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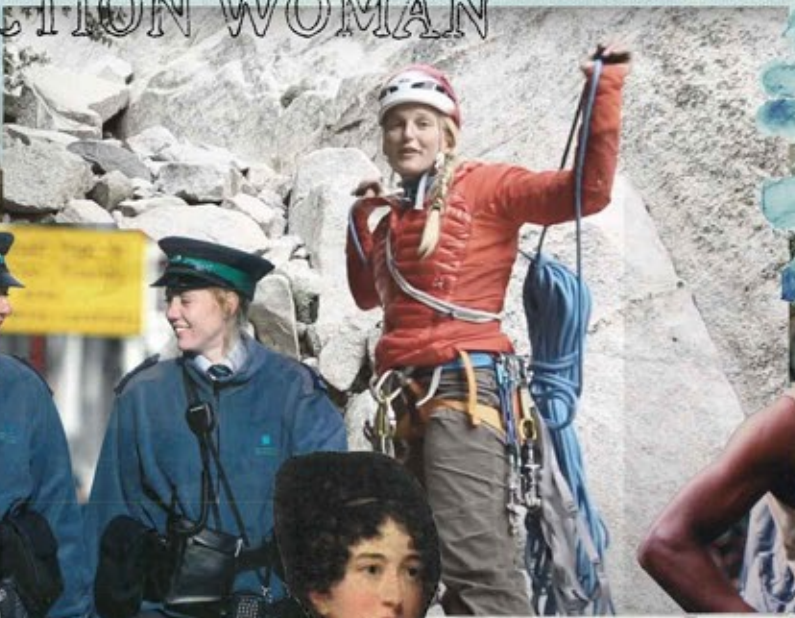
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THIS COLLECTION IS AN EXPLORATION OF OUTDOOR DRESS. THE 'ORDINARY' UNIFORM.
SINCE OUTDOOR CLOTHING TRADITIONALLY HAS A MASCULINE / UNGENDERED SILHOUETTE, MY GOAL
WAS TO CHALLENGE THIS WITH HYPER FEMININE ELEMENTS, BOTH TRADITIONAL + MODERN.
MERGING THE CONCEPT OF PRACTICALITY + FEMININE. I HAVE BEEN INFLUENCED BY 18TH FEMALE
EXPLORERS AS WELL AS MODERN DAY CLIMBER EMILY HARRINGTON.



ACTION WOMAN



The Struggle for Ordinary
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It is not a failure to be special. It is actually a state most people in this study aspire to, at least for some of their lives, a state that may or may not be difficult to achieve.

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STORM FLAP
POCKET...



WAXED CORSET BODICE

Empreintes de championnes

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Oliviero Toscani
archive.

**SAFETY
FOOTWEAR**



OBLIGATORY

EMPREINTES DE CHAMPIONNES

À l'aise dans ses
baskets, pour
courir à petites
foulées ou pour
marcher toute la
journée.

1. Baskets hautes,
aspect suède
(Nike, 842 F, dans
les magasins de
sport).

2. Boots en
nubuck.

élastiques sur le
côté,
semelle crantée
(Arche, 595 F).

3. Baskets
montantes en cuir
noir surpiqué
(Bata, 4, Reebok,
300 F, aux Galeries
Lafayette).

4. Desert boots en
nubuck noir
(Bocage, 445 F).

5. Baskets
basses en cuir
à double
surpiqué, semelle
crantée et
capotichoue
(H.S., 285 F, Au
Vieux
Campour).

6. Chaussures de
marche à
lacets de couleur
(André, 269 F).

INITIAL PRINT IDEAS



BLEACHED FOOTPRINT / BOOT TREAD SAMPLES:



→ CRISP
BOOT PRINT
WORKS BEST.



THE UNIFORM:

PLAIN TANK +
LOOSE JEANS

1ST TRIAL FOR HOODED TANK.

HOOD SHAPE WEAK, TOO MUCH LIKE
A BENNET. CHANGE PATTERN OF HOOD +
LESS RUCHING.

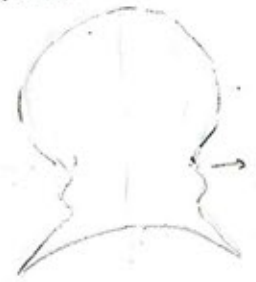
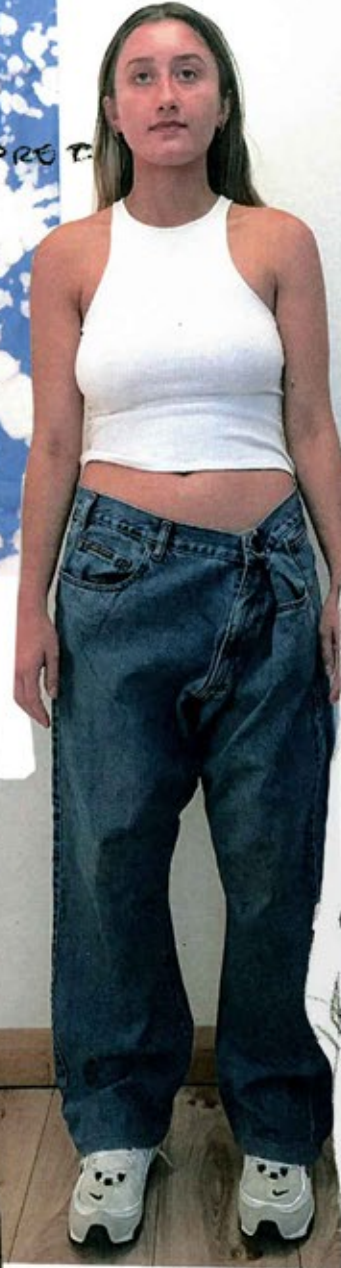
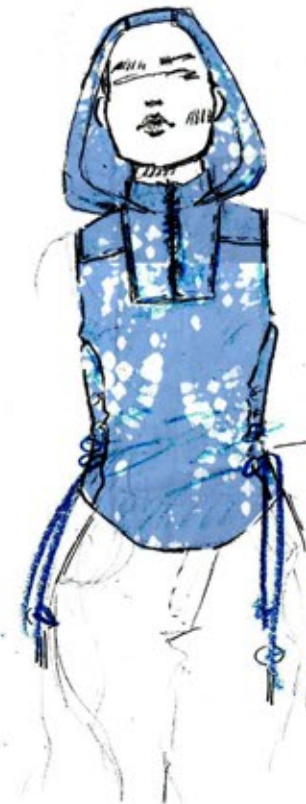
INITIAL HOOD
- TRIED DOING
BENT INTO
PIECES FOR
SHAPING

