

BOOMERANG



Materials:

For body and bottom 3-4 oz medium to firm temper. Straps 5-6 oz. Boomerang 6-8 oz firm.

Hardware:

2 x 1" buckles

3/8" grommets (size may vary slightly but you have to adjust the holes)

2 x 1" D-rings

1 x 5" zipper

1 x button stud

Rivets

Tools:

Scissors, knife (paper knife or rotary cutter would also work).

Stitching irons: my pattern is made for 5mm stitching irons (5 stitches per inch). If you are willing to use any other size please make sure that the hole count is the same where it has to be the same: the pocket seams, the vertical seams, the bottom and both front and back panels.

Needles - according to your thread size, a pair of saddle needles.

Mallet, grommet setter, rivet setter, hole puncher.

Instructions:

Print the pattern at actual size (100%). Use the reference on top of each page to make sure everything is printed correctly. Join the pages together. Cut the pieces.

Sew the zipper in the zipper frame. I like to glue it before sewing to make sure it is well aligned.

Assemble the D-ring holders with the grommets. If there were grommets with longer posts it would be possible to join these holes with those on the back panel but that would be 3 layers of leather and I don't have the grommets that could handle this thickness. If you find some, it's a better option to make it this way. Don't forget to insert D-rings beforehand, some grommets are a pain to uninstall (ask me how do I know that LOL).

Sew the pocket panel on the back panel. Insert the handle into the small seam on top.

Rivet the buckle holders on the bottom. Your strap keepers' length may vary depending on the thickness of your leather.

Assemble the backpack. It is all assembled with overlapped seams, front and back panel being on top of the bottom in the seam, in the side seams front panel on top of the back panel. Buckle holders and the boomerang are sewn into that same seam on the bottom (buckle holders in between the layers, and boomerang on top). Sew the flap onto the back panel.

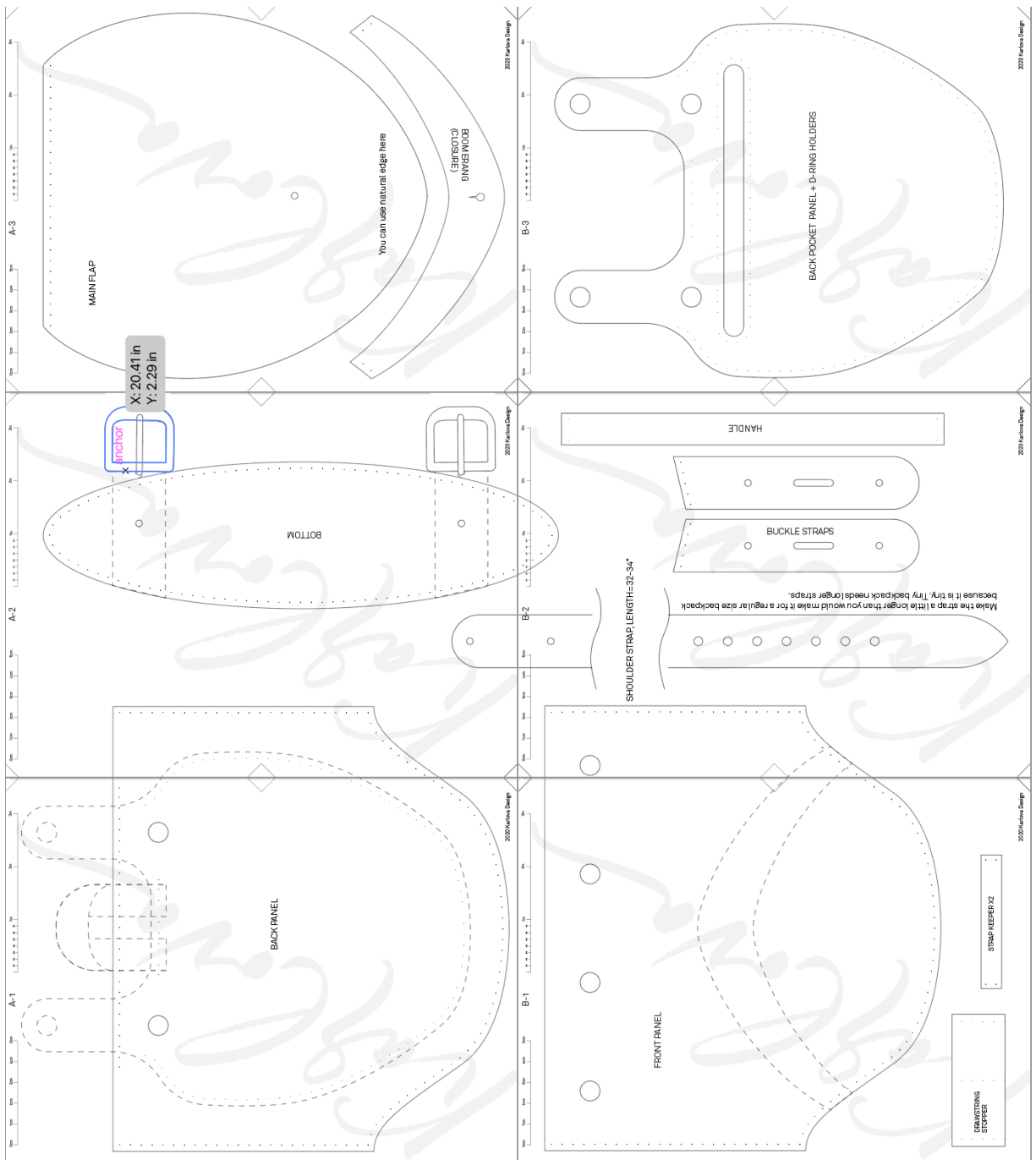
Install the straps. Make the drawstring stopper, insert the drawstring :)

