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#### Fabric & Notions:

Cotton quilting fabrics

Cotton flannel

Polyurethane laminate (PUL) or rip-stop nylon

2 sets of size 16 metal snaps

#### Yardage:

1 yard of main fabric (cotton quilting fabric or flannel)

1 yard of flannel for hidden layer

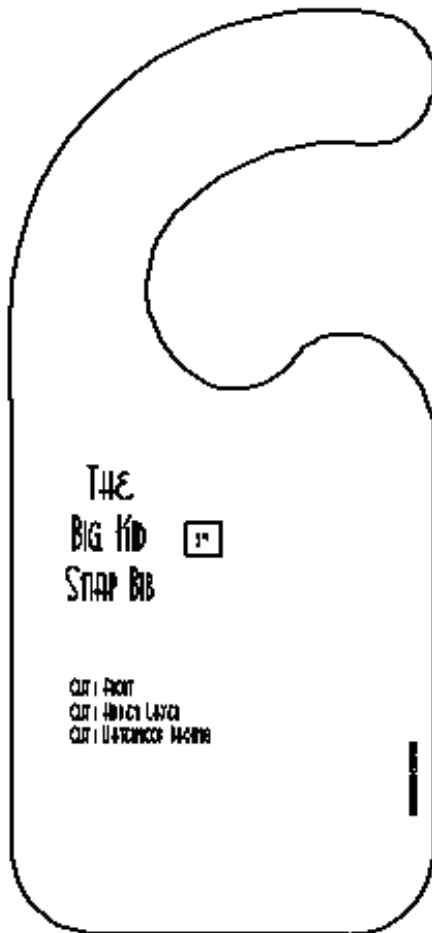
1 yard of waterproof backing (PUL or rip-stop nylon)

1 yard of each fabric will yield four bibs.  $\frac{1}{2}$ " seam allowance unless otherwise noted.



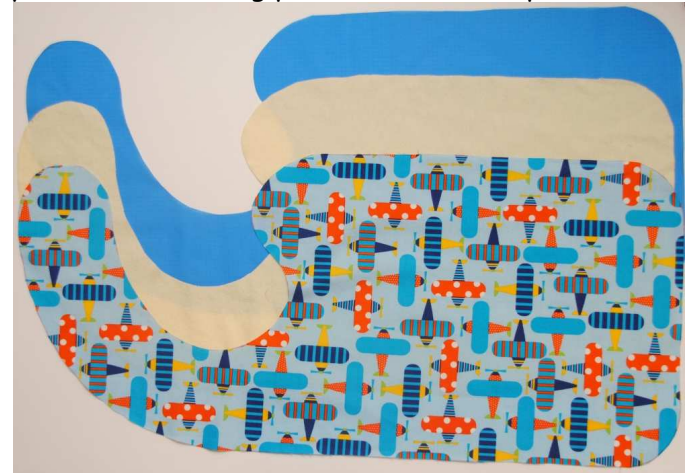
## Preparation

Prepare your pdf pattern. Before printing the pattern pieces, check your printing options to be sure that "rotate and center" is selected and sizing options such as "fit to page" are **not** selected. Each page is marked with a row number and a column number to help with lining up the pages. All pages will overlap 1" on each side. When properly pieced, your completed pattern should look like this graphic:



## Sewing Instructions

Begin by cutting out your pattern pieces. Cut one front piece, one hidden layer and one backing piece from the bib pattern.



Place the waterproof backing piece right-side up in front of you. Place your front bib piece right-side down on top of it. Place the hidden inner layer piece on the top. The front and back should now be right sides together with the front sandwiched between the hidden layer and backing.





Pin all the way around. Pin these layers together very well to keep the slippery backing from wiggling when stitching. To keep the backing waterproof, pin inside the seam allowance. If you're using a walking foot, pin and sew on the backing side. If you're using your standard foot, pin and sew on the front side.



Stitch all the way around, leaving a 3" opening in the bottom for turning.



Trim the seam allowances around each curve to a scant  $\frac{1}{4}$ " before turning.



