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[54] **TIRE TREAD**

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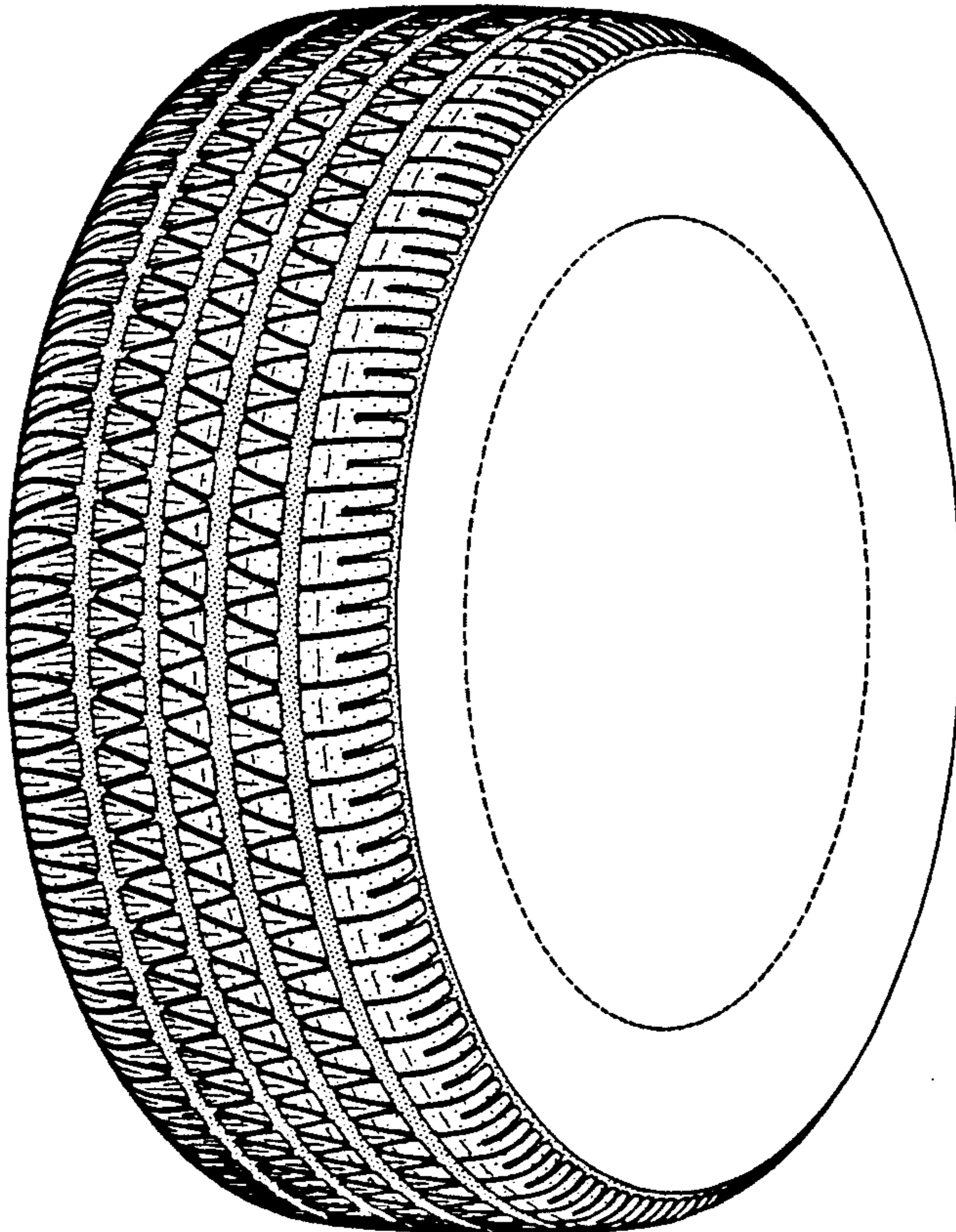
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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a tire tread, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front elevational view of a tire tread showing our new design, it being understood that the pattern is repeated throughout the circumference thereof;
 FIG. 2 is right perspective view thereof;
 FIG. 3 is a left perspective view thereof;
 FIG. 4 is a right side elevational view thereof;
 FIG. 5 is a left side elevational view thereof; and,
 FIG. 6 is an enlarged fragmentary front view thereof.
 The broken line showing of the tire sidewall in FIGS. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the drawing is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.



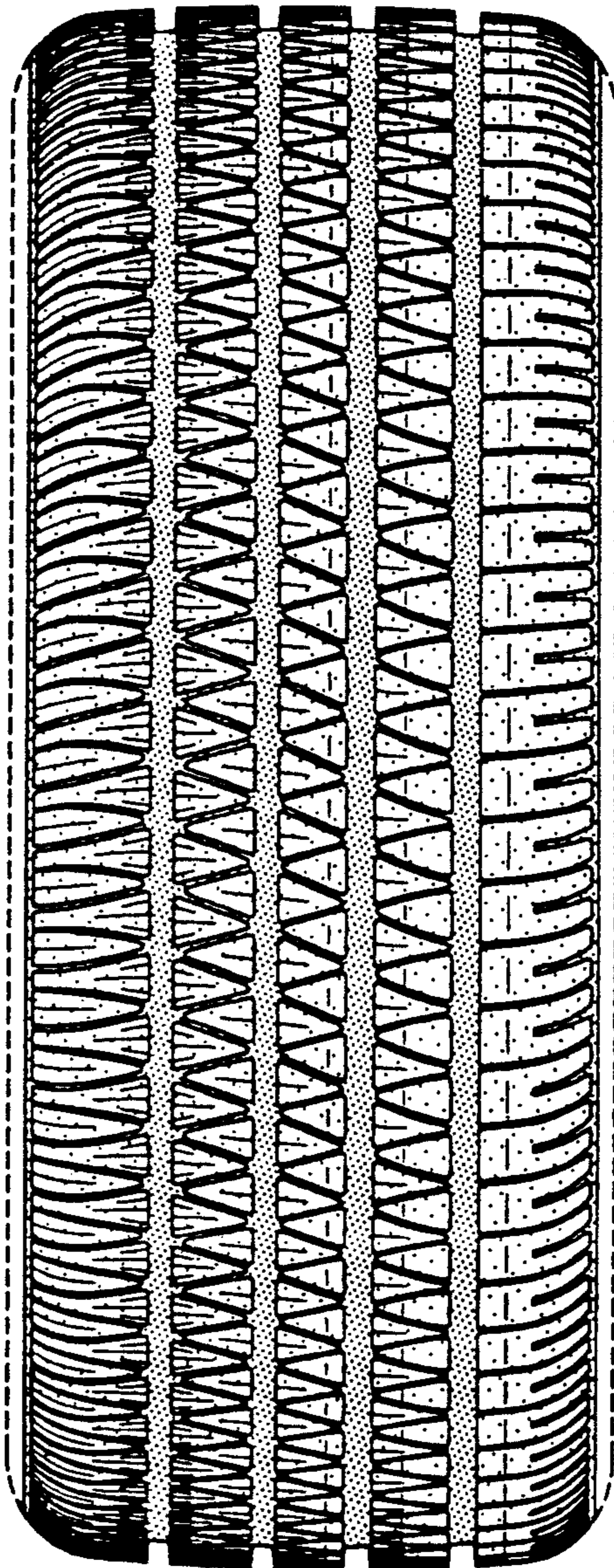


FIG-1

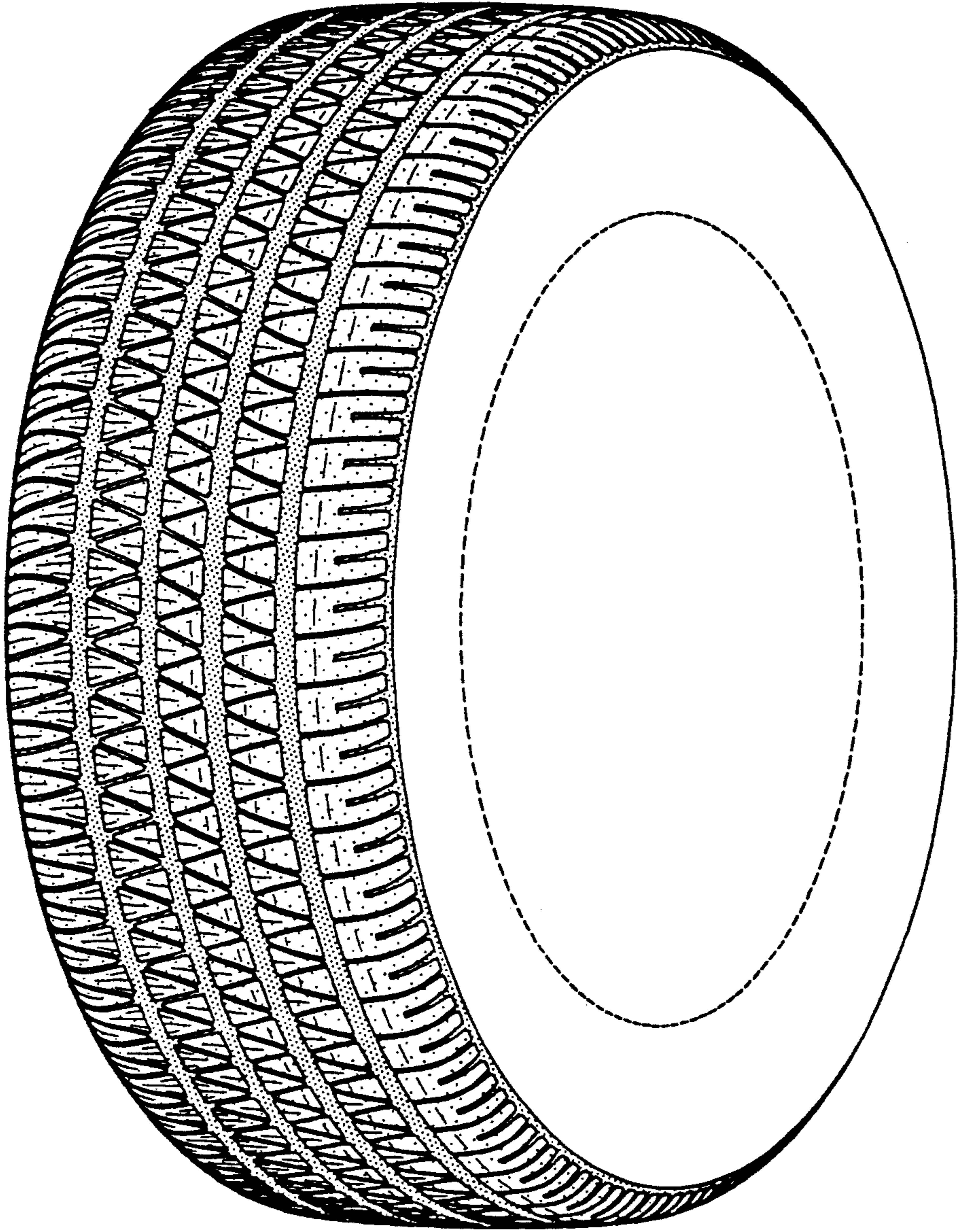


FIG-2

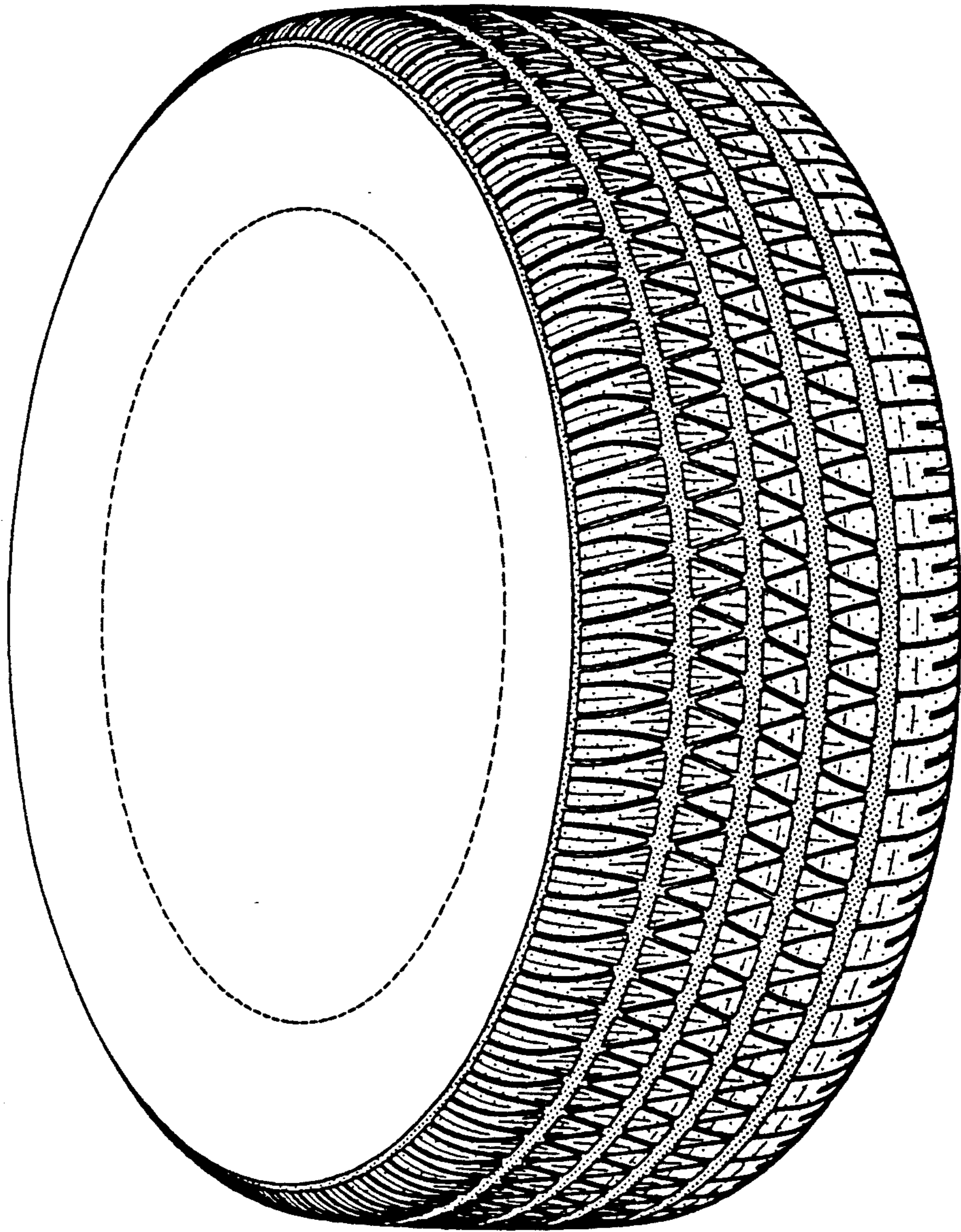


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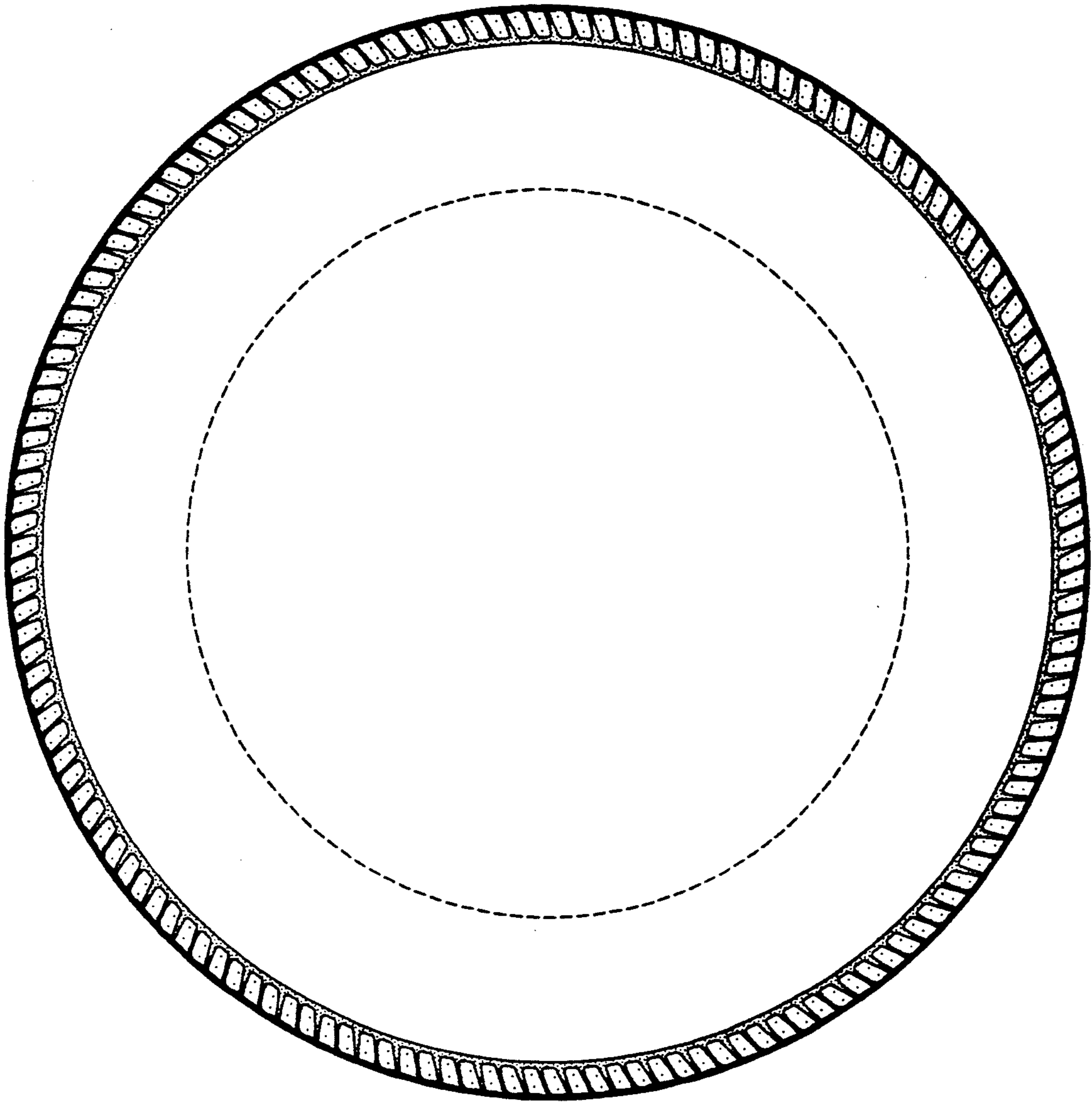


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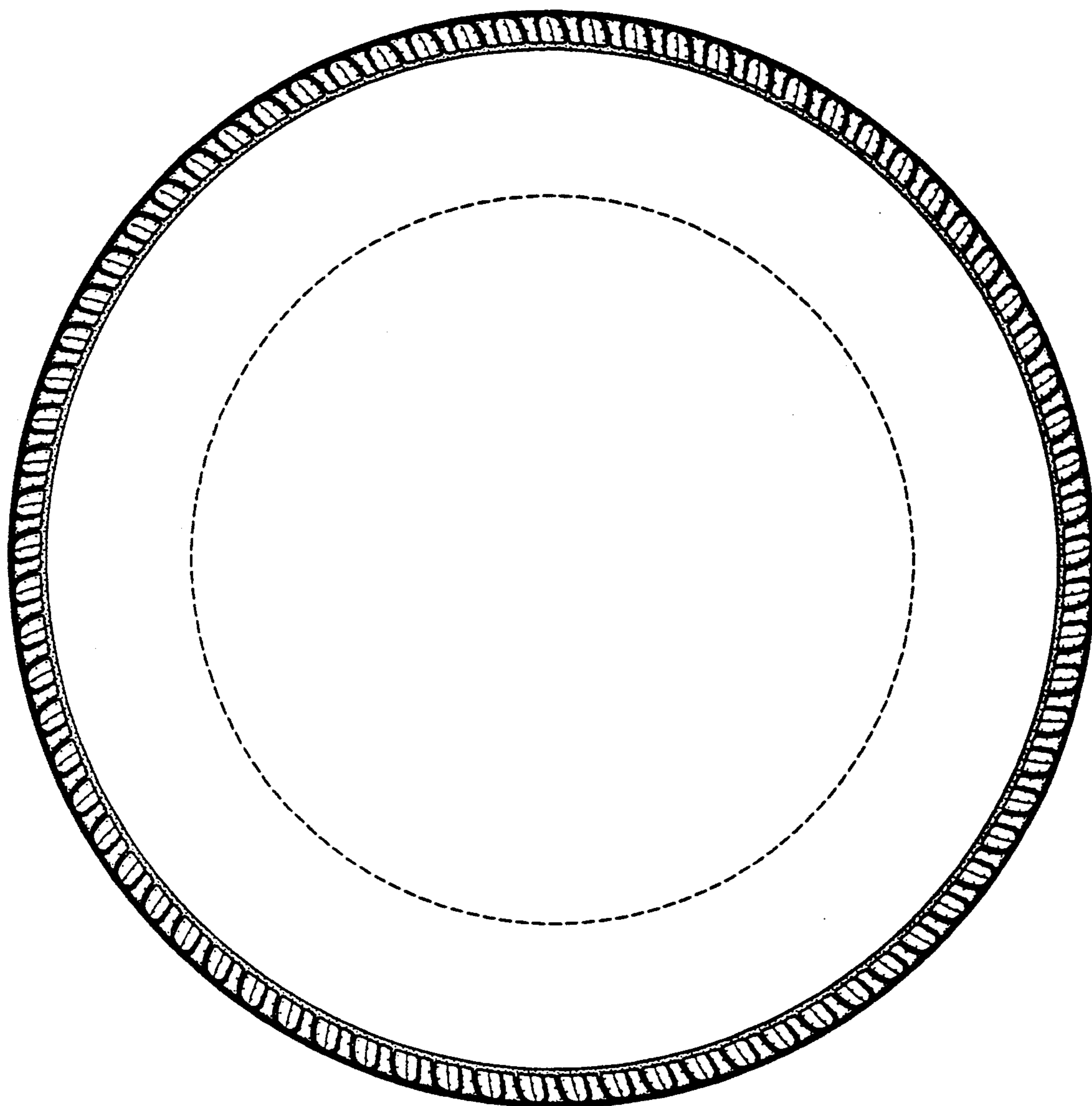


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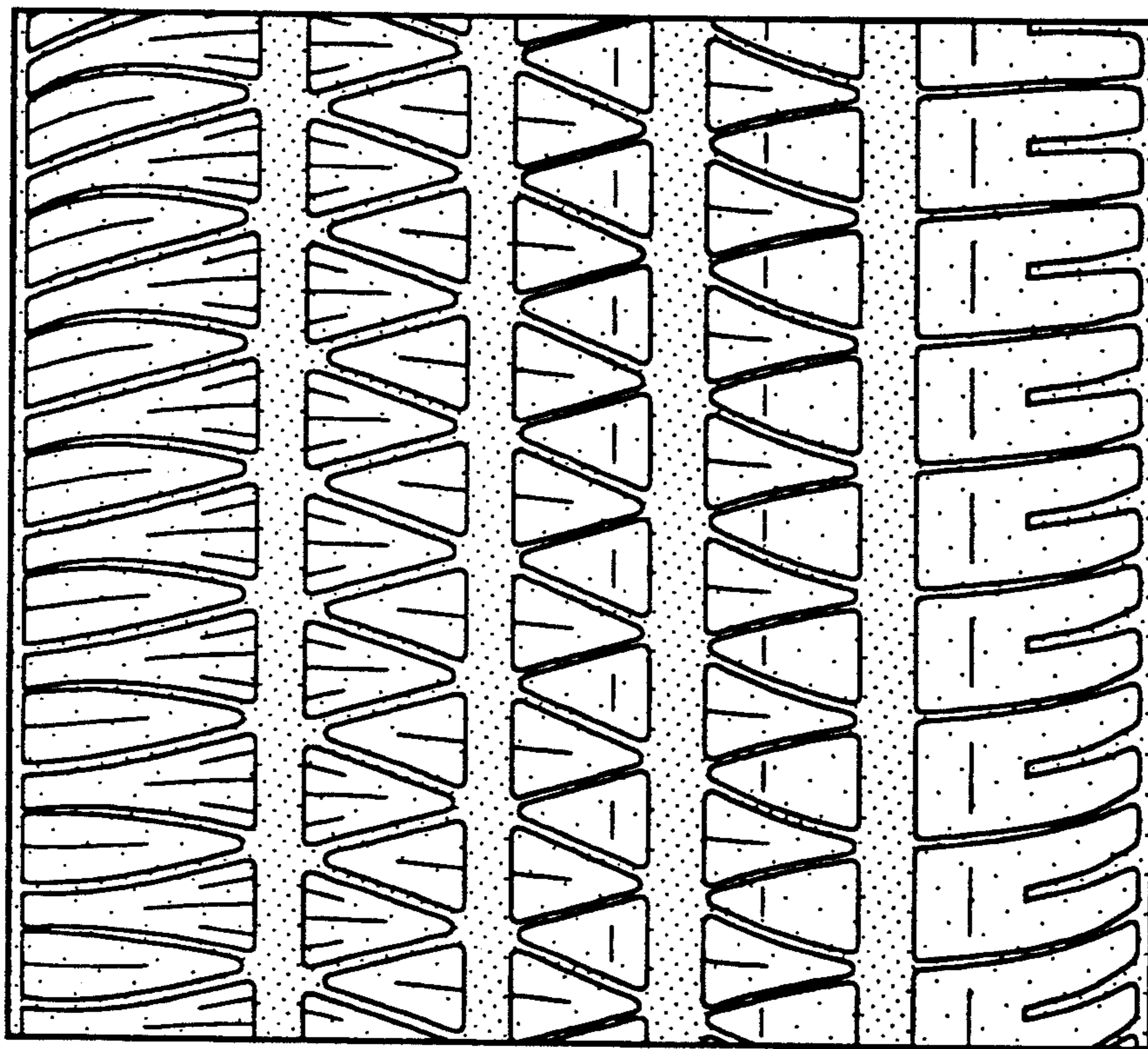


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