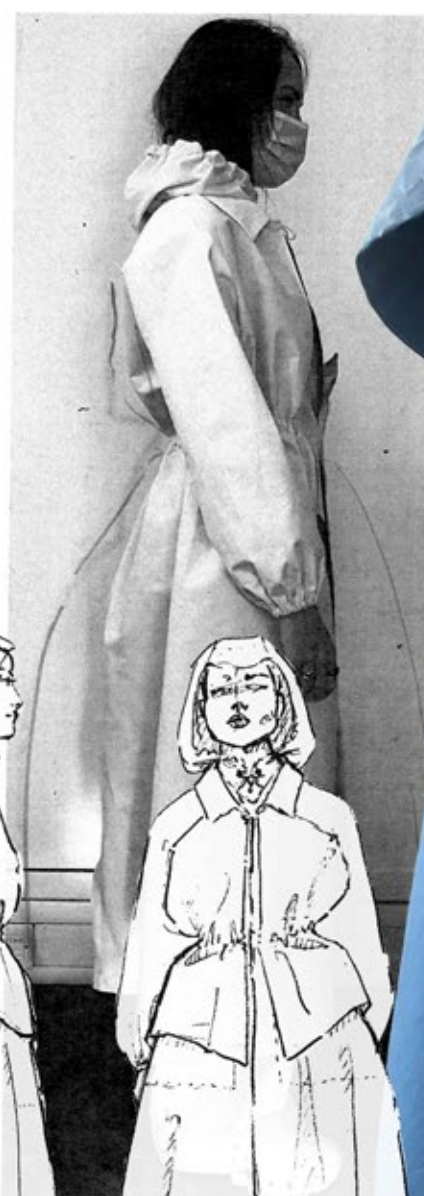
TOO BOWY EACH, ADD SHARPEN

BLEACH SAMPLE
ON BLUE FOR PREP

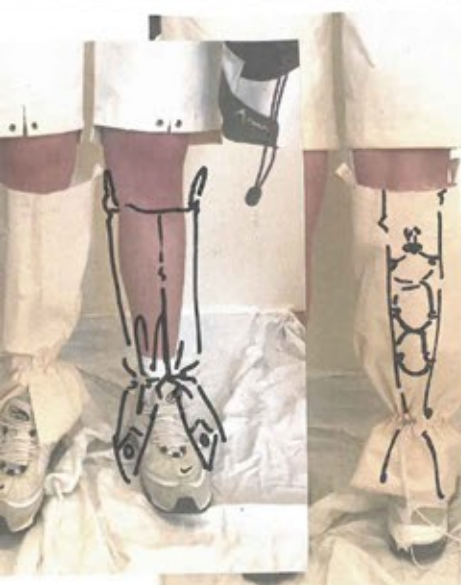
MOVE TIES TO SIDE.

USING MENS JEANS MANY
SIZES / LARGER THAN MODEL
TO CREATE ASYMMETRIC
VOLUME.





ADD MORE VOLUME IN
TRENCH TO CREATE MORE DRAMATIC SILHOUETTE



TAKE OUT EXCESS AT CB NECK

FLARE OF SLEEVE REINFORCED WITH FACING ON LEM.

SHORTEN.





PARACHUTE FRAME

EXPLODE FOR SKIRT.

DIVIDE SKIRT PANELS INTO 4. FLAT FELL BEAMS.



