

FAIR BEAR PATTERN FOR 4-H AND OPEN CLASS

4-H DIVISIONS: JUNIOR, INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR
OPEN CLASS DIVISIONS: ADULTS 16 AND UP, YOUTH 15 AND UNDER.

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FAIR BEAR SEWING CONTEST

We have a fun contest to enter this year. We will provide the bear sewing pattern to anyone that wishes to enter this fun contest. Each contestant must sew their own stuffed bear. All the contest rules can be picked up with the pattern at the Extension Office beginning the Spring of 2020.

Categories: Adults 16 and up, Youth Ages 15 and under
4-H: Cloverbud, Junior, Intermediate and Senior
Rules: One entry per person. You must use pattern provided by us.
All entries must be entered on **Monday April 20, 2020 12:00-7:00PM** in Boyd Hall
One winner and one prize will be awarded to adults, and one winner and one prize will be awarded to each youth category.



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SEAM ALLOWANCE: $\frac{1}{4}$ " unless otherwise specified.

PRELIMINARY STEPS

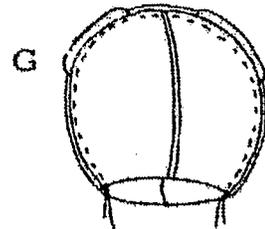
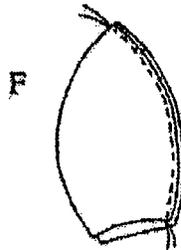
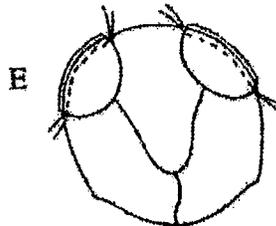
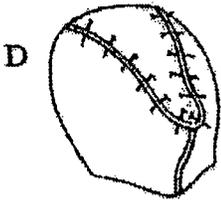
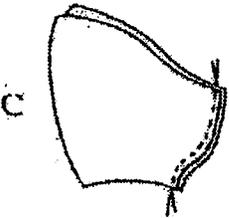
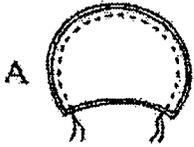
1. Read through all instructions carefully before beginning.
2. Cut out all pattern pieces along outer edges.

EARS

1. With right sides together, pin and baste an inner ear section to an outer ear section. Stitch, leaving lower edge open. (Diagram A).
2. Trim and clip seam allowance. Turn right side out and stuff lightly with polyester fiberfill, keeping fiberfill clear of the raw edges. Pin and baste the raw edges together. Stitch. (Diagram B).
3. Repeat procedure for other ear. Set ears aside.

HEAD

1. With right sides together, carefully pin and baste front head side sections together along center front seam. Stitch. (Diagram C).
2. With right sides together, pin and baste head gusset section to head sides, matching dot at nose to center front seam. (Diagram D). Trim and clip seams.
3. With inner ears and right side of head front together, pin and securely baste ears to head between lines indicated. (Diagram E).
4. With right sides together, pin and baste head back sections together along center back seam. Stitch. (Diagram F).
5. With right sides together, pin and baste head front to head back, matching dot on head gusset to center back seam. (Ears will be sandwiched in between). Stitch carefully, leaving neck area open. (Diagram G). Press seams. Trim and clip seam allowance. Turn head right side out and set aside.

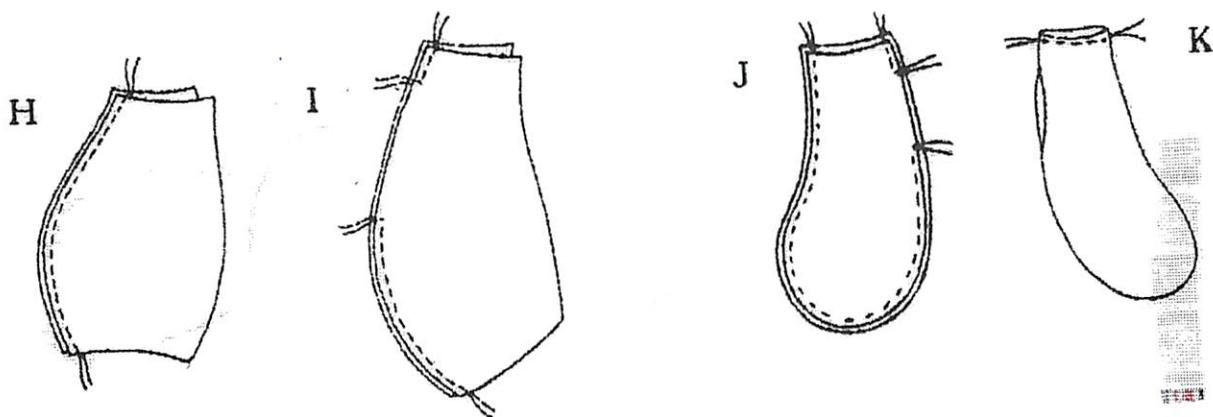


BODY

1. With right sides together, pin and baste the two body fronts together along center front seam. Stitch. (Diagram H). Press seam open.
2. With right sides together, pin and baste the two body back sections together along center back seam. Stitch, leaving area open between dots for turning. (Diagram I).

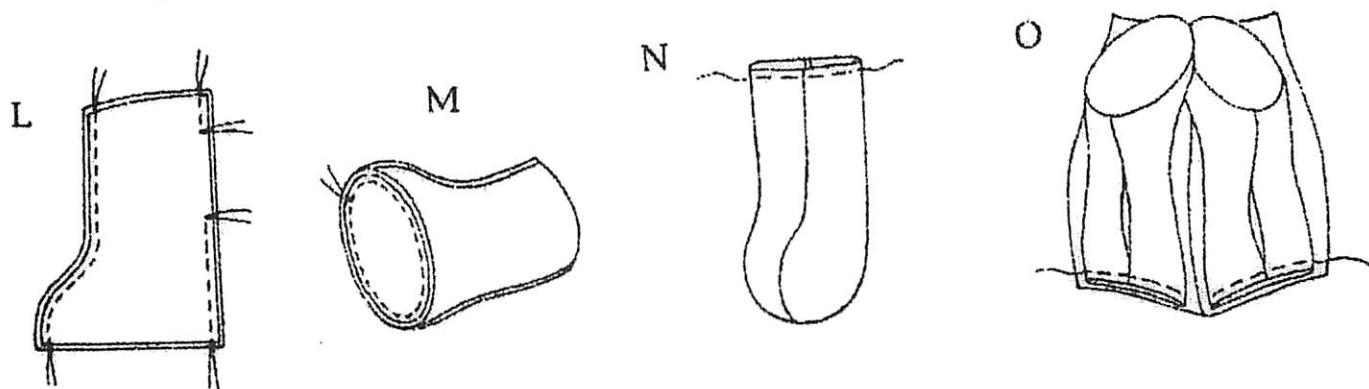
ARMS

1. With right sides together, pin and baste right inner arm section to right outer arm section. Stitch, leaving top edge and area between dots in the seam line open. (Diagram J).
2. Trim seam allowance and clip curves. Turn arm right side out. Pin and baste raw edges together. Stitch. (Diagram K).
3. Repeat procedure for left arm. Set arms aside.



LEGS

1. With right sides facing, pin and baste two leg sections together, leaving top and bottom ends open. Stitch front and back seams, leaving open between dots for turning. (Diagram L).
2. With right sides together, pin and baste foot section to leg, matching dots to seams and lines to lines. Stitch. (Diagram M).
3. Trim seams and clip curve. Turn leg right side out. Pin and baste raw edges together, matching up seams as shown. (Diagram N).
4. Repeat procedure for the other leg.
5. Pin and baste legs to right side of body front section as shown, matching front leg seams to dots on lower edge. (Diagram O).



NOTIONS

- approx. 24 ounces polyester fiberfill.
- one yard of 1 1/2" ribbon for neck.
- buttons for eyes (optional).

