

## Bernina Embroidery Software Maintenance

There are two things that you should do every time you close your software. The first one is Delete the Backup Files. The second is to check to be sure there are no Error Logs in the Recovery Folder. The easiest way to remember to do these two things is to put icons on your desktop. Here is a short tutorial to show you how to do this and how to use them.

### Placing Icons on Your Desktop

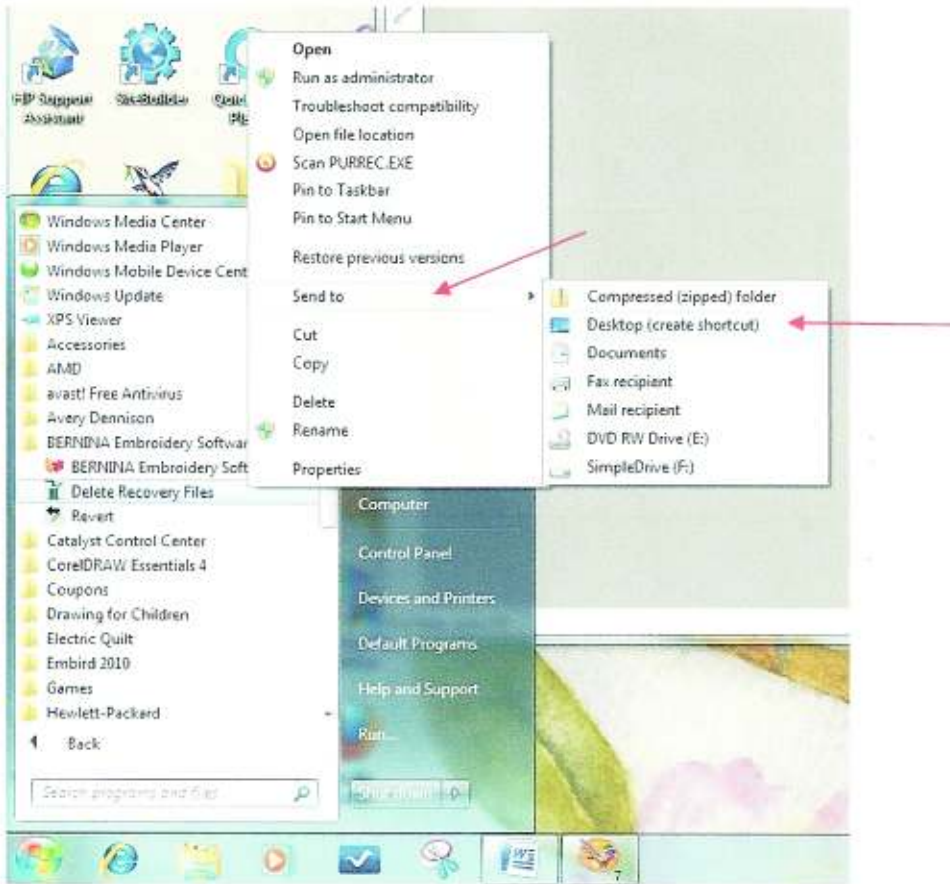
#### Delete Backup Files



Click Start - Programs and scroll to find the Bernina Embroidery software. Single left click to open the folder.



Single left click on Delete Recovery Files



Single left click on - Send to - Desktop(create shortcut)

You can also drag and drop the icons but I wanted you to see this way too.

That's it and it was easy!