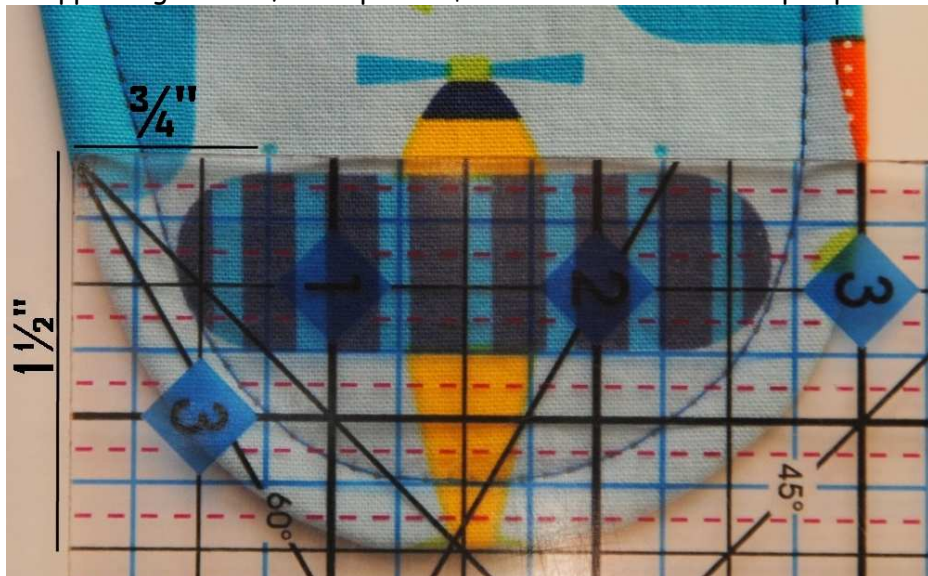
Turn through the opening. Push all the curves and corners out neatly. Finger-press the edges. Since you don't want to iron PUL or nylon, you may want to finger-press and pin the edges in place, especially around the curves. Pin the opening closed.



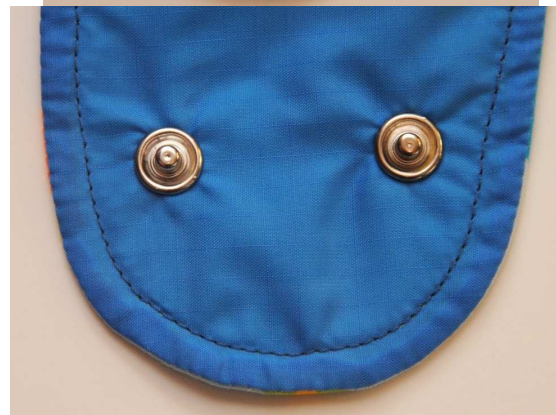
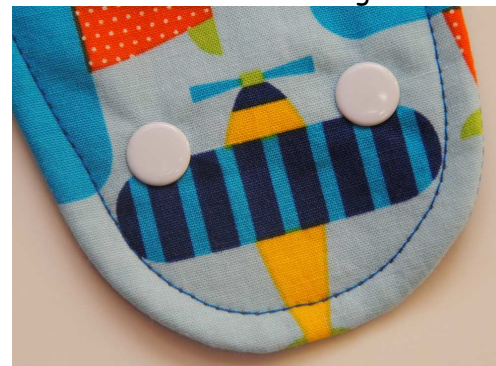
Topstitch all the way around at  $\frac{1}{4}$ ".



Measure in from the end of the snap strap  $1\frac{1}{2}$ ". Using washable or disappearing marker, mark points  $\frac{3}{4}$ " from each side for snap caps.



Apply snap caps and studs to these markings.

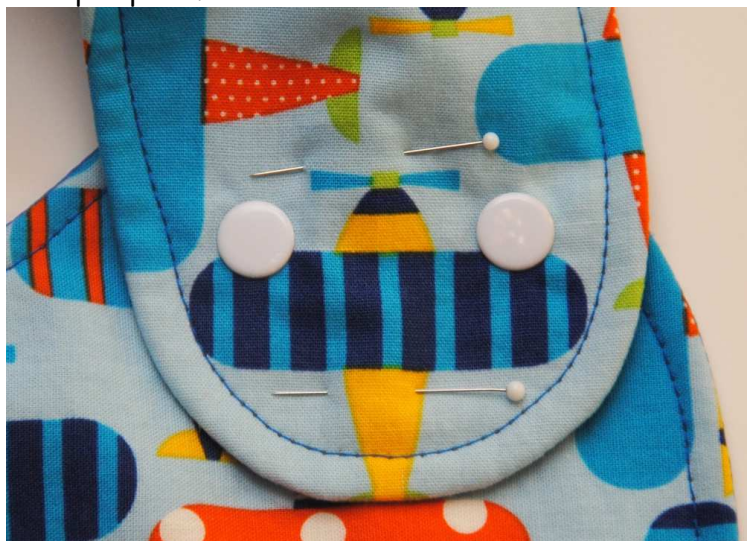


Flip the snap strap around and position it so that the snap caps are straight across and the neckline measures about  $4\frac{1}{2}$ " in diameter.