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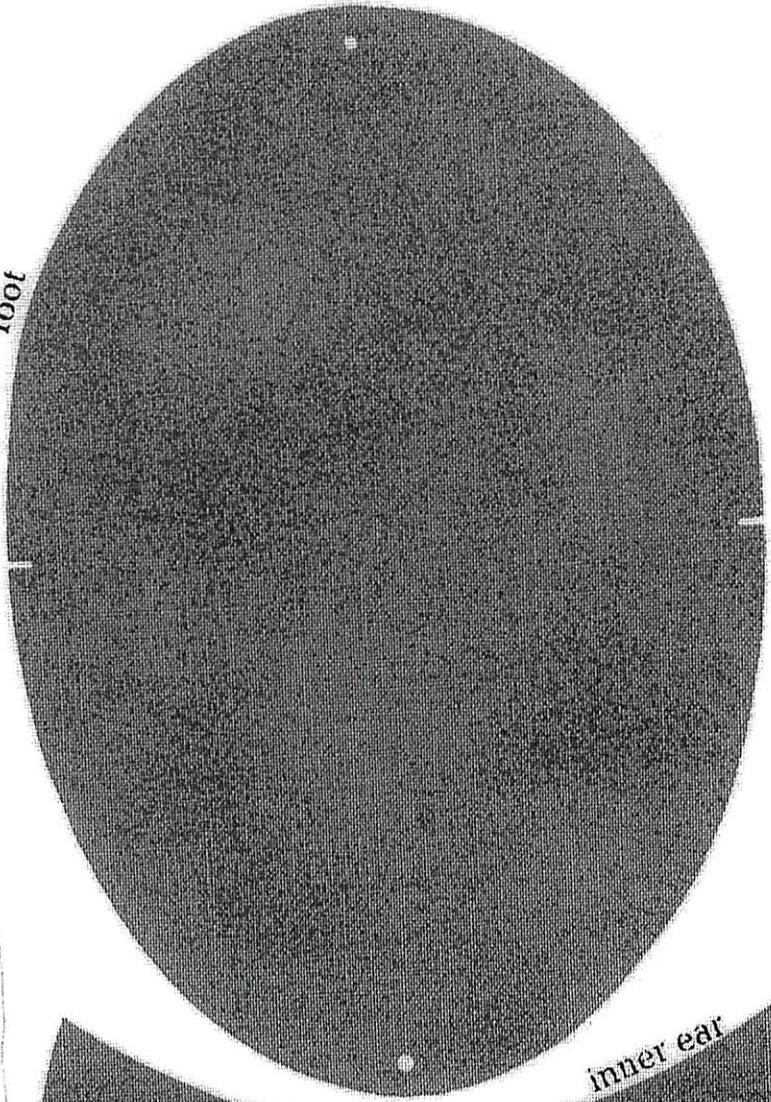
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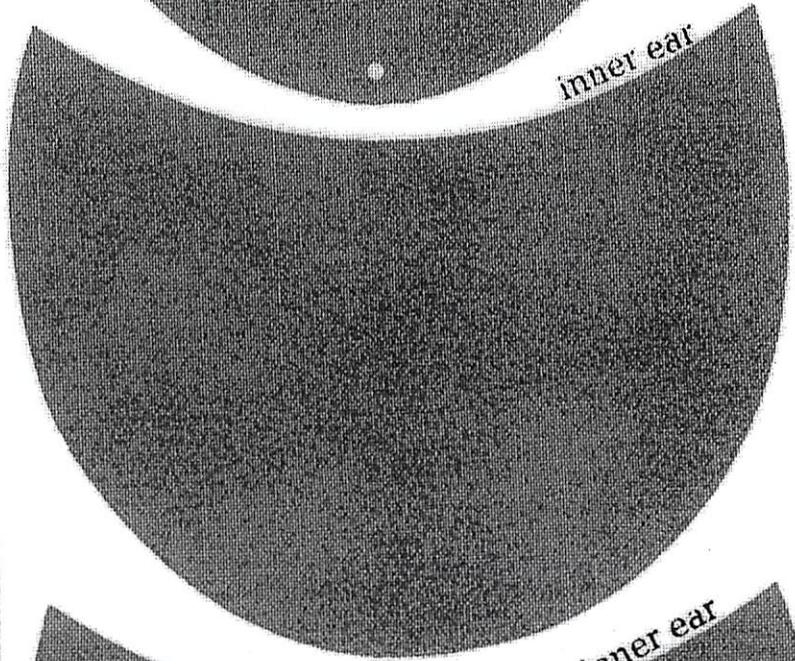
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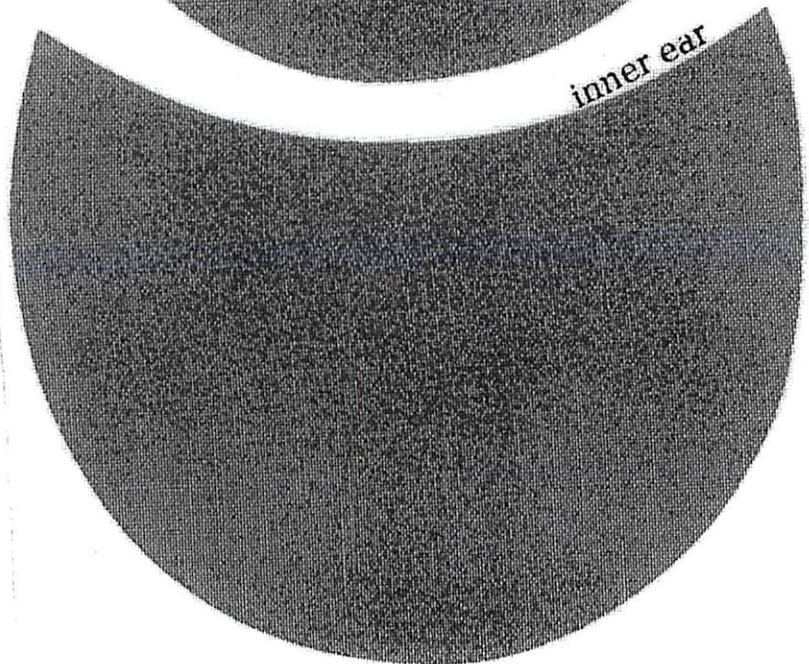
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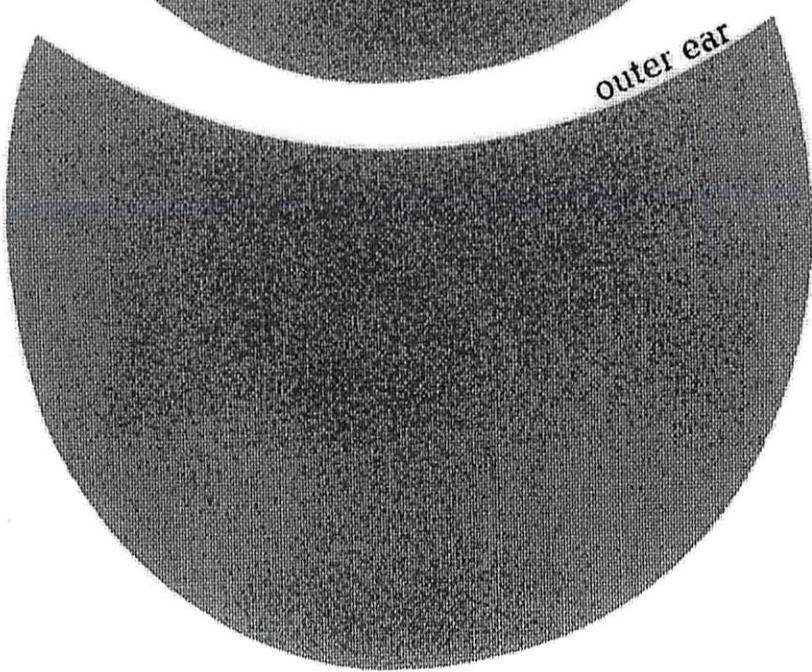
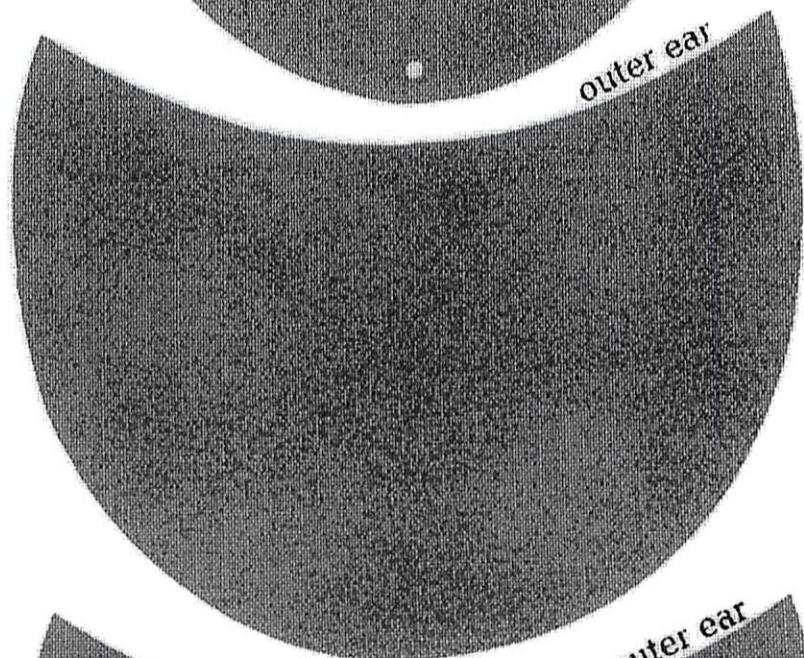
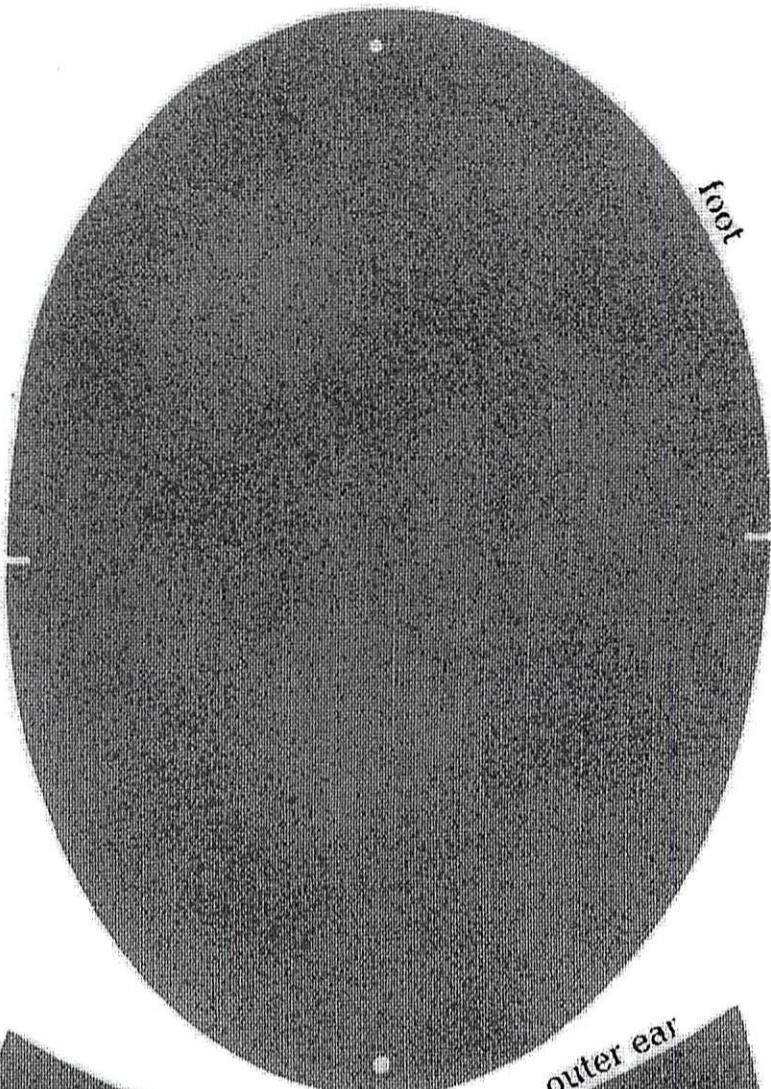


