PRODUCT ALERT

WHITE ROMNEY SLIVER

100% Pure New Zealand Wool

Perfect for all your fibre crafts. Spinning, weaving, knitting, needle and wet felting.

The Romney has been the mainstay of the New Zealand wool industry for almost 100 years and is the most popular breed with hand spinners. The sheep thrives in a wide variety of environments and it currently makes up 40% of New Zealand's national flock.

With open staples of good length, Romney is easy to spin and excellent for beginners. The staples have a well-defined crimp and medium lustre. With a mid-micron range, Romney is suitable for many purposes from hard-wearing outdoor garments, blankets to fabric.

We choose finer fleece types from specialty Romney breeders for our Romney sliver. The fibre is fine and soft and ideal for warm, light-weight sweaters.

Ashford Romney Sliver

Fibre diameter 30 micron Staple length 10-15cm (5-6ins) Medium lustre Medium bulk

Suggestions for spinning

Spin into a medium semi-worsted or woollen yarn with approx 5 twists per 2.5cm (1in) in a plied, washed yarn.

Suggested uses

| Knitting: | This hard-wearing yarn is suitable for |
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| | outdoor jerseys. |
| Weaving: | Excellent for upholstery fabrics and |
| | blankets. |
| Felting: | Good for both wet and needle felting. |



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