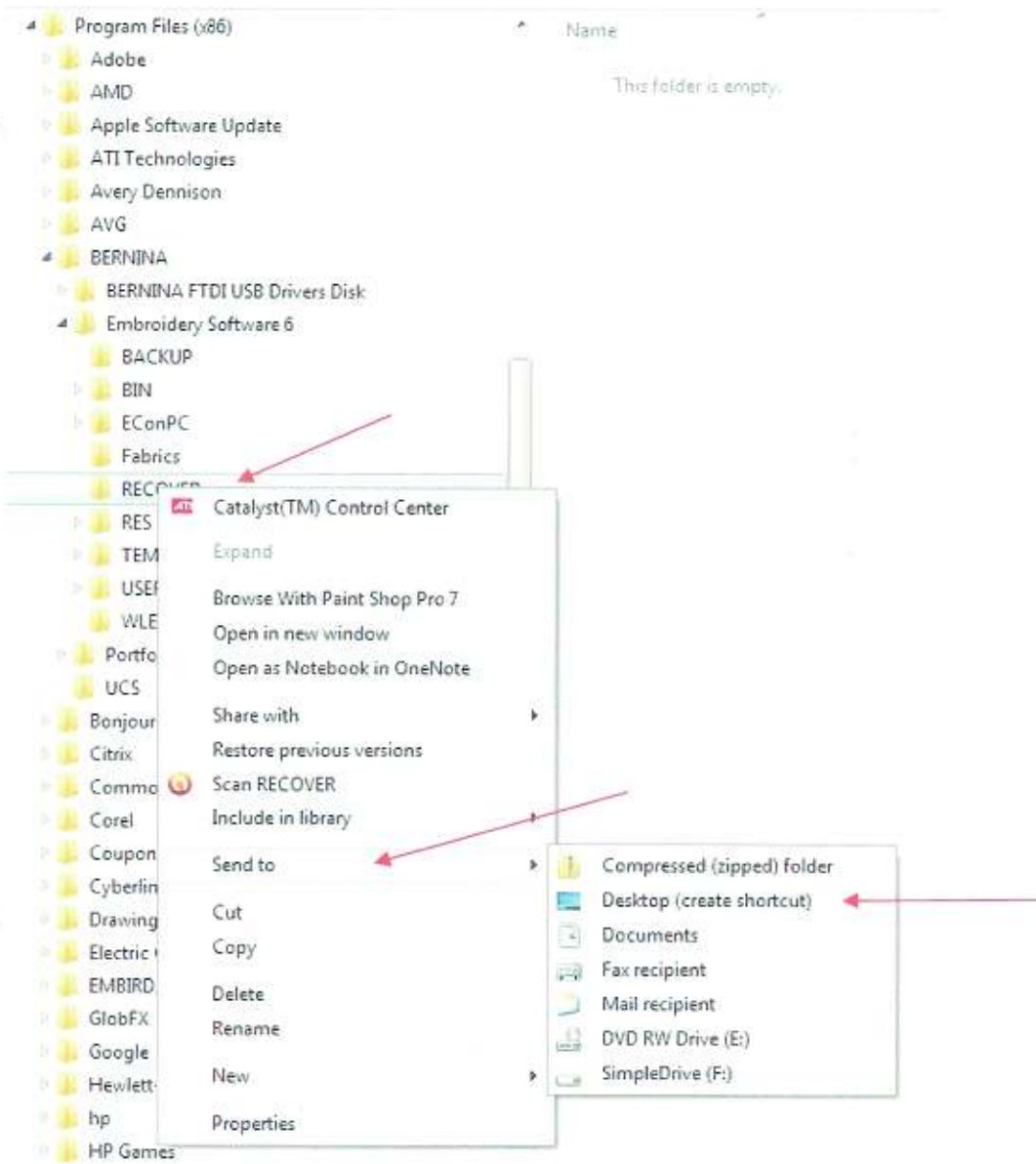
## Recovery Folder

Click to Open Explorer Yellow File Folder third from left at the bottom of your desktop screen (Vista - right click on the Windows icon (bottom left corner))

This shows all the files on your hard drive and any other external drives that you have attached to your computer.

Scroll down to find Program Files (x86) --(Vista - Program Files)

Locate BERNINA and single left click to open the folder



Single click on the RECOVER folder - Send to - Desktop (create shortcut).



You should have two new icons on your desktop. I have all three Bernina icons together.

**Using these icons to keep your program running well.**

**Delete Recovery Icon**



Double left click on the Delete Recovery Icon.



Place a tick in the Delete Backup files box. Notice it says that it will Purge Recover and Backup Directories. It does the Backup but if you have an Error (i.e. the program closes for some reason) it does not purge the Recover file. We have to do that manually.

Click OK. You are finished with this icon.

## Recover Icon



Double left click on the RECOVER Folder icon. This will bring you to your Explorer (Explore) screen.

Look in the middle of the screen and if it says ...This folder is empty ....you do not have to do anything. Just close out of it.

If it shows an Error file, you need to right click to Select it and then choose Delete. If you do not delete these error files it can make your software do very strange and weird things, even crash the program..

I hope this has been helpful for you.

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