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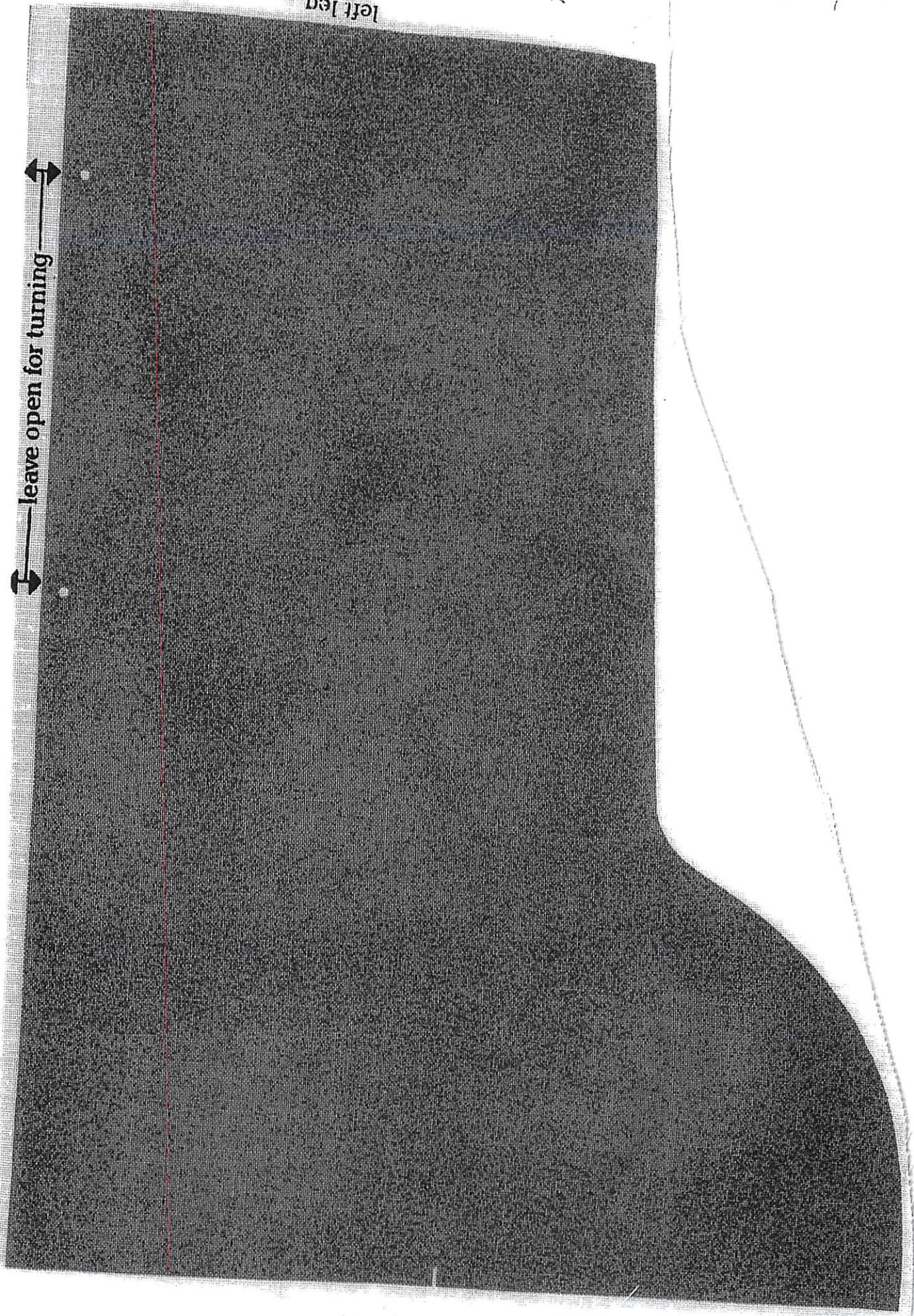
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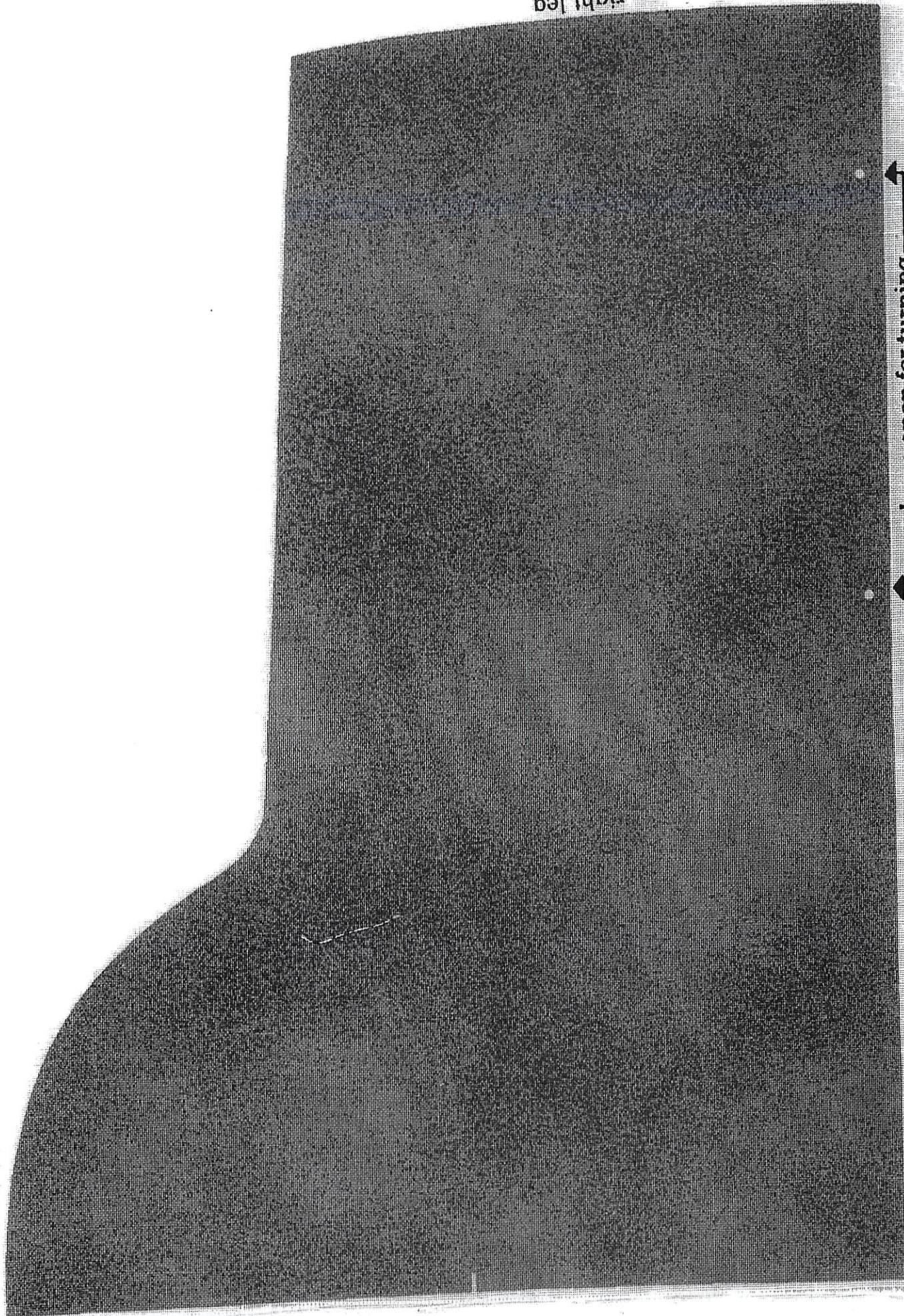
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right leg

