

On October 16, 2013 and October 17, 2013, I examined the Destination Maternity Corporation (“DMC”) Secret Fit Belly® Products listed below, provided to me by counsel for DMC, and took the photographs that are in this report. *See* Ex. 2078 for all photographs that are in this report.

Table 1 (Ex. 2077)

DMC Secret Fit Belly® Product	Garment Type
Style 93480-01	Trouser
Style 96316-42	Denim Jeans
Style 91401-01	Trouser
Style 94278-10	Skirt

My opinions in this report are based on the following underlying facts or data: I placed each of the Secret Fit Belly® products on AlvaForm maternity fit mannequins with detachable bellies that are shown in the AlvaForm web site.¹ *See* Ex. 2053. I used the 3 month (Size 8) pregnancy and 9 month (Size 8) pregnancy detachable bellies for two different body types associated with DMC’s product lines:



MOTHERHOOD and MIMI. I measured the circumference of each fit mannequin at the maximum girth and just below the breast.

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Table 2 (Ex. 2077)

FIT MANNEQUIN	Measured Just Beneath the Breast	Measured at Maximum Girth
MOTHERHOOD 3 Month- Size 8	31 5/8"	40 3/8"
MOTHERHOOD 9 Month- Size 8	32 1/4"	46 1/8"
MIMI 3 Month- Size 8	30 1/8"	38 3/8"
MIMI 9 Month- Size 8	31 1/8"	44 1/2"

It is my opinion that the above listed DMC Secret Fit Belly® Products meet the independent claim limitations of U.S. Patent No. RE43,531 E titled “Belly Covering Garment,” (hereinafter referred to as the “’531 Patent”) (Petitioner’s Ex. 1018), and U.S. Patent No. RE43,563 E titled “Belly Covering Garment” (hereinafter referred to as the “’563 Patent”) (Petitioner’s Ex. 1001). The DMC Secret Fit Belly® Products also meet the limitations of certain dependent claims of the ‘531 Patent and the ‘563 Patent that are at issue before the Patent Trial and Appeal Board (“PTAB”). The below charts identify the claims-at-issue that each product embodies. For both the ‘531 Patent and the ‘563 Patent, the only independent claim is Claim 1.

Summary Claim Chart for the '531 Patent

Independent Claim

Claims

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DMC Secret Fit Belly® Product	1	2	5	6	10	11	15	17	24	25	26	27	28	29
Style 93480-01														
Style 96316-42														
Style 91401-01														
Style 94278-10														




