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APPENDIX 7:
EXTRA DATA ON MANTAS, PAÑUELOS AND PAÑOS (CLOTHS)

Mantas are large-sized cloths used as mantles and/or blankets. Pañuelos are much smaller cloths, usually highly decorated and containing coca leaves or dry food stuff, while paños are plain cloths torn out of adult-sized camisas used to swaddle infants.

1. Fibras

Manta	warp diameter			weft diameter			warp count			weft count		
	min	max	avrg	min	max	avrg	min	max	avrg	min	max	avrg
Chen Chen	0.8	2.5	1.5	0.6	3	1.6	1.5	6	3.7	7	7	7
La Cruz I-T/C	0.5	2.5	1.2	0.8	2.5	1.5	3	16	8.4	2	5	3.4
La Cruz Chiribaya	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.6	17	17	17	6	6	6
La Cruz unknown	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.8	0.75	14	14	14	7	7	7
Descanso	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.6	11	13	12.3	6	8	7
Algodonal	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.8	1	0.9	11	14	12	4	6	5
Pañuelo												
Chen Chen	0.3	0.8	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.5	12	19	14.7	6	9	7.7
La Cruz I-T/C	0.45	0.5	0.45	0.45	0.5	0.45	16	16	16	8	8	8
La Cruz Chiribaya	0.35	0.4	0.35	0.4	0.4	0.4	18	18	18	9	9	9
Descanso	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.6	7	19	13.6	5	10	7.1
Algodonal	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	11	14	12.5	7	7	7

Table 1. Diameters and element counts of mantas and pañuelos

The great differences between the warp and weft diameter values are mainly due to the presence of the type 2B* mantas from Chen Chen, with warp elements up to 2.5 mm and weft elements up to 3 mm, while at the other sites, type 2B* mantas' diameters range between 1.45 to 1.8 mm. As a result, there is considerable difference among the element counts as well, following the fine to crude element diameters.

Specimen	type of element	twist	diameter (mm)	count /cm	colour codes
camisa #02379	warp	/2\	2	2	05 & 14
Boca del Río	weft	/ & /2\	0.75	7	02, 05, 11; 09, 23, 35, 36, 91
manta #02553	warp	/2\	0.8	4	03 & 05
Chen Chen '88	weft	\	0.65	8	02, 05, 14; 23, 85
manta #02552	warp	/2\	1.5	3.5	03 & 05
Chen Chen '88	weft	\	0.7	8	02, 04, 05, 11, 14, 15; 10, 83, 85, 96, 100
manta #T7 Arica (Oakland1986a)	warp	/2\	3	2.5	04; 09
	weft	/2\	1	8.5	02, 05, 08, 14; 09, 16, 91

Table 2. Data on elements from dovetailed tapestry fabrics

2. Calculated values

Lay out manta	Chen Chen 1988-1995			La Cruz I-T/C			La Cruz Chiribaya			La Cruz unknown			El Descanso			Algodonal Ladera		
	n =	FC	QS	n =	FC	QS	n =	FC	QS	n =	FC	QS	n =	FC	QS	n =	FC	QS
1	2	5.9	4	1	5	4.5	-	-	-	1	21	7	1	21	7.5	-	-	-
2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	21	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
2A*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	25	8.5	-	-	-
2B*	2	4.5	5	4	11	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	18	5.7
2C*	1	9	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	-	-	-	1	21	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	23	11	-	-	-
19*	2	14	9.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20*	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	23	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	7	8.7	6	6	12	5.6	1	23	9	2	21	7.5	3	23	9	4	18	5.7
pañuelo																		
1	1	32	5	1	24	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	28	4	-	-	-
1A*	2	27	6.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	21	7	1	18	7
1B*	2	28	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	23	9	1	21	7
2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	22	8.2	1	23	8
7	1	26	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7.5	1	22	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7A*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	21	8	-	-	-
9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	28	10	-	-	-
12A*	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	27	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	7	25	7	1	24	5	1	27	10	-	-	-	11	23	8	3	21	7

Table 3. Manta and pañuelo decoration types: their numbers (n), fabric counts (FC), and average quality scores (QS)