



SewWhat-Pro, Embird, and Monogram Wizard Plus Embroidery Software Comparison

Please Read First ~ This document is not meant to replace your research of each embroidery software option that is available to you. This is just a quick list meant to help with determining which software program might best fit your needs now and in the future. The list of features provided is not a full list of features for any of the embroidery programs.

SewWhat Pro & Embird are both embroidery software programs that are primarily used to combine, edit, and resize purchased designs [designs purchased on the internet - like mine, and your local sewing center].

Monogram Wizard Plus is monogramming software that is used to primarily to build names and monograms using the built-in alphabets & motifs or the alphabets that are sold separately that are made specifically for MWP. One of the great things about this program is that they made it so that the letters can be made almost any size [small to large] - this makes it very versatile. At the same time, you are limited to the fonts that they include and sell - they have a lot of nice fonts and basic fonts, but certainly not everything you will ever want or need.

Feature	SewWhat Pro	Embird	Monogram Wizard Plus
Offer Free Trial	✓ Download	✓ Download	✓ - The trial version doesn't allow you to save what you've created Download
Combine/Merge	✓	✓	✓ Yes for Alphabets & Motifs that come with MWP or that you purchase from Needlheads.com ~ unless you have the * Extended Features Pack
Design Editing	✓	✓	
Change Stitch Order	✓	✓	
Move Designs	✓	✓	
Resize Designs	✓	✓	
Center Designs	✓	✓	
Mirror Designs	✓	✓	
Rotate Designs	✓	✓	
Density Adjustment	✓	✓	
Pull Compensation / BOLD	✓	✓	
Design Splitting	✓	✓	No
Align Designs	✓	✓	✓

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Includes Pre-Digitized Alphabets for virtually limitless sizing	No [this is what SewWrite can help with]	No [this is what the Embroid Pre-Digitized Alphabets can help with]	✓ this is what MWP is best at
Supported Formats – Includes formats that can be opened and converted [saved] to	Click this link - SWP Formats – to see SWP supported formats	Click this link - Embroid Formats – to see Embroid supported formats	PES, EXP, SEW, JEF, JEF+ files in addition to DST files
Sewing Simulator	✓	✓	No
Create Designer 1 Floppy Disks [SHV format]	✓	✓	No
Use any TTF [True Type Font to create lettering	✓ not easy to get settings correct, but can be done	No – unless you purchase the *Font Engine	No
Provides Photo Realistic 3D Preview	✓	✓	No
Free Tutorials available?	✓ Available on SewWhat Pro website & SewWhat-Pro User Manual	✓ Available on the Embroid website – click here & the User Manual is helpful	The User Manual that's included on the CD is about all you need
Add-Ons Available for Future Needs?	They offer other products that compliment SewWhat Pro, but not add-ons for SewWhat Pro.	✓ Pre-Digitized Alphabets, *Font Engine , Embroid Digitizing Studio, Embroid Cross Stitch and Sfumato Stitch	✓ Alpha Paks and *Extended Features Pack

***Extended Features Pack** is an add-on for Monogram Wizard Plus that gives you more versatility. It allows you to import external designs [designs and fonts not created by MWP - like mine]. For example - you can import one of my font frames, then build a monogram or name inside of it very easily. The only thing it doesn't allow is resizing - whatever you import has to be the exact size you plan to stitch because you can't resize it once it's imported.

***Font Engine** is an add-on for Embroid that allows you to convert any TTF [True Type Font] to embroidery stitches.

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