Summary Claim Chart for the '563 Patent

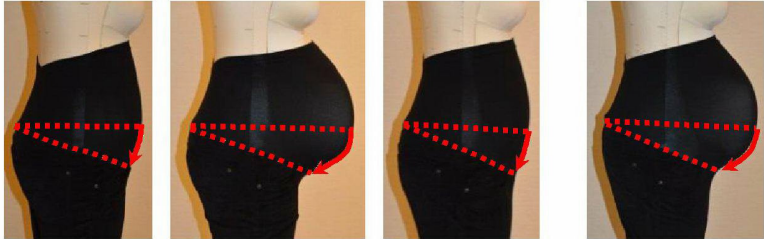
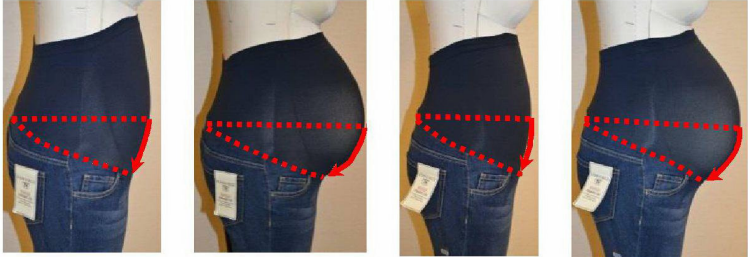
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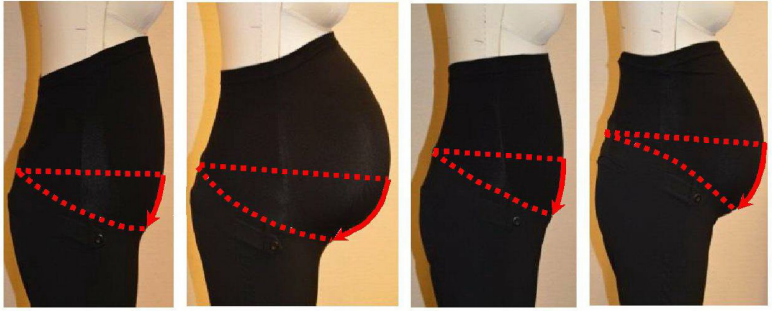
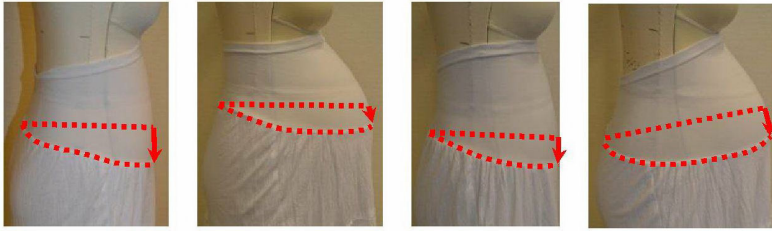
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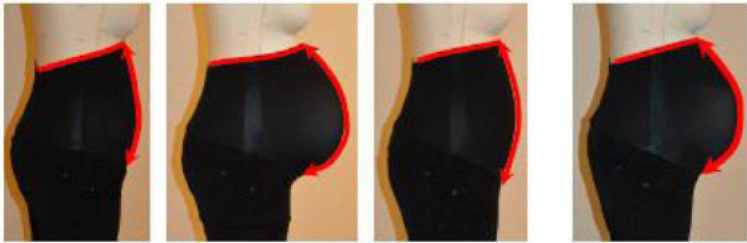
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Style 93480-01													
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Style 91401-01													
Style 94278-10													


Claim 1	DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the '531 Patent				
1. A garment comprising:					
[a] a garment upper portion having a belly panel that is expansible to cover and fit over a growing abdomen during different stages of pregnancy;	These DMC Secret Fit Belly® garments comprise a garment upper portion having a belly panel that is expansible to cover and fit over a growing abdomen during different stages of pregnancy. For example:				
	Style 93480-01				
		3 month Motherhood	9 month Motherhood	3 month Mimi	9 month Mimi













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<p>[b] a garment lower portion having a first</p>	<p>These DMC Secret Fit Belly® garments comprise a garment lower portion having a first torso encircling circumference that recedes downward to make way for expansion of the belly panel.</p>					





<p>torso encircling circumference that recedes downward to make way for expansion of the belly panel; and</p>	<p>For example:</p>								
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<p>[c] and the garment upper portion having a second torso encircling circumference defining an upper edge of the belly panel that encircles a wearer's torso just beneath the wearer's breast area configured to</p>	<p>These DMC Secret Fit Belly® garments comprise a garment upper portion having a second torso encircling circumference defining an upper edge of the belly panel that encircles a wearer's torso just beneath the wearer's breast area configured to hold the garment up and in place about the torso in a position of a location of maximum girth of the abdomen thereby substantially covering the wearer's entire pregnant abdomen during all stages of pregnancy. For example:</p>					

