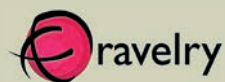


# DESIGN COLLECTION 1

MARINA AND FINO



ALL PATTERNS ON



MANOS DEL URUGUAY

## ABOUT MANOS DEL URUGUAY

Manos del Uruguay was born in 1968 out of a simple question: How can we improve the quality of life of Uruguay's rural women? The answer was in handcrafts, using skills inherited from mothers and grandmothers and the raw material that was at hand: wool. The purpose of these jobs was not just an income for the women, but also opportunities for personal development and greater independence, while keeping their roots and traditions within their communities and with their families.

With the early success of the organization came expansion, the foundation of workshops all around the country. Social workers and the five original founders committed to give the women the necessary tools to organize production, administer the cooperatives, deal with suppliers and customers, and learn the difficult task of balancing work and family.



### ALL OF MANOS' YARNS ARE HAND DYED.

The artisans use big kettles heated by wood fires, creating small batches of wonderful colors. The yarns' colors are bright and wild, full of nuances and variations. The same color recipe can look completely different, depending on the location in which it was dyed. This is because the dyeing process is very complex and is influenced by humidity, water quality, temperature etc. No two skeins are the same: each one is unique, a testimony of a particular moment.

Every skein has a tag with the artisan's signature and the name of the village where the cooperative is located. This helps remind the knitter that behind each skein there is a woman, a story.

Manos del Uruguay is a certified member of the World Fair Trade Organization.



## ABOUT THE YARN

### MARINA

Marina (100% merino wool superwash, 800m/100g) is a single ply, incredibly light and soft laceweight yarn. Once you touch it, you don't want to let go again. Perfect for lace accessories knitting.



### FINO

Fino (70% extrafine merino wool, 30% mulberry silk, 490m/100g) is an elegant and refined yarn, which combines the softness of merino wool with the lustre of silk in a lightweight yarn that's perfect for heirloom accessories or luxurious garments. Fino features a new dye process that yields complex, subtle, tonal colors.







SIBLE SHOUL

## ORUGA SCARF, BY LISA R. MYERS

100g Marina, shown in color 6362 Vesuvio







## GRADIENTE, BY JOCELYN J. TUNNEY

3 x 100g Marina, shown in colors 0053 Filigree, 8673 Appalachian, and 6362 Vesuvio







COLLAPSIBLE SHOULDER

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## TURKANA, BY ANNE KUO LUKITO

3 (4, 5, 6) x 100g Fino, shown in color 414 Ivory Letter Opener

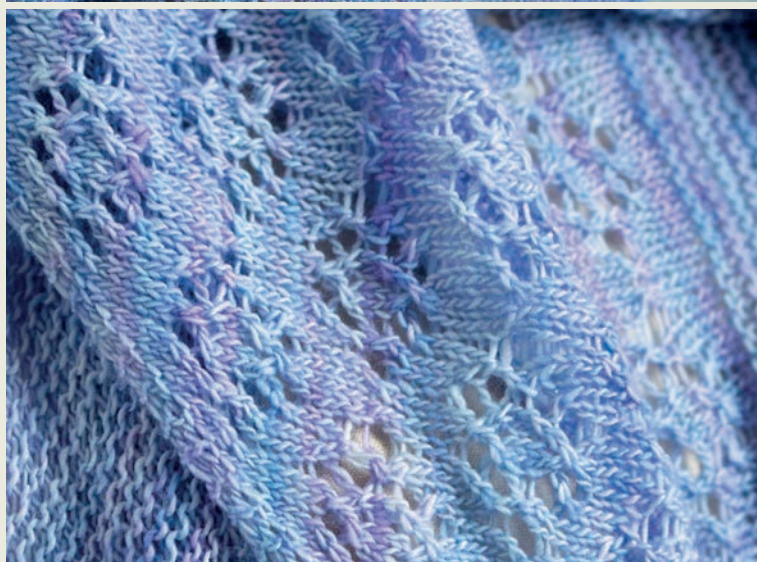






## SHAWMONT, BY ASH ALBERG

100g Marina, shown in color 0036 Lavanda





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## SIEMPRE PONCHO, BY DANA FIDDES

3 x 100g Marina, shown in colors 0037 Arboretum, 8917 Butia, 9020 Midas







## YÉSICA PEASANT BLOUSE, BY PAULA PEREIRA

3 (4, 5, 6) x 100g Fino, shown in color 413 Rosewater







## YÉSICA WRAP, BY PAULA PEREIRA

1 x 100g Fino of a main color, shown here in 443 Turkish Delight and

2 sets of Fino Mini Skeins 18 Ursula

1 x 50g Cabrito, shown here in color 9699 Butternut





ELAPSIBLE SHOUL

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## LLUVIA SHAWL, BY SUSANNA IC

100g Marina, shown here in color 0044 Atlantis







## OMBU STOLE, BY SUSANNA IC

2 x 100g Fino, shown here in color 423 Tincture







## FEALDAN SHAWL, BY KATE GROOP

1 x 100g Fino, shown here in color 416 Amethyst Earring

1 set of Mini Skeins, shown here in color 3 Clarissa







## TROLLEY TRACKS INFINITY SCARF, BY LISA R. MYERS

1 x 100g Fino, shown here in color 430 Filigree

1 set of Mini Skeins, shown here in color 12 Maud







## MARINA, BY BRITTA KREMKE

1 x 100g Marina, shown here in color 6422 Sangre

1 x 100g of a contrasting yarn, for example Marina color 0044 Atlantis  
switch the color combination and you can make a second shawl







## SISTER ACT, BY BRITTA KREMKE

2 x 100g Fino, shown here in clors 407 Velvet and 405 Peacock  
switch the color combination and you can make a second shawl





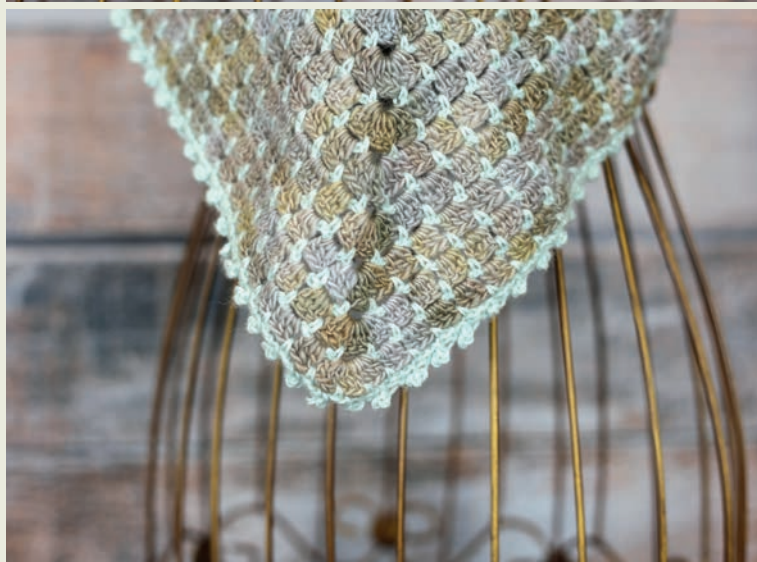




## ICE GEM, BY BRITTA KREMKE

1 x 100g Fino, shown here in color 409 Antique Lace

1 x 50g Serena or another contrasting yarn, shown here in color 2302 English








## SMOOTH SAILOR, BY MARTINA BEHM

1 x 100g Marina, shown here in color Martina's Berry Pie



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