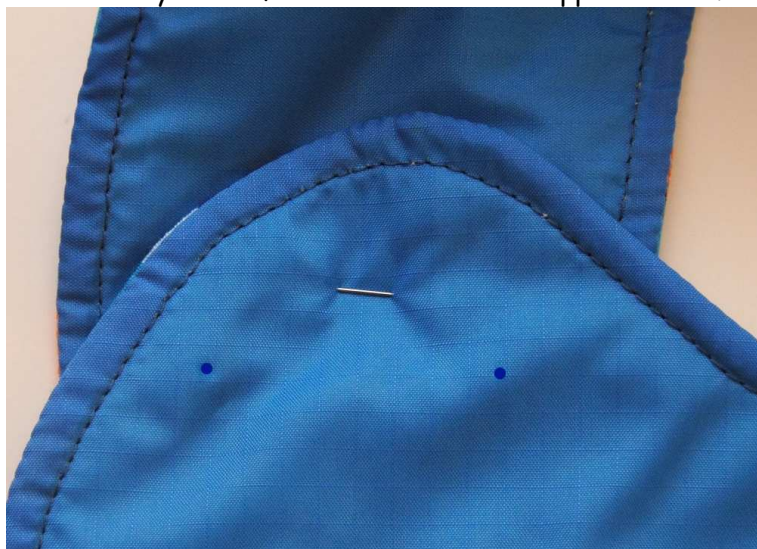




Pin the strap in place.



Flip the bib over and use a washable or disappearing marker to mark the points where you can feel the studs on the opposite side.



Apply rings and sockets to these markings.