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PARACHUTE

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REMOVE BACK EXCESS

BRING CB HEM DOWN FOR A MORE DRAMATIC POINT

PLACKET ON BASELAYER



REMOVE EXCESSIVE HOOD



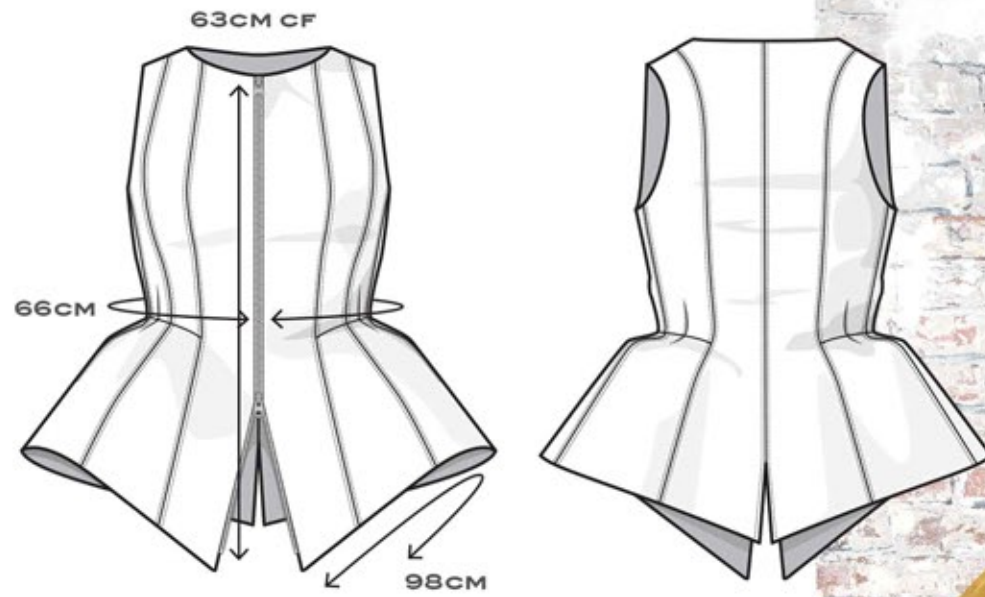
WAXED LOWER HALF

BRING CB TAIL DOWN ADD SLIT

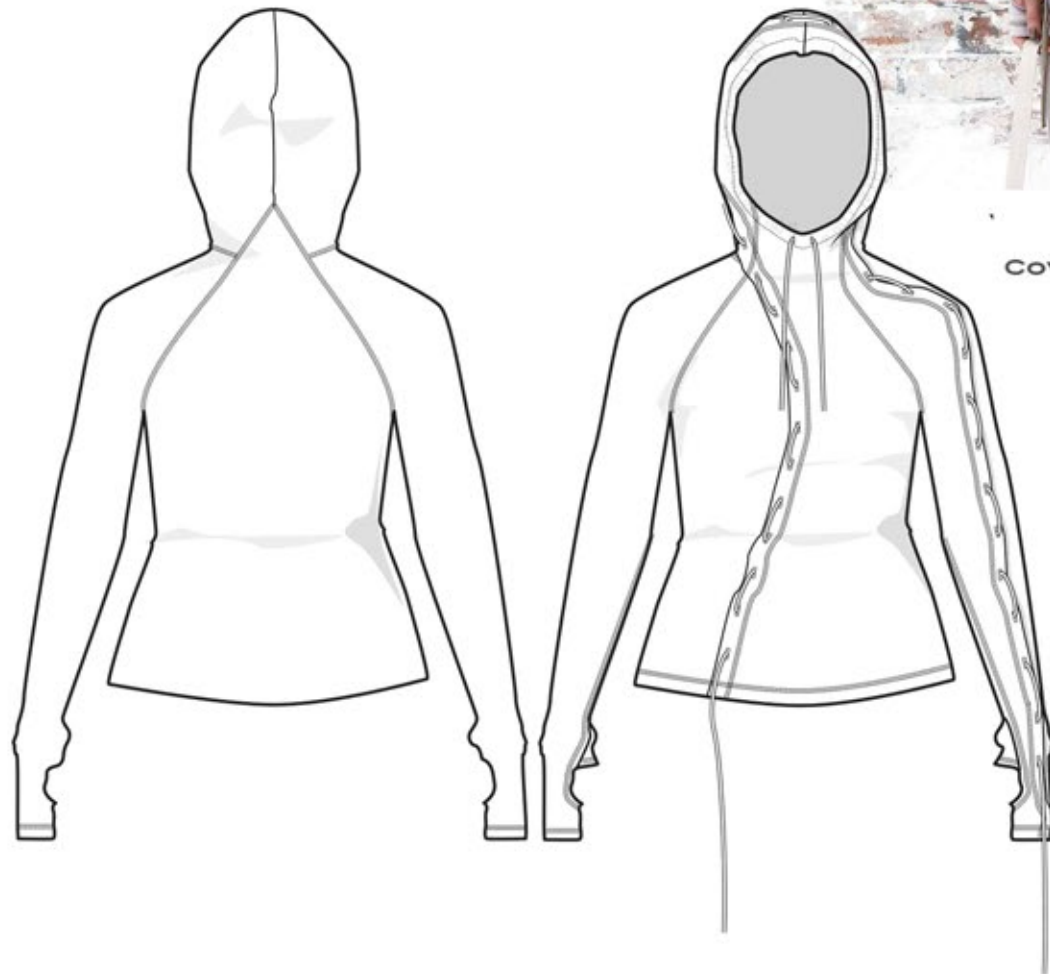
CORSET BODICE ACTS AS A STRUCTURAL SILHOUETTE FOR THE PARACHUTE SILK SKIRT

WAX CORSET

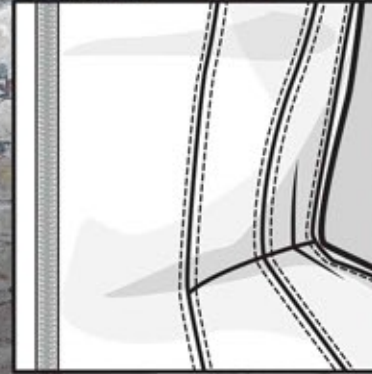
LOWER HALF OF CORSET HAND WAXED TO WAIST



