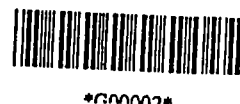


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## DISPOSABLE UNDERGARMENT



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A disposable diaper includes barrier side flaps 5 extending along an opposite side edges 1a of a diaper body. The barrier side flaps 5 each includes a first side section 5a extending above an upper side of the body and a second side section 5b extending below a lower side of the body. The second side section 5b includes being folded back with its inner surface put flat together so as to define a free subsection extending inward of the body and a fixed subsection extending outward of the body. A surface of the fixed subsection opposed to the lower side of the body is joined to the lower side and opposite end sections 5c of the barrier flaps 5 are collapsed inward of the body and joined to the upper side of the body at the opposite ends 1b of the body.

Refer to Fig. 1.