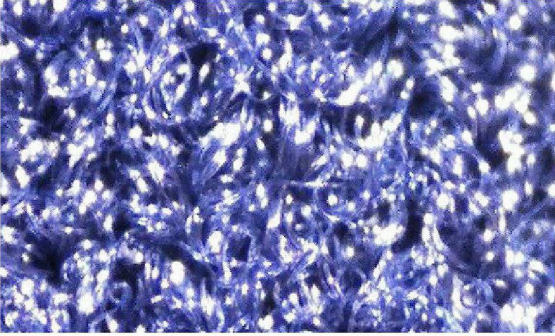

<p>hold the garment up and in place about the torso in a position of a location of maximum girth of the abdomen thereby substantially covering the wearer's entire pregnant abdomen during all stages of pregnancy</p>					
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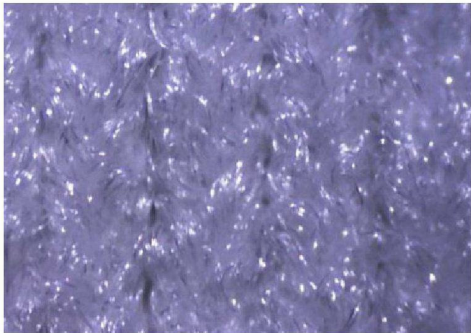
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<p style="text-align: center;">Claim 2</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the '531 Patent</p>					
<p>2. The garment of claim 1,</p>	<p><i>See claim 1 above.</i></p>					


<p>[a] wherein the second torso encircling circumference is adjustable in girth in conformance with different body types.</p>	<p>These DMC Secret Fit Belly® garments include all of the elements of Claim 1 and have a second torso encircling circumference which is adjustable in girth in conformance with different body types. For example:</p>					
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	Style 94278-10		
		9 month Motherhood	9 month Mimi
Claim 5	DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the ‘531 Patent		
5. The garment of claim 1,	<i>See claim 1 above.</i>		
[a] wherein the garment upper portion comprises an	These DMC Secret Fit Belly® garments include all of the elements of Claim 1 and comprise a garment upper portion which comprises an elastic fabric that is contractible elastically to cover an abdomen during different stages of postpartum body changes.		


<p>elastic fabric that is contractible elastically to cover an abdomen during different stages of postpartum body changes.</p>	<p>For example:</p>	
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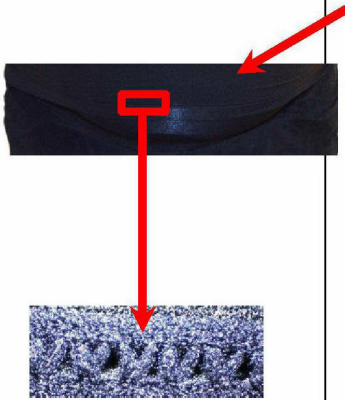
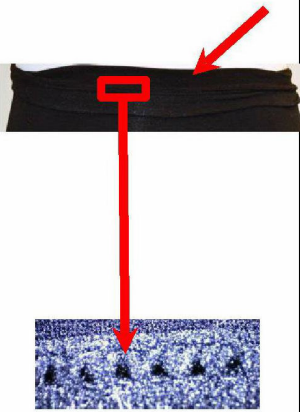
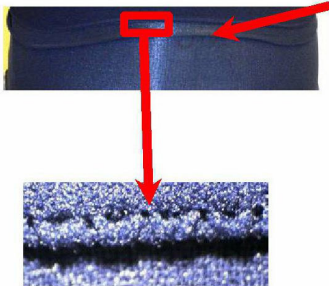
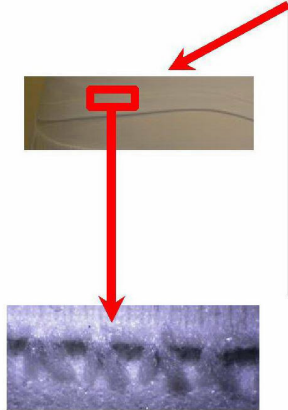
	Style 96316-42	 <p>Knitted elastic fabric which is contractible elastically</p>
	Style 91401-01	 <p>Knitted elastic fabric which is contractible elastically</p>




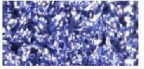


	<p>Style 94278-10</p>	 <p>Knitted elastic fabric which is contractible elastically</p>
<p>Claim 6</p>		<p>DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the '531 Patent</p>
<p>6. The garment of claim 1,</p>	<p><i>See claim 1 above.</i></p>	
<p>[a] wherein the garment lower portion has a partial waistband extending from side seams of the garment lower portion and extending across a back side of the garment lower portion where the partial waistband widens above a wearer's pelvis.</p>	<p>This DMC Secret Fit Belly® garment includes all of the elements of Claim 1 and a garment lower portion which has a partial waistband extending from side seams of the garment lower portion and extending across a back side of the garment lower portion where the partial waistband widens above a wearer's pelvis. For example:</p>	

