

rondelle

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rondelle (ron-dell"). Also spelled roundelle. A drilled disc with a variable number of facets around the edge. Diamonds cut in this manner, although rarely encountered, are generally used as spacers between beads.

rondisting. Another term for the girdling (rounding up or bruting) operation. See girdling.

Roodepan. A minor alluvial diamond deposit in the Ventersdorp area, Transvaal Province, Republic of South Africa. Annual production from this digging is insignificant.

Roodepoortje. A minor alluvial diamond deposit in the Lichtenburg area, Transvaal Province, Republic of South Africa. Current production from this deposit is very low.