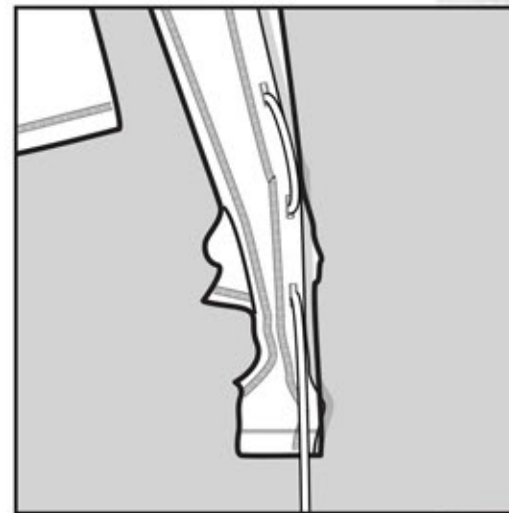
JERSEY BASELAYER



TOPSTITCH DETAIL



COVERSTITCH OVER ALL SEAMS



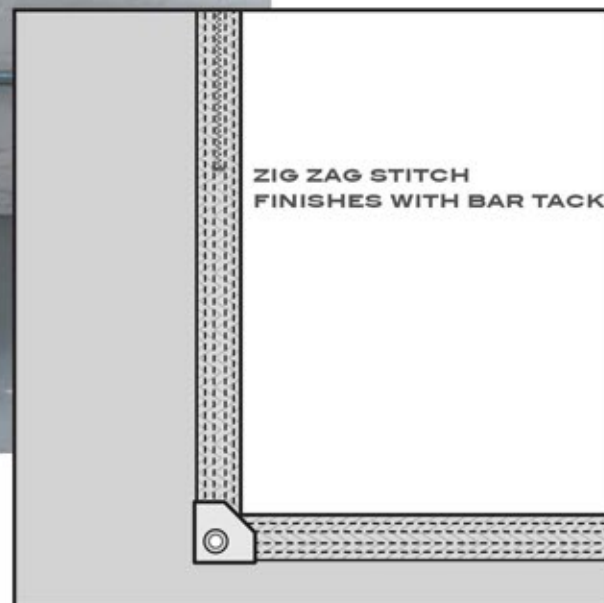
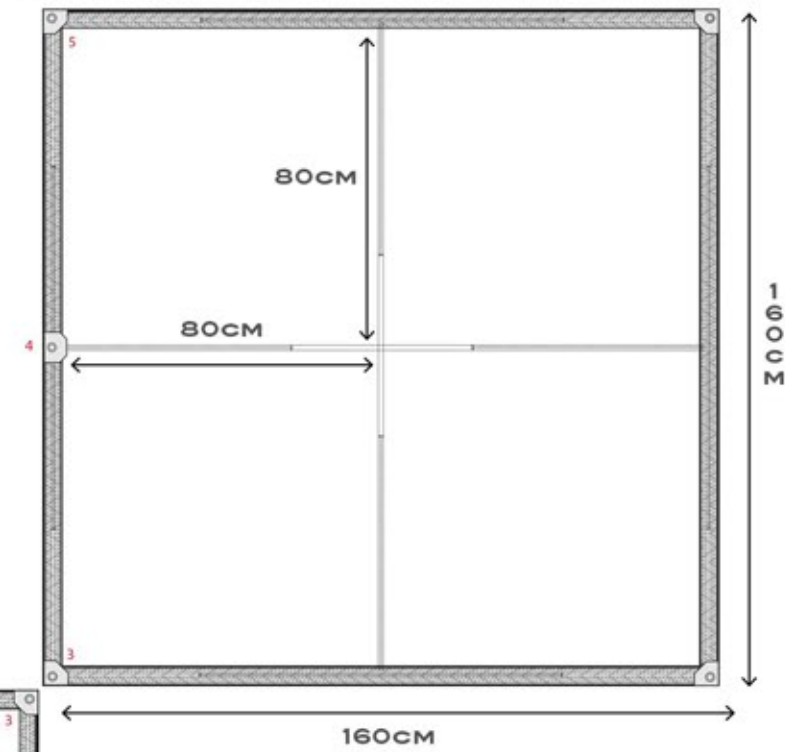
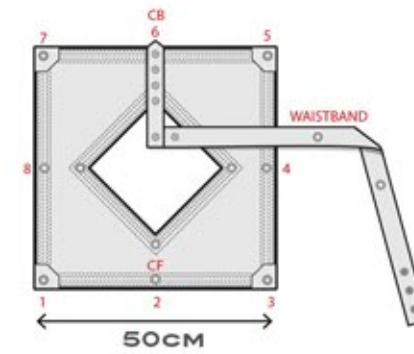
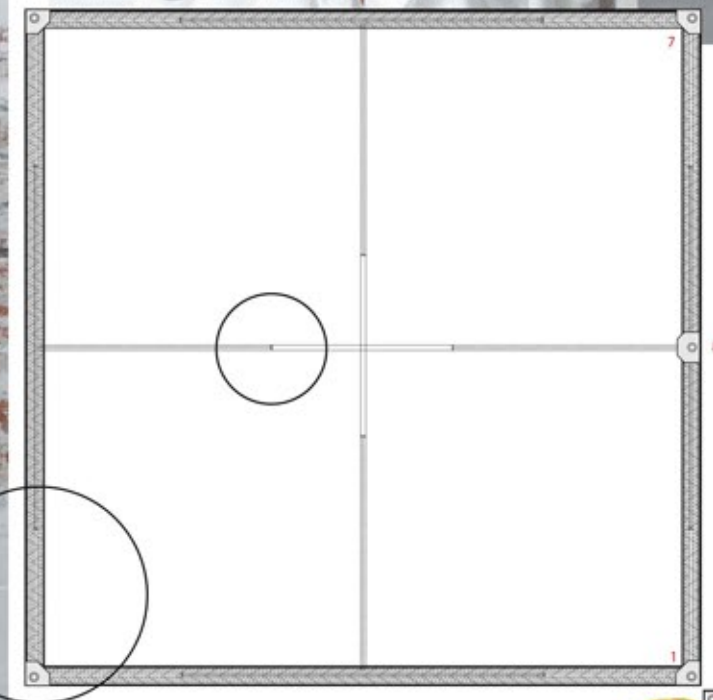
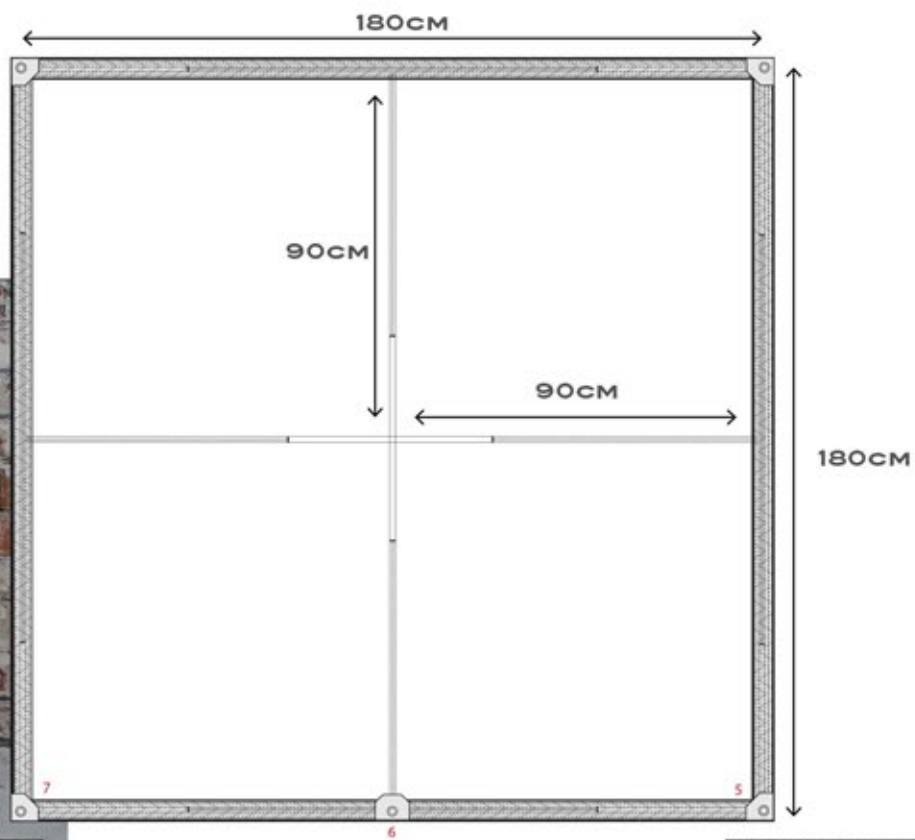
7MM FLAT CORD
THREADED THROUGH
BUTTON HOLES ON PLACKET