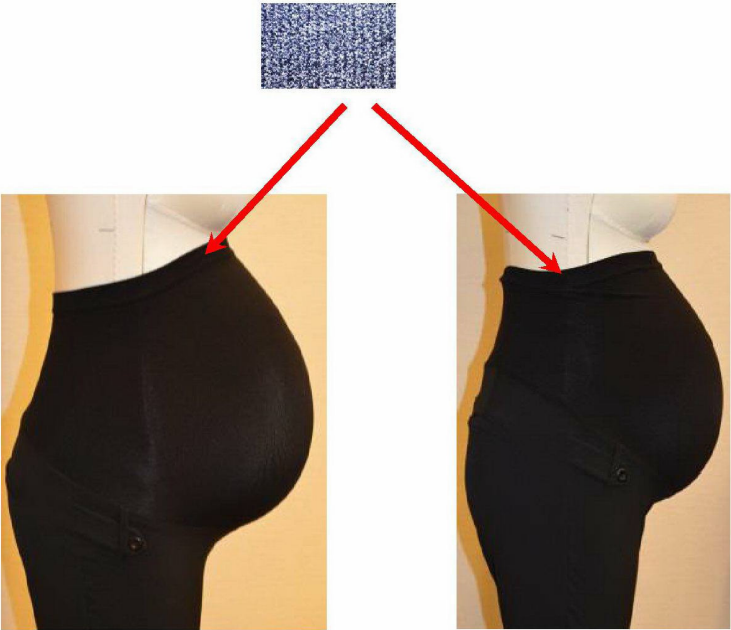
	<p>Style 96316-42</p>	
<p>Claim 10</p>	<p>DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the '531 Patent</p>	
<p>10. The garment of claim 1,</p>	<p>See claim 1 above.</p>	
<p>[a] wherein the garment upper portion is foldable toward the garment lower portion to comprise a folded band on the garment lower portion.</p>	<p>These DMC Secret Fit Belly® garments include all of the elements of Claim 1 and comprise a garment upper portion which is foldable toward the garment lower portion to comprise a folded band on the garment lower portion. For example:</p>	

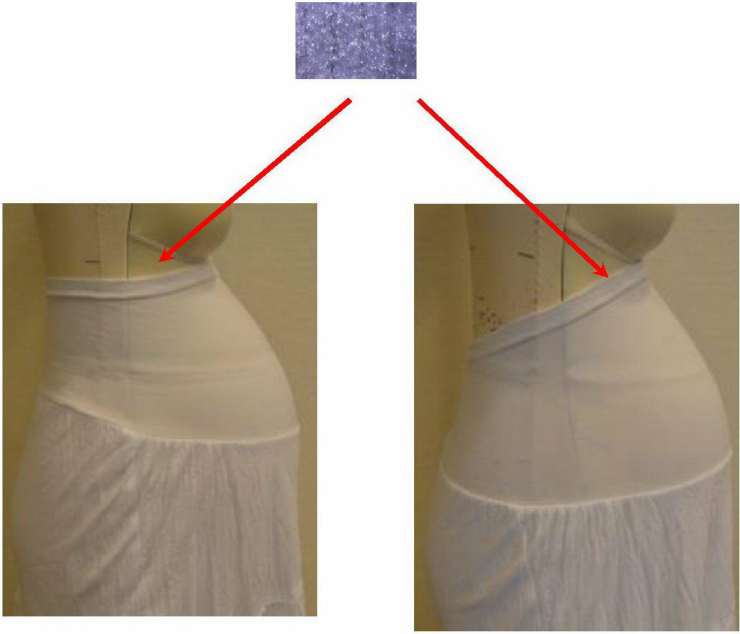
	Style 93480- 01		Style 91401- 01	
	Style 96316- 42		Style 94278- 10	
Claim 11	DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the '531 Patent			
11. The garment of claim 1,	<i>See claim 1 above.</i>			
[a] wherein the garment lower portion has a partial waistband extending from side seams of the garment lower portion wherein the partial waistband tapers toward the side seams and widens above a wearer's pelvis across a back side of the garment lower portion.	<p>This DMC Secret Fit Belly® garment includes all of the elements of Claim 1 and comprise a garment lower portion which has a partial waistband extending from side seams of the garment lower portion wherein the partial waistband tapers toward the side seams and widens above a wearer's pelvis across a back side of the garment lower portion. For example:</p>			