I hope you will love your new Boomerang backpack. Good luck!

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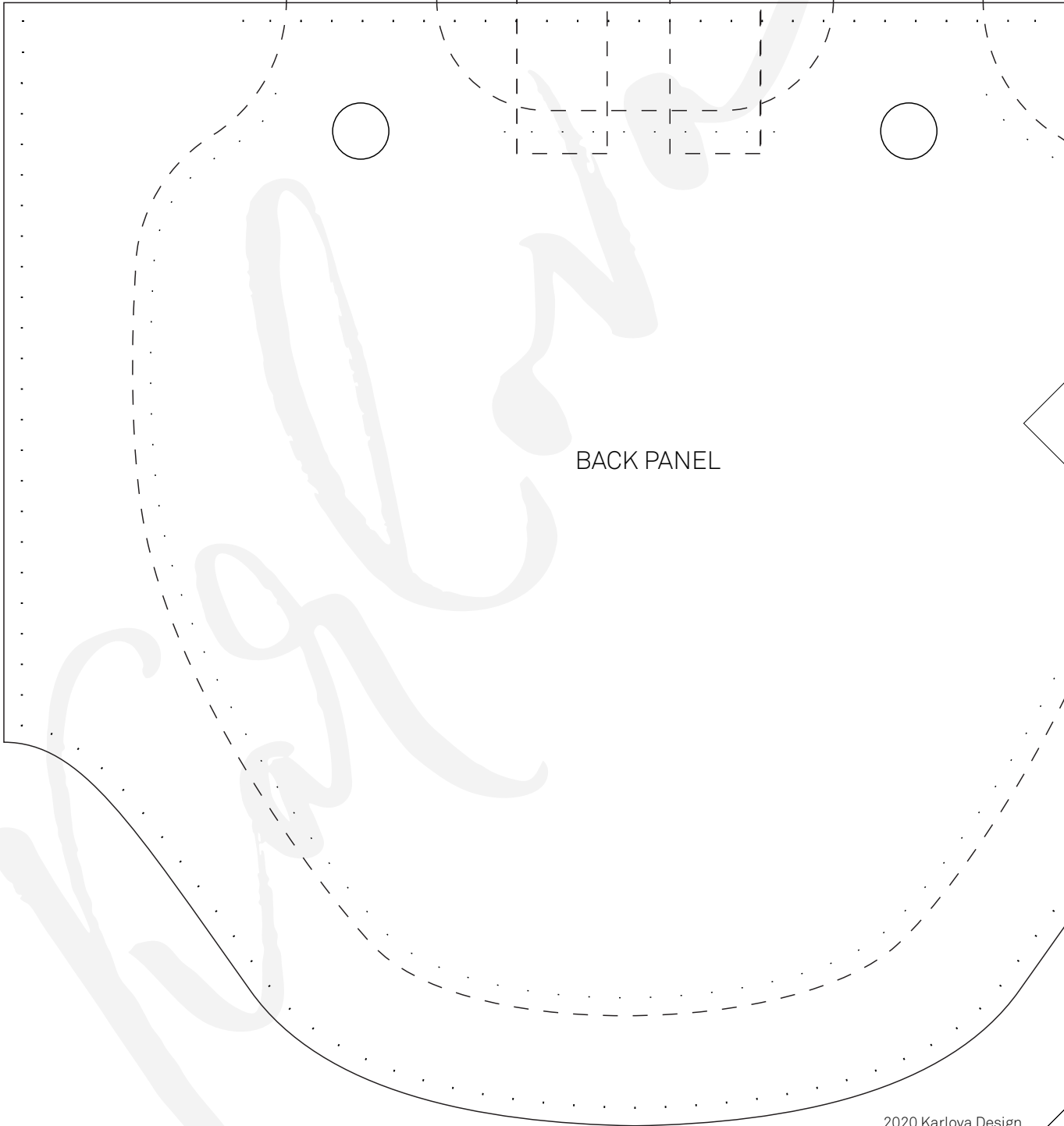
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BACK PANEL

