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NOSTOS:
A HOMECOMING OR RETURN
AFTER A LONG JOURNEY

Nostos means homecoming; a return after a long journey or voyage. My homecoming was bittersweet, and I found myself seeking comfort in my home surroundings. To honour and preserve these objects I have repurposed them in my work; using old bed sheets, moth-eaten jumpers, sofa covers, and torn trousers to create new pieces with purpose and longevity.

The feeling of comfort and nostalgia is central to my collection, using fabrics and silhouettes with movement and textures that envelop the body.

Through unravelling old knitwear and over-dyeing faded fabrics I can extend their lives beyond their original purpose and hold them as a reminder of the human craft and labour that goes into our textiles, as well as the memories contained in them.



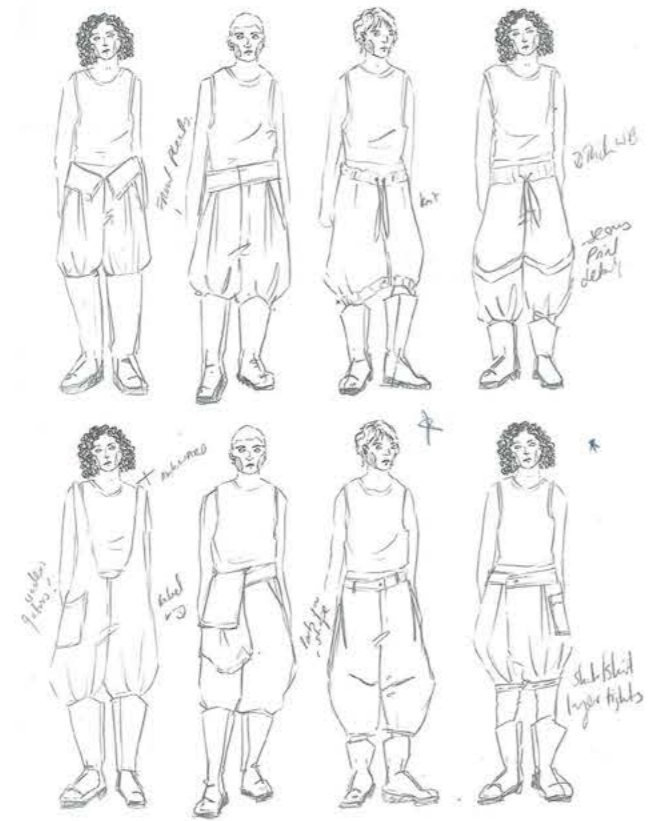
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HE WAS THERE IN
THE WRINKLES OF
THE ELBOWS,
WRINKLES WHICH IN
THE TECHNICAL
JARGON OF SEWING
ARE CALLED
MEMORY'

- STALLYBRASS

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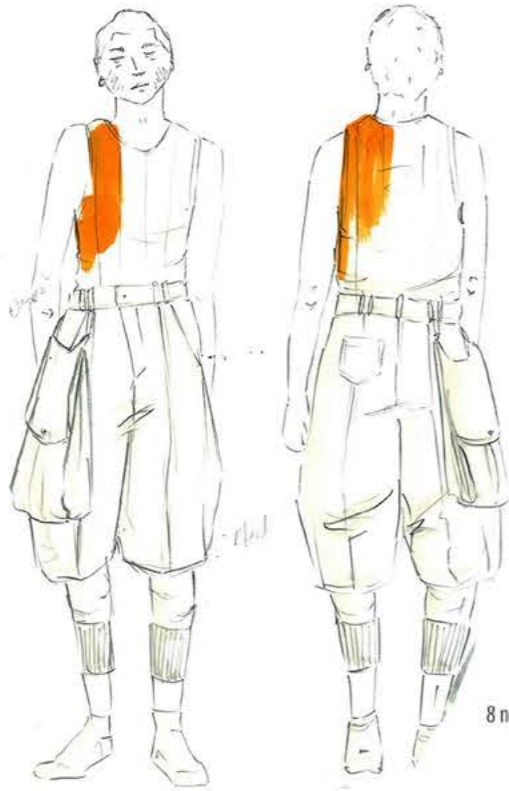


