

NON-SLIP Multi-Size Curved Corner Cutter

Use the Curved Corner Cutter to create round corners on a variety of projects. Comes with easy-to read markings and our exclusive grip.

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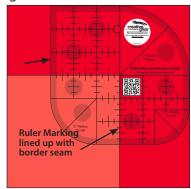
Use this simple tool to create curved corners on your quilt or project. There are three different sizes of curves to choose from. Each curve is a quarter of a $1\frac{1}{2}$ "; a 2" or a 3" circle.

To choose the best curve for the corners of your quilt, measure the width of the outer border strip. Choose the same curved corner size (1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " for a 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " wide border; 2" for a 2" wide border, etc.). DON'T use a curve that is larger than the width of the border strip – it just doesn't look good. For example, if the border strip is 2" use either the 2" corner curve or the $1\frac{1}{2}$ " version, NOT the 3" curve. You may use a curve that is smaller, however. A 3" curve is great for a 6" border, for instance.

USING THE CURVED CORNER CUTTER:

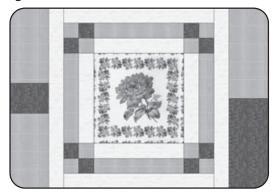
1. Place a corner of the quilt top on a flat surface. Place the Curved Corner Cutter on the quilt with the chosen curve nearest the quilt corner. Line up the straight sides of the Cutter with the straight sides of the quilt (Fig. 1). If possible, line up the grid markings on the ruler with the inner edges of the border strips. This will ensure that the ruler is positioned squarely on the quilt. Our exclusive grip keeps the template from shifting while you work (Fig. 1).

Fig.1



- 2. Use a marking tool to draw these curves on each corner of the quilt top. For ease of handling, do not cut the curves until the quilting is complete.
- 3. When the quilting is complete, use a rotary cutter to cut along the curved edge of the ruler. Trim all four corners (Fig. 2)

Fig.2



BINDING THE QUILT:

The strips for the binding must be cut on the bias (diagonally across the weave of the fabric) to stretch around the curved corners.

BONUS:

The Curved Corner Cutter can also be used to create quilting designs - just position the curve on the quilt and draw along the edge with a marking pencil. You may also use this ruler to mark and cut scalloped borders.



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