	<p style="text-align: center;">Style 96316-42</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">Claim 15</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the '531 Patent</p>	
<p>15. The garment of claim 1,</p>	<p><i>See claim 1 above.</i></p>	
<p>[a] wherein an edge margin of the garment upper portion is folded over and knitted to an inside of the fabric to provide a perimeter hem stitch.</p>	<p>These DMC Secret Fit Belly® garments include all of the elements of Claim 1 and comprise an edge margin of the garment upper portion is folded over and knitted to an inside of the fabric to provide a perimeter hem stitch. For example:</p>	



	Style 93480- 01		Style 91401- 01	
	Style 96316- 42		Style 94278- 10	
Claim 17	DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the '531 Patent			
17. The garment of claim 1,	<i>See claim 1 above.</i>			
[a] wherein the second torso encircling circumference comprises stretchable fabric to adjust the girth in conformance with different	These DMC Secret Fit Belly® garments include all of the elements of Claim 1 and comprise a second torso encircling circumference which comprises stretchable fabric to adjust the girth in conformance with different body types. For example:			





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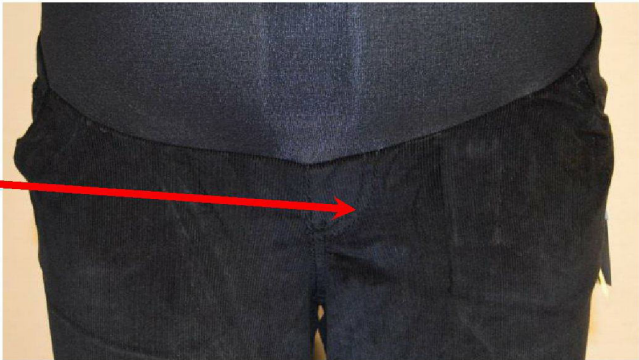
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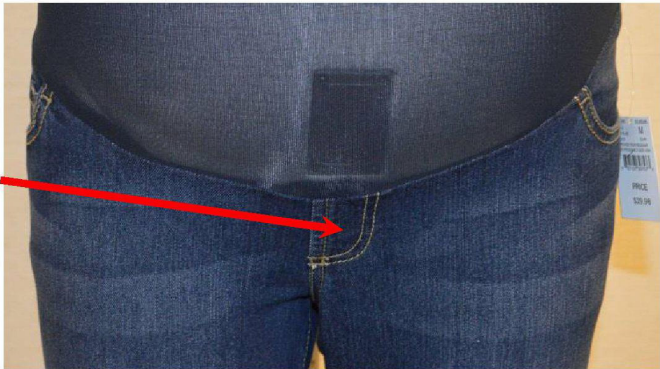
	<p>Style 94278-10</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">knit stretchable fabric</p> 	
<p>Claim 24</p>	<p>DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the '531 Patent</p>		
<p>24. The garment of claim 1,</p>	<p>See claim 1 above.</p>		
<p>[a] wherein the garment upper portion is foldable toward the garment lower portion to provide a folded band on the garment lower portion to be worn as a garment bottom having</p>	<p>These DMC Secret Fit Belly® garments include all of the elements of Claim 1 and comprise a garment upper portion which is foldable toward the garment lower portion to provide a folded band on the garment lower portion to be worn as a garment bottom having no top. For example:</p>		