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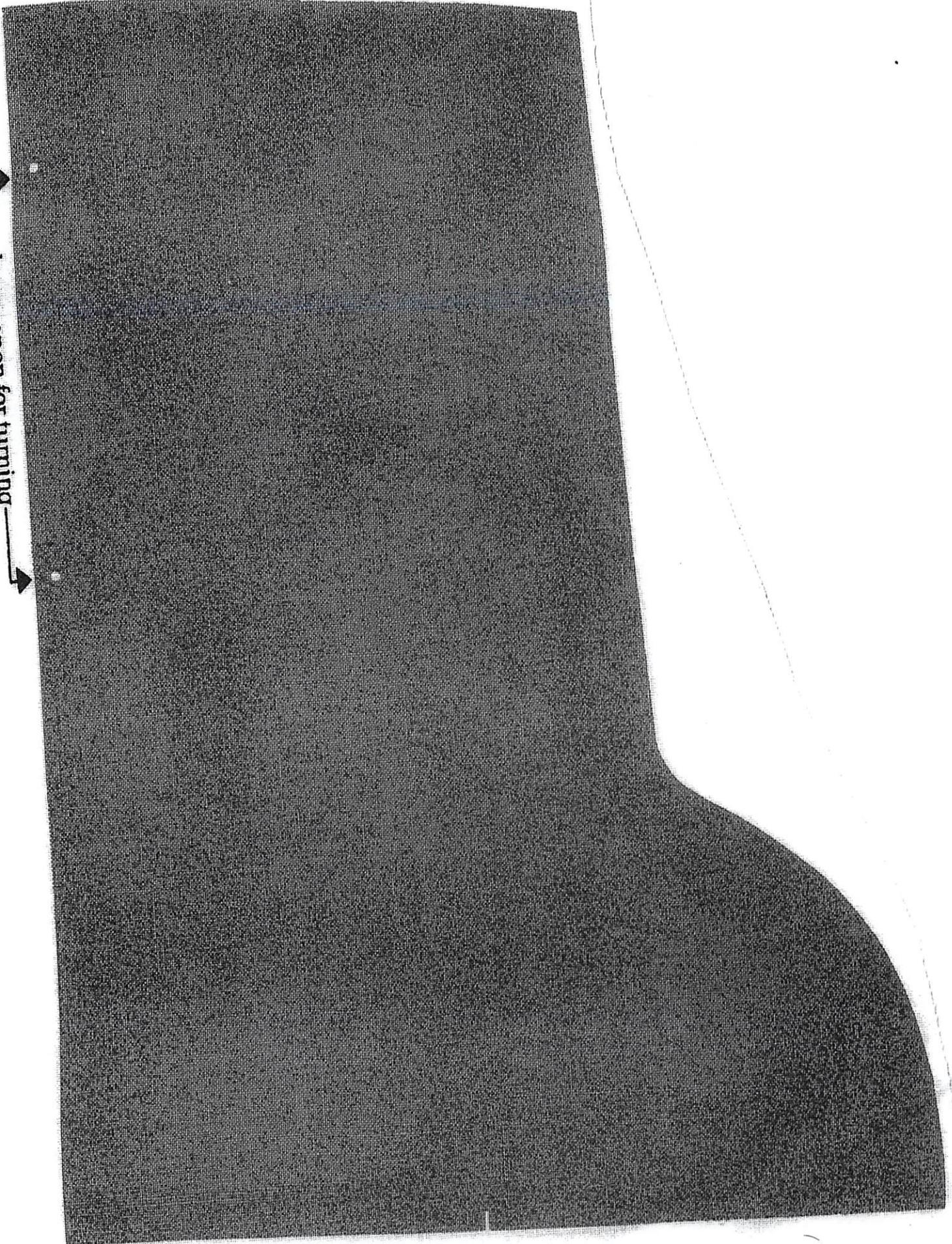
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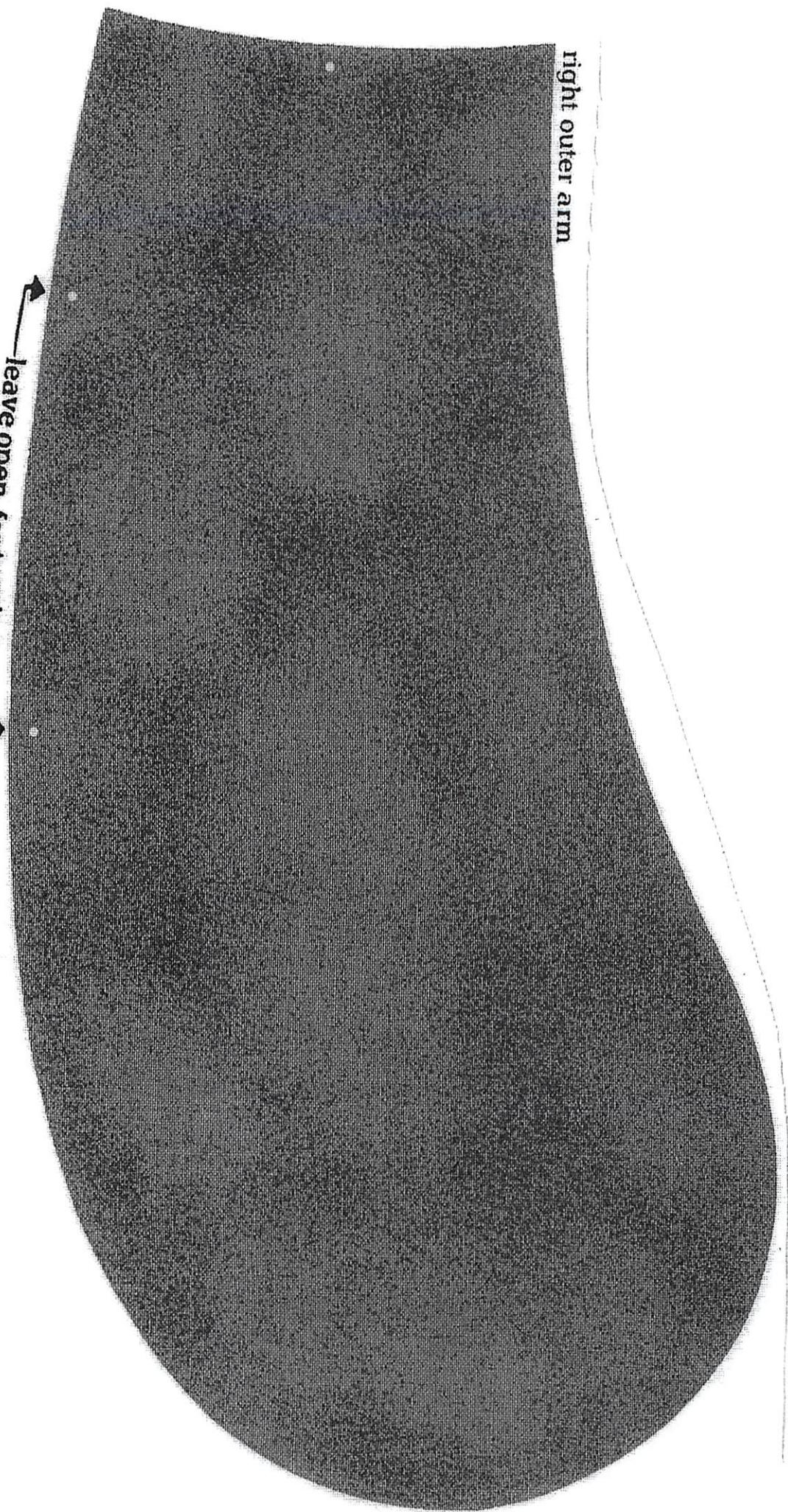
right leg

