

Introduction of Fibre to Fabric



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Fibres are thread like structures which have plant and animal origin and can be spun into yarns which can be woven on a loom to make fabric (or cloth).

Some examples of fibres are cotton, wool, silk, flax, jute, nylon polyester, etc.

There are two types of fibres, i.e. natural fibre and man-made fibre (nylon, rayon). Some of our clothes are made from yarn derived from the animal fibre. These are the types of natural fibres as they obtained from nature.

Natural Fibres are the fibres which are obtained from natural sources like plants and animals.

Now, we will study about some fibres obtained from animals. Wool and Silk fibres are obtained from the hair of sheep or yak and silk fibres come from cocoons of the silk moth.



Animal Fibres

Animal fibres are the natural fibres that can be sourced to animals. These fibres are usually made up of different kinds of proteins. The most popular examples of animal fibres include silk and wool.