SILK HABOTAI SKIRT TIED

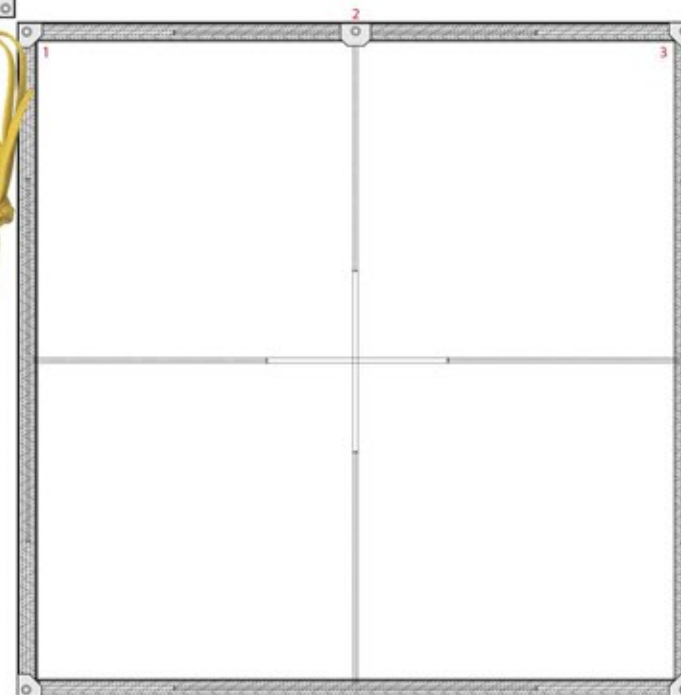


SILK HABOTAI PARACHUTE FRAME SKIRT FLAT

WITH CLAY OILSKIN CENTRAL WAIST PIECE



EYELETS FASTENED
WITH 5MM
MUSTARD CORD



EYELET NUMBERS ON OUTER SKIRT PANELS
CORRESPOND TO EYELETS ON CENTRAL PIECE

JERSEY HOOD BASELAYER
UNDERNEATH.

HOOD SILHOUETTE
IS PERFECT

FRONT
POCKET
WITH
AQUAGUARD
ZIP

WAXED
BELOW
WAIST

LOWER
CROTCH

WAXED
AROUND
ANKLE.

HIDDEN
ZIP
UNDER
GUARD.

V+A
SIDE HOOP UNDERSKIRT.
18cm

CURVE WAISTBAND

LOWER CROTCH

SHORTEN IN LEG

TARPAULIN
EYELET CORNERS

POCKETS NEEDED?

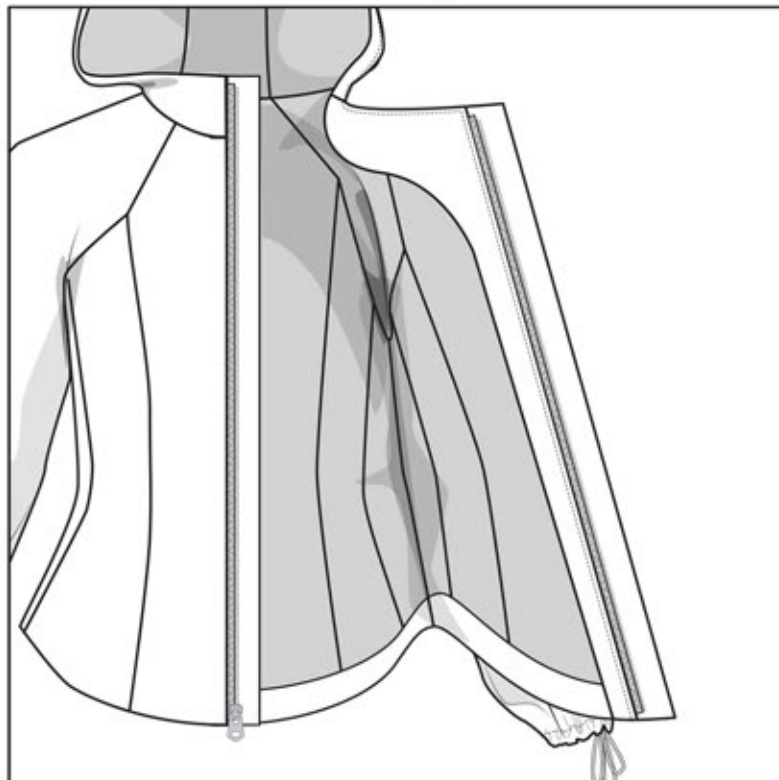
PLAIN SIDE SEAM.