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right outer arm

leave open for turning



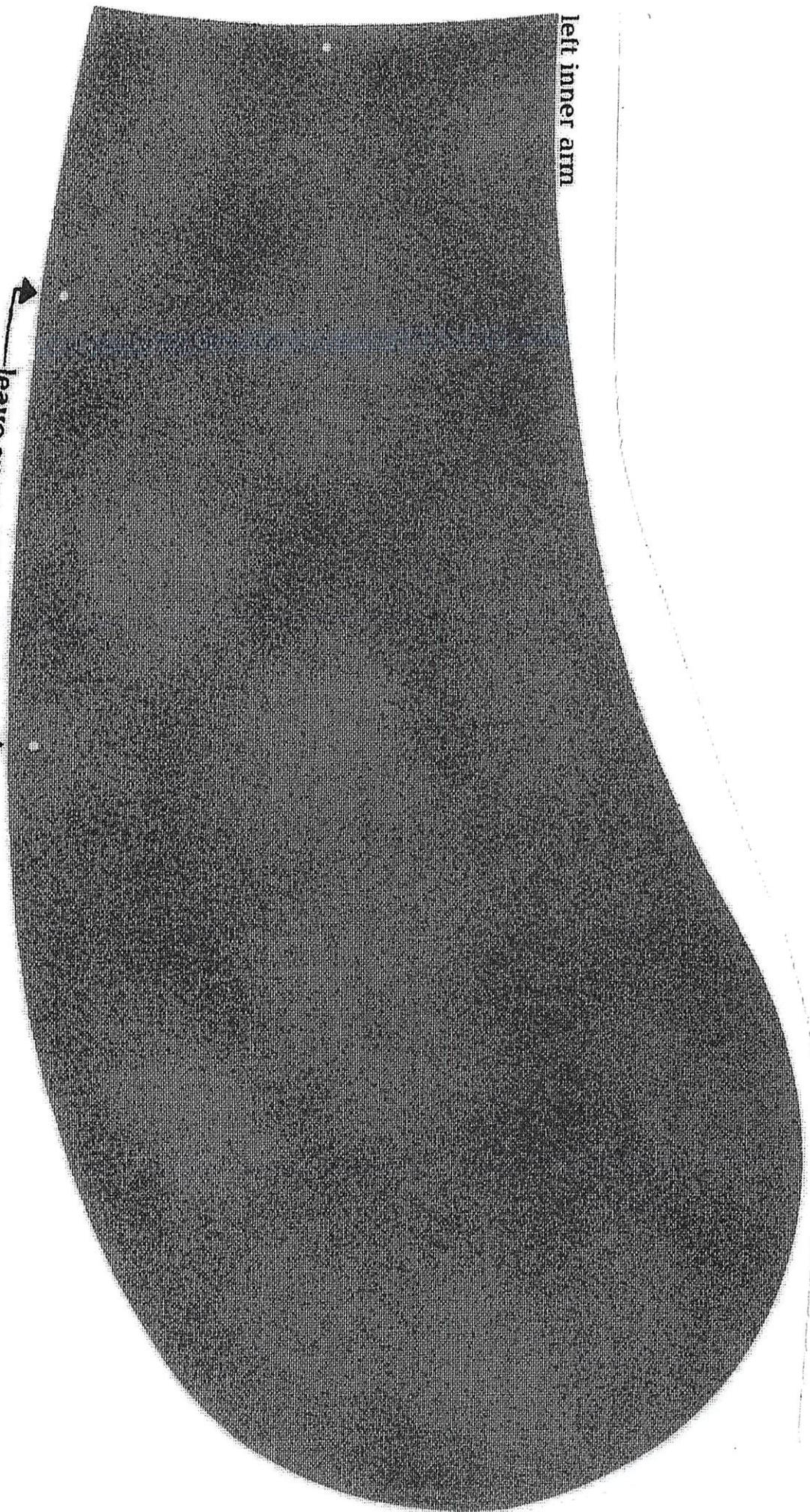
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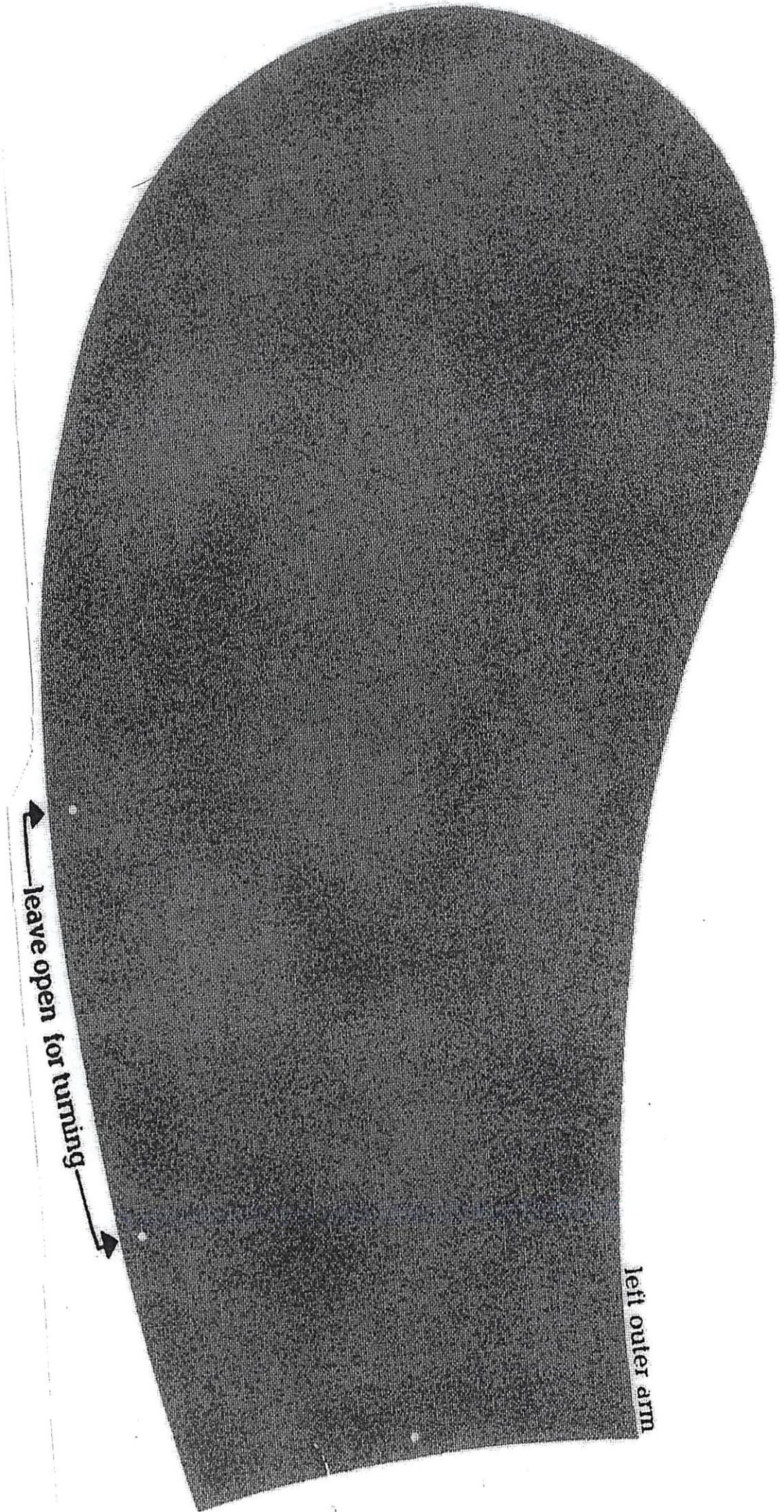
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left inner arm

