

Indulge in the Splendour of Mohair

Discover the allure of Mohair, often hailed as the noble fibre, renowned for its resplendent lustre, resilience, and remarkable colour reflection. Originating from the fleece of the Angora goat, Mohair stands as one of the world's most exquisite sustainable natural fibres. South Africa takes centre stage as the leading global producer, supplying approximately 51% of the world's Mohair. The vast majority of these magnificent Angora goats graze in the picturesque Karoo region of the Eastern Cape, where the unique combination of scorching summers, chilly winters, and semi-desert vegetation nurtures their thriving existence. Upholding unwavering breeding standards and meticulous genetic selection, the pursuit of perfection has refined their fleece to unparalleled levels.

Mohair transcends boundaries as a versatile and opulent fibre coveted by the elite of the fashion industry, interior designers, craft specialists, industrial fibre experts, and the tourism sector. Beyond its exceptional beauty and luxury, Mohair encompasses a host of rare, inherent qualities:

Radiant Colour: Mohair beautifully embraces dyes, maintaining vivid hues that endure the test of time.

Climate Control: Mohair possesses a natural ability to breathe, adeptly absorbing and releasing atmospheric moisture, ensuring an ideal personal climate and optimal comfort.

Crease-Resistance: Products crafted from Mohair exhibit inherent elasticity, preserving their shape and resisting unsightly creases.

Featherweight Delight: Mohair fabric exudes a luxurious lightness, celebrated for its versatility, keeping you cool during summer and snug in the winter chill.

Lustrous Splendour: Mohair's innate lustre imparts a silky sheen to garments, making it the perfect choice for any occasion, day or night.

Enduring Strength: Mohair stands as one of the world's most durable fibres, owing to its remarkable pliability and resilience.

Fire-Safe Elegance: Virtually non-flammable, Mohair ensures your safety and chic style, delivering year-round peace of mind.

Embrace the opulence of Mohair, a timeless embodiment of beauty, luxury, and sustainability. Immerse yourself in the rich heritage of South African Mohair, where meticulous craftsmanship and unparalleled quality converge to bring you a truly exquisite experience.

Mohair History

Uncover the Origins of South African Mohair.

Journey back to the year 1839, when the Mosenthal family embarked on a remarkable venture by importing angora goats from Turkey. These captivating creatures hailed from a region known as Ankara or Angora, which inspired the name "angora goat." Accompanied by their Turkish handlers, two ewes and one ram arrived in Port Elizabeth, South Africa. However, upon their arrival, it was discovered that the ram had been sterilized before leaving Turkey. Nonetheless, one of the ewes held a delightful surprise—she was pregnant. In due time, she gave birth to a ram kid, marking the inception of our South African mohair clip.

A fascinating fact lies in the year 1988 when South Africa boasted an impressive count of 2.9 million angora goats, whose collective efforts produced a staggering 12.2 million kilograms of exquisite mohair. This monumental achievement stands as a testament to the enduring legacy of these remarkable animals and their remarkable fleece.

Embark on a journey through time as you explore the captivating story of South African Mohair, where passion, dedication, and a touch of serendipity converged to shape a thriving industry. Witness the transformation of these humble imports into the source of one of the world's most prized and sought-after fibres. Today, South African Mohair continues to captivate the global stage, embodying the spirit of heritage, innovation, and excellence.