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[54] **FLOWER POT COVER**

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subsequent to Dec. 19, 2009, has been  
disclaimed.

Exhibit A—Speed Cover @Brochure—The Simple Solution .  
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[\*\*] Term: **14 Years**

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[57] **CLAIM**

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The ornamental design for a flower pot cover, as shown and  
described.

**Related U.S. Application Data**

**DESCRIPTION**

[63] Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. 807,672, Dec. 16, 1991,  
which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. 710,272, Jun. 4,  
1991, which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. 617,454,  
Nov. 21, 1990, abandoned, Ser. No. 411,249, Nov. 22, 1989,  
Pat. No. Des. 358,113, Ser. No. 411,247, Nov. 22, 1989, and  
Ser. No. 411,245, Nov. 22, 1989.

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of our new flower pot cover  
design;

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FIG. 2 is a side elevational view thereof;

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D11/152–156, 164, 89, 90; 47/66, 72; 206/423;  
215/100.5; 227/1.5 R, 1.5 B, 4.5, 87.01,  
922, 930; 428/27, 35.1, 24, 542.6; 229/108,  
108.1, 109, 110, 400; D9/346, 428–431;  
D27/102, 133; D26/128–136; D19/96; D7/540,  
584, 586, 587, 354

FIG. 3 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a side elevational view of the design of FIG. 1, the  
only difference being in the horizontal angle of the skirt;

FIG. 6 is a side elevational view of the design of FIG. 1, the  
only difference being in the near vertical angle of the skirt;

FIG. 7 is a side elevational view of the design of FIG. 1, the  
only difference being in the downward angle of the skirt;

FIG. 8 is a perspective view of a second embodiment of our  
new flower pot cover design;

FIG. 9 is a side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 10 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 11 is a bottom plan view thereof;

FIG. 12 is a side elevational view of the design of FIG. 8,  
the only difference being in the horizontal angle of the skirt;

FIG. 13 is a side elevational view of the design of FIG. 8,  
the only difference being in the near vertical angle of the  
skirt;

FIG. 14 is a side elevational view of the design of FIG. 8,  
the only difference being in the downward angle of the skirt;

FIG. 15 is a perspective view of a third embodiment of our  
new flower pot cover design;

FIG. 16 is a side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 17 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 18 is a bottom plan view thereof;

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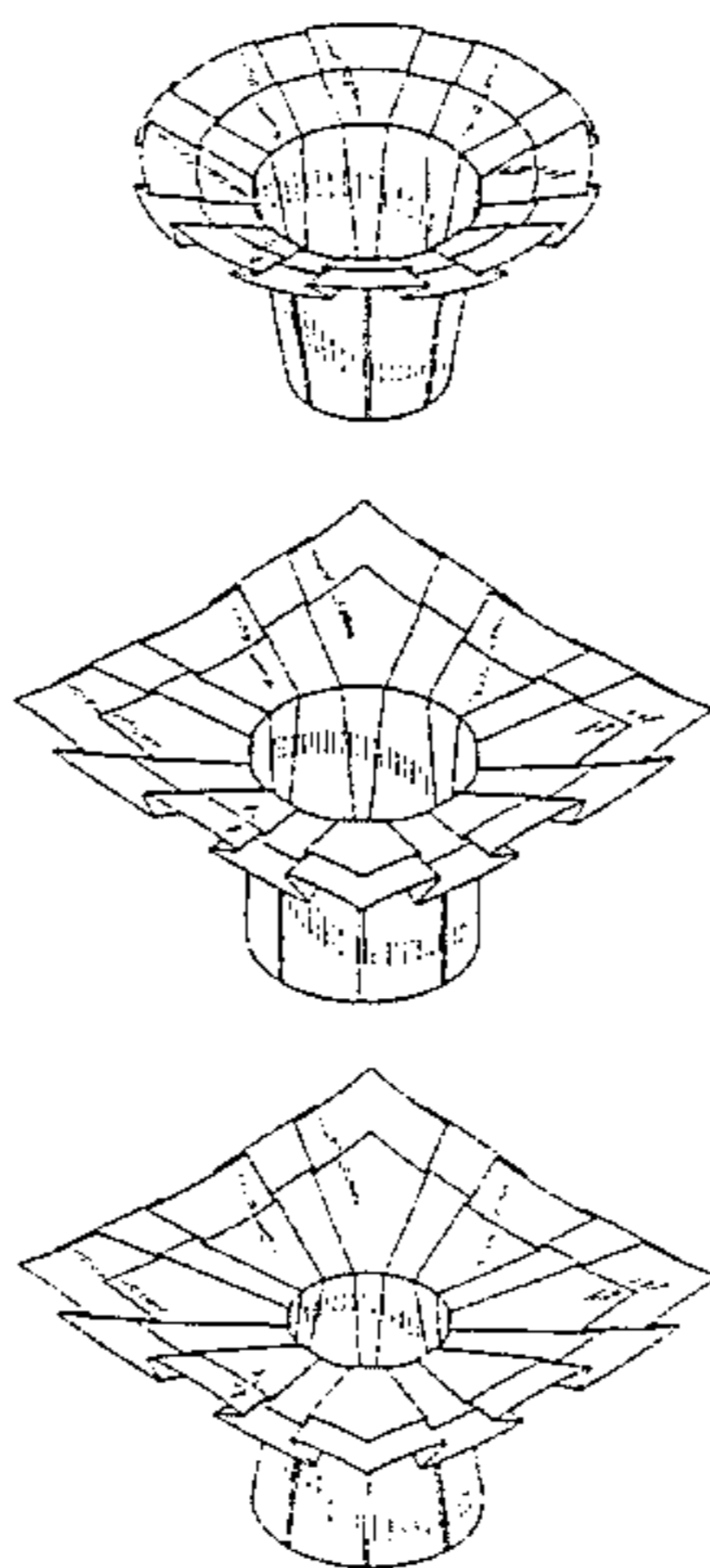


FIG. 19 is a side elevational view of the design of FIG. 15, the only difference being in the horizontal angle of the skirt; FIG. 20 is a side elevational view of the design of FIG. 15, the only difference being in the near vertical angle of the skirt;

FIG. 21 is a side elevational view of the design of FIG. 15, the only difference being in the downward angle of the skirt;

FIG. 22 is a perspective view of a fourth embodiment of our new flower pot cover design;

FIG. 23 is a side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 24 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 25 is a bottom plan view thereof;

FIG. 26 is a side elevational view of the design of FIG. 22, the only difference being in the horizontal angle of the skirt;

FIG. 27 is a side elevational view of the design of FIG. 22, the only difference being in the near vertical angle of the skirt;

FIG. 28 is a side elevational view of the design of FIG. 22, the only difference being in the downward angle of the skirt; FIG. 29 is a perspective view of a fifth embodiment of our new flower pot cover design;

FIG. 30 is a side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 31 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 32 is a bottom plan view thereof;

FIG. 33 is a side elevational view of the design of FIG. 29, the only difference being in the horizontal angle of the skirt;

FIG. 34 is a side elevational view of the design of FIG. 29, the only difference being in the near vertical angle of the skirt; and,

FIG. 35 is a side elevational view of the design of FIG. 29, the only difference being in the downward angle of the skirt. The flower pot cover has no substantial thickness.

**1 Claim, 6 Drawing Sheets**

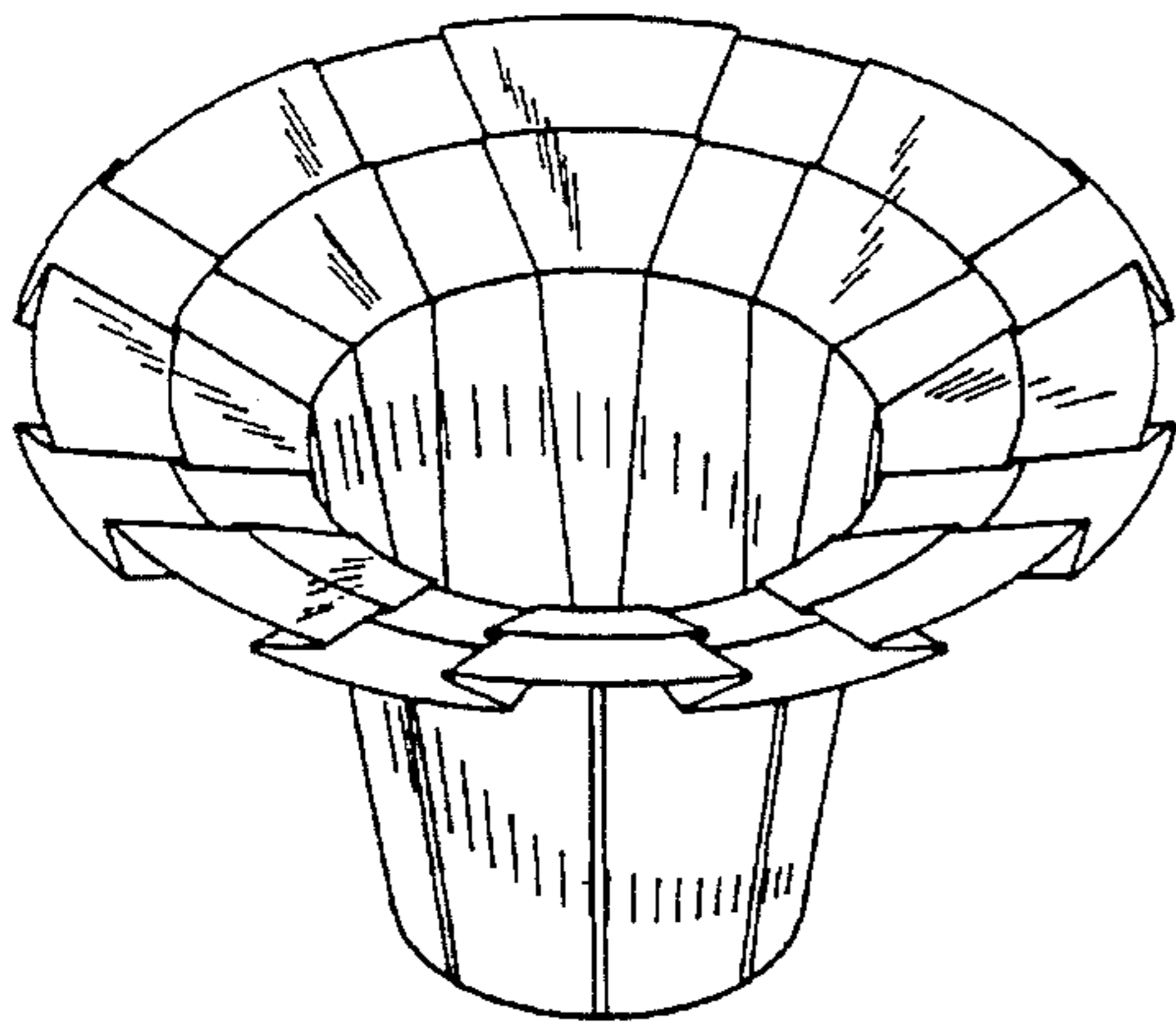


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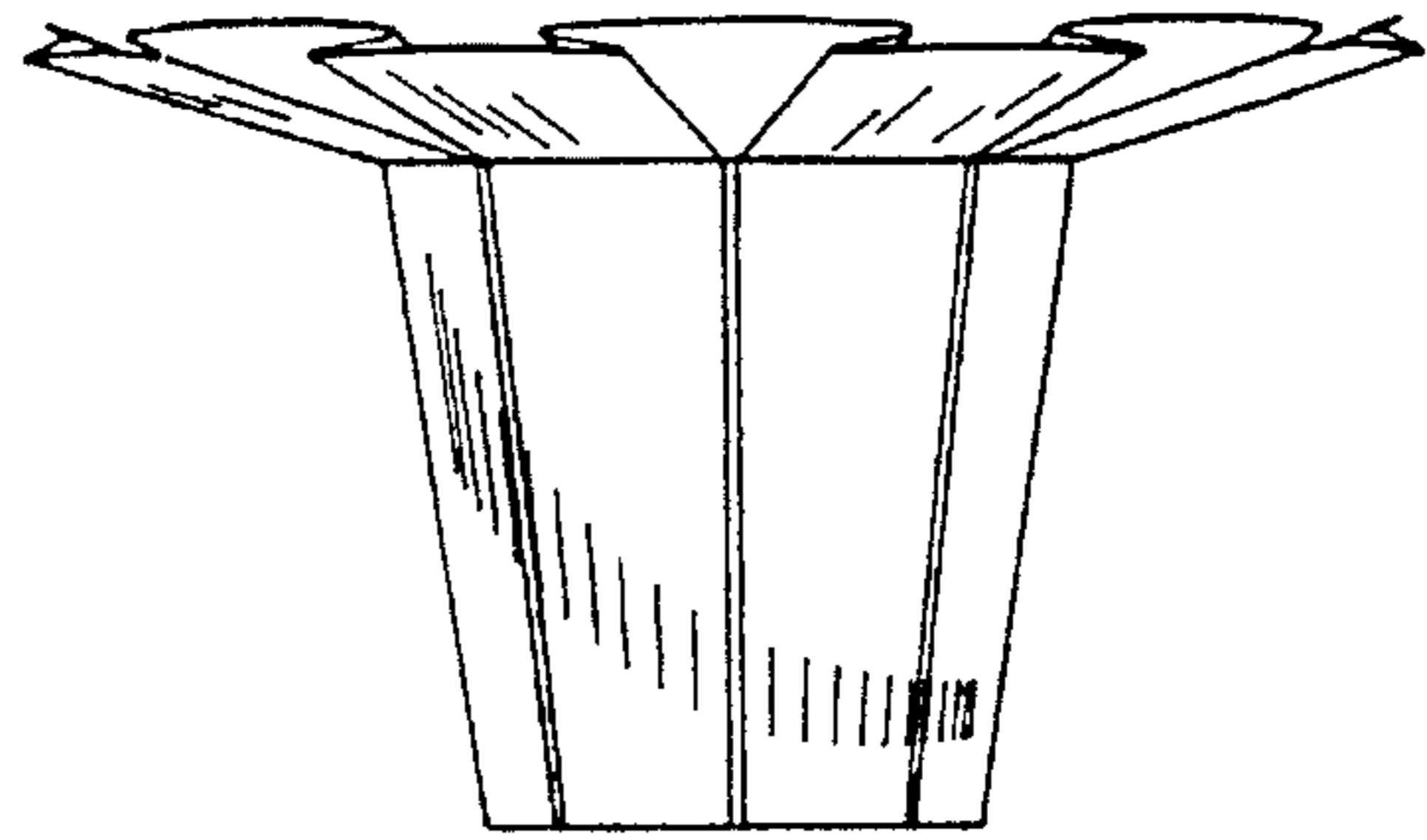


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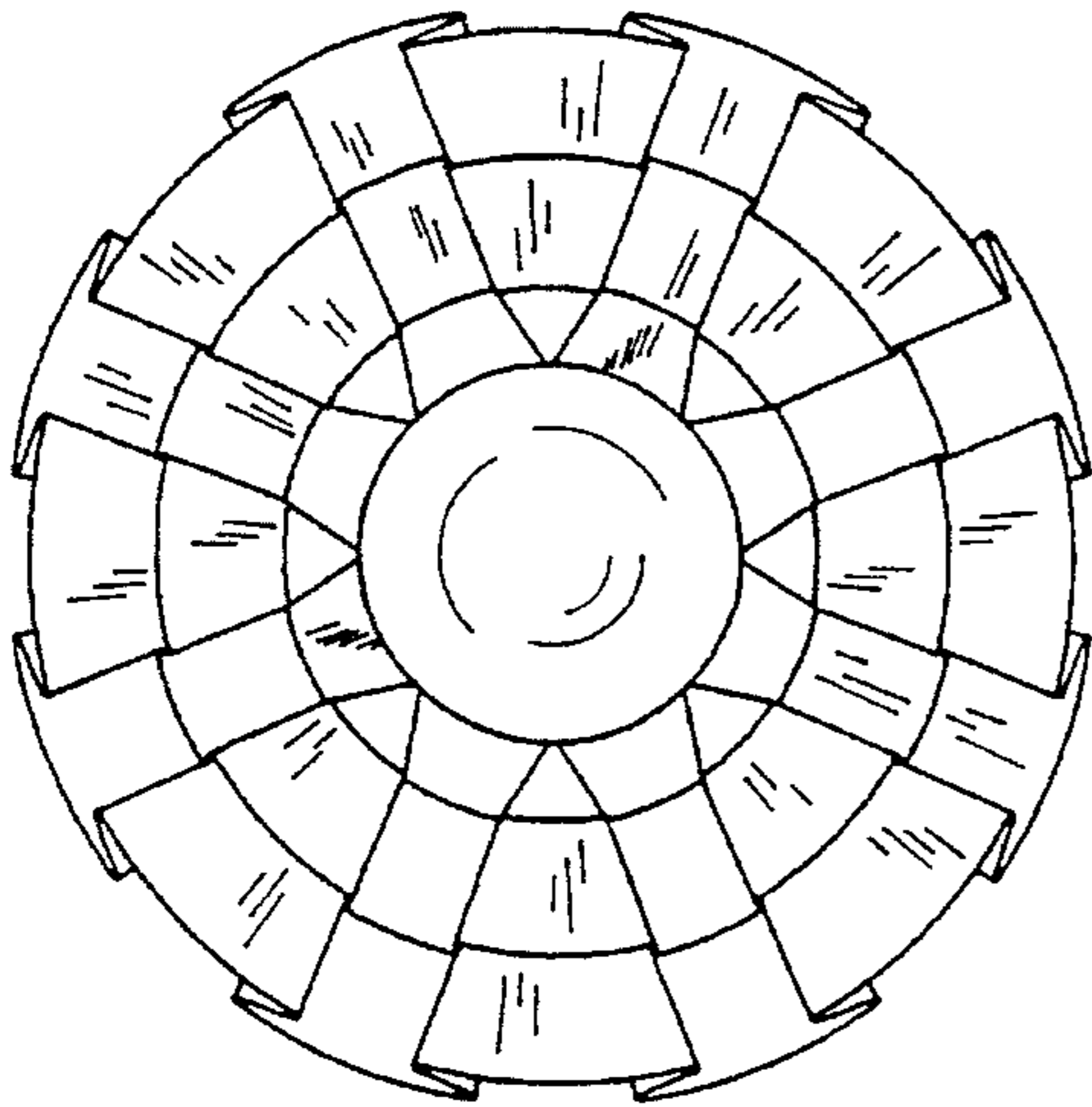


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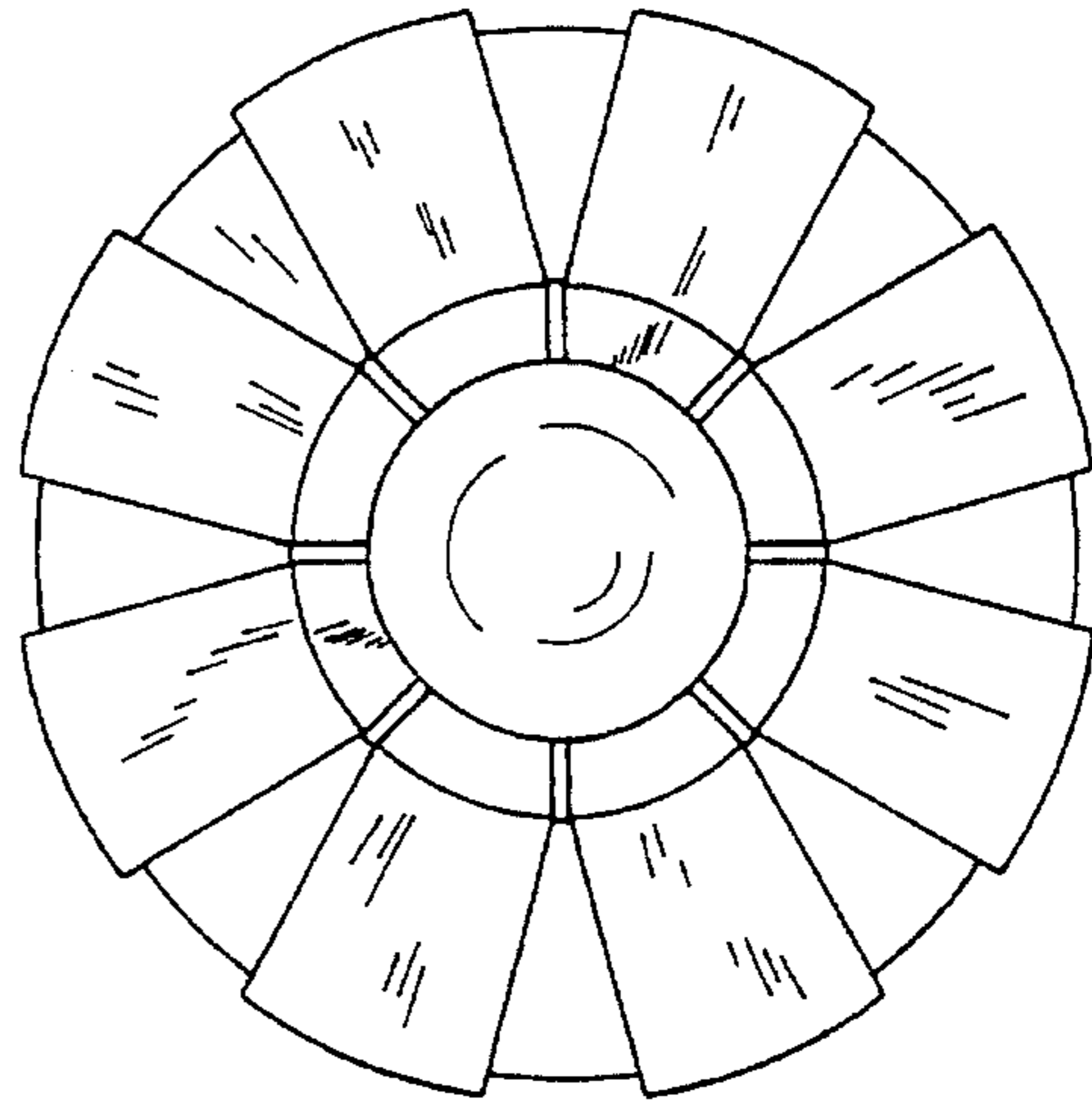


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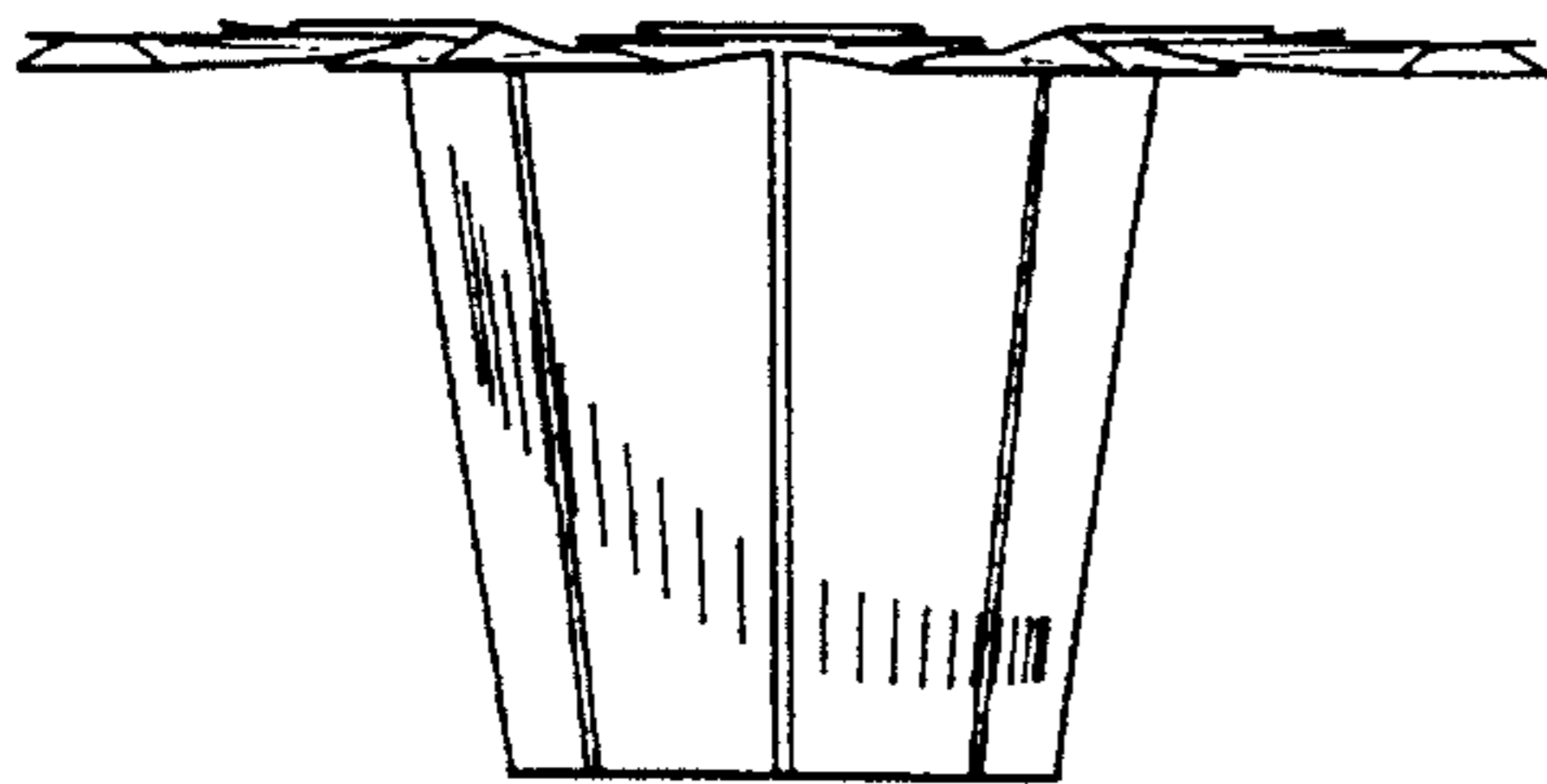


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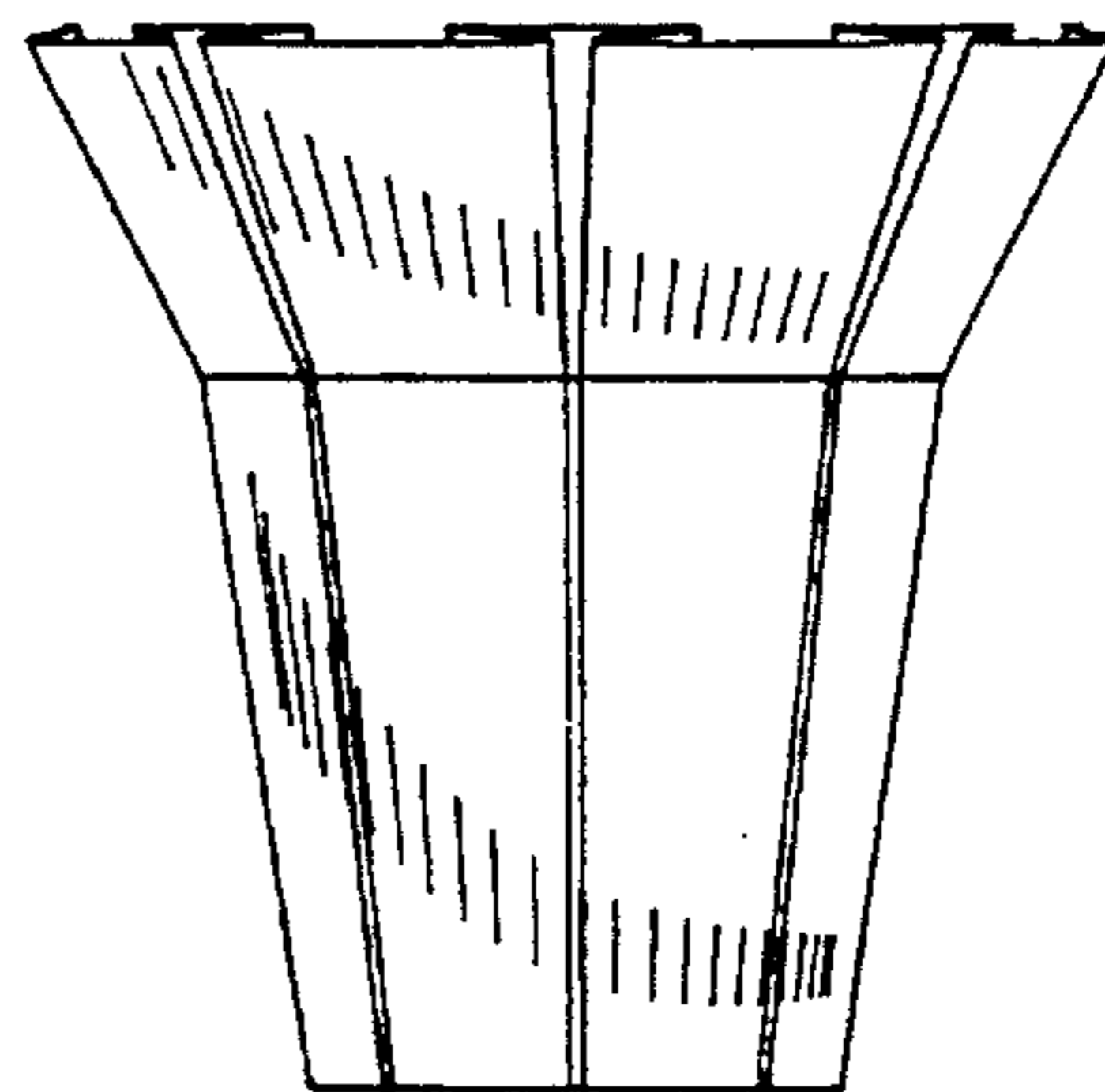


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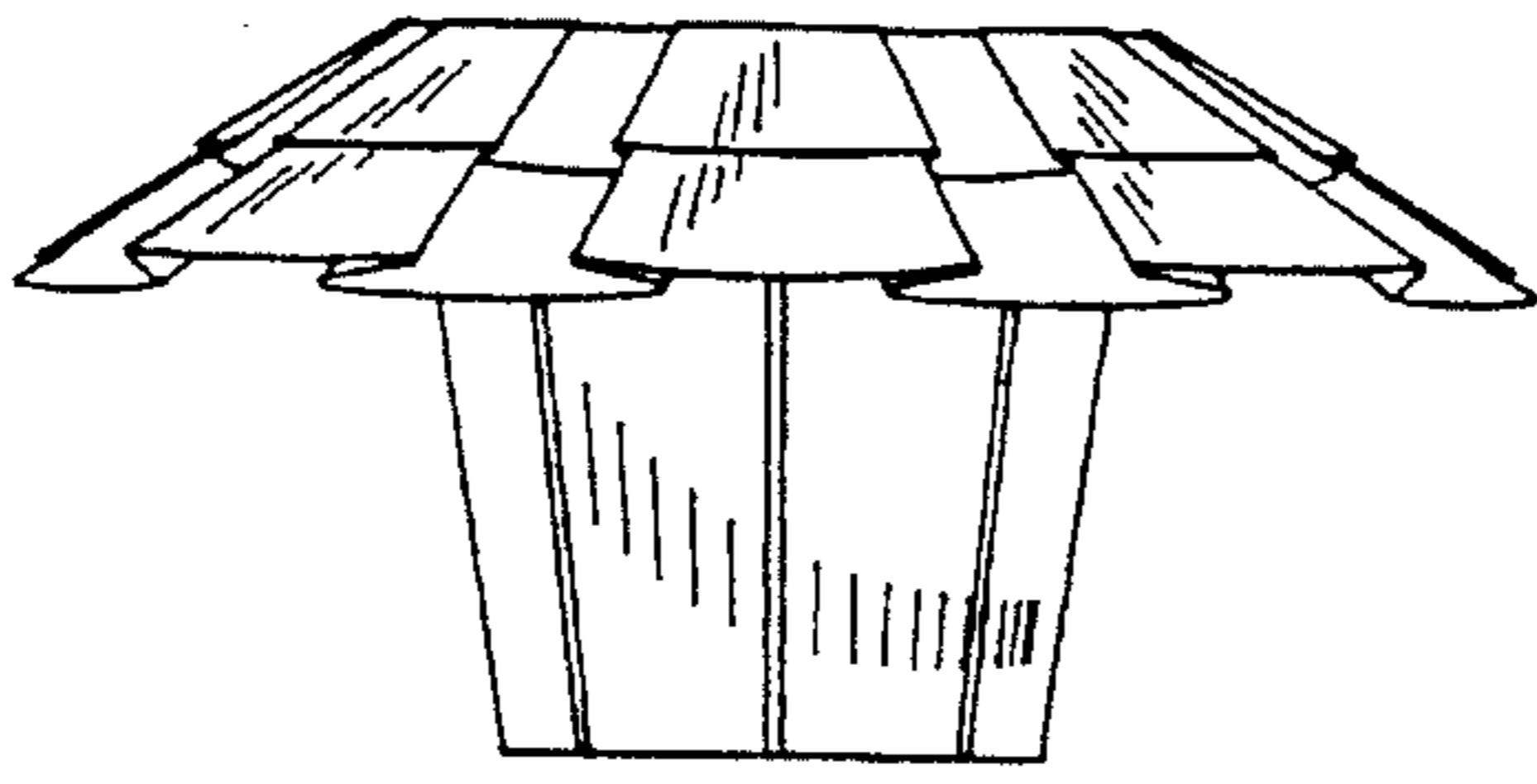


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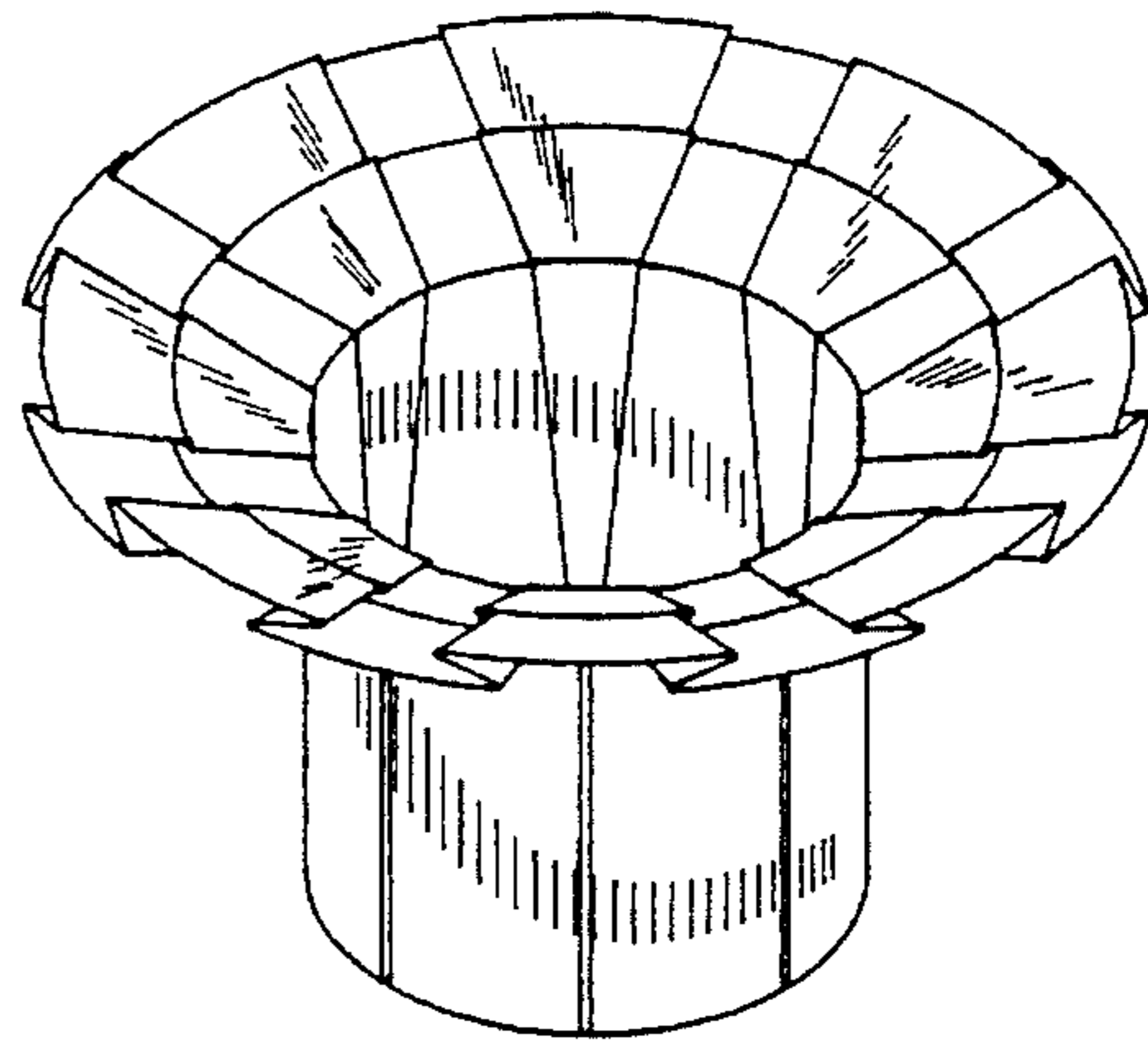


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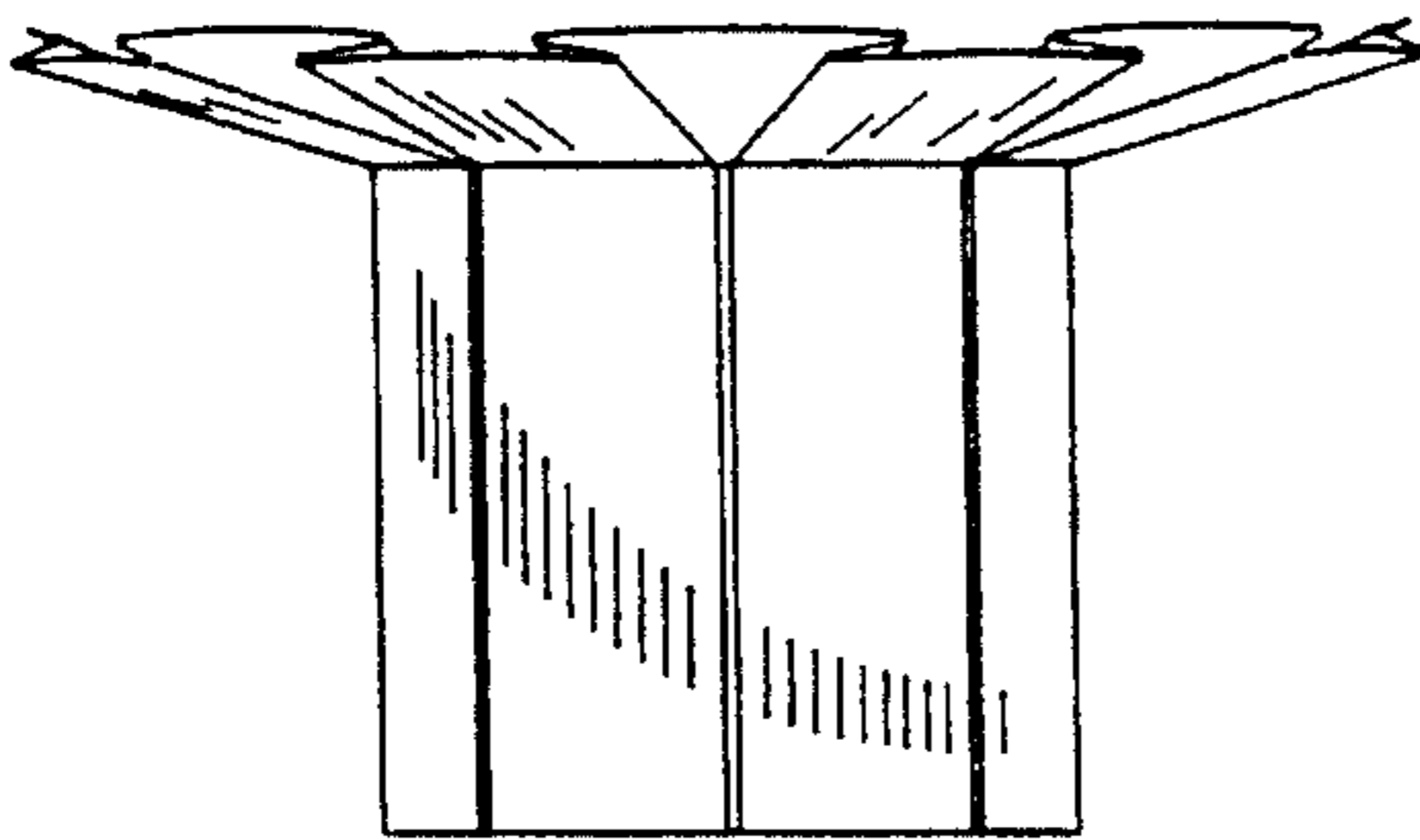


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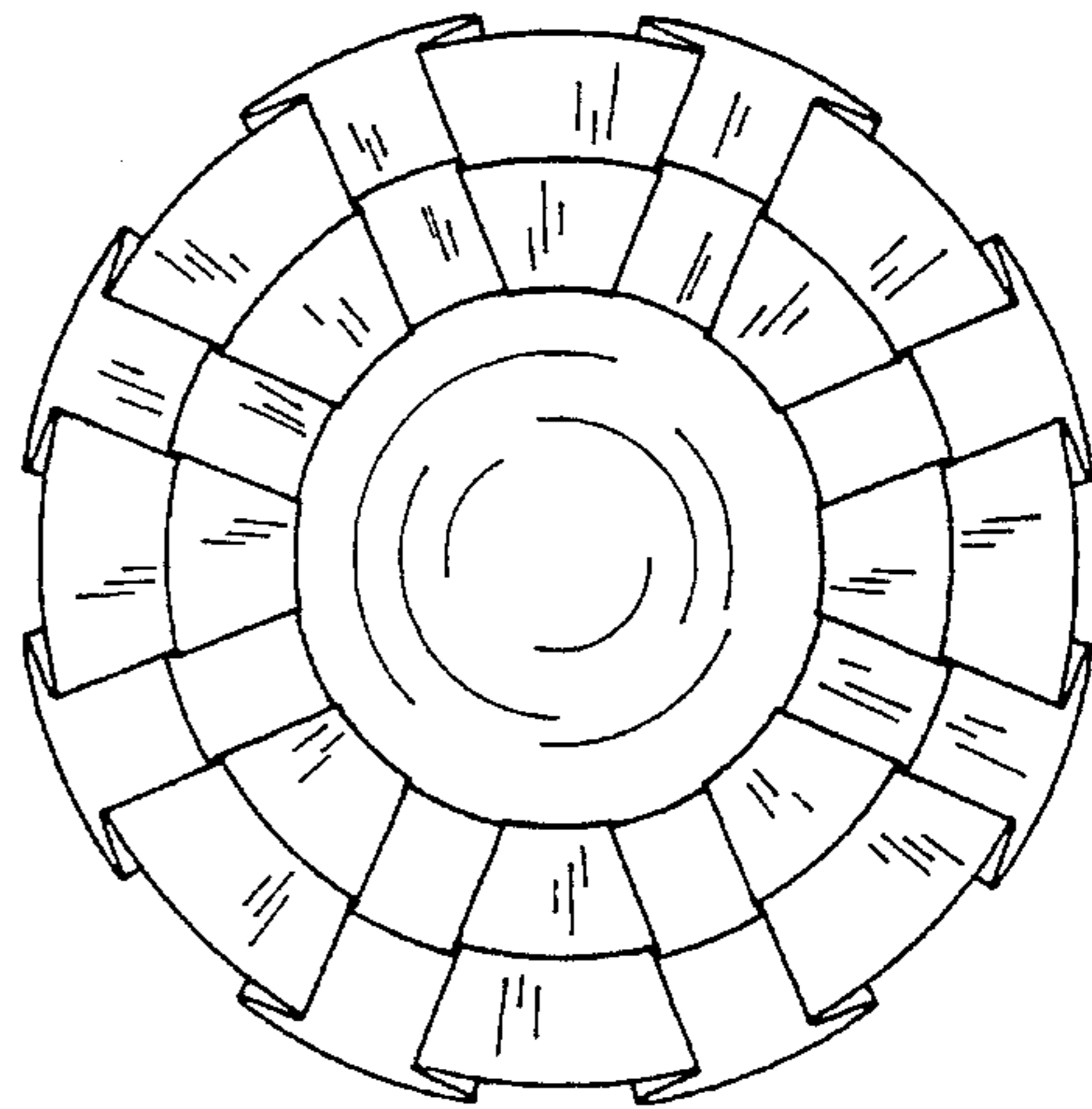


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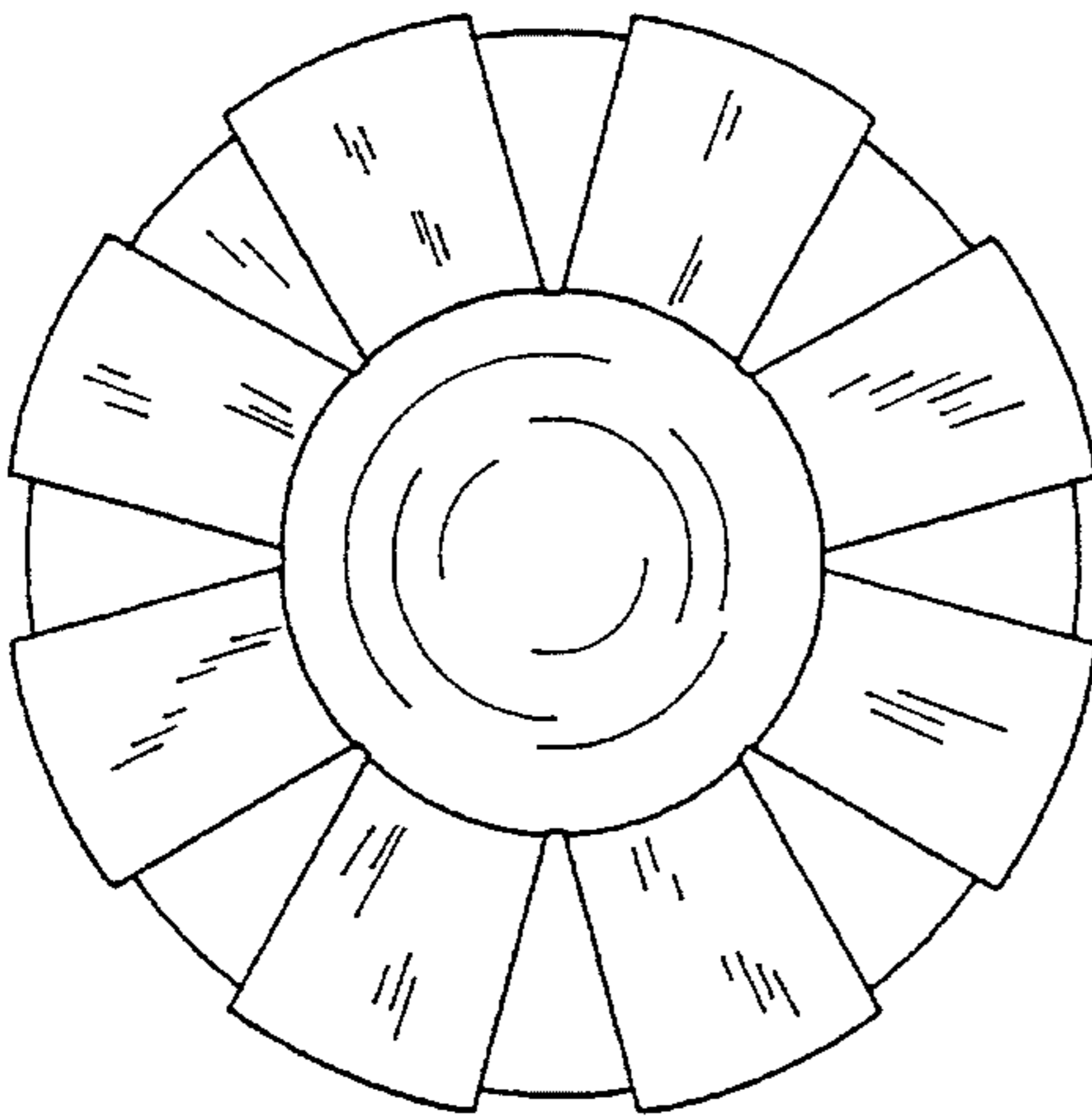


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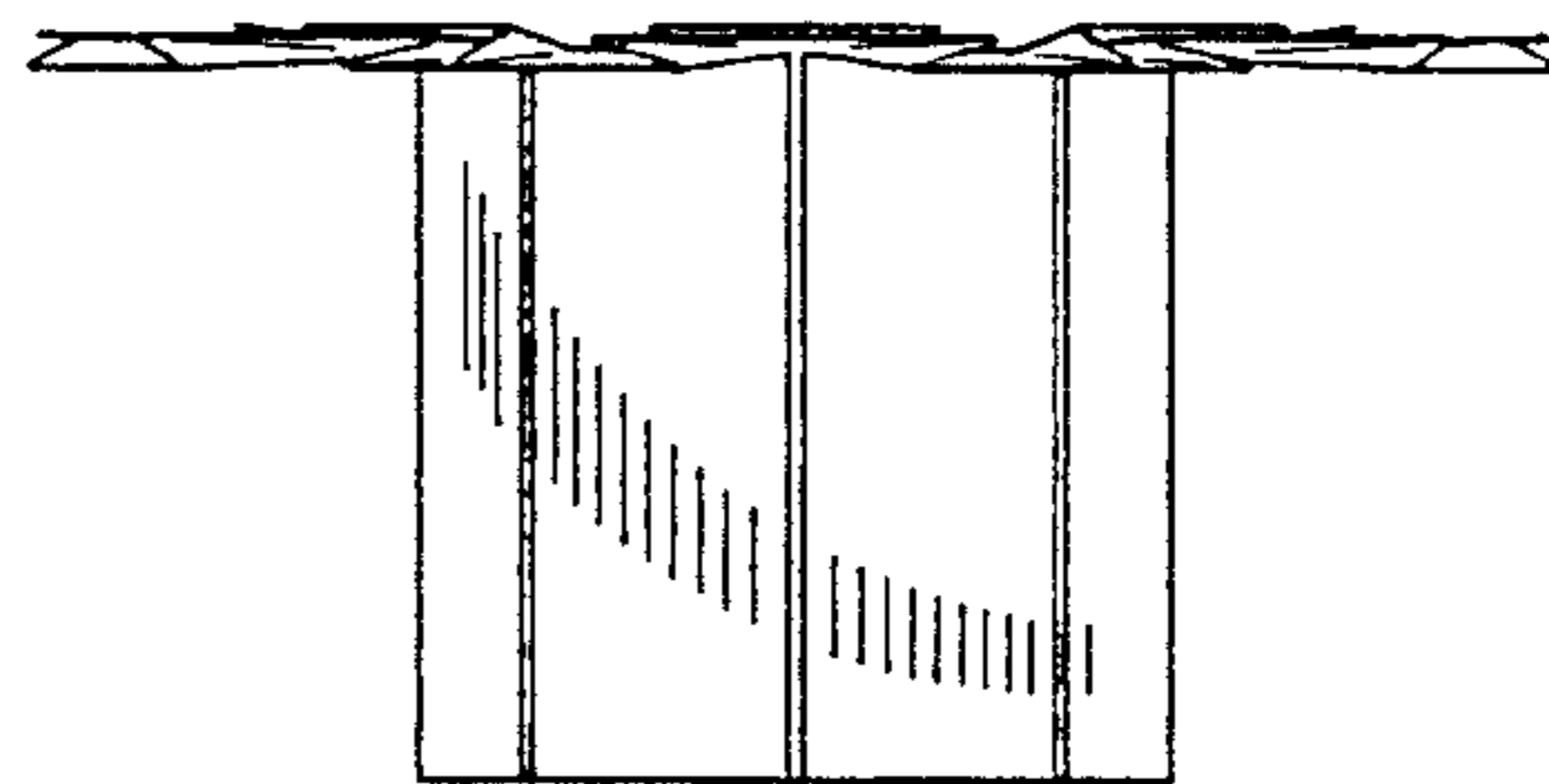


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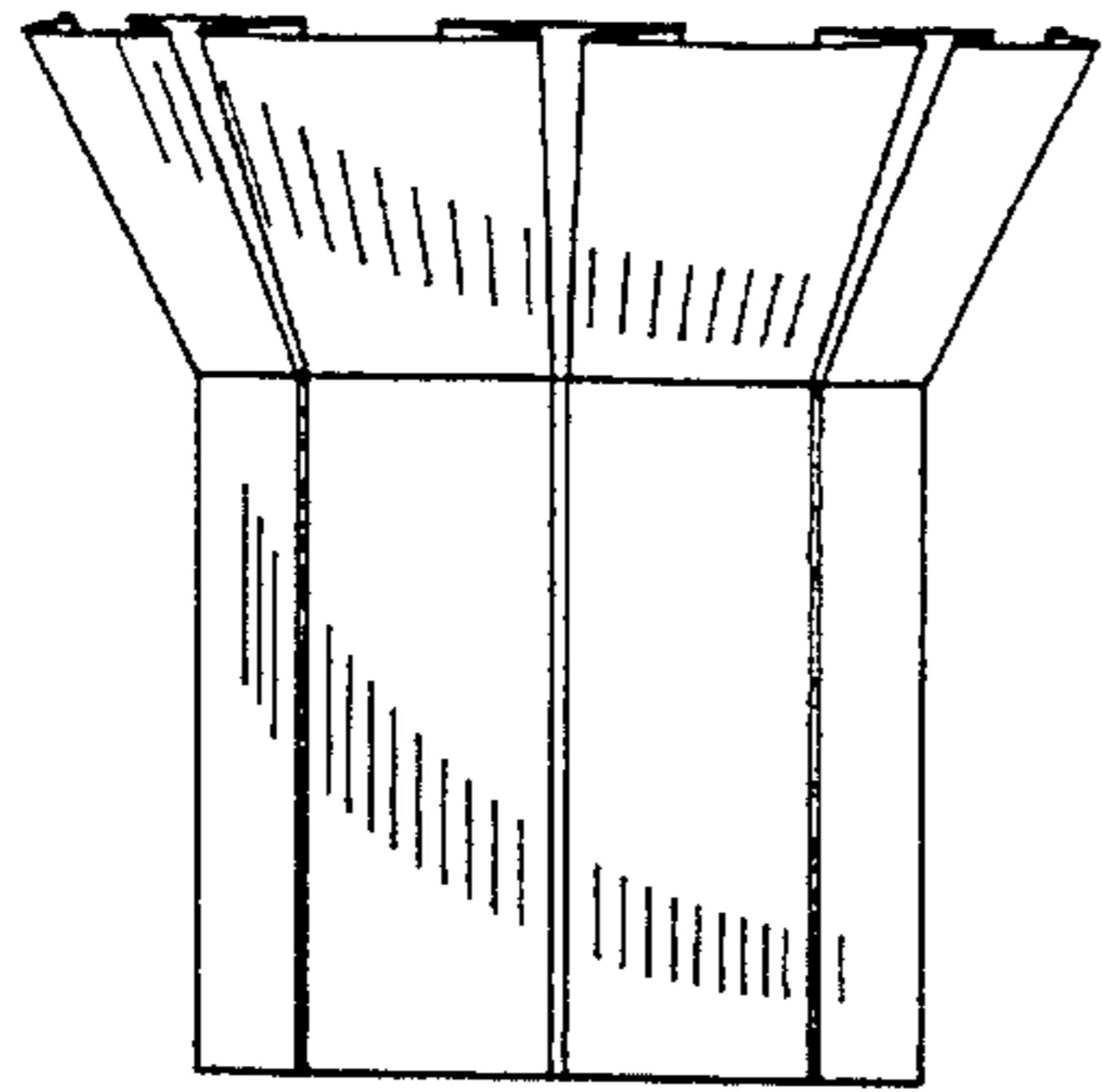


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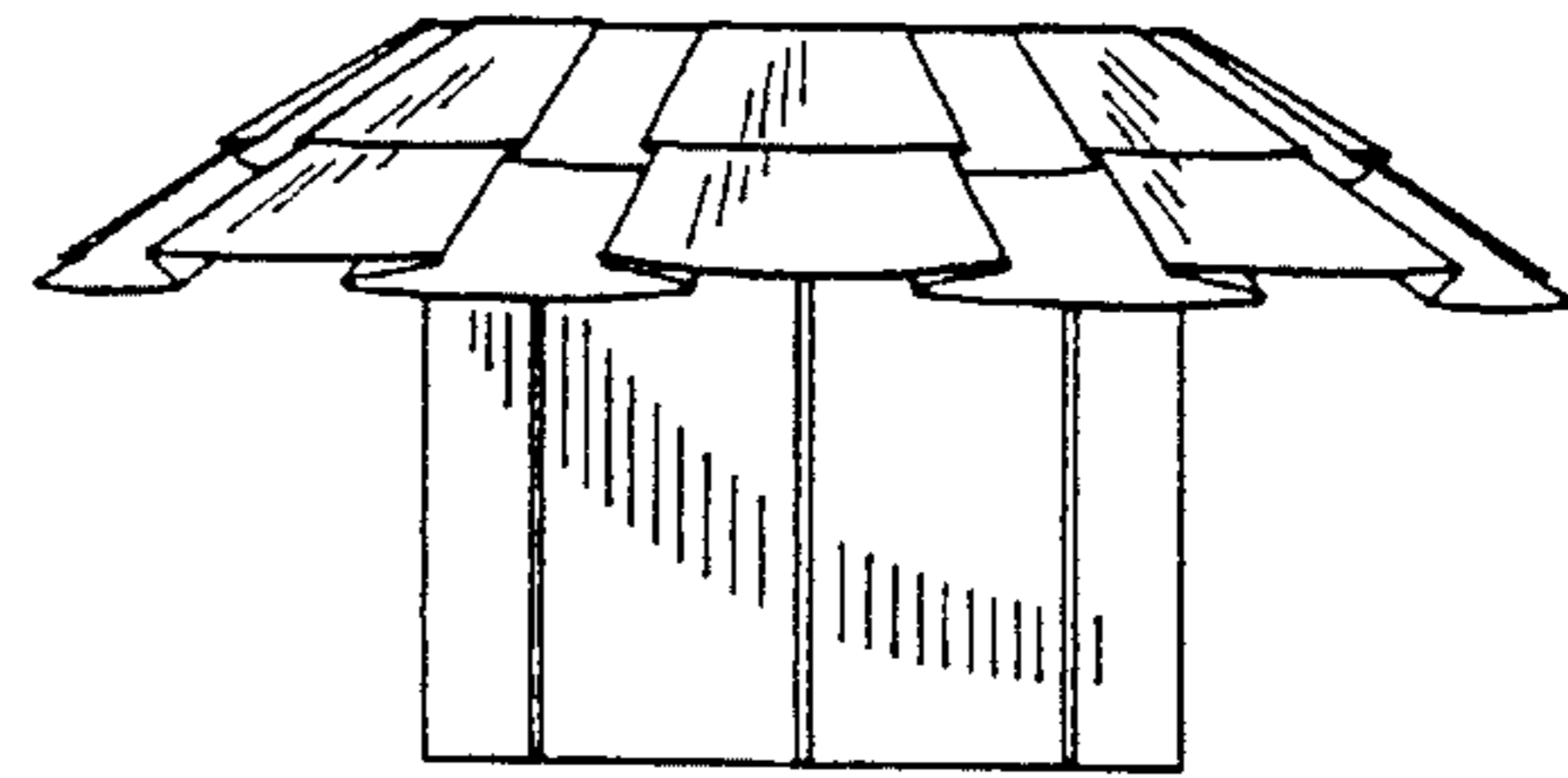


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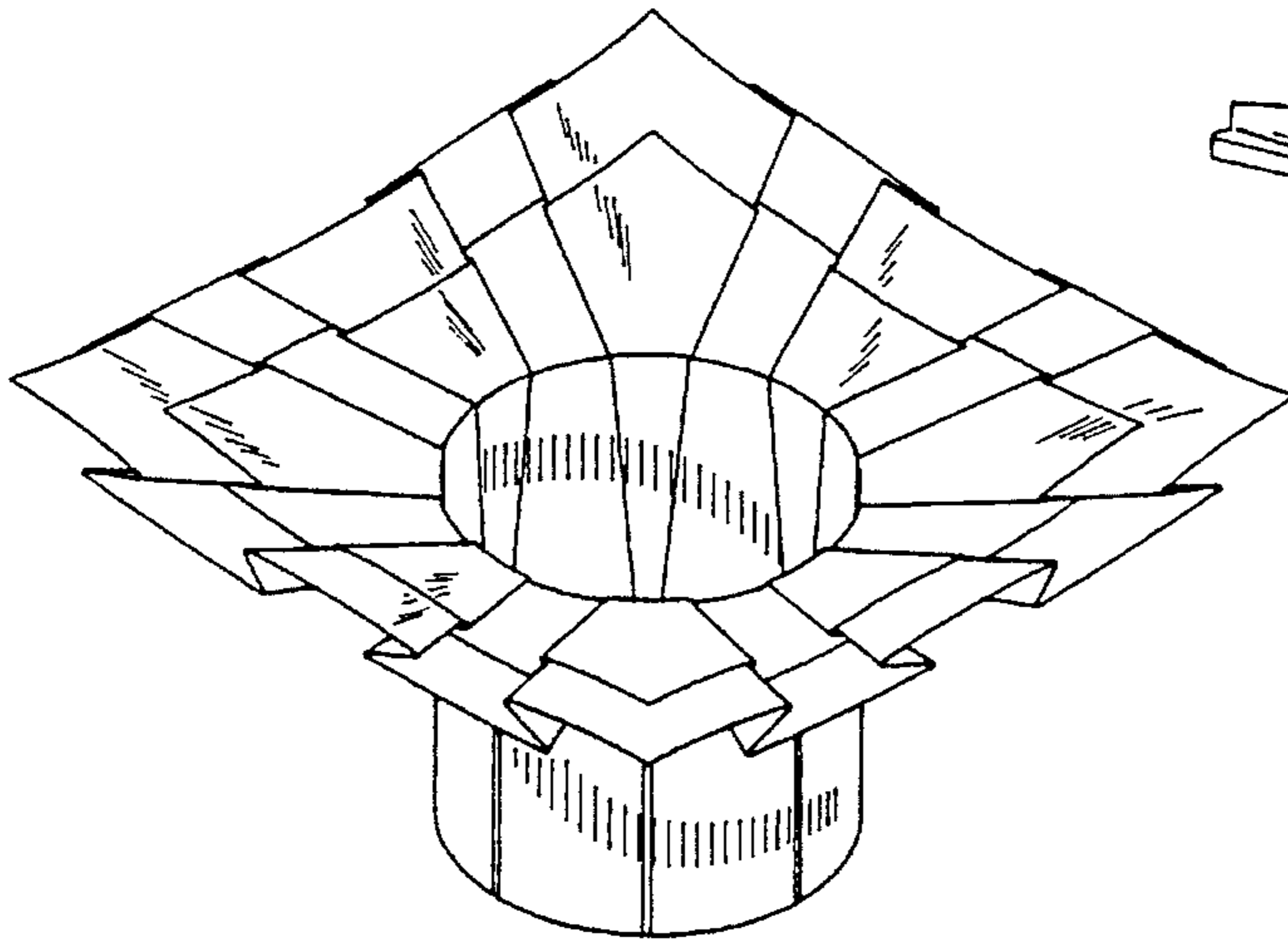


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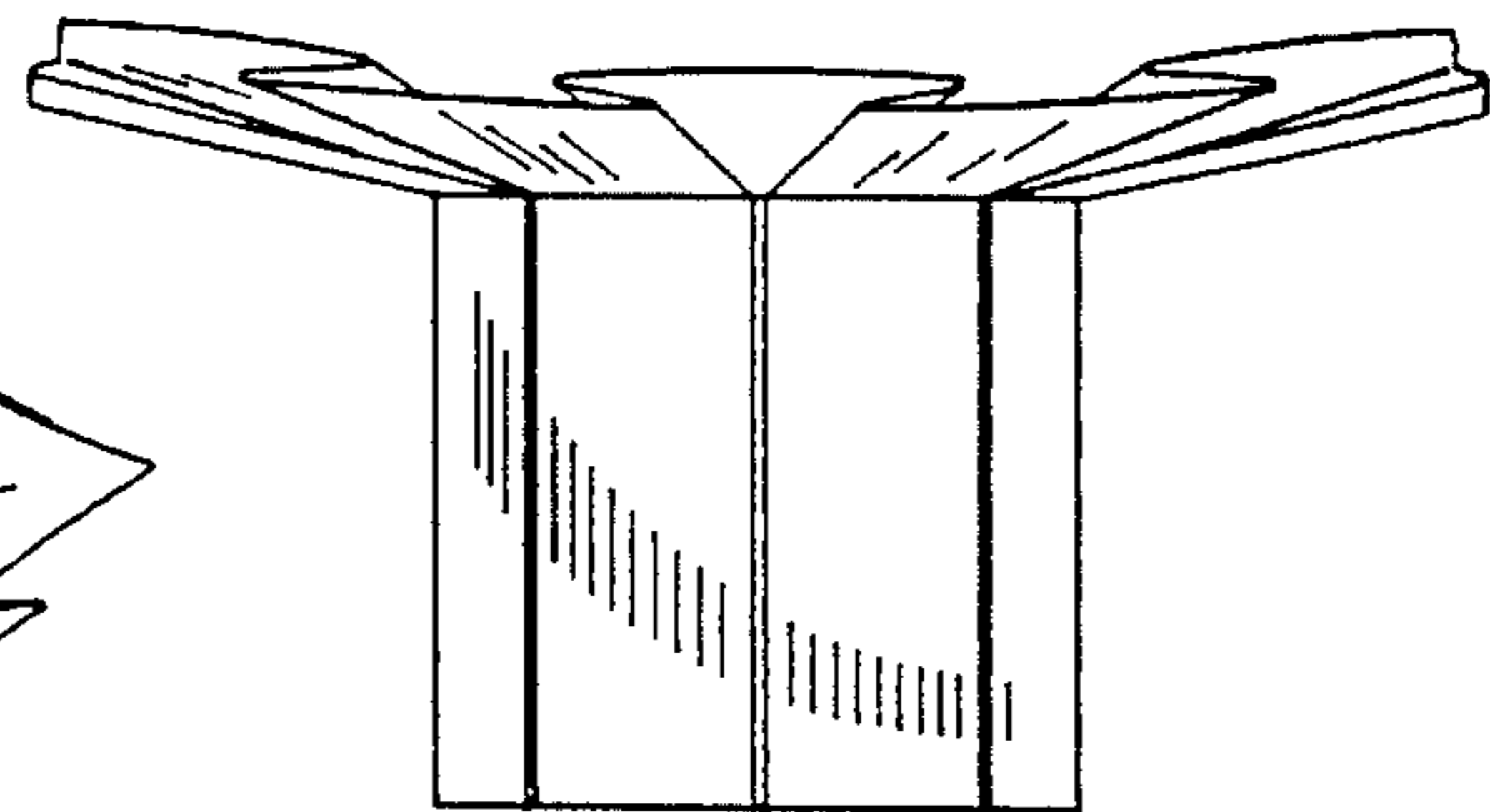


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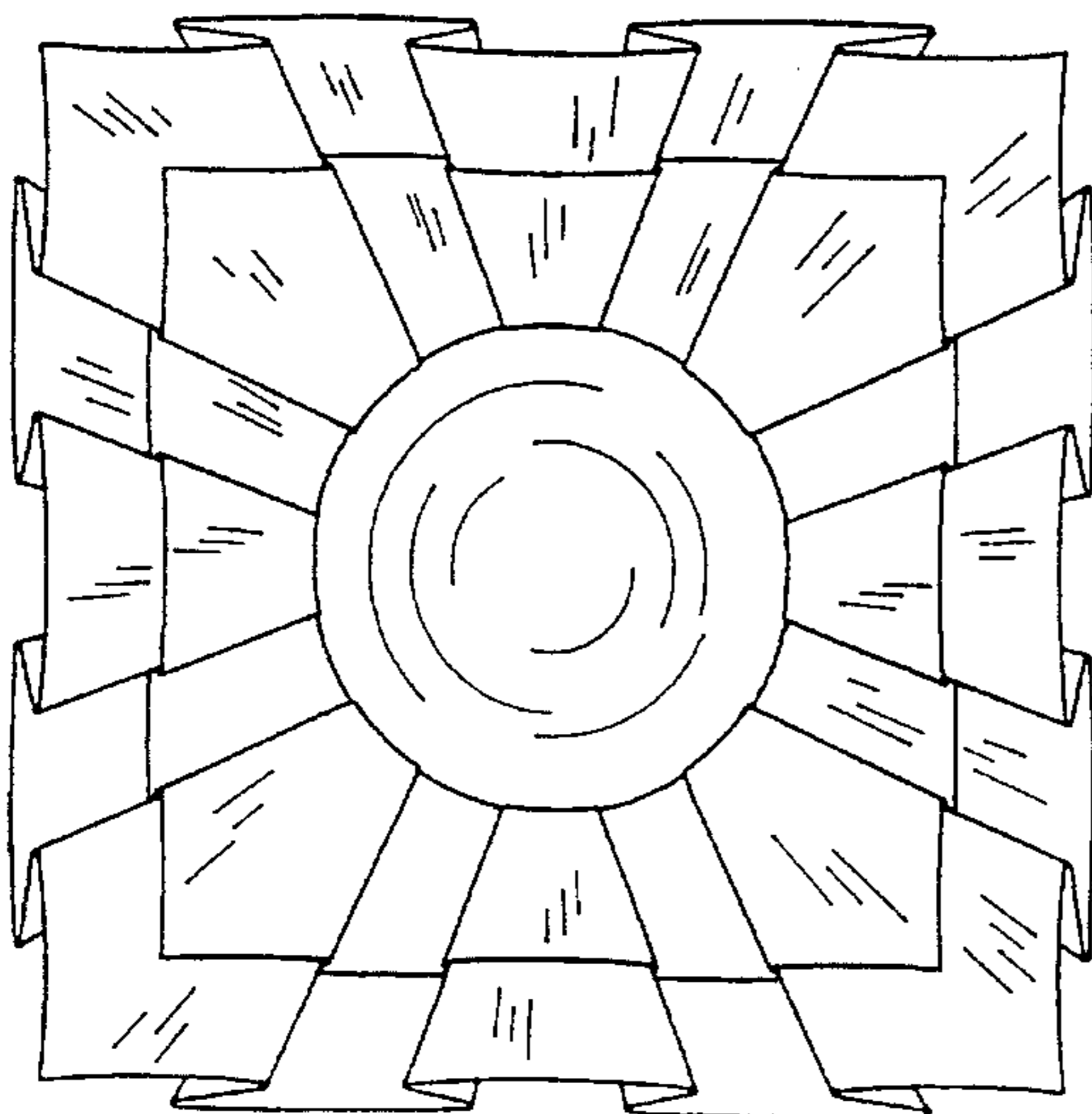


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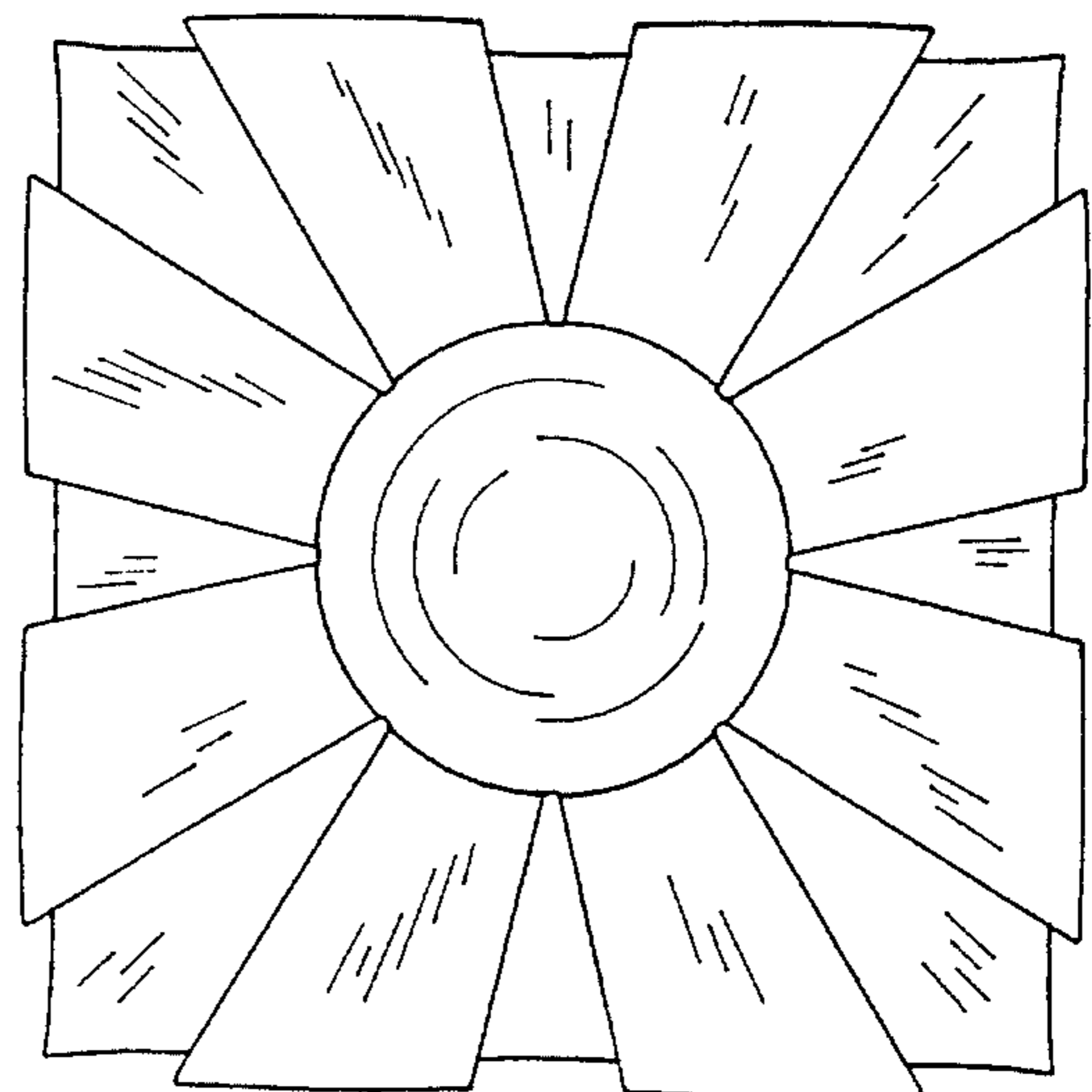


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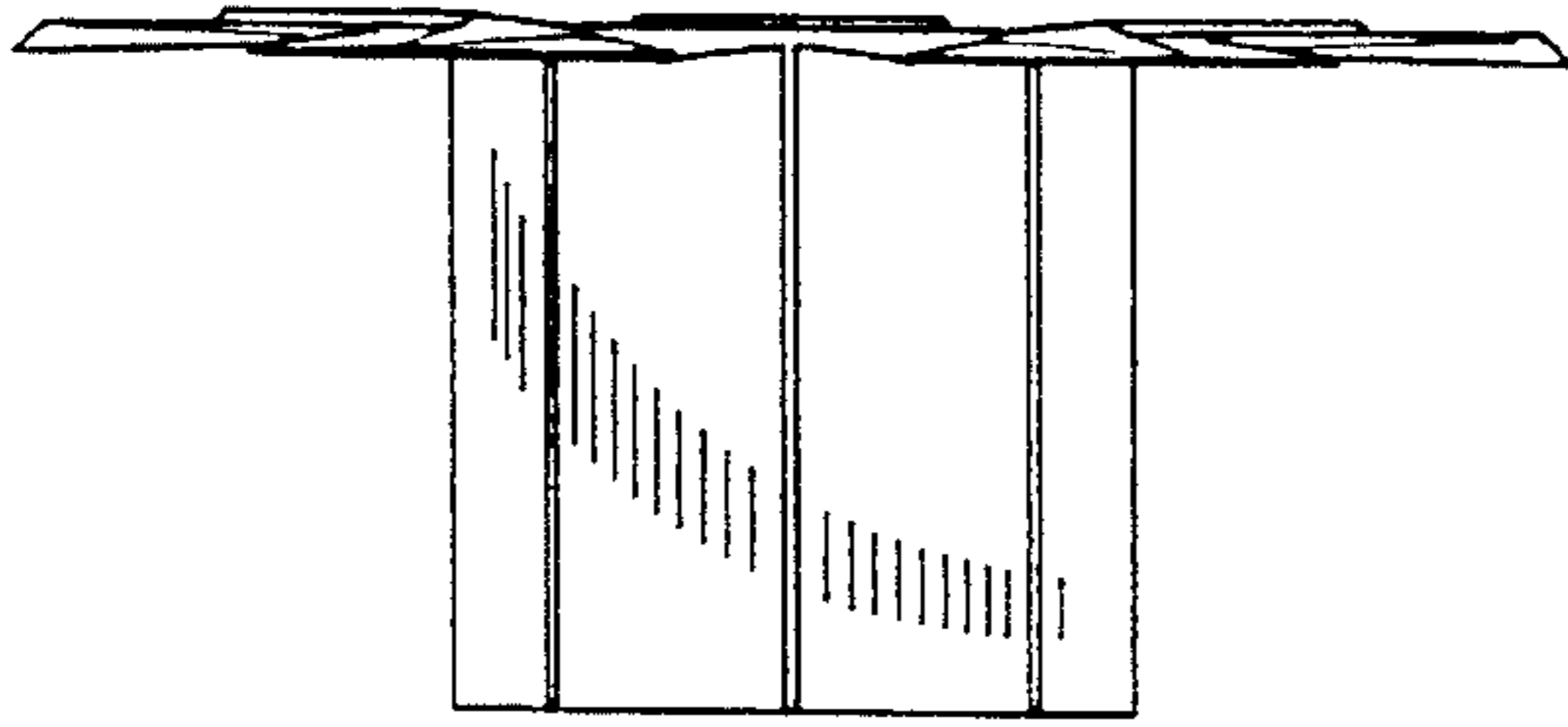


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