

9th International Abilympics Bordeaux 2016

Vocational Skills Contest

V05 Embroidery

1. Task Assignment

The task consists in the completion of 2 modules.

- <u>Module n°1</u>: Contestants will have to embroider an imposed theme. A specific pattern will be provided on the day of the competition and contestants will freely place it on the fabric. In order to embroider this theme, contestants will use satin, flat and stem stitches, as well as the provided colors which will be specified on the day of the competition.

- <u>Module n°2</u> (creative part): Contestants will embroider a free part, inspired by a specific theme which will be provided on the day of the competition. This decoration will have to enhance the imposed part produced in task 1.

In order to produce this embroidery, contestants will use at least 5 different thread colors and at least 4 different stitches among the following: French knot, lazy daisy, buttonhole, feather stitch, chain stitch, running stitch, and spider web stitch.

2. Allocated time: 5H30

5 hours and 30 minutes of competition.



3. Requirements

- Contestants will take the time to inspect the provided materials before the beginning of the contest. If any defect is noticed, contestants will notify the jury in order to have the defective materials replaced. Once the contest has started, no materials will be replaced.

- Contestants must remain in their workstations. They are not allowed to talk between them or to any person of the public. Any contestant caught cheating, talking to someone from the public or using a communication device will suffer a penalty of 5 points for the first transgression. A second transgression will lead to an exclusion from the contest.

- Contestants will notify the jury when they finish the task.

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4. Procedure

<u>Day -1 (March 24th):</u> On the day before the competition, contestants will be welcomed on the stand "V05 Embroidery" by the members of the jury. A briefing about the organization of the competition and the safety rules will be arranged. Due to the large number of registered contestants, the competition will be organized in two groups. Contestants from a same delegation will inevitably be placed in the same group. Each contestant will receive a schedule with the detailed working hours. Contestants will draw lots to be assigned to a work station, where they may drop off their tools. <u>Day 1 (March 25th):</u> Group 1 will have 5 hours and 30 minutes to complete the task. Day 2 (March 26th): Group 2 will have 5 hours and 30 minutes to complete the task.

5. List of the provided equipment

Non-exhaustive list.

N°	Equipment	Picture	Specifications	Qty per person
01	Cotton thread (6 strands)			Sufficient quantity
02	Linen - cotton canvas			1
03	Embroidery frame		20cm diameter	1



6. List of tools to be brought for each contestant

N°	Tool	Picture	Qty
01	Embroidery needles		1 set
02	Scissors		1 pair
03	Small embroidery tools	\$ \$ \$ - 1	Contestant's choice
04	Embroidery frame		Contestant's choice

7. List of facilities installed at the contest site

N°	Equipment	Picture	Qty
01	Worktable		1 per contestant
02	Chair		1 per contestant

8. Evaluation Criteria



N°	Items to be Evaluated	
		scale
01	Respect of the given model / pattern	
02	Respect of the imposed colors	5
03	Respect of the imposed embroidery stitches	7
04	Use of the required number of colors	8
05	Use of the required number of embroidery stitches	10
06	Respect of the provided theme on task 2 (creative part)	15
07	Technique precision : stitches precision, embroidery quality	20
08	Overall appearance: creativity, balance, choice of colors, harmony	25
	Total	100