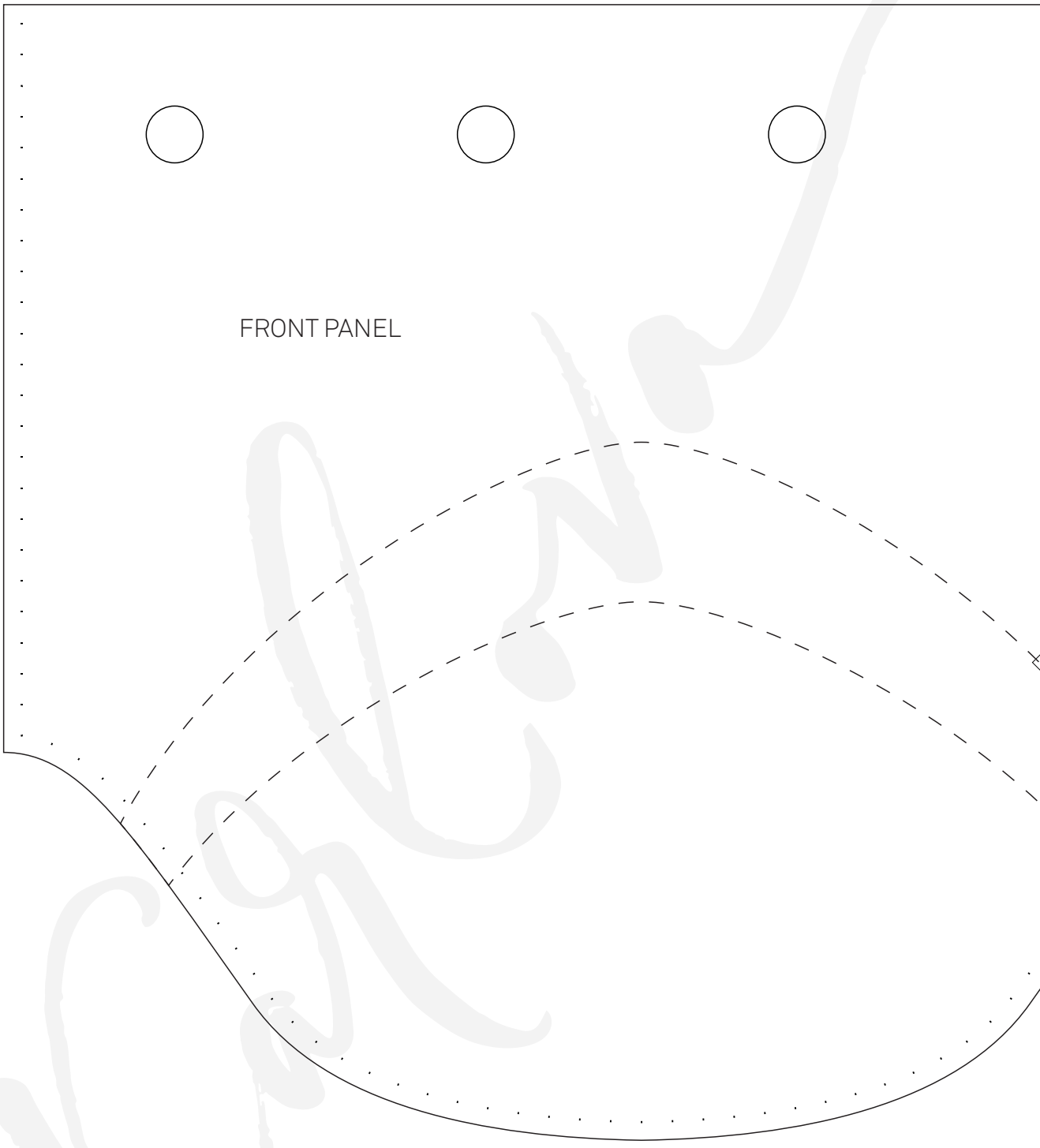
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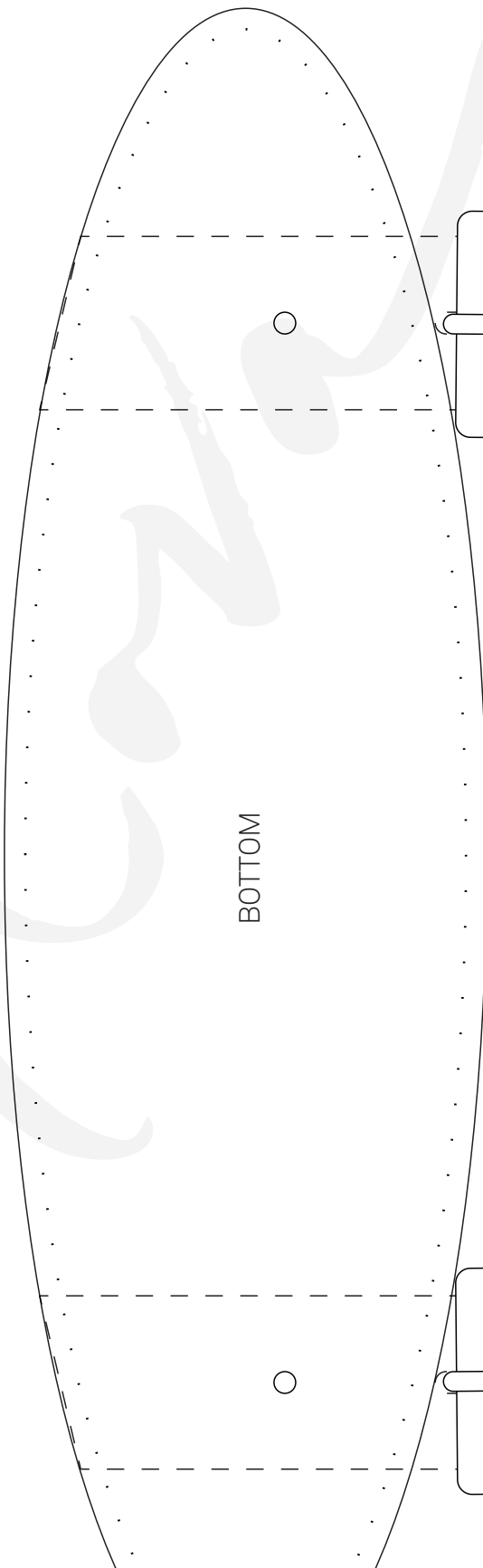
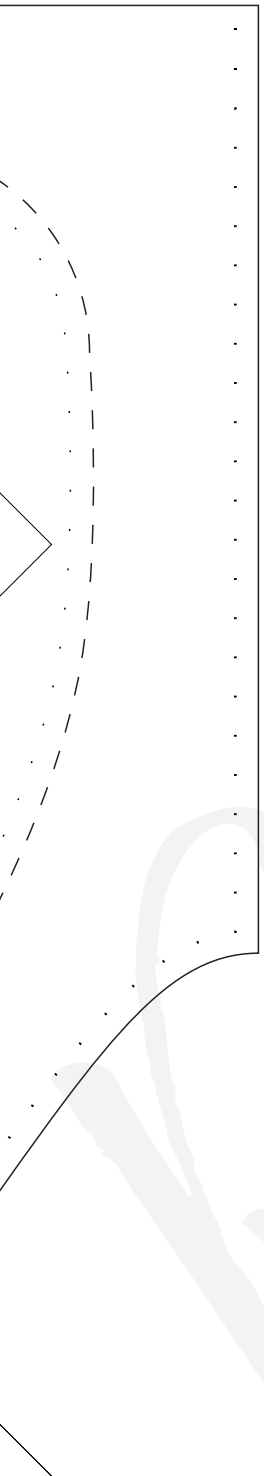
