



## Hand Knotted Area Rugs Knot Count Explanation

What are the differences in the knot count and which is best for your rug(s)?

The knot count does not affect the quality or the durability of our hand knotted rugs since all of them are made with the same fine materials.

The more knots per square inch that a rug has, the greater the clarity (detail) of the design. It is like having more pixels on your TV or computer display.

Also, higher knot count rugs are a little thinner (because the individual yarns are thinner), softer and more pliable.

Since we carve around the patterns (you can see this process in the video in the About Us page of our web site) even our 60 knot rugs are gorgeous, Of course, as the knot count increases the rugs become even finer.

Knot count matters more in patterns with lots of detail or small shapes (such as Confetti) and not as much in large scale simple designs (such as Exotique).

Additionally, knot count matters more in smaller rugs than in larger rugs. Think of it this way: a small mosaic needs to have more smaller pieces to have the same detail as a large mosaic.