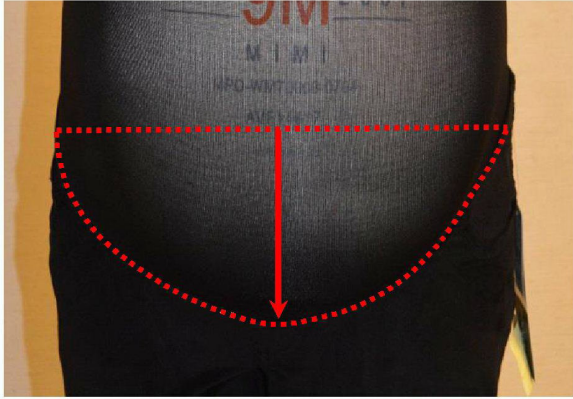
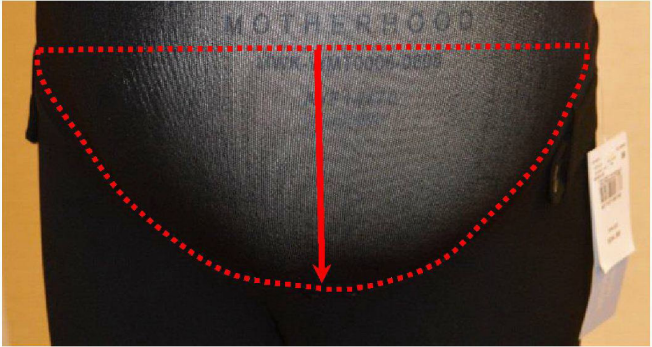
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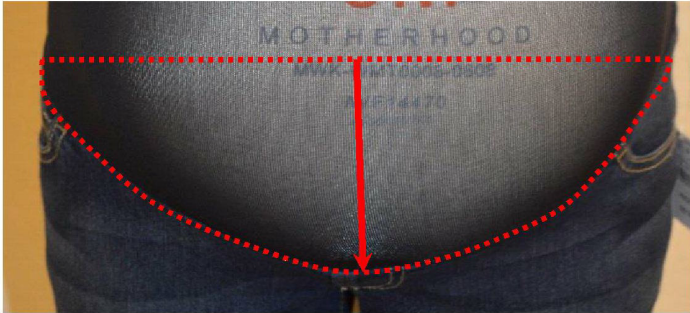
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	<p>Style 94278-10</p>			
<p>Claim 25</p>	<p>DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the '531 Patent</p>			
<p>25. The garment of claim 1,</p>	<p>See claim 1 above.</p>			
<p>[a] wherein the garment lower portion comprises one of a pair of trousers and a skirt.</p>	<p>These DMC Secret Fit Belly® garments include all of the elements of Claim 1 and comprise a garment lower portion which comprises one of a pair of trousers and a skirt. For example:</p>			



	Style 93480-01		Style 91401-01	
	Style 96316-42		Style 94278-10	
Claim 26	DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the '531 Patent			
26. The garment of claim 1,	See claim 1 above.			
[a] wherein the garment lower portion comprises denim jeans.	This DMC Secret Fit Belly® garment includes all of the elements of Claim 1 and comprise a garment lower portion which comprises denim jeans. For example:			


	<p>Style 96316-42</p>	
<p>Claim 27</p>	<p>DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the '531 Patent</p>	
<p>27. The garment of claim 1,</p>	<p>See claim 1 above.</p>	
<p>[a] wherein the garment lower portion comprises a zipperless fly.</p>	<p>These DMC Secret Fit Belly® garments include all of the elements of Claim 1 and comprise a garment lower portion which comprises a zipperless fly. For example:</p>	
	<p>Style 93480-01</p>	