leave open for turning



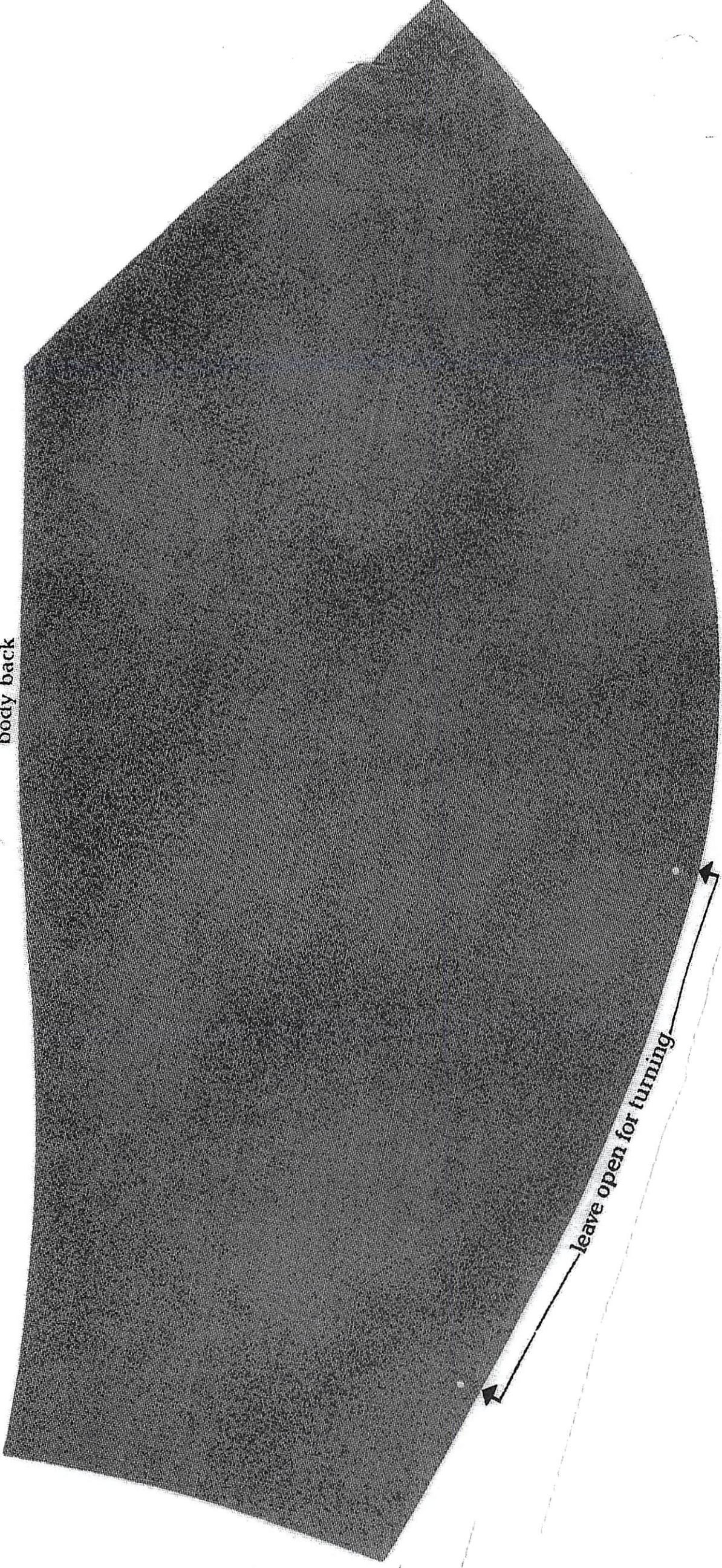


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left outer arm

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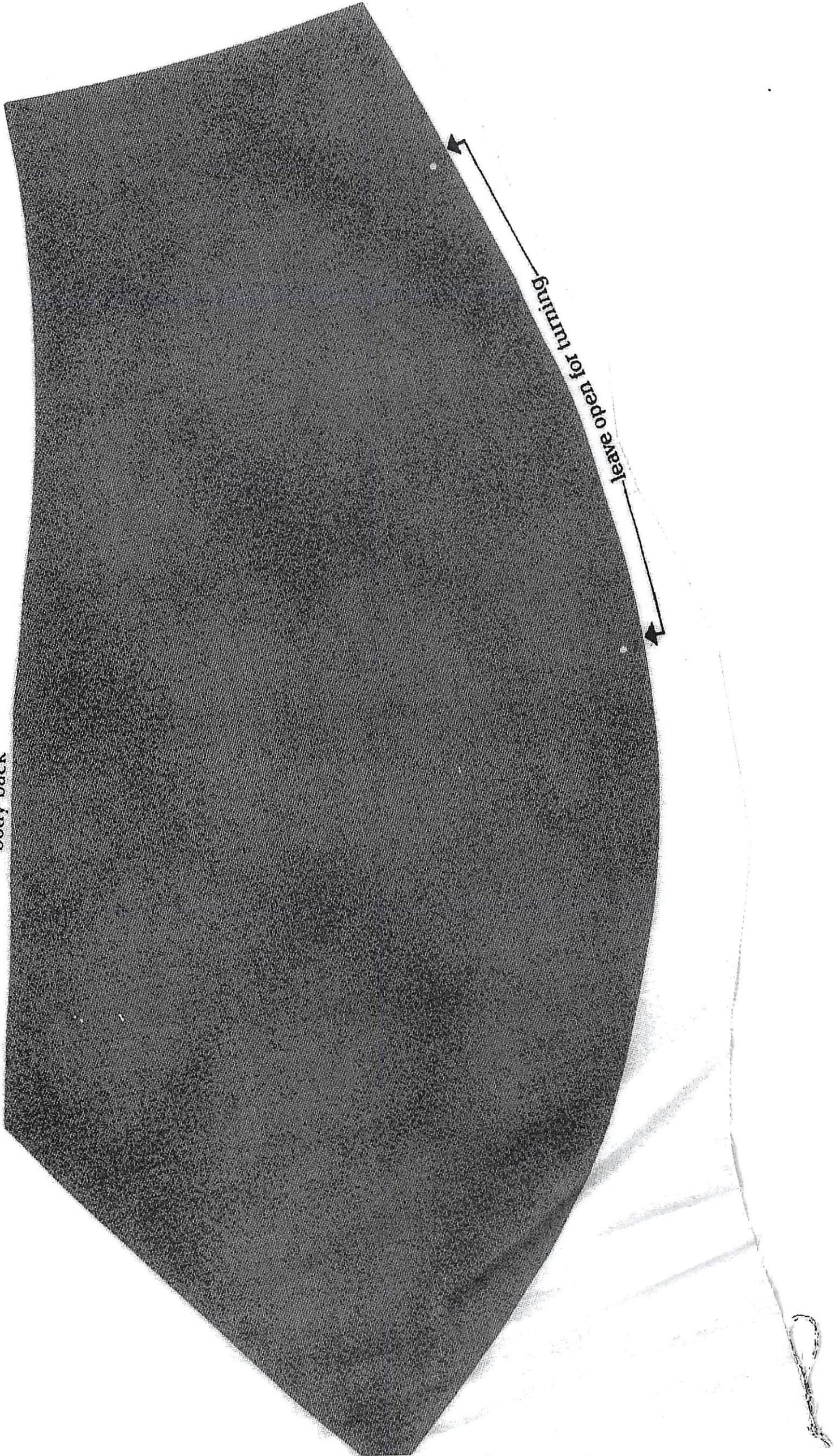
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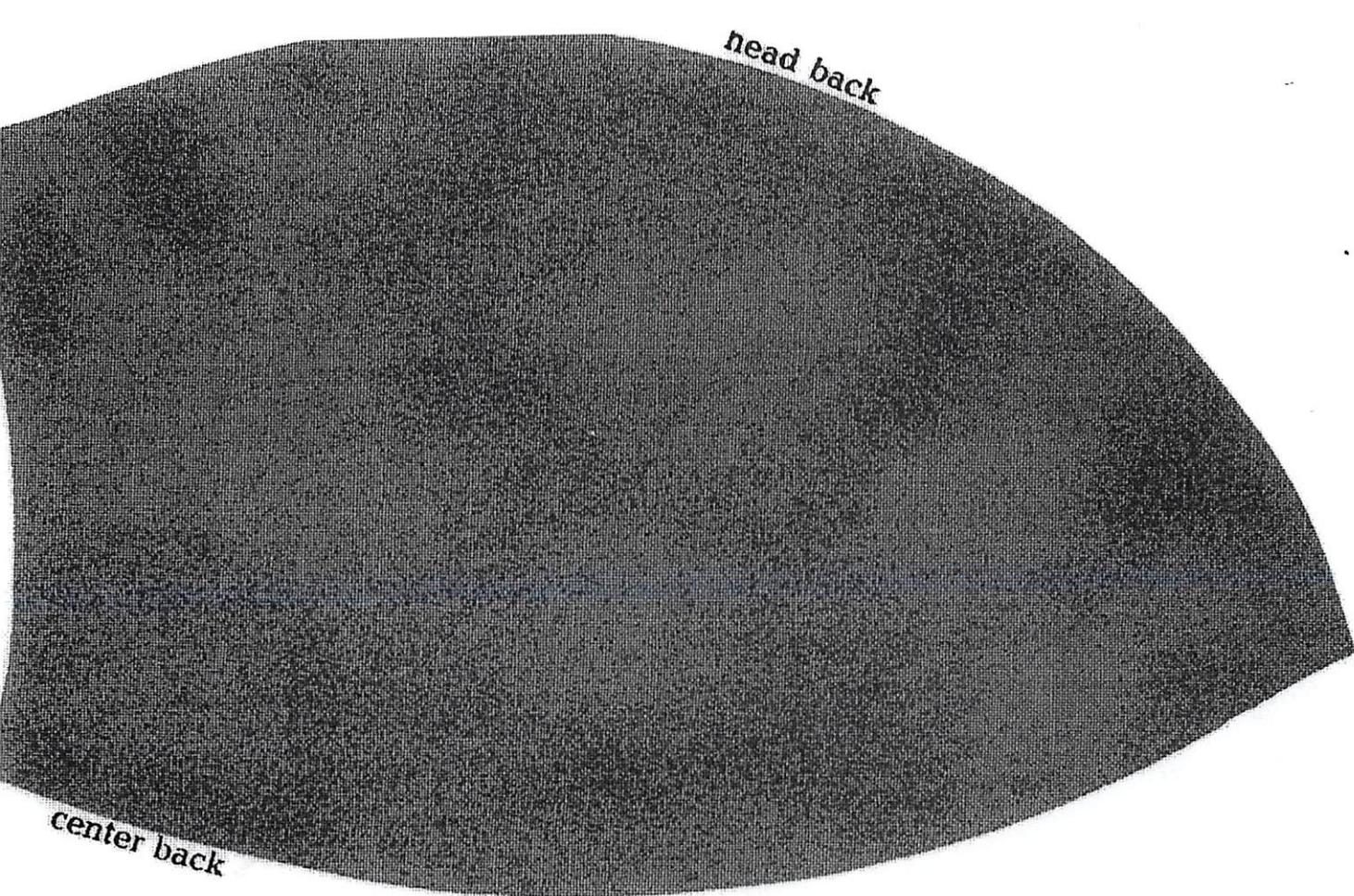


