

Roundabout Handbag

Circular and oval shaped handbag includes three sizes. Finished small size is 6 in. round with 1½ in. gusset, medium is 8 in. round with 2 in. gusset, and large is 11 in. by 13 in. with 3 in. gusset. This fully lined handbag uses an exposed zipper opening. Use chain on smaller size for evening or strap for day use. Inside zipper patch pocket on all sizes. Outside zipper pocket on large oval size. Choose one of the included decorative stitching designs or rail fence pieced idea for embellishment. Combine leftovers from other stitching or piecing projects as another option.

Suggested Fabrics

This pattern is designed for crisp fabrics like Ultra Suede®, tapestry, brocade, ticking, denim, or leather. Use quilting weight fabrics for pieced designs.

Yardage and Notions

Small	Medium	Large	
8 in.	9 in.	12 in.	Zipper for Handbag Opening*
		9 in.	Zipper for Outside Pocket†
6 in.	6 in.	6 in.	Zipper for Inside Pocket*
¼ yd	⅜ yd	⅞ yd	Fashion Fabric (45 in. wide) or
1 fat quarter	2 fat quarters	3 fat quarters plus ¼ yd for gusset	
¼ yd	¼ yd	¾ yd	Fleece (45 in. wide)
¼ yd	¼ yd	½ yd	Fusible Web (60 in. wide)
¼ yd	⅜ yd	⅞ yd	Lining (45 in. wide)
¼ yd	¼ yd	¼ yd	Fusible Interfacing
1 ⅜ yd	1 ¼ yd	2 ½ yd	Corded Piping
40 in. Chain, or 1½ yd Belting, or ¼ yd Fabric for Strap			
Thread			

* Longer zippers may be shortened

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Ghee's offers a variety of handbag patterns along with the metal frames, magnetic snaps, chains, hardware, and stabilizers used to make them. Many of the embellishment ideas that designer Linda McGehee uses, originated from her books, *Simply Sensational BAGS* and *Creating Texture With Textiles*.

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