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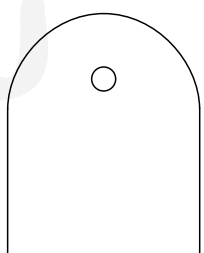
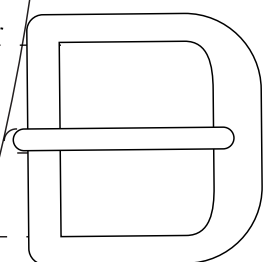
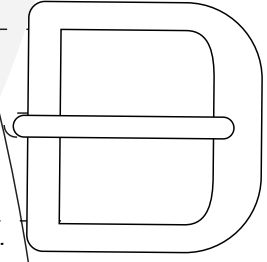
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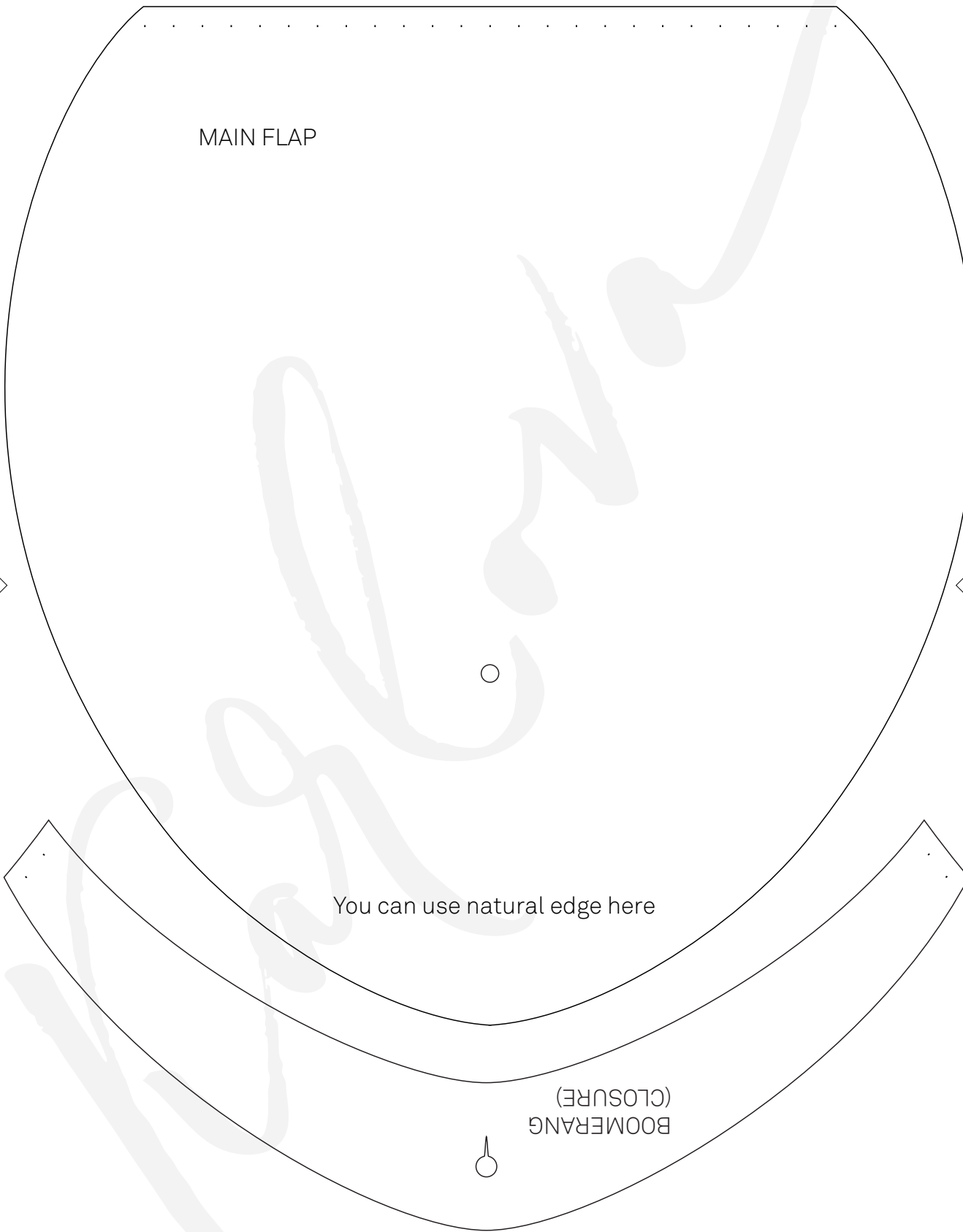
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BOTTOM