DYLON - VELVET BLACK
 1kg FABRIC
 100% COTTON
 100% LINEN

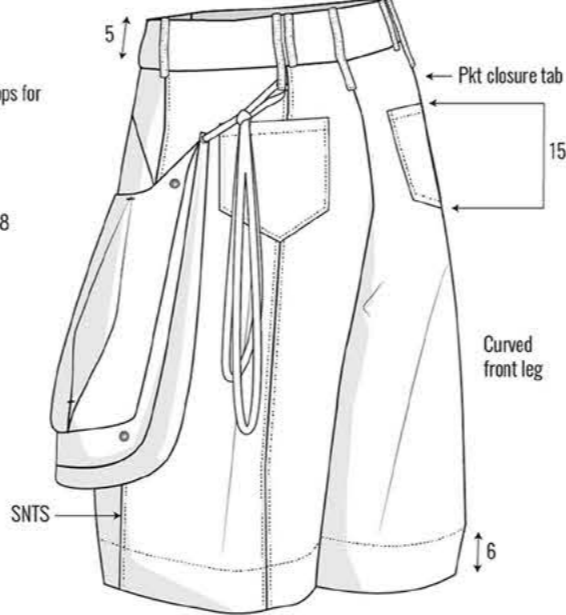
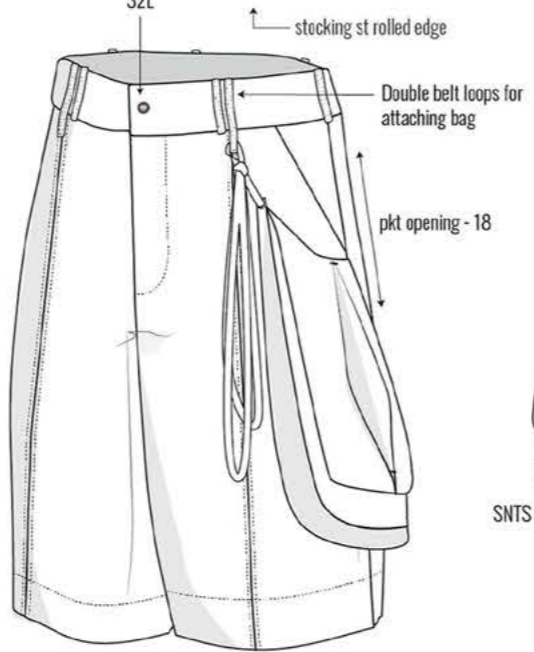
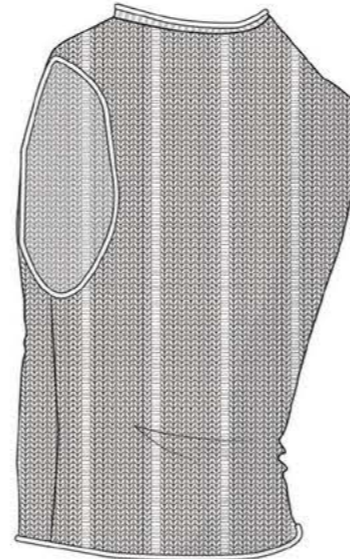
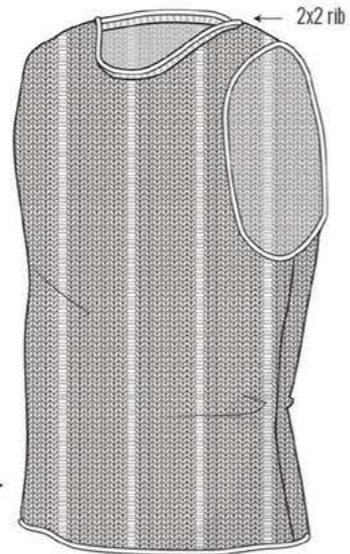
100% COTTON
 DEWATED OFF CUTS
 SACQUARD LEAVE