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<p style="text-align: center;">Claim 28</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the ‘531 Patent</p>	
<p>28. The garment of claim 1,</p>	<p><i>See claim 1 above.</i></p>	
<p>[a] wherein the first torso-encircling circumference recedes downward with a parabolic shape, said shape including a</p>	<p>These DMC Secret Fit Belly® garments include all of the elements of Claim 1 wherein the first torso-encircling circumference recedes downward with a parabolic shape, said shape including a shallow curvature. For example:</p>	



shallow curvature.		
	Style 93480-01	
	Style 91401-01	

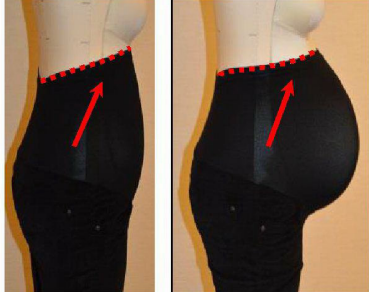
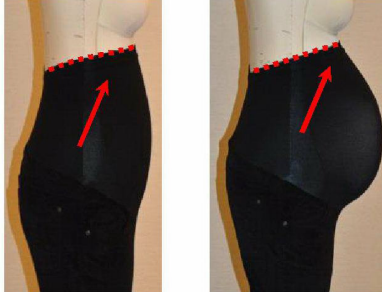


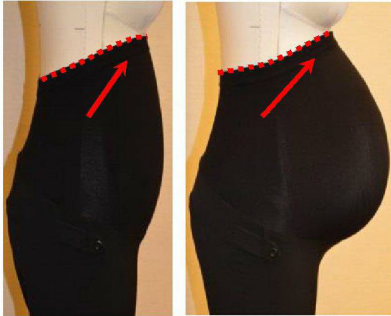

	<p>Style 96316-42</p>	
<p>Claim 29</p>	<p>DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the '531 Patent</p>	
<p>29. The garment of claim 28,</p>	<p>See claim 28 above.</p>	
<p>[a] wherein a belly panel that extends at least partially under the abdomen of the wearer to meet the parabolic receding circumference of the garment lower portion.</p>	<p>These DMC Secret Fit Belly® garments include all of the elements of Claim 28 and comprise a belly panel that extends at least partially under the abdomen of the wearer to meet the parabolic receding circumference of the garment lower portion. For example:</p>	

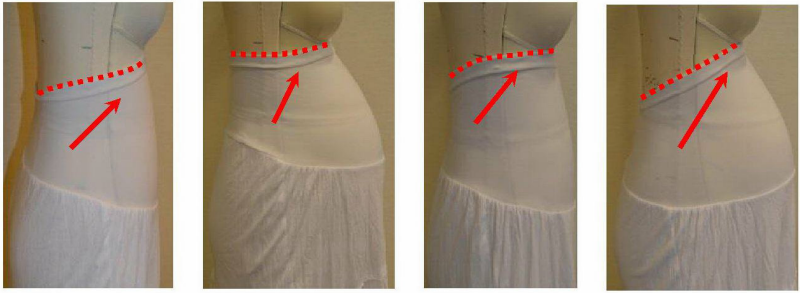
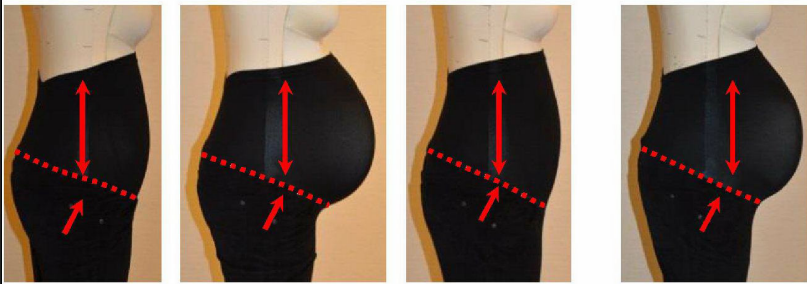
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	<p style="text-align: center;">Style 91401-01</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">Claim 1</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the '563 Patent</p>	
<p>1. A garment portion having an attached belly panel portion comprising:</p>		
<p>[a] an expansible belly panel adapted to substantially cover a wearer's entire belly region, said belly region comprising an area beginning just beneath the wearer's breast area</p>	<p>These DMC Secret Fit Belly® garments include an expansible belly panel adapted to substantially cover the wearer's entire belly region comprising an area beginning just beneath the wearer's breast area and extending over the wearer's abdomen to a lower abdomen region beneath the wearer's belly. For example:</p>	

