

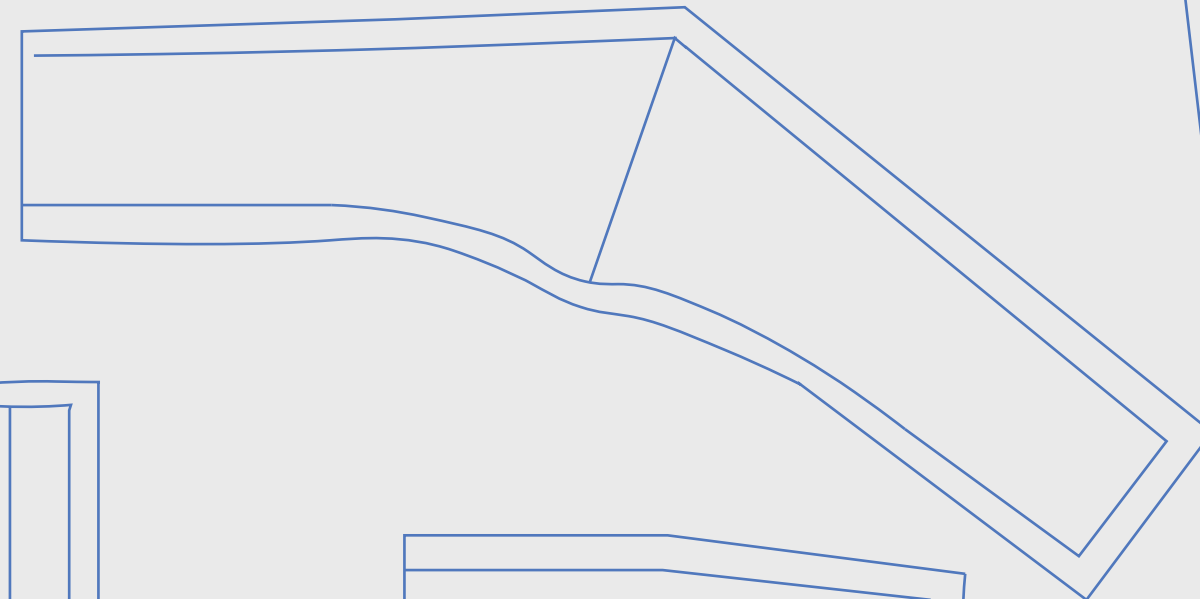
# PATTERN PROTOTYPE : “SUSTAINABLE FUTURE” S/S 20??

companies are beginning to experiment with sustainable substitutes to disperse dyes and fabrics-- such as bacteria cured dye, lab grown leather, and kelp based textiles. the advancement of technology and science has allowed organic resources to be used as alternatives to environmentally detrimental textiles.

choose well, buy less.  
buying clothing that is made from high quality textiles rather than buying a lot of clothes that are cheaply made is much more practical and long lasting.

shopping at second hand thrift stores like beacon's closet, goodwill, and I train vintage also reduces the need to buy new clothes.  
it's important to note that most polyester fibers are not biodegradable, so buying items that are lightly used promotes longevity and long term use of the product.

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the u.n intergovernmental panel of climate change and the national oceanic and atmospheric administration's national climate assessment reported last year that we must cut carbon emissions by 45% in order to maintain a livable planet.  
  
this also includes the production of polyester because it requires fossil fuels to make.

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