TRACK FITTED JACKET AND GATHERED TROUSERS

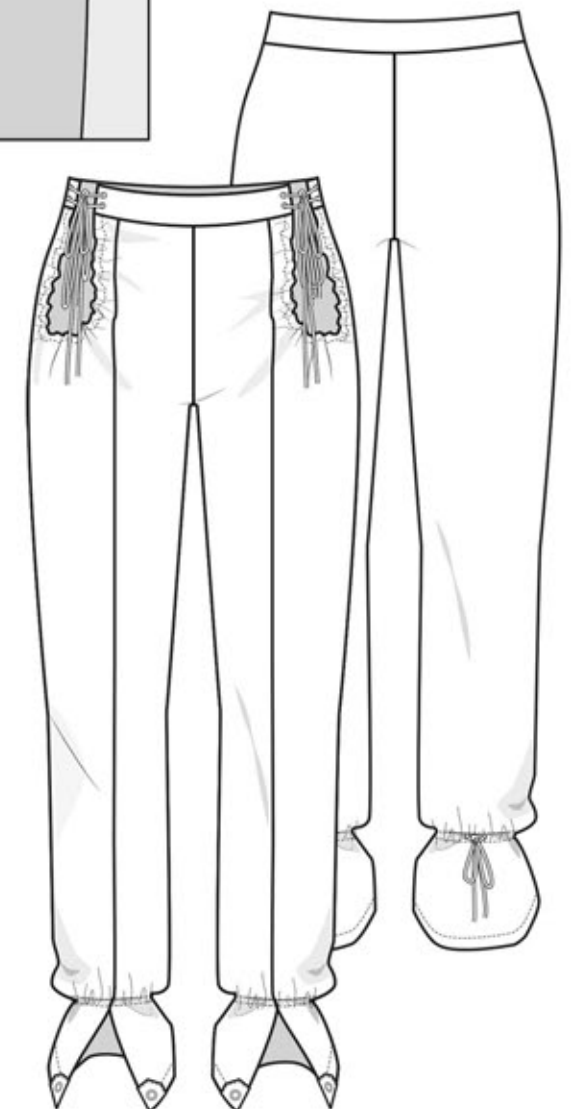


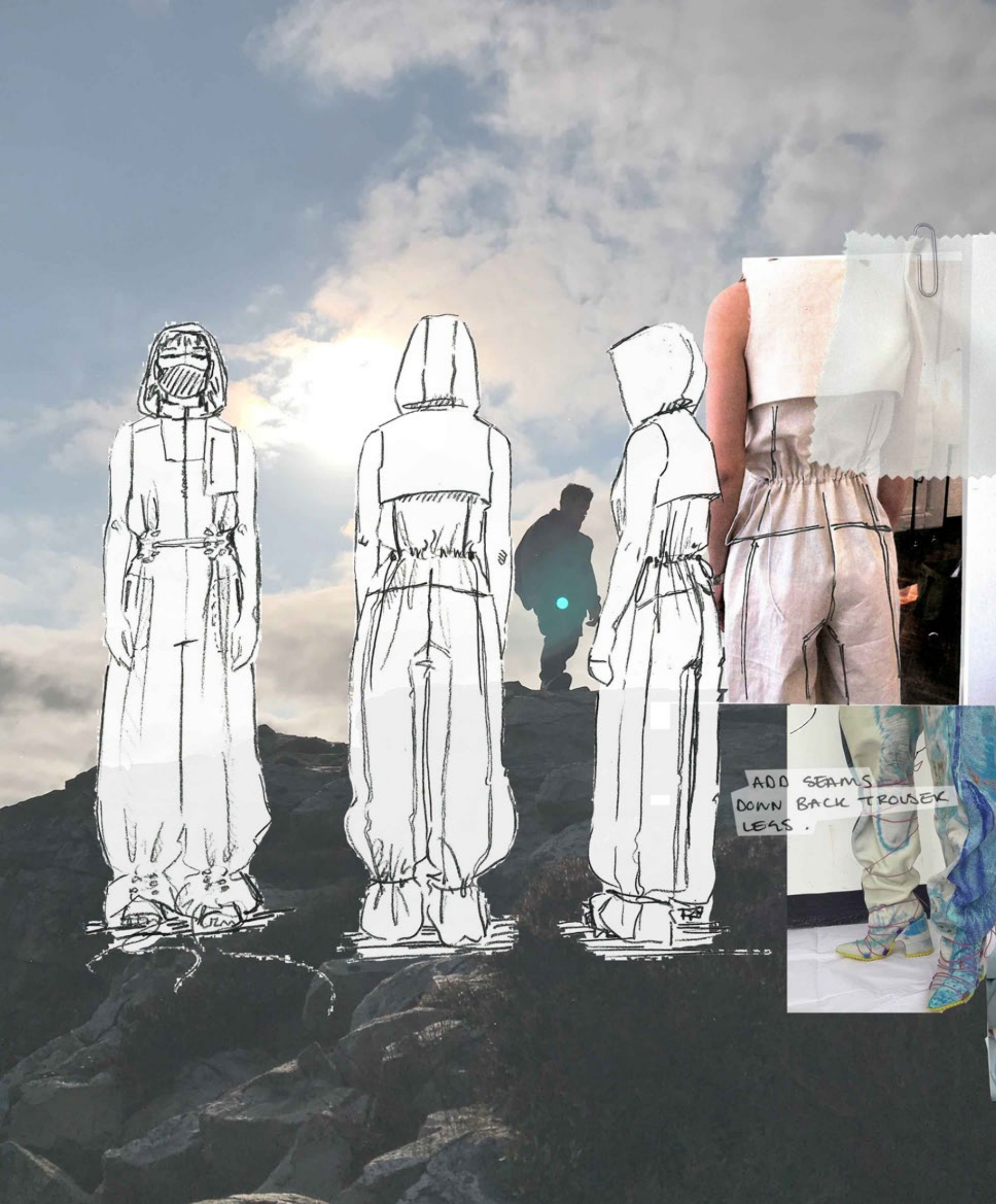
REVERSE COIL ZIP 15CM
ON CHEST POCKET

LINING VIEW
HIDDEN REGULAR COIL ZIP
SIZE 5



INNER TROUSER FACING
BIAS BINDING
ON HEM OF FACING



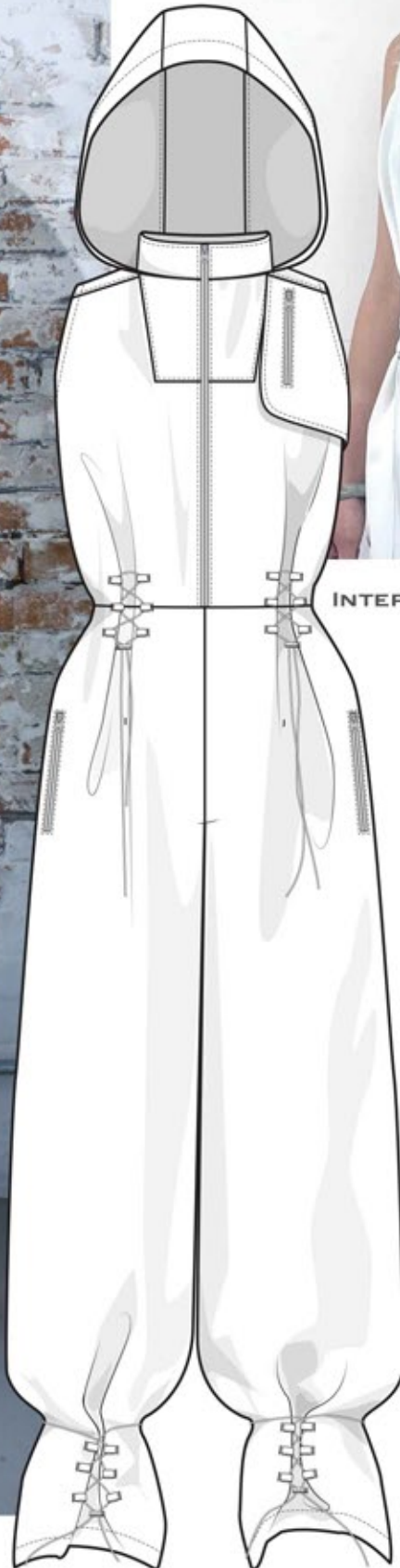


ADD SEAMS
