

ABSTRACT

DENIM FABRIC PROCESSING USING MODULAR INTERLOCKING TECHNIQUES WITH GEOMETRIC MOTIF SHAPES AS EMBELLISHMENT FASHION PRODUCT

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Denim fabric is a textile material that we often encounter in everyday clothing products. Denim fabric has a strong fabric character which is made with twill weave thread construction so that denim fabric has a fabric character that is not easily torn and strong which has the same character as the modular interlocking technique itself which combines modules with locks so that it has a strong and sturdy character, also can produce attractive textures and colors when used as embellishments. Looking at previous research using modular interlocking techniques, the modules used often have geometric shapes and other inspirations, which according to the author, there is no new innovation in terms of shapes and locks. This research uses data collection such as literary data, observation, interviews, and exploration which innovates new techniques and forms using modular interlocking techniques to make embellishments yielding an eight-pointed star shape and locking system development of an interlocking modular technique for embellishments using denim textile, subsequently applied to ready-to-wear garments, which gives an edgy, urban, and minimalist impression.

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