink dashed circle.



#### 4. Reposition the Area

- Select Area tab.
- Press **Select** in the **Area** ribbon or **Select** in the workspace tools.



• The circle area will turn green ready to edit.



- Select **Modify** tab.
- Press **Reposition**.



• Move the crosshairs to the center of the block on quilt.

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• Press **Center** in the sidebar.



- This will center the circle area in the block.
- Select desired design from file.
- In this example Around You Go in HQ Designs/Blocks was chosen.



- Select Modify tab.
- Press Align.



Press Center.



• The design will center over the circle area.



• The design is too large for the circle area.

### 5. Resize the design.

- Select Modify tab.
- Press **Resize.**



• Press Lock.



• Press the **Minus** (-) button to decrease the design to the desired size.



• The design now fits in the area.