DOWN BACK TROUSER
LEGS.

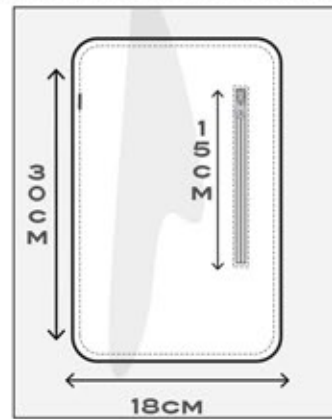


CONTINUE TIES
AROUND ANKLE.

SILK HABOTAI JUMPSUIT



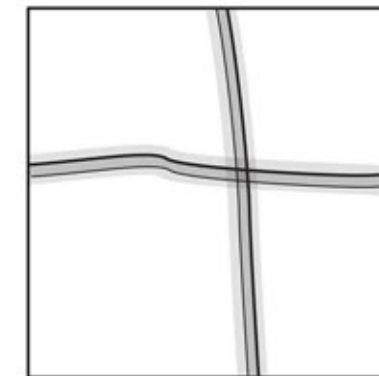
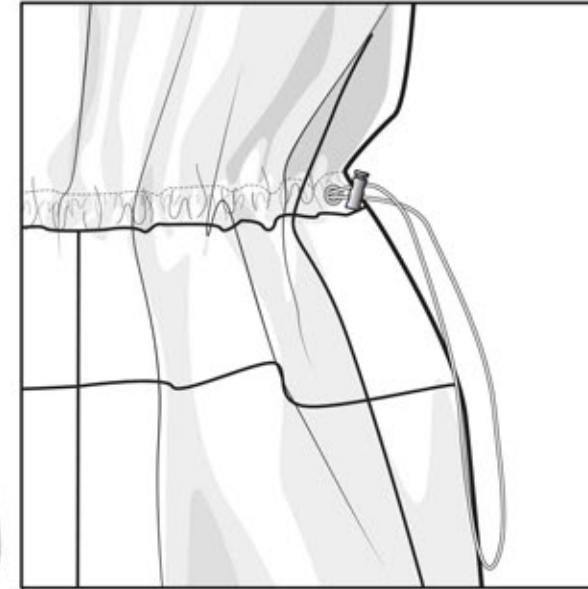
INTERNAL VIEW OF HIP POCKETS



ALL ZIPS ARE
REVERSE COIL CLOSED END



BACK DRAWSTRING CHANNEL
GATHERED FROM EYELETS AT SIDE.



