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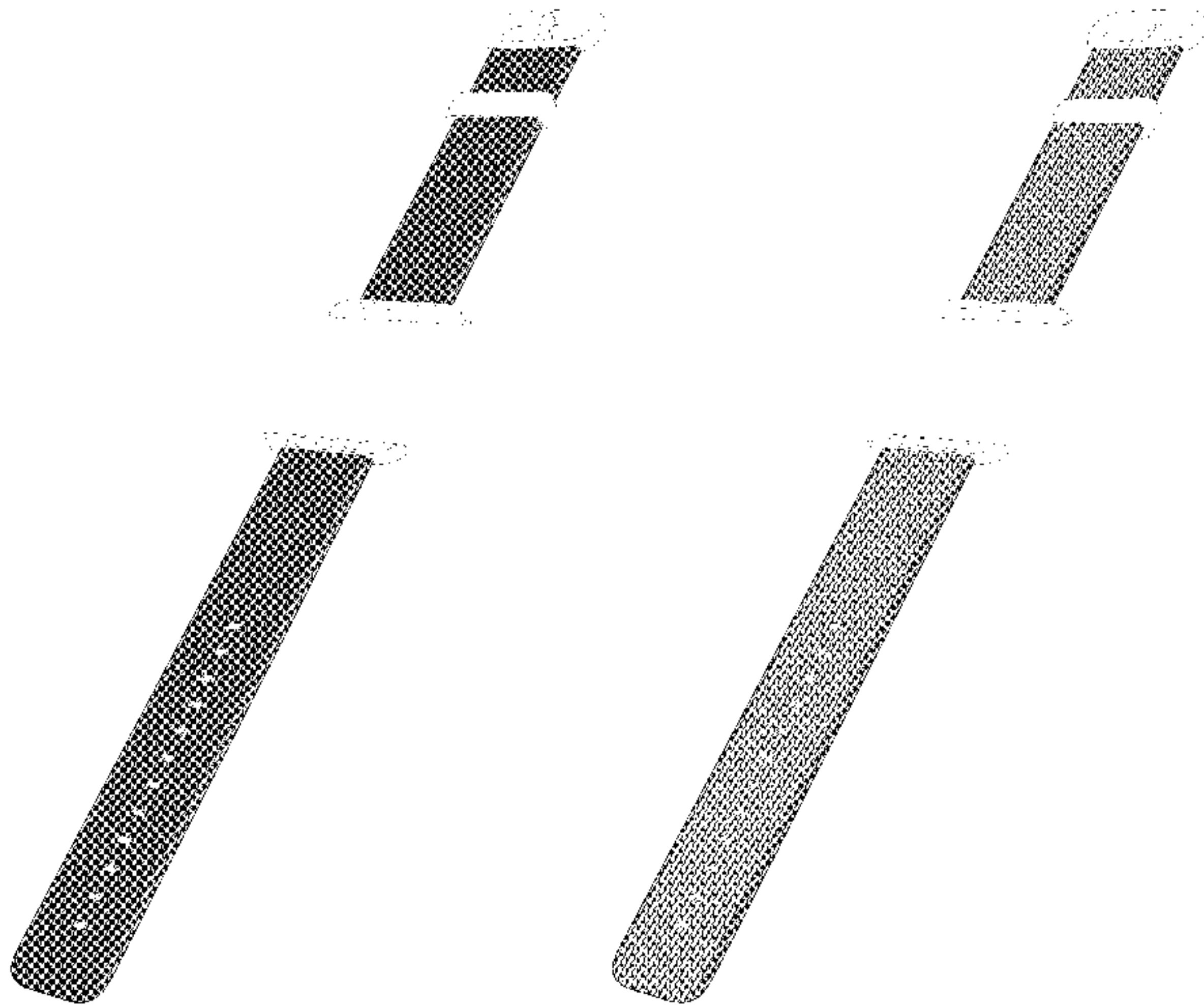
(57) CLAIM

The ornamental design for a band, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a bottom front perspective view of a band showing the claimed design;
FIG. 2 is a bottom rear perspective view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a front view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a rear view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a left side view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a right side view thereof;
FIG. 7 is a top view thereof;
FIG. 8 is a bottom view thereof; and,
FIG. 9 is a perspective view thereof showing the band in an environment in which it may be used.

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The dashed broken lines and the dot-dash broken lines in the figures show portions of the band and environment that form no part of the claimed design.
The figures are illustrated to show contrasting appearance. Areas that appear in different shades of gray represent contrasting appearances.

1 Claim, 6 Drawing Sheets

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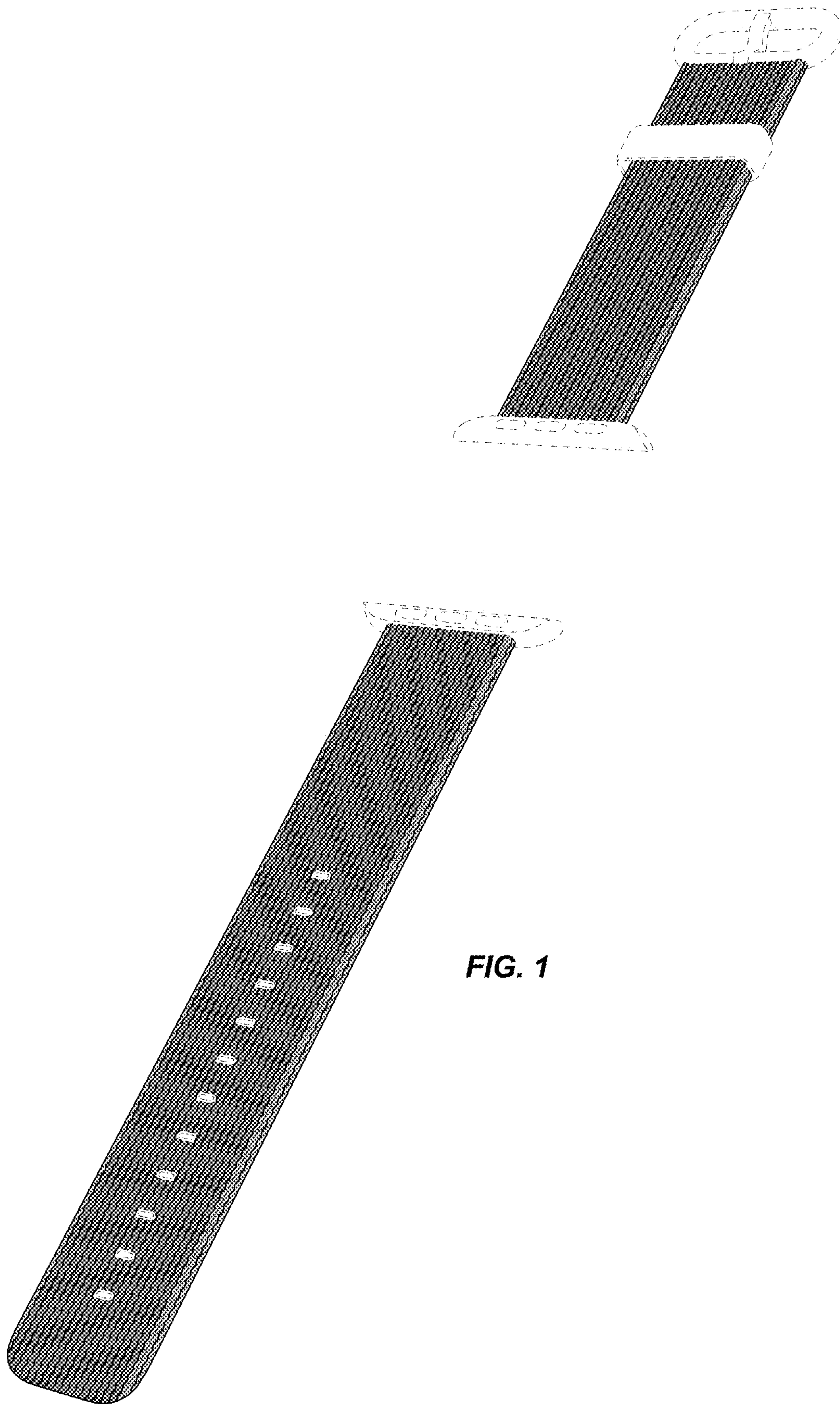
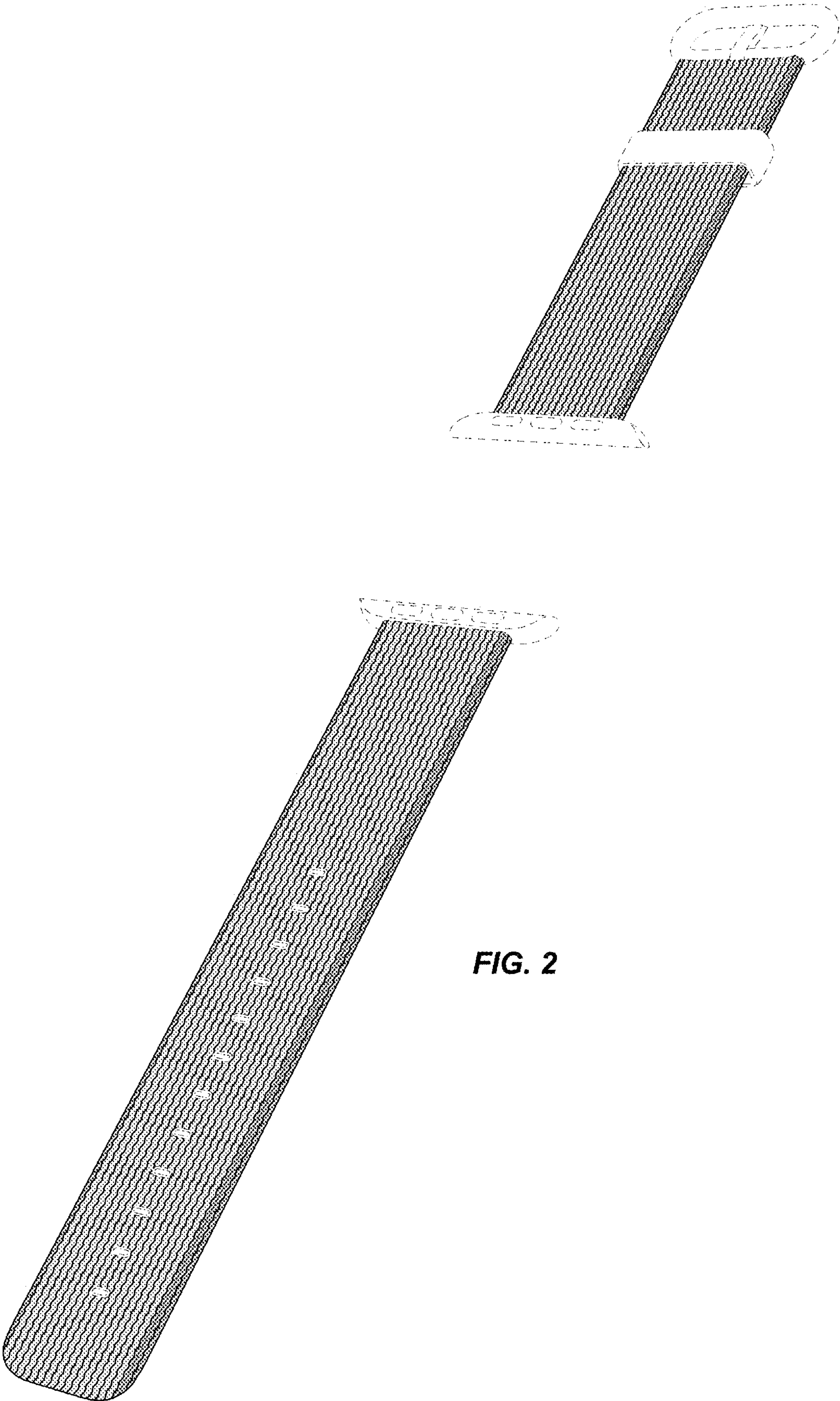


FIG. 1



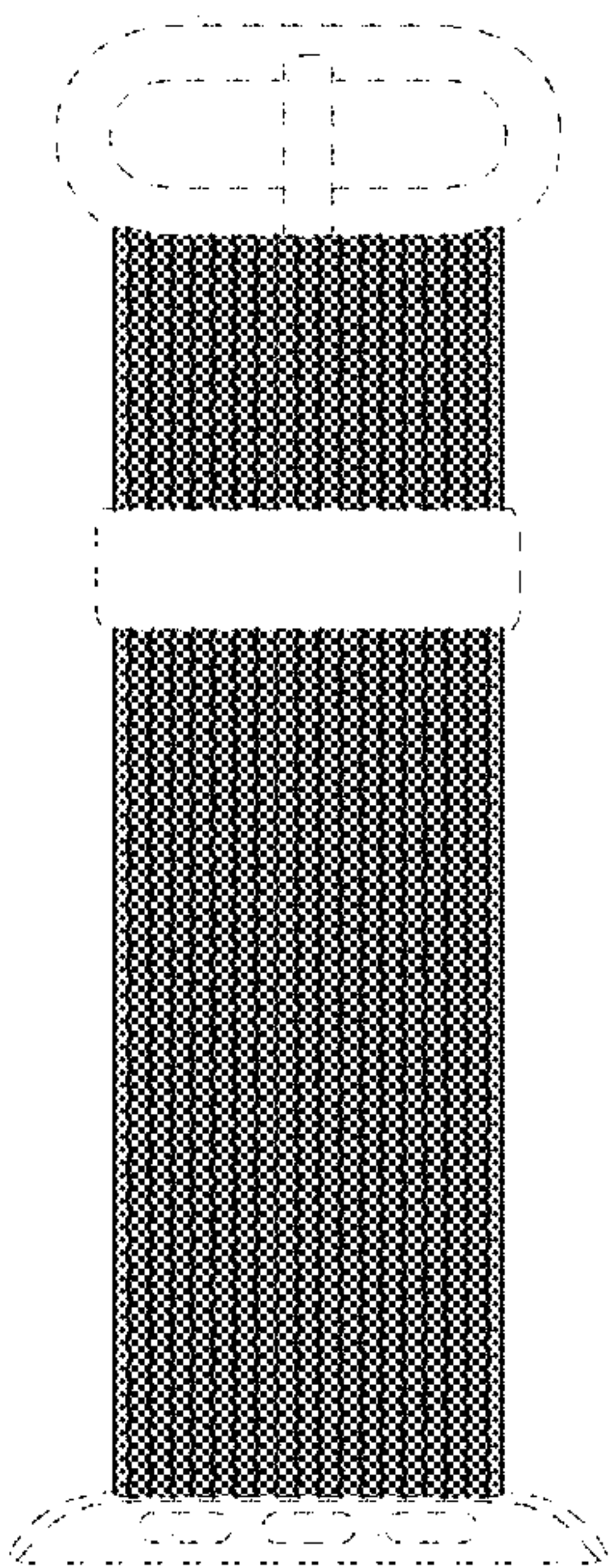


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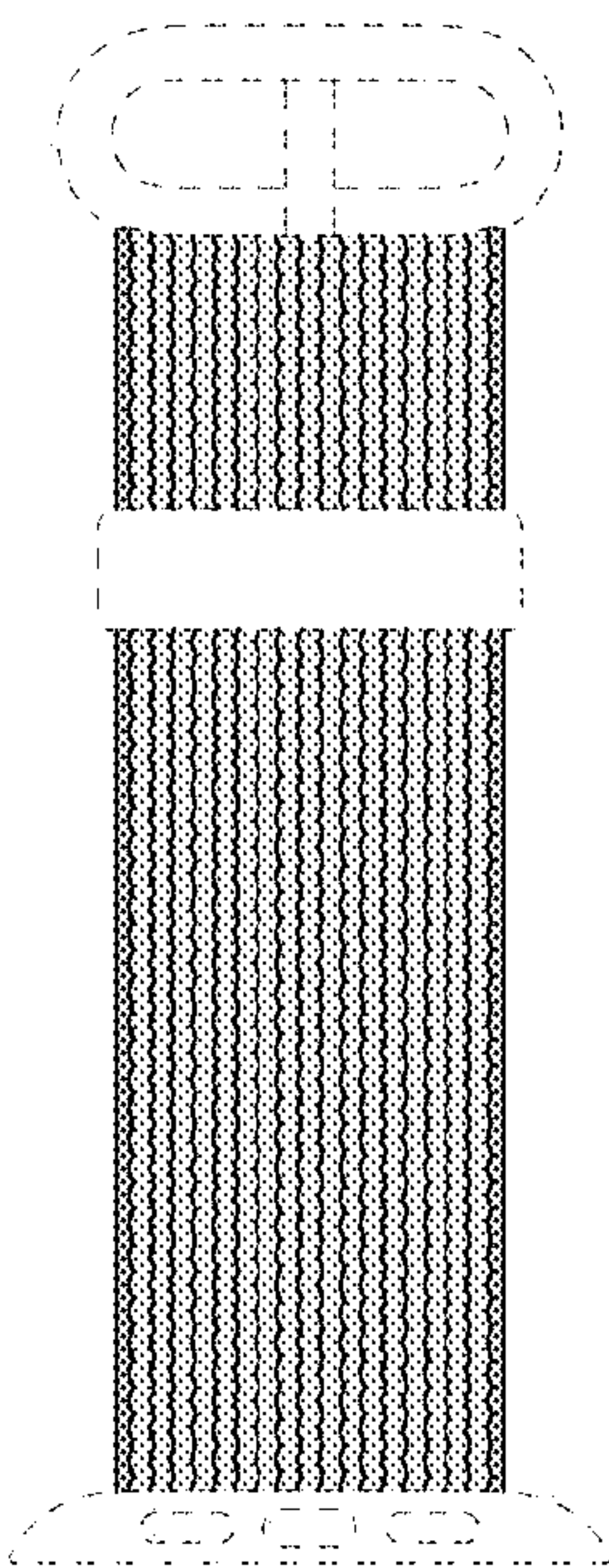


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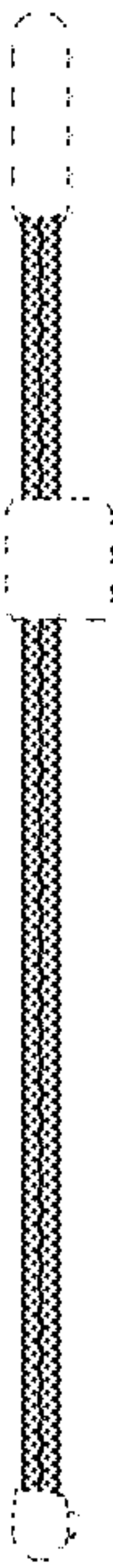


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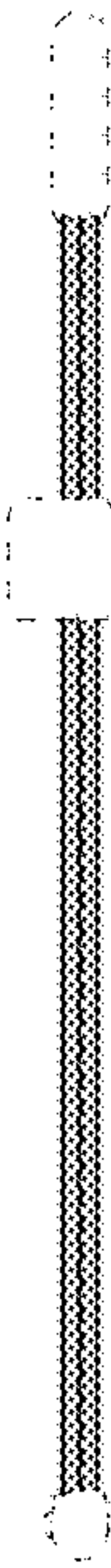


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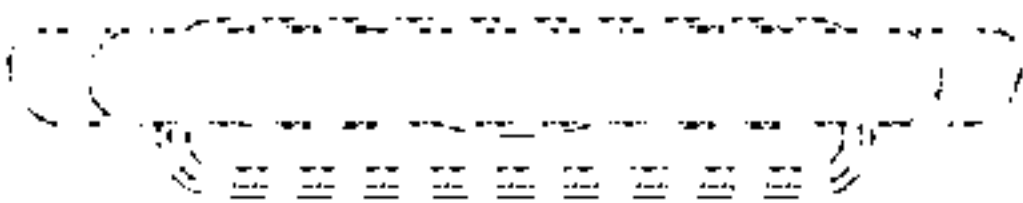


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FIG. 8

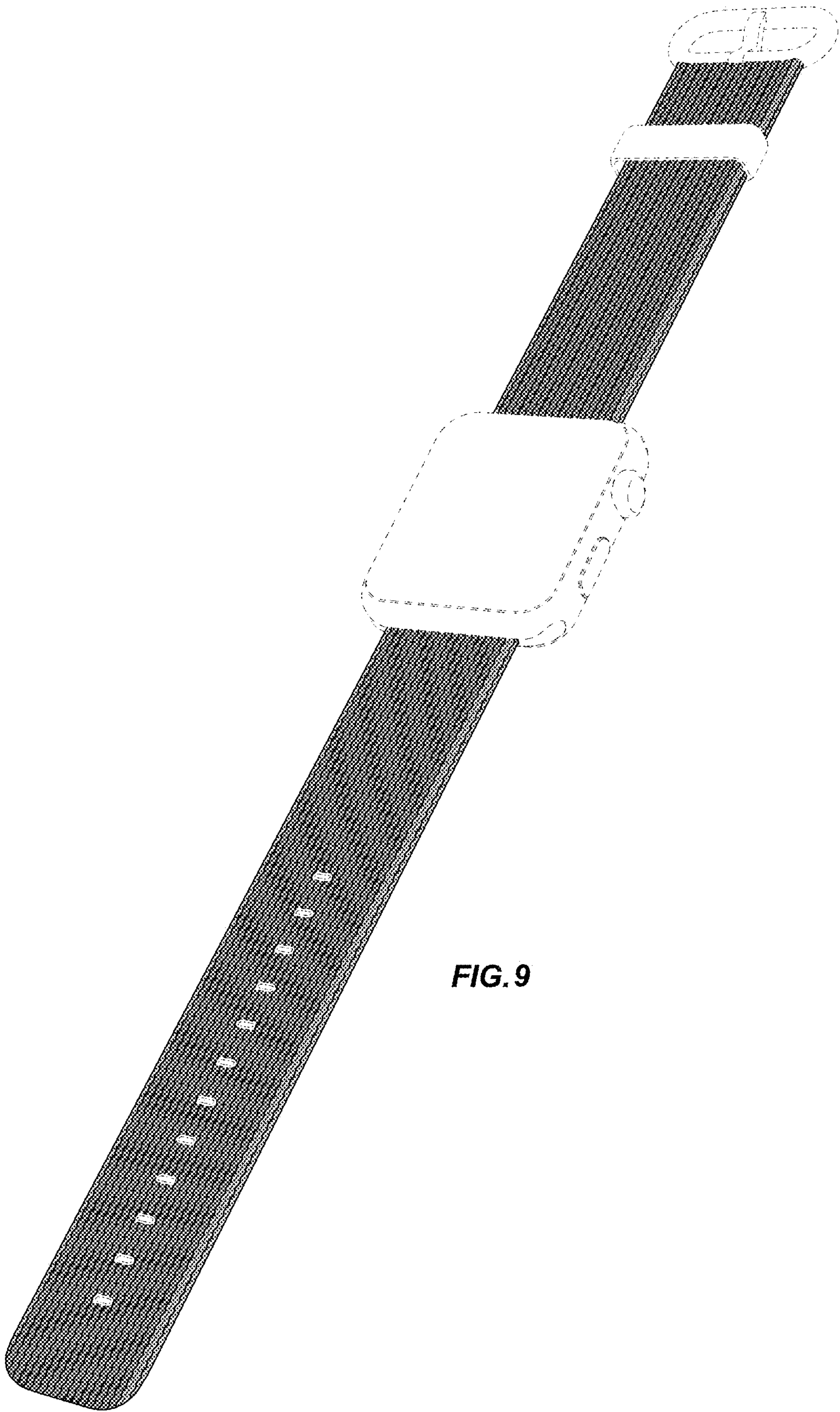


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