MAIN FLAP

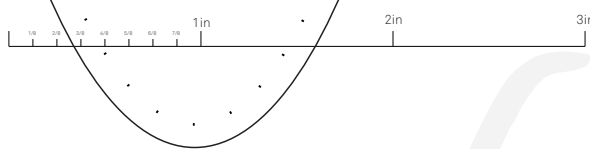
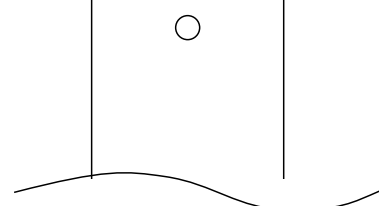
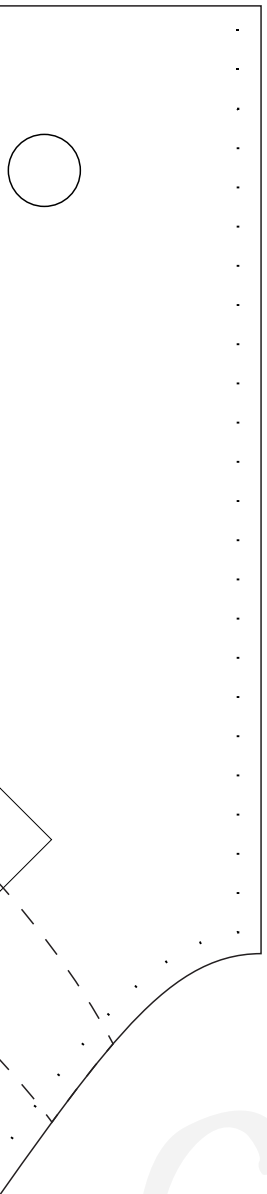
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BOOMERANG
(CLOSURE)