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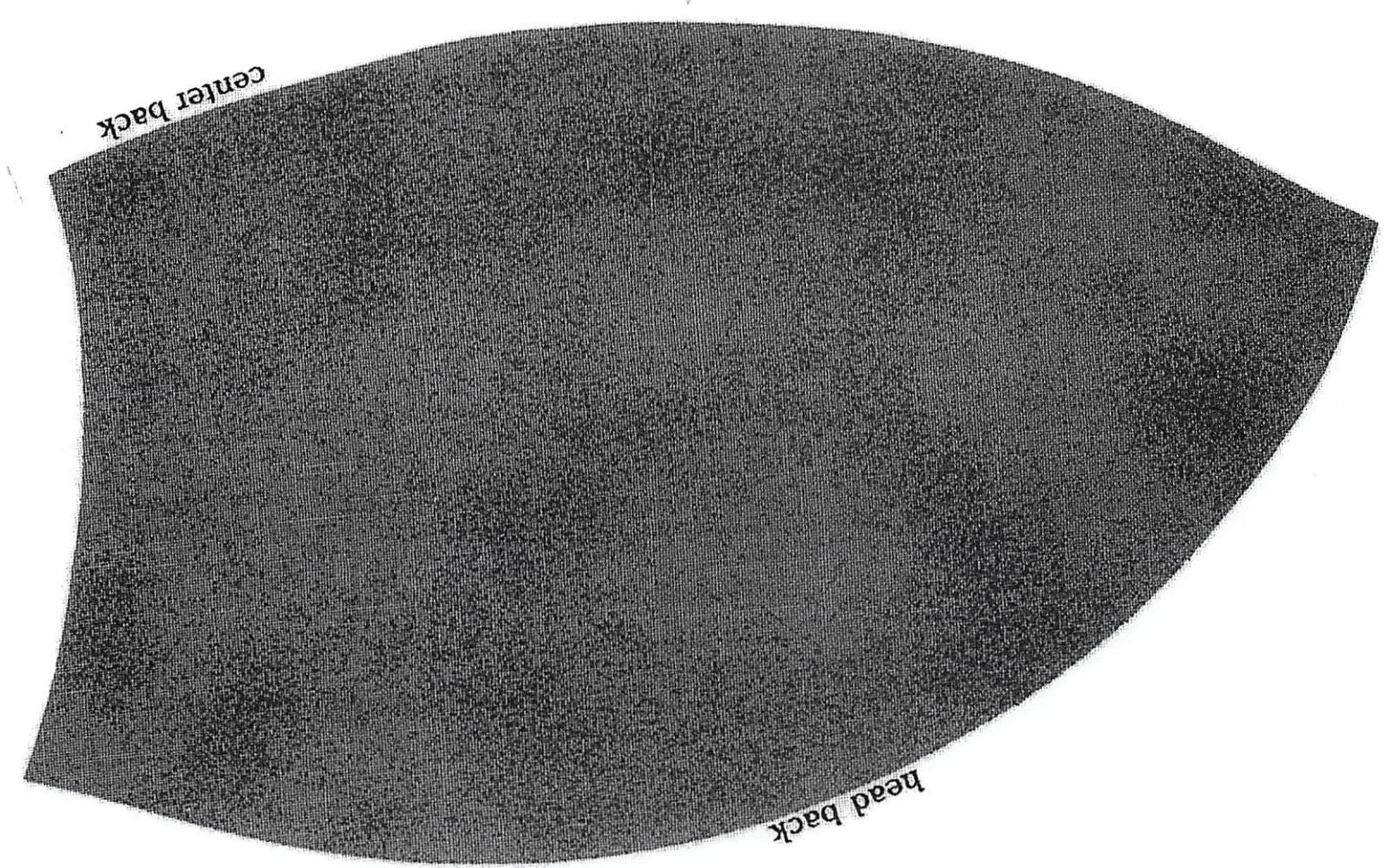
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head back

