



About Your New Mink-Cashmere Sweater

Congratulations on obtaining a fantastic sweater. Here's some useful information about it.

Fiber content: Mink (90%) - Cashmere (10%)

Loft or nap: The more you wear this sweater the better it looks. During the knitting process, many of the soft fiber ends are trapped within the stitches. As you wear it and make contact with other clothing and furniture, those fibers will work their way free, causing the surface to become more and more luxurious.

Shedding: All new sweaters with such a soft loft tend to shed, mostly during the first few times it's worn:

- Do... wear a similar colored shirt the first few times. That way, when you take the sweater off the shedding fibers on your shirt won't be so obvious.
 - Don't wear a contrasting color shirt, or your shirt will be a mess should you take off the sweater in public.
- Do... wear your sweater to bed one night to accelerate the shedding process.
 - Moving around while you sleep will dislodge the loose fibers; but you'll need to toss the sheets in the wash the next day.

Fit: At first, your sweater may feel a big snug, especially around the arms; this is normal. As you wear this sweater, your movement and body heat will cause the fabric to ease and relax from the knitting process and become perfect for you.

Care & Cleaning:

- Never... place this sweater in a clothes dryer. If you do, it'll only fit an infant afterwards.
- Don't... dry clean it. Technically you can, but if you've ever seen the dry cleaning process in action you wouldn't subject such a fine sweater to that torture.
- Don't... put it on a hanger. Dimples will be created in the shoulders where the hanger tips end. There's only one way a sweater can be safely hung on a hanger, and that's if folded in half and looped over the bottom of the hanger.
- Do... hand wash this sweater.
 - The best cleaning solution I've found is "Eucalan" wool cleaner. It comes different scents; I prefer the Eucalyptus version. Eucalan is available at amazon.com. You use this product much like Woolite, but Eucalan is much gentler on fine fibers than Woolite.
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