

Comparison of Sakura Bloom Fabrics

						
Fabric	Classic	Gradient	Chambray	Simple Linen	Silk	Theory
Materials	100% linen, single layer. Brushed aluminum Sling Rings	100% linen, single layer. Brushed aluminum Sling Rings	100% linen, double layer. Brushed aluminum Sling Rings	100% linen, double layer. Matte gold Sling Rings	100% dupioni silk, double layer. Brushed aluminum Sling Rings	Bamboo/linen blend, single layer, brushed aluminum Sling Rings
Fabric Description	Basic linen. Needs a wash or two to soften up.	A grippy, rugged linen that is more textured, thicker and more supportive than the Classic.	Double layer of fabric is more supportive. Heathered look. Very soft out of the box.	Double layer of linen is extra supportive. A bit more supportive than Chambray & takes longer to break in.	Lightweight, but super strong silk conforms to your baby's body – you get the perfect fit, every time!	Thicker and more supportive than other SB fabrics. Very soft right out of the box.
Weight of Sling	15 oz	12.3 oz	16.2 oz	15.9 oz	7 oz	1 lb 6 oz
Breastfeeding	★★★★★★	★★★★★★	★★★★★★	★★★★★★	★★★★★★	★★★★★★
Newborn Use	★★★★★★	★★★★★	★★★★★★	★★★★★	★★★★★★	★★★★★
Toddler Use	★★★★	★★★★★	★★★★★	★★★★★★	★★★★★★	★★★★★★
Use in Hot Weather	★★★★★★	★★★★★★	★★★★★★	★★★★★★	★★★★★★	★★★★★
Choose this Ring Sling if:	You are excited to try Sakura Bloom but want to dip your toe in slowly.	You want a rugged sling with organic, earth-inspired beauty that is still breathable. You want the support of a stronger, grippier fabric.	You want a beautiful sling that is soft right out of the box, with very little breaking in. You want a sling that's easy for wearing a newborn but also supportive with a bigger baby.	You want a beautiful sling that will work with a newborn but also be supportive for wearing a toddler.	You want a beautiful sling that will be comfy and supportive from newborn to toddler. You want a very lightweight option. You are looking for a dressy sling that will still work for everyday.	You want a super supportive Toddler sling, with a gorgeous drape and feel. Other ring slings you've tried are not supportive enough.
Possible Downsides:	Not quite as supportive for toddlers, although many babywearers successfully use the Classic through toddlerhood. Basic fabric.	Rugged material is not as soft as the other fabric choices and takes a while to break in. Grippier fabric can be harder to adjust.	Not as supportive for heavy toddlers, and can dig a little under their weight.	Double layer of linen is slightly grippier than single layer, which makes it harder to adjust and slightly more difficult to pull through the rings.	Silk is "stickier" than linen or cotton, which makes it harder to adjust and slightly more difficult to pull through the rings. Looks different after washing.	Can be harder to use with lighter babies due to the weight of the fabric. Can be harder to adjust. Not ideal for wearers new to ring slings. Heaviest fabric.
Size	One Size	One Size	One Size	One Size	One Size	One Size