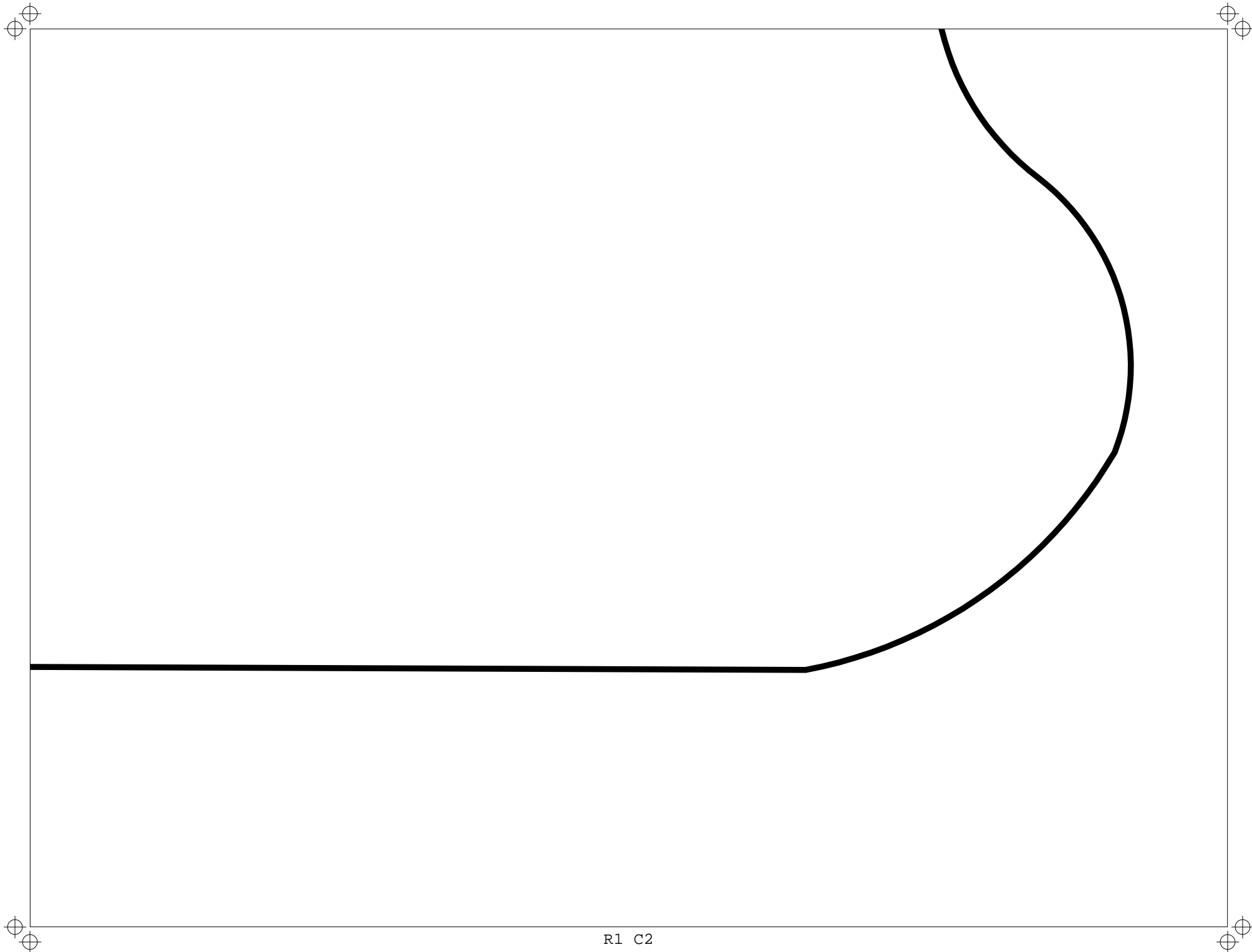


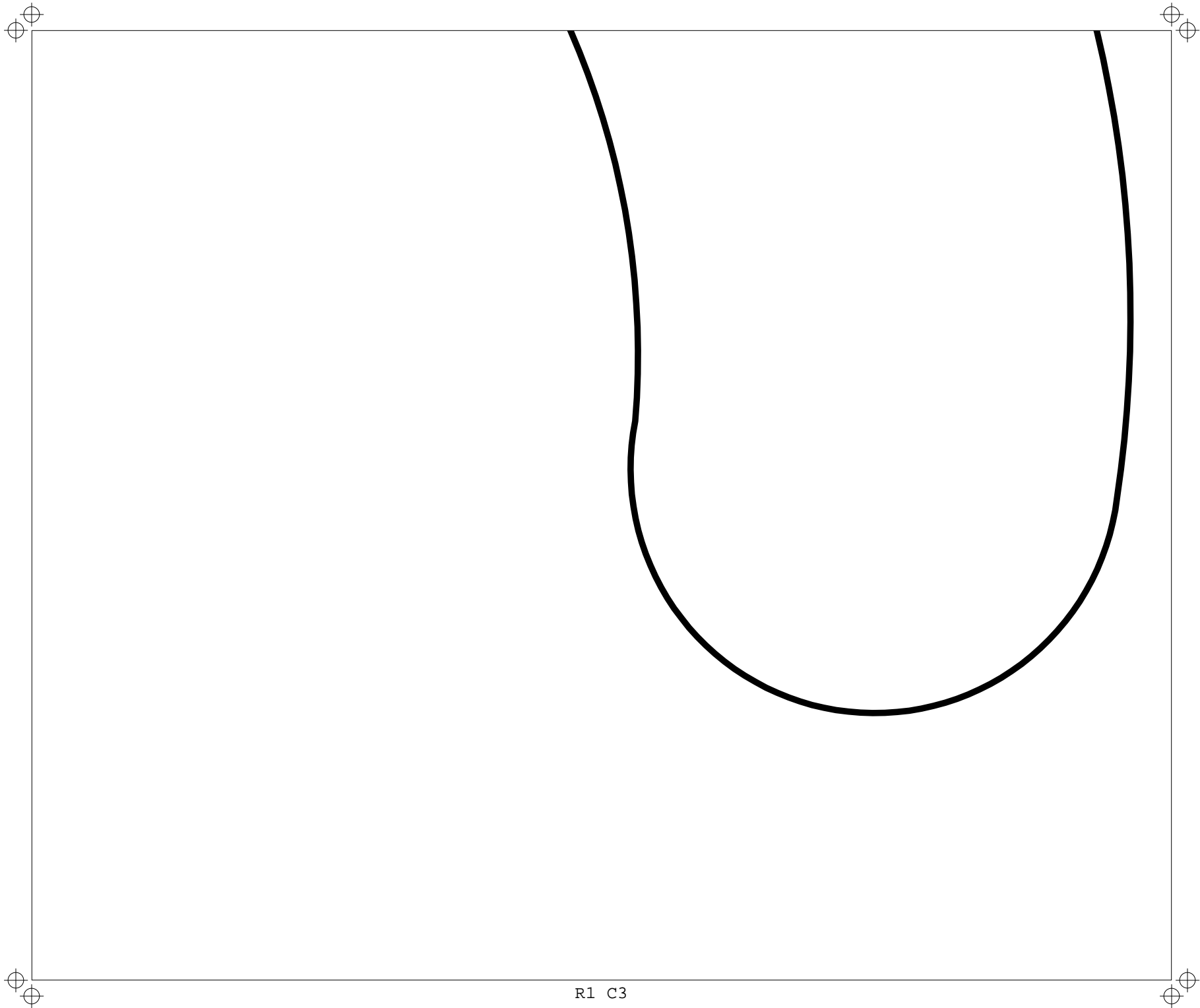
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