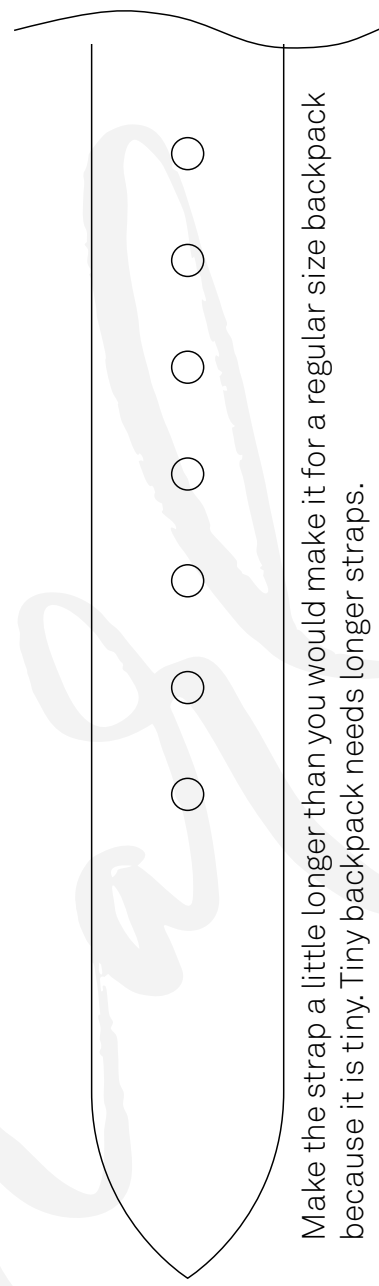
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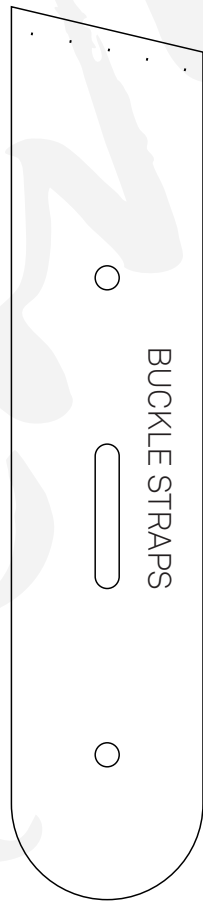
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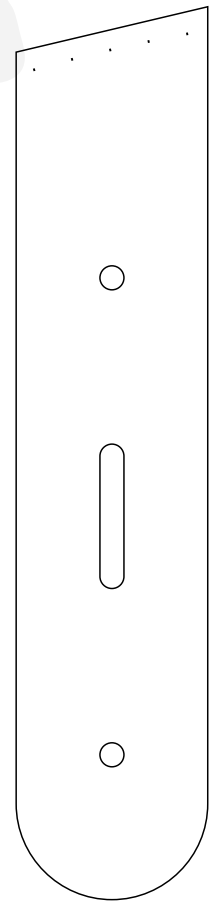
SHOULDER STRAP, LENGTH=32-34"



Make the strap a little longer than you would make it for a regular size backpack because it is tiny. Tiny backpack needs longer straps.