INTERNAL STRAIGHT SEAMS SEALED
WITH 20MM WATERPROOF TAPE



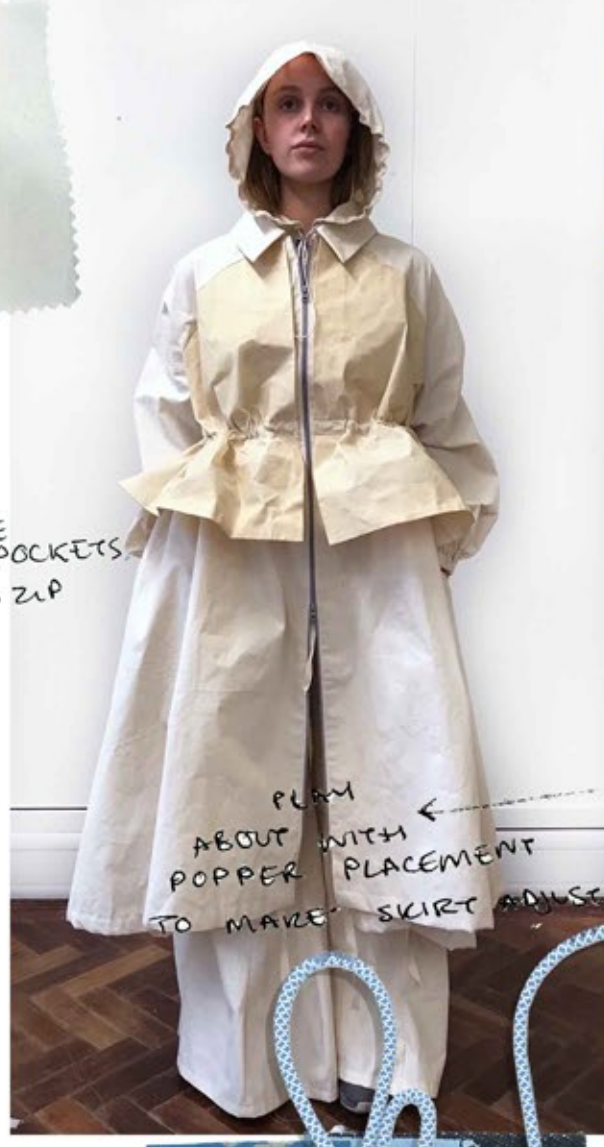


→ OVAL EYELETS.
→ ADD TARPULIN EYELETS

SA



→ SIDE LEG POCKETS WITH ZIP



PLAY ABOUT WITH POPPER PLACEMENT TO MAKE SKIRT ADJUSTABLE.



JERSEY HOOD BASELAYER UNDERNEATH.

→ FRONT POCKET WITH AQUAGUARD ZIP

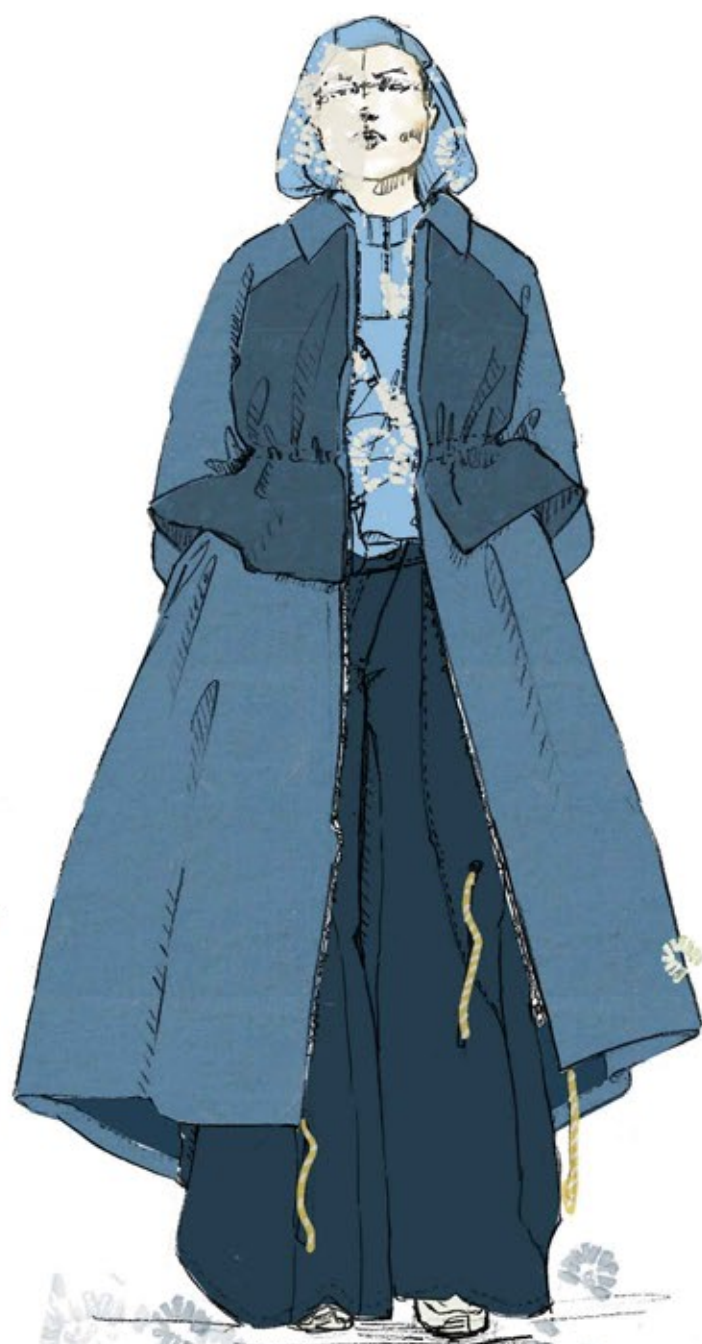
→ WAISTED BELOW WAIST

WAISTED AROUND ANKLE



→ SHORTEN IN LEG







FINAL LINEUP