

Myanmar Bagan Umbrellas

Constructed in Patheingyi, Myanmar; the handle, axis and arms are made of Tharaku bamboo and the surface is made of pure cotton cloth. The cotton cloth surface is prepared with a traditional glue coating. The majority of the glue is made from the seeds of 'Tae Fruit', which has strong smell and creates a very strong and durable waterproof cloth for long use. Other ingredients in the traditional glue coating includes pine oil, wax and diesel oil. The webbing consists hand weaved cotton wool thread.

Variety of colours and patterns offered. All are individually designed in the Bagan tradition.

Clean dirt off umbrellas and dry before storing.



The Luxury of Silk!

Silk duvets are the ultimate in sleep luxury! Our silk duvets are filled with 100% natural premium grade mulberry silk floss and cased with highest quality 200+ thread count jacquard cotton. Superbly soft and lightweight, they contour to every part of your body like a second skin. Silk contains amazing qualities not found in goose down or wool duvets.

The **light** weight duvet (250gsm/sq. metre) is perfect for warm summer nights.

The **medium** duvet weight (340gsm/sq. metre) is ideal all year round for most people in a centrally heated environment.

The **combo** winter weight duvet (590gsm/sq. metre) consists of a light and medium weight duvet that can be snapped together.

* Grams per metre (gsm) is the amount of silk (by weight) inside the cotton casing, on a square metre basis.

About Silk Bedding

Silk is a natural insulator

Depending on the temperature, silk either draws heat away from the body or traps in the warmth. In the winter the large fibres reduce heat loss from the body, but in the summer the silk fleece sheds surplus heat by wicking away moisture from your body, keeping you cool and comfortable.

This also means that one duvet will satisfy 2 sleepers with different needs of warmth.

Silk is naturally hypoallergenic

It is resistant to dust and house mites, mildew, mould and rot that attacks other fibres. Sufferers of asthma, blocked sinuses or other hay fever symptoms can find relief in silk bedding as well as those with allergies to down or synthetic material.

Silk is composed of 18 amino acids

The same amino acids that are found in our own bodies. Medical studies show that this can help blood circulation and the digestion system during sleep. It also helps to reduce the discomfort of itchy skin and aids in preventing vascular sclerosis.

Silk comforters are also suited to children

Their lightweight nature and breathable qualities ensure a regulated even sleep temperature.

Silk duvets provide the same warmth as down comforters.

They are comfortable all year round due to their insulating properties.

Our silk duvets are manufactured in China under strict quality control, ensuring that the Grade A mulberry silk filling is of the finest quality. The silk threads are teased out to the size of the duvet and layered multiple times to create a thick floss. The medium weight duvet comes equipped with its own zipper so you can open it up to see the silk fleece first hand. The duvets are manufactured using chemical free methods perfect for allergy sufferers.

Feel the difference yourself! Once you have experienced our silk duvets, you will not want to sleep under any other cover again.

Silk Duvet Care and Cleaning Instructions:

Your silk duvet/comforter will last a lifetime if proper care is taken.

- Always use a removable cover to protect the inner from dirt and stains.
- Air outdoors every 3 months for 2 hours and up to a maximum of 3 hours.
- This should be all that is needed to keep your silk duvet/comforter fresh and clean. Silk fibres do not absorb moisture or odours, avoiding the necessity to wash your inner to freshen it up. However, Silk duvet/comforters are not intended for use in circumstances where frequent complete cleaning is necessary. Only use wet cleaning when absolutely essential.

Should your duvet inner require deeper cleaning, please follow these steps:

- Isolate the soiled area only.
- Hand wash with cold water and a very gentle/delicate washing agent. (A special silk washing agent is perfect)
- Do not use bleach or strong detergents.
- Rinse thoroughly and squeeze excess water by pressing the two sides together.
- Do not wring.
- Dry flat.
- Dry cleaning uses chemicals which may damage the silk and is not recommended.
- Do not tumble dry or iron.
- Do not shake duvet inner strongly as this may displace the hand layered silk floss.