

Chart of Fiber Production and Processing

	wool	cotton	Flax	Hemp	Silk	Spinning	Knitting	Weaving
Purpose/ Use	warm bedding /clothing	light weight clothing	linen clothing	rope/ canvas	luxury clothing			
Labor force								
Men			plowed/ prepared	plowed/ prepared			machines	mostly
Women			sowed seeds weeded	sowed seeds weeded		mostly	needles	some

1. What do you notice when it come to the division of labor?
2. During the 18th century what fiber production would have been the most useful? Explain your answer.