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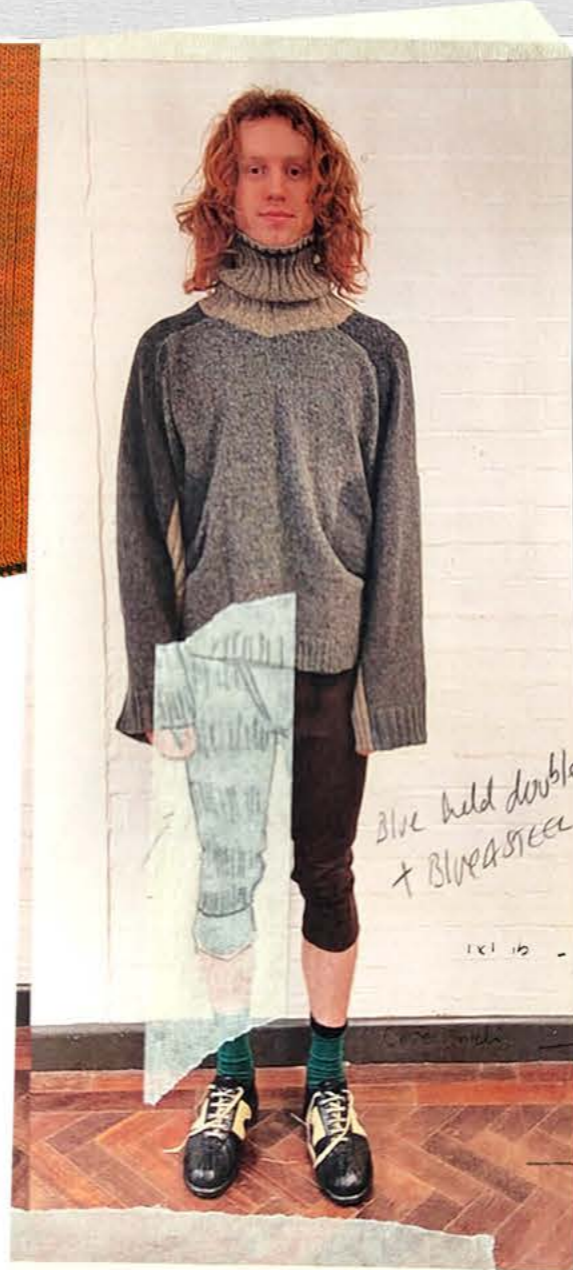


8 needles in 1 out



TORN TROUSERS
100% COTTON
OVERDIED.

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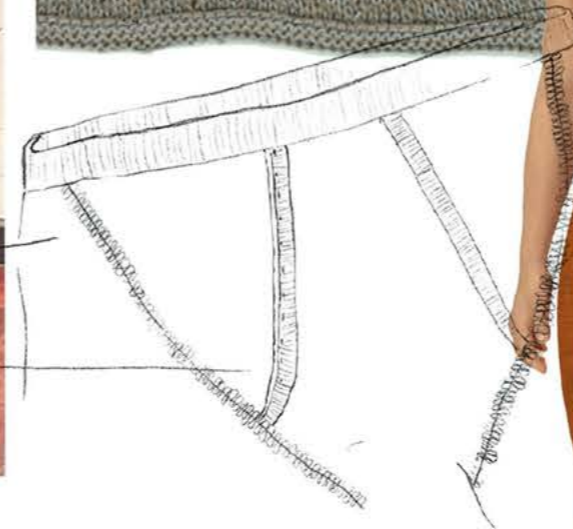
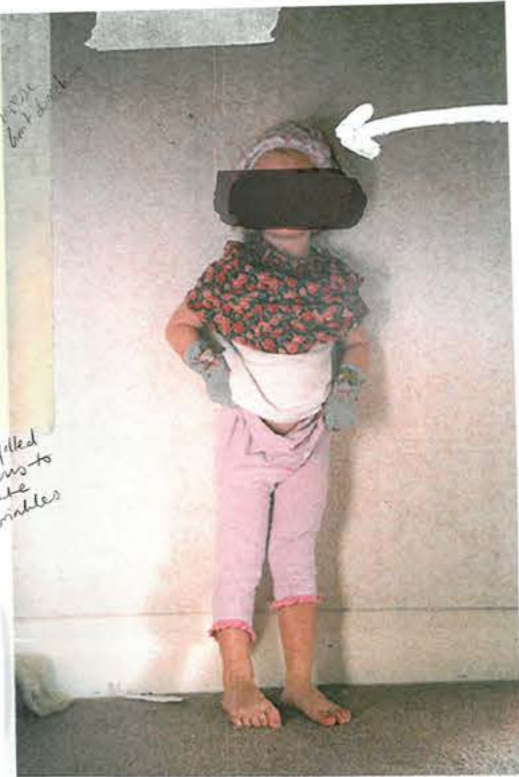
Blue held double
+ Blue steel



OVER UNDER GARMENTS.



we filled sections to create wrinkles



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100% Abried
2x2 RIB
3 ends top.

