



Fibershed Producer Program

Fibershed Certified Producers follow these guidelines:

- All fiber is farmed/sourced within Northern CA, from San Luis Obispo to the Oregon border
- All botanic dye is farmed/sourced within Northern CA, from San Luis Obispo to the Oregon border
- All labor is sourced within Northern CA, from San Luis Obispo to the Oregon border

Exceptions:

- Until the region has its own cotton and fine gauge wool milling facility, Fibershed verifies goods from farmers that have had to send their raw material out of the area for milling.
- Sewing thread and most notions are also not yet manufactured in our region, thus Fibershed verifies goods from artisans whose thread and notions are from out of the area.

Please print and fill in this form, and send it with your check (\$40 annual membership) to: Fibershed, P.O. Box 221, San Geronimo, CA 94963

Membership includes a page on fibershed.com with your bio, photo and link to your website or blog.

Name: _____

Physical address: _____ County: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Mailing address (if applicable): _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Business name: _____ Website: _____

Are you a... (check all that apply):

Rancher

- Alpacas
- Angora goats
- Angora rabbits
- Cashmere goats
- Guanacos
- Llamas
- Sheep

Farmer / Nursery

- Cotton
- Flax
- Indigo
- Natural dye plants
- Nettle

Artisan

- Basket-maker
- Designer
- Felter
- Knitter
- Natural Dyer
- Spinner
- Weaver
- Other:

Processor

- Cotton Gin
- Felt Maker (commercial scale)
- Weaver (commercial scale)
- Wool Mill
- Fiber Mill (type?):

Retailer

- Book Store
- Clothing Store
- Craft Supplier
- Marketplace / Mercantile
- Yarn Shop



Certified Product Tags (shown at left)

Free with \$40 membership fee or renewal.

- 50 tags 100 tags

Additional tags for \$10 per 50 tags.



Certified Producer Signs (shown at right)

- Made of bamboo with laser engraving
- 15" wide x 10" tall x 1/4 inch thick

- I would like a sign for an additional fee of \$159 per sign, tax and shipping included.



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If you are a farmer / rancher, do you grow things in addition to fiber and / or dye material?

(Ex. Food, flowers, fuel, medicine) If so, please specify: _____

What goods do you sell? (circle all that apply)

Raw fleece Roving Batting Natural-color yarn Naturally-dyed yarn Knit goods Felted goods
Woven goods Tanned hides Leather Dye plant starts Dye plant material / extracts

Other: _____

What services do you offer? (circle all that apply)

Shearing Wool washing Carding Spinning Weaving Felting Garment Design Garment Construction Dyeing
Boarding animals Cotton Ginning Teaching / Education Grading / Classing Grazing Services Breeding Specialist

Other: _____

Where do you sell your product (in shops, online, farmers market, etc.)?

Tell us about your animal fiber (for ranchers):

What breeds do you have? _____

What colors do you have? _____

If available, please provide average micron count _____, or send a fiber sample about 2 fingers wide.

Who shears your animals? _____

Pounds of fiber produced annually? _____ Do you foresee this number going up or down in the near future? _____

Approximately how much land is grazed by your animals? Unirrigated: _____ Irrigated: _____

(Land based information will remain confidential. These figures will assist Fibershed in analyzing the total acreage represented by the Fibershed producer community, which in turn supports our efforts to direct funding and support for carbon farming and land restoration efforts on the working landscapes that are the foundation for our fiber system.)

Do you use prescribed grazing? If so, what are some of the techniques / practices you use?

Are you interested in knowing more about carbon farming? _____

Do you use any carbon farming practices or have a Carbon Farm Plan? If so, which practices do you implement?

How did you hear about Fibershed? _____

Do you offer an apprentice or internship? _____

Would you like to include your fiber and contact information in the Wool Book,
(a tactile sample book and directory provided to artisans to engage with local fiber)? _____

Other memberships / affiliations? _____

Do you have any references or resources you'd like to share with our producer community?

(i.e. vets, shearers, dog breeders, seed suppliers) _____

Anything else you'd like to share with us? _____
