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Follicle Curvature

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Shape - Curvature (bending)

- straight vs tangled
- scored 1 7
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- exact measurements can be made
- has an effect on:
 - blood vessel distribution
 - sebaceous gland size and shape
 - arrangement of follicle groups



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Curvature score 1

Curvature score 7

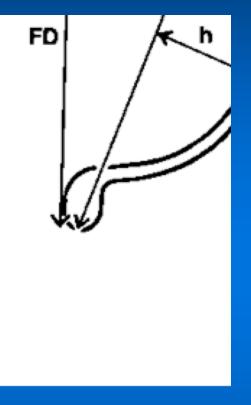
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Depth & curvature of individual follicles



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