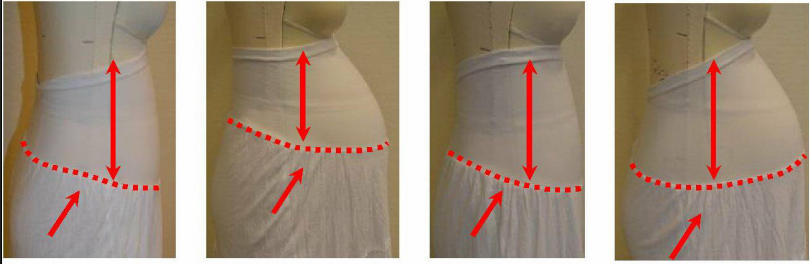
<p>and extending over the wearer's abdomen to a lower abdomen region beneath the wearer's belly, said belly panel comprising;</p>					
	<p>Style 93480-01</p>				
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	<p>Style 96316-42</p>				
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	<p style="text-align: center;">Style 94278-10</p>					
<p style="text-align: center;">Claim 1</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the '563 Patent</p>					
<p>[b] said belly panel comprising an upper edge portion defining a first encircling circumference about a wearer's torso that is at or above the wearer's upper abdomen</p>	<p>These DMC Secret Fit Belly® garments include a belly panel comprising an upper edge portion defining a first encircling circumference about a wearer's torso that is at or above the wearer's upper abdomen region For example:</p>					

region and					
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	Style 96316-42				
	Style 91401-01				
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	<p>Style 94278-10</p>				
		<p>3 month Motherhood</p>	<p>9 month Motherhood</p>	<p>3 month Mimi</p>	<p>9 month Mimi</p>
<p>Claim 1</p>		<p>DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the '563 Patent</p>			
<p>[c] a lower edge portion spaced from the upper edge portion and defining a second encircling circumference about the wearer's lower abdomen region; and</p>	<p>These DMC Secret Fit Belly® garments include a lower edge portion spaced from the upper edge portion and defining a second encircling circumference about the wearer's lower abdomen region. For example:</p>				
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<p style="text-align: center;">Claim 1</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the ‘563 Patent</p>					
<p>[d] a garment lower portion, in communication with the lower edge portion, having a torso encircling circumference that recedes downward to make way for expansion of the belly panel.</p>	<p>These DMC Secret Fit Belly® garments include a garment lower portion, in communication with the lower edge portion, having a torso encircling circumference that recedes downward to make way for expansion of the belly panel. For example:</p>					

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	<p>Style 96316-42</p>	<p>3 month Motherhood</p>	<p>9 month Motherhood</p>	<p>3 month Mimi</p>	<p>9 month Mimi</p>
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		<p>3 month Motherhood</p>	<p>9 month Motherhood</p>	<p>3 month Mimi</p>	<p>9 month Mimi</p>
<p>Claim 2</p>	<p>DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the '563 Patent</p>				
<p>2. The garment portion of claim 1, further comprising</p>	<p>See claim 1 above.</p>				
<p>[a] a pair of trousers attached to said lower edge portion.</p>	<p>These DMC Secret Fit Belly® garments comprise all of the claim elements of Claim 1 and a pair of trousers attached to said lower edge portion. For example;</p>				

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	Style 91401-01			
Claim 3	DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the '563 Patent			
3. The garment portion of claim 2,	See claim 2 above.			
[a] wherein said trousers comprise denim jeans.	This DMC Secret Fit Belly® garment includes all of the Claim elements of claim 2 and have trousers comprising denim jeans attached to said lower edge portion. For example:			

	Style 96316-42			
Claim 4	DMC Secret Fit Belly® meets the limitations of the '563 Patent			
4. The garment portion of claim 3,	<i>See claim 3 above.</i>			
[a] wherein said denim jeans comprise one or more pockets and a sewn zipperless fly front.	This DMC Secret Fit Belly® garment includes all of the elements of Claim 3 and comprise a belly panel which is adapted to cover the wearer's belly region during different stages of weight gains and losses. For example:			