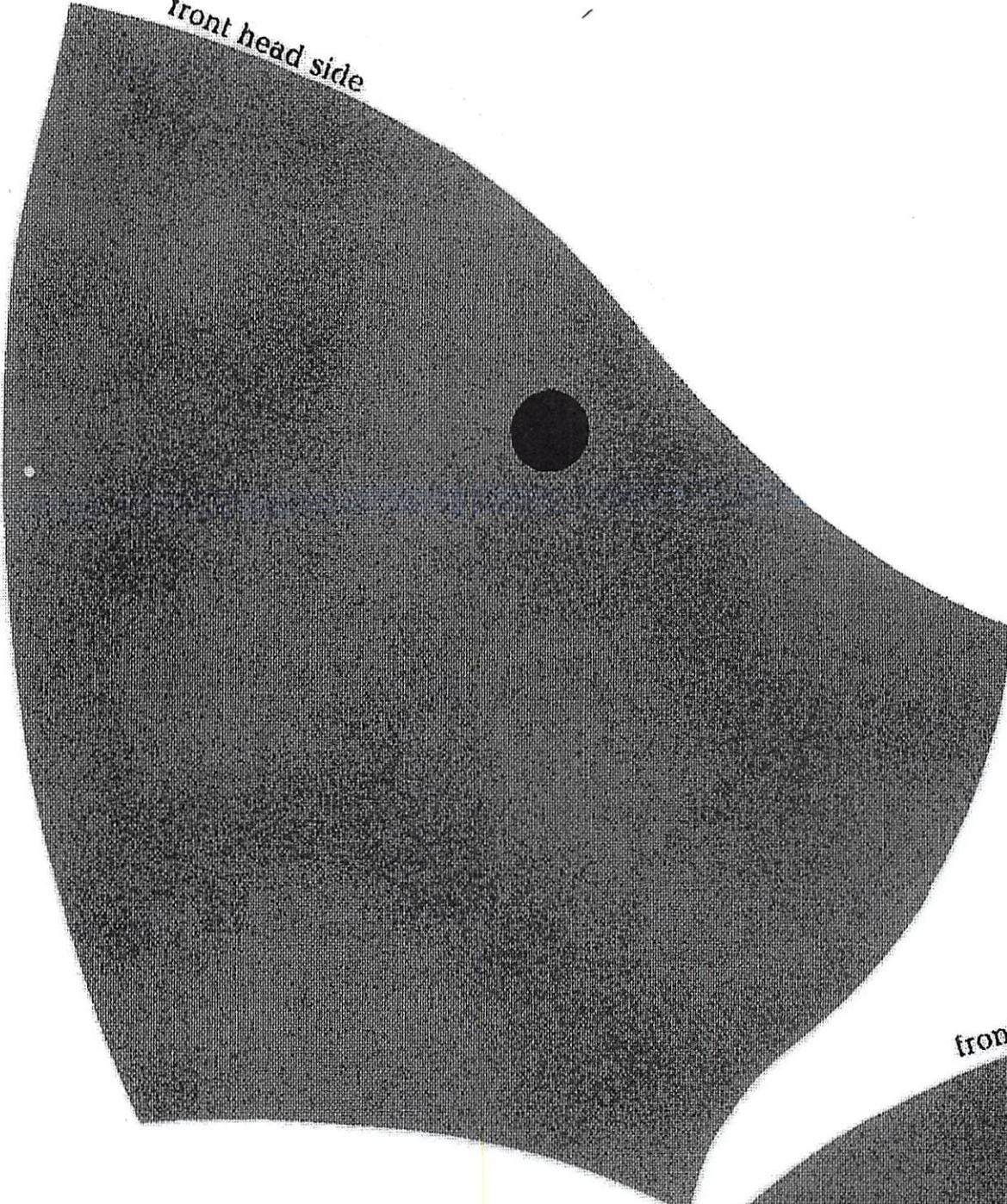
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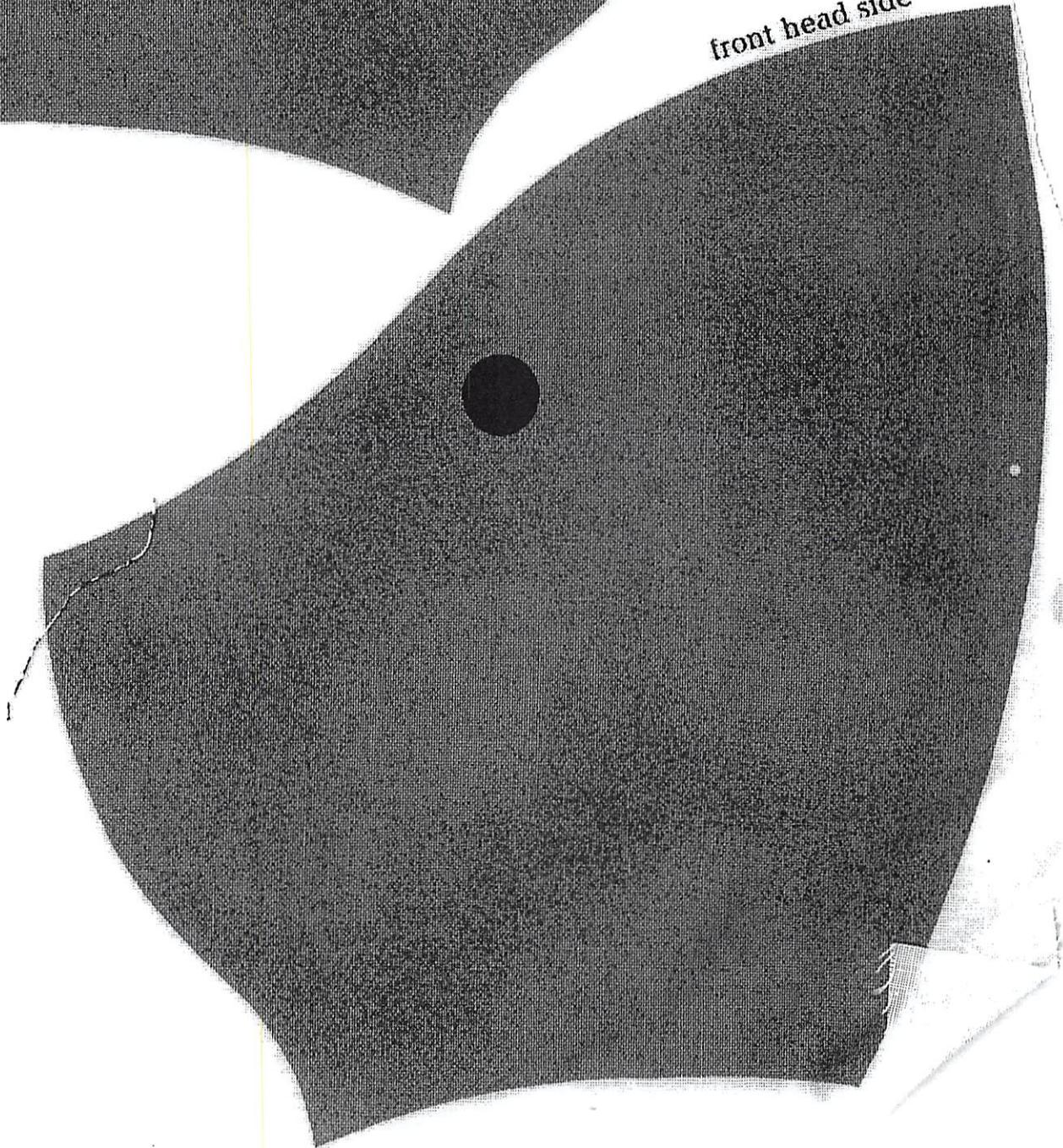
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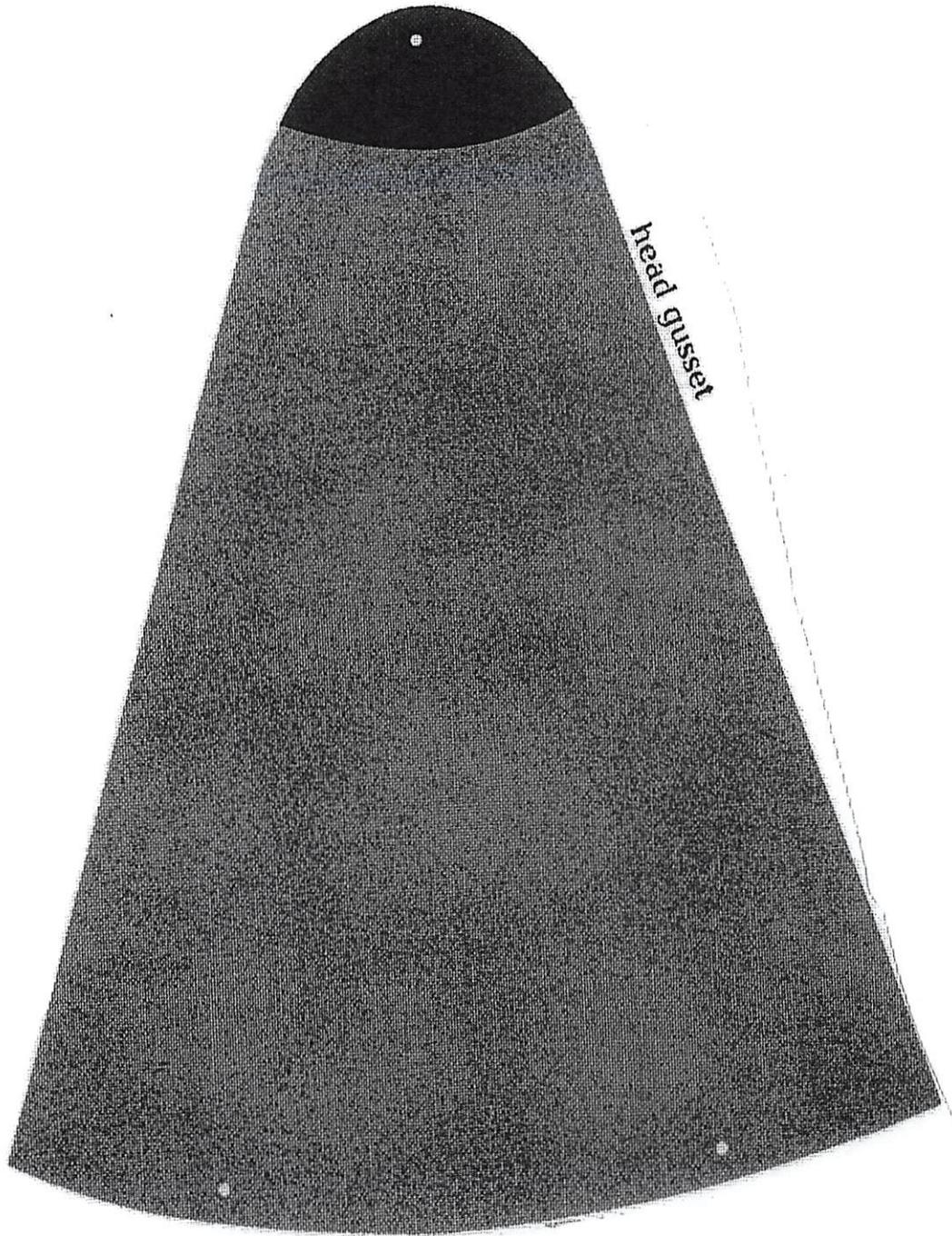
head back

front head side



front head side





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