

STREAMLINED PANTS

reforming a pair of pants into a twisted version with ready bent knee for the streamlined look in the wind.

a >SELF_PASSAGE< method

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1. get an old pair of pants - preferably quite long.



2. unbutton the hem by the foot.



3. cut off just above the knee.



4. lay the bottom parts with the front fold upwards. cut a semi-circle in the continuation of the inner leg seam and a diagonal opposite.



5. turn inside out and make a seam along the semicircle - forming the new knee. (the old front fold is now in the side of the leg)



6. cut the top part of the pants diagonally just above knee.



7. and unbutton the outer side seam until just some cm under the pocket starts.



8. pin together the leg with the top part. the leg diameter will be smaller than the top. pleat the unbuttoned side seam to fit.



9. to be something like this - observe the folds under the pocket where the extra width is taken in. sew together leg parts.



10. make channels to make the leg's width a little narrower. let channels turn from side to back of calf.



11. so it could be something like this in the end - streamlined. now get out there against the stream!