

REVISING PRODUCT DESIGN FACTORS

What type of fabric, or material was used to create this garment? Describe if any of the following are important in this garment

Breathability

Weight

Drape

Durability

Softness

Materials Characteristics and Properties

What machines and tools were used to make the garment? Were any specialist dressmaking techniques used?

Technologies

How long did the garment take to make? How many people were involved in the process? How much did the garment cost?

Economics

Historically sustainability wasn't considered as much as it is now. Consider the impacts of the creation of this garment, socially, environmentally and economically.

Sustainability

Why was this garment considered creative or unusual for the time? What is something about this garment that is particularly innovative?

Innovation and Creativity

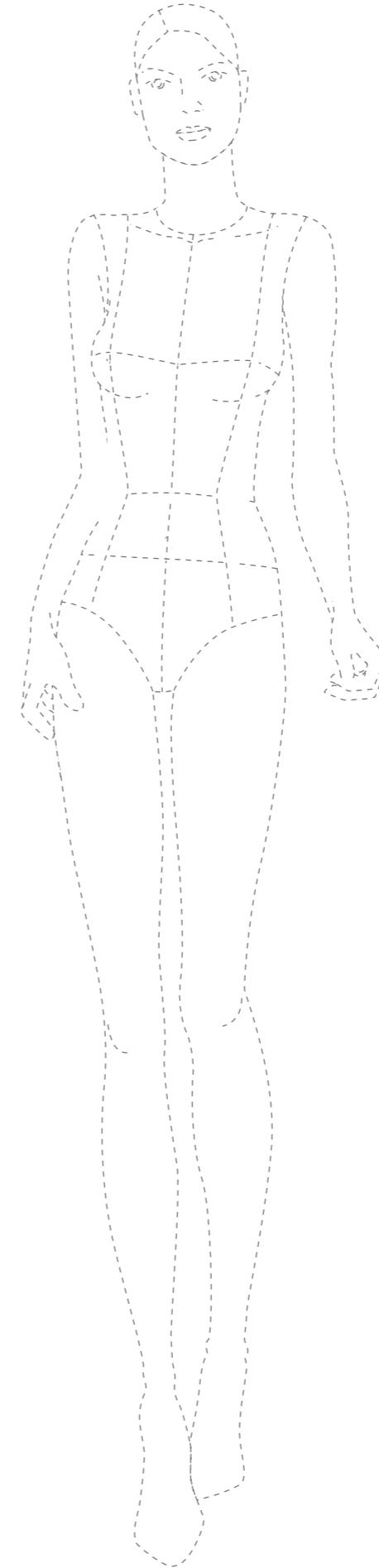
Who was the garment made or designed for? What features does the garment have to make it something that the user wants, or needs?

User Centered Design

Where is this garment suitable to wear? What is the function of the garment? Is there any secondary functions?

Purpose Function Context

Sketch one of the garments from the Balenciaga exhibition. Describe the Product Design Factors that are important in the garments design and development



Visual Tactile and Aesthetic Qualities

Describe the products form, garment features and it's overall feel.

Describe how the designers have used one of the following in their design: point, line, shape, form, texture, tone, colour, transparency

How have the designers used natural forms, patterns and structures to create aesthetic appeal?

Describe the most important design principles: balance, contrast, repetition, movement/rhythm, pattern, proportion