BUCKLE STRAPS

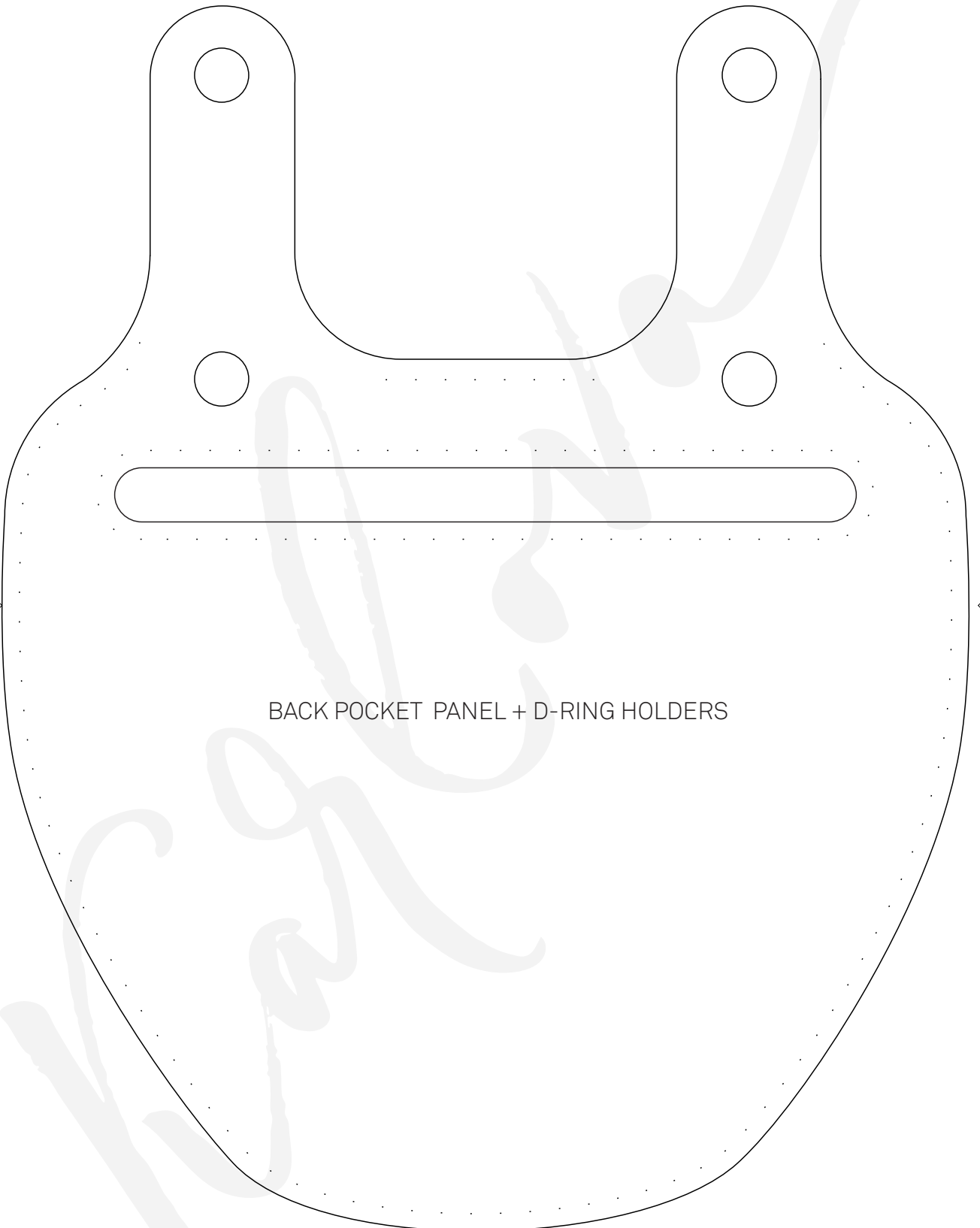


HANDLE

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B-3

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BACK POCKET PANEL + D-RING HOLDERS



TEST PAGE

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