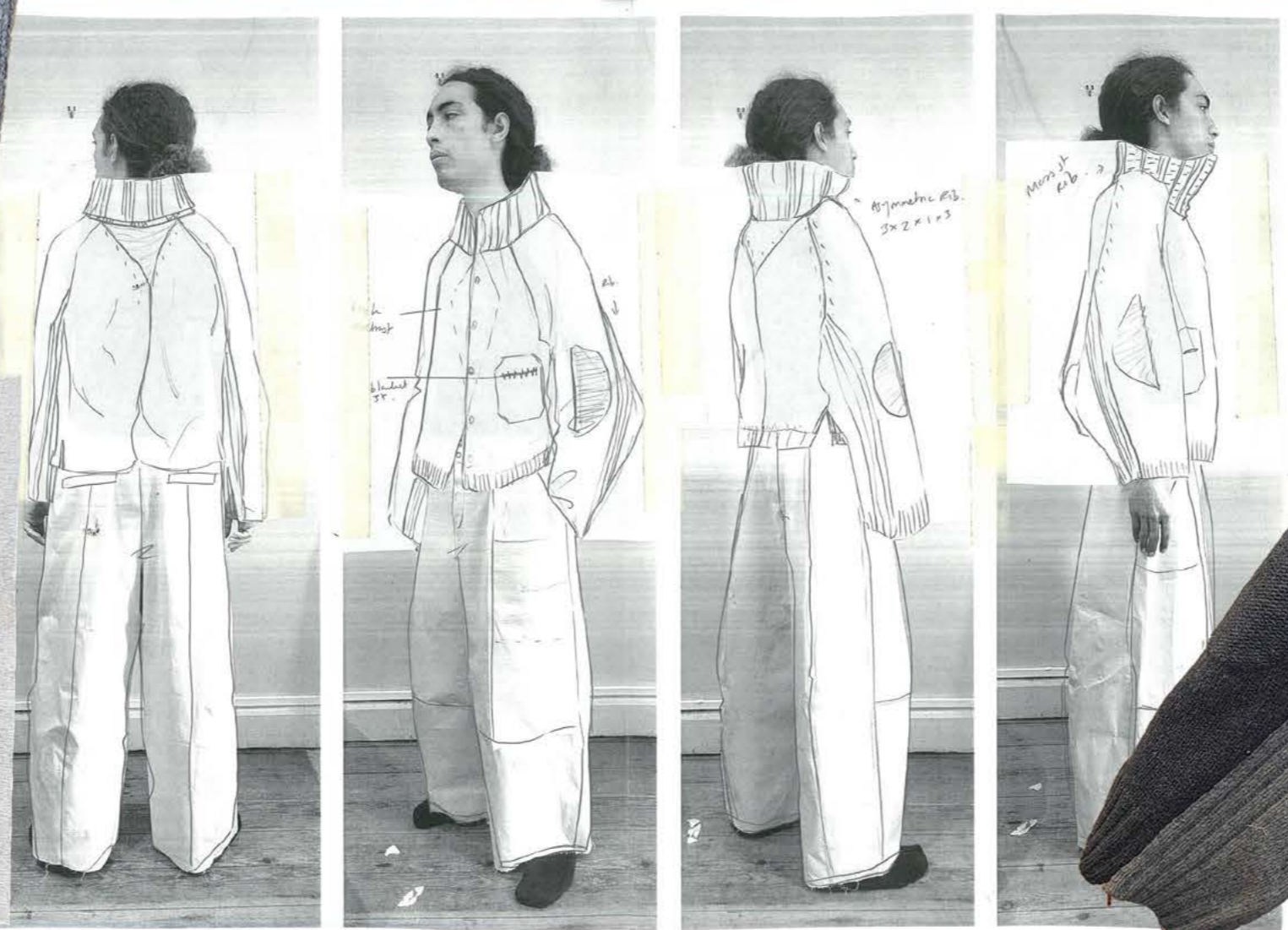


DEADSTOCK
YARN

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PANELED SLEEVES
UNRAVELLED YARNS 100% LAMBSWOOL



UNRAVEL



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7 JUMPER JACKET!
 - LAMBSWOOL
 - RAMIE - SILK
 - COTTON



①	240	①	105
②	251	②	145
③	375	③	575
④	45	④	290
⑤	341	⑤	105
TOT - 2.46 kg			
TOT (For Jacket) - 2.2 kg			



WASHING MACHINE FELTING

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UNRAVELLED
LAMB SWOOL.

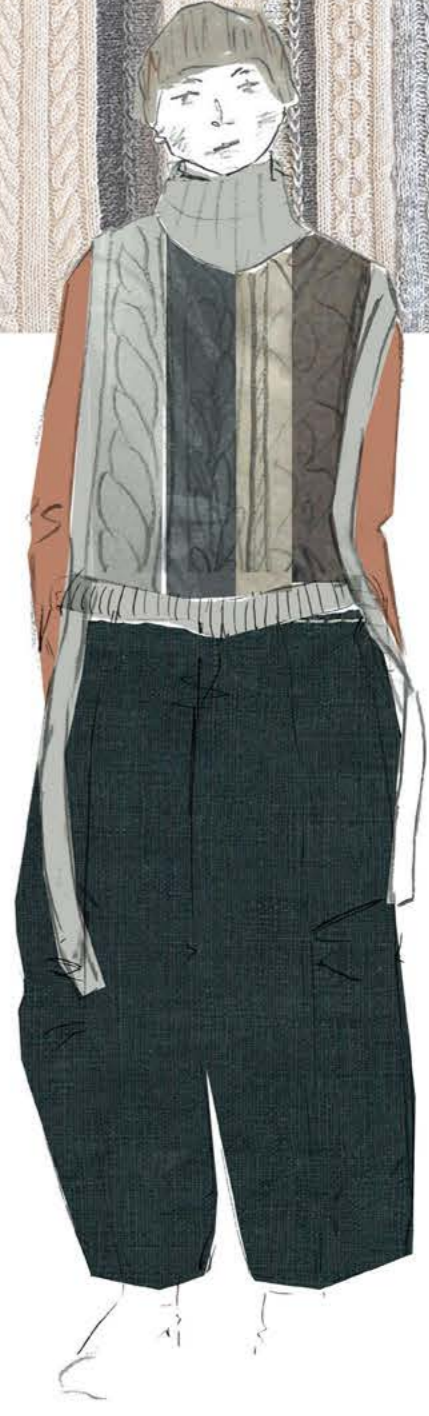
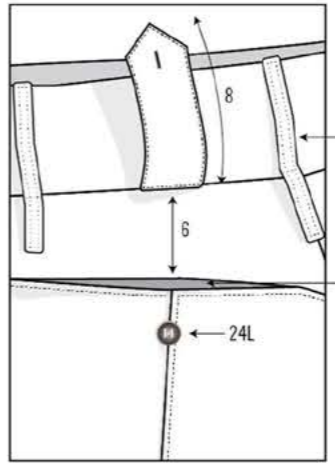
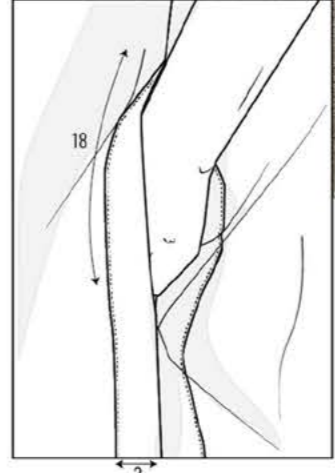
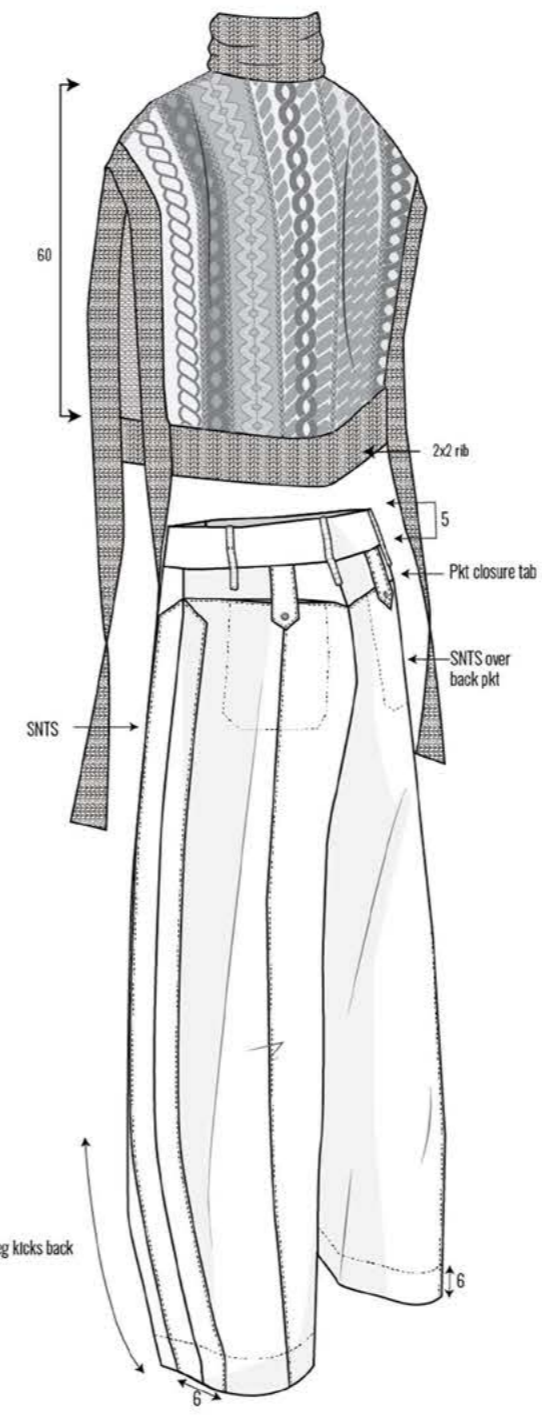
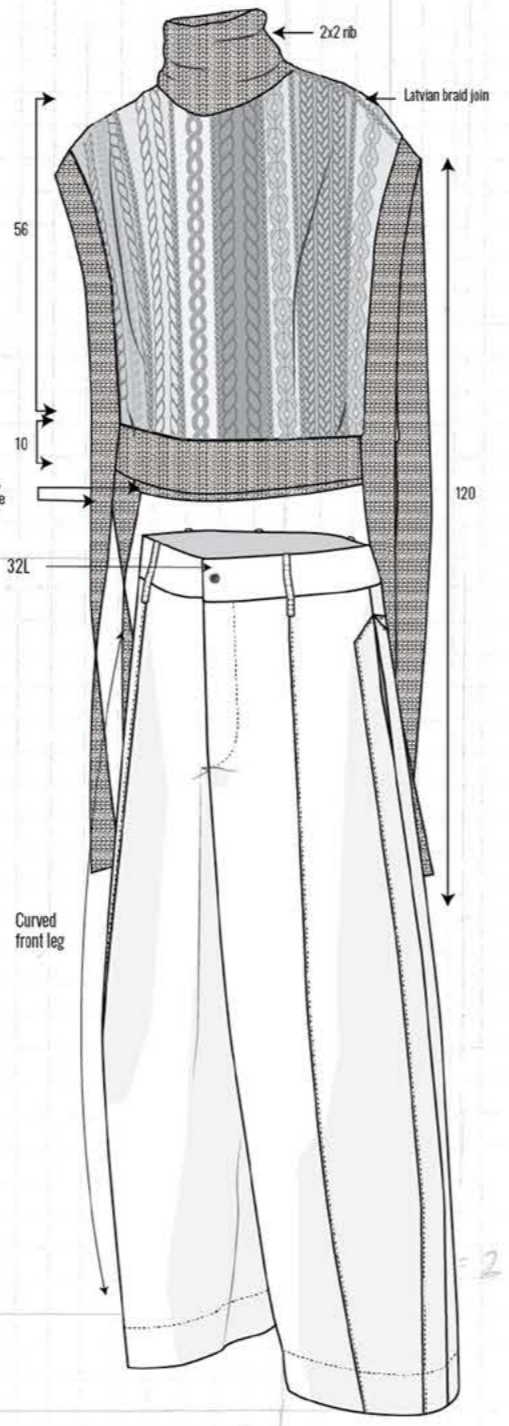


TEKSTIEN 3 3
LAMB SWOOL 10
Wool 45%



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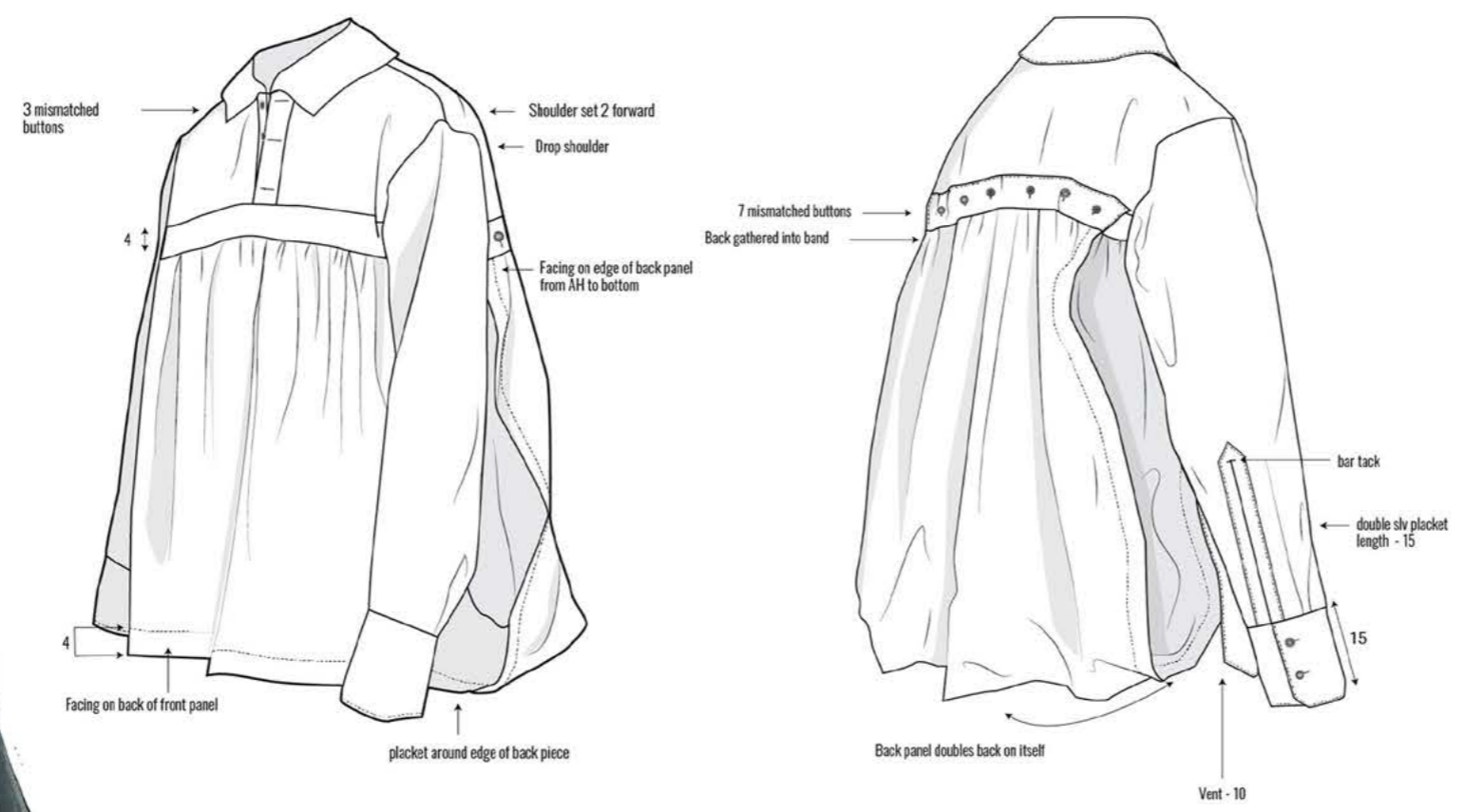
DOMESTIC CABLE
+
HANDKNIT
LATVIAN BRAID. (3mm)



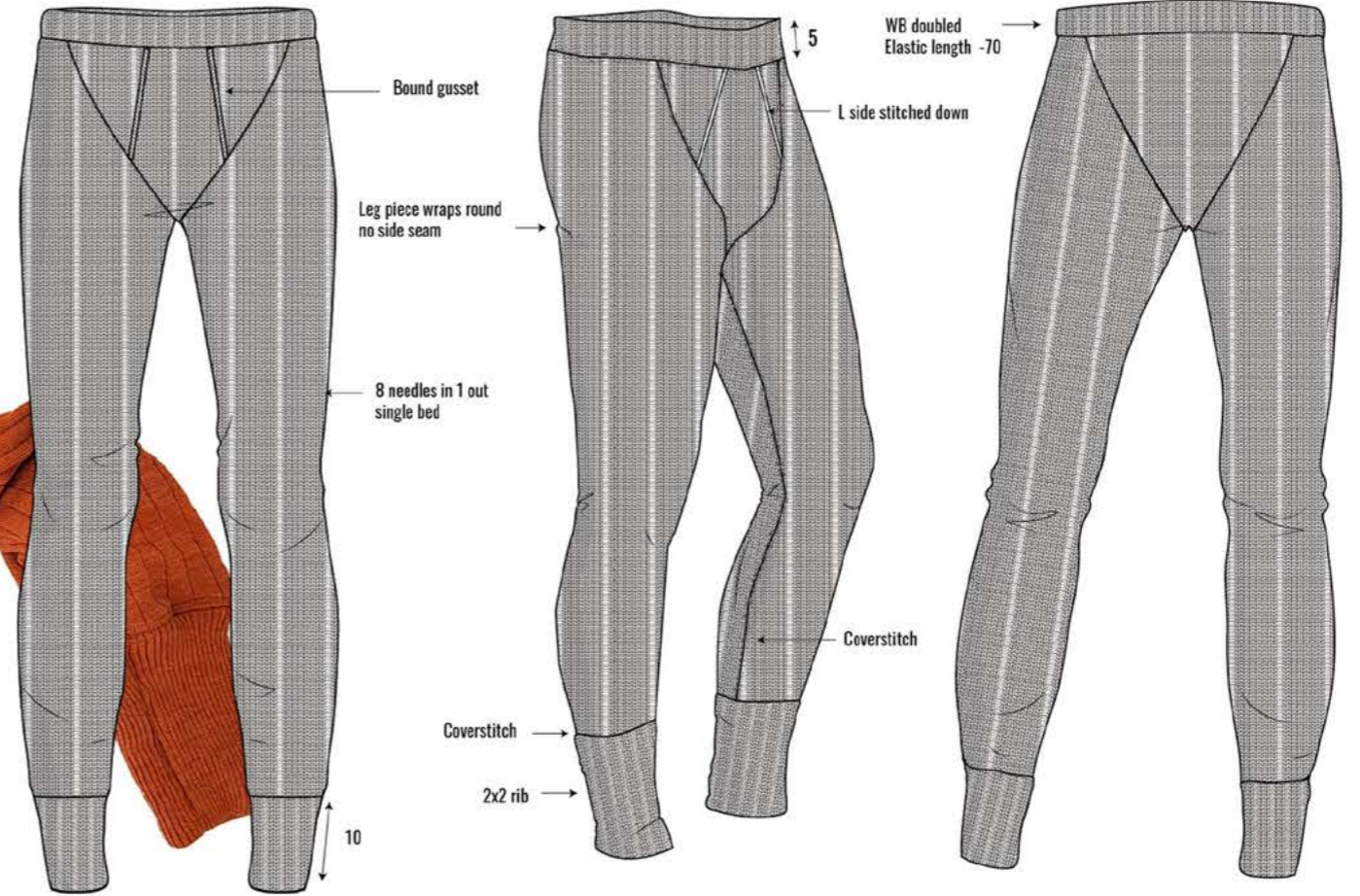
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Smock: Overdyed second-hand cotton sheet
Mismatched buttons
Long Johns: Donated deadstock cotton yarn



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Images (Left to Right):

1. Tabard knitted from unraveled second-hand jumpers
2. Left: Deadstock knitted vest, donated deadstock jacquard cotton shorts and detachable bag from second-hand trousers. Right: Fairisle jumper from reclaimed lambwool and linen shorts from donated bedsheet.
3. Left: Deadstock vest and linen trousers made from donated bedsheet.
4. Left: Trousers made from donated cotton jacquard offcuts. Right: Smock from donated cotton bedsheet with mismatched buttons, Long Johns knitted from donated deadstock yarn.



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Images (Left to Right):

1. Left: Handjoined patchwork sleeve jumper from second-hand knitwear. Right: Felted Jacket from reclaimed lambswool, trousers from donated cotton jacquard offcuts.

2. Various knitwear garments and accessories.

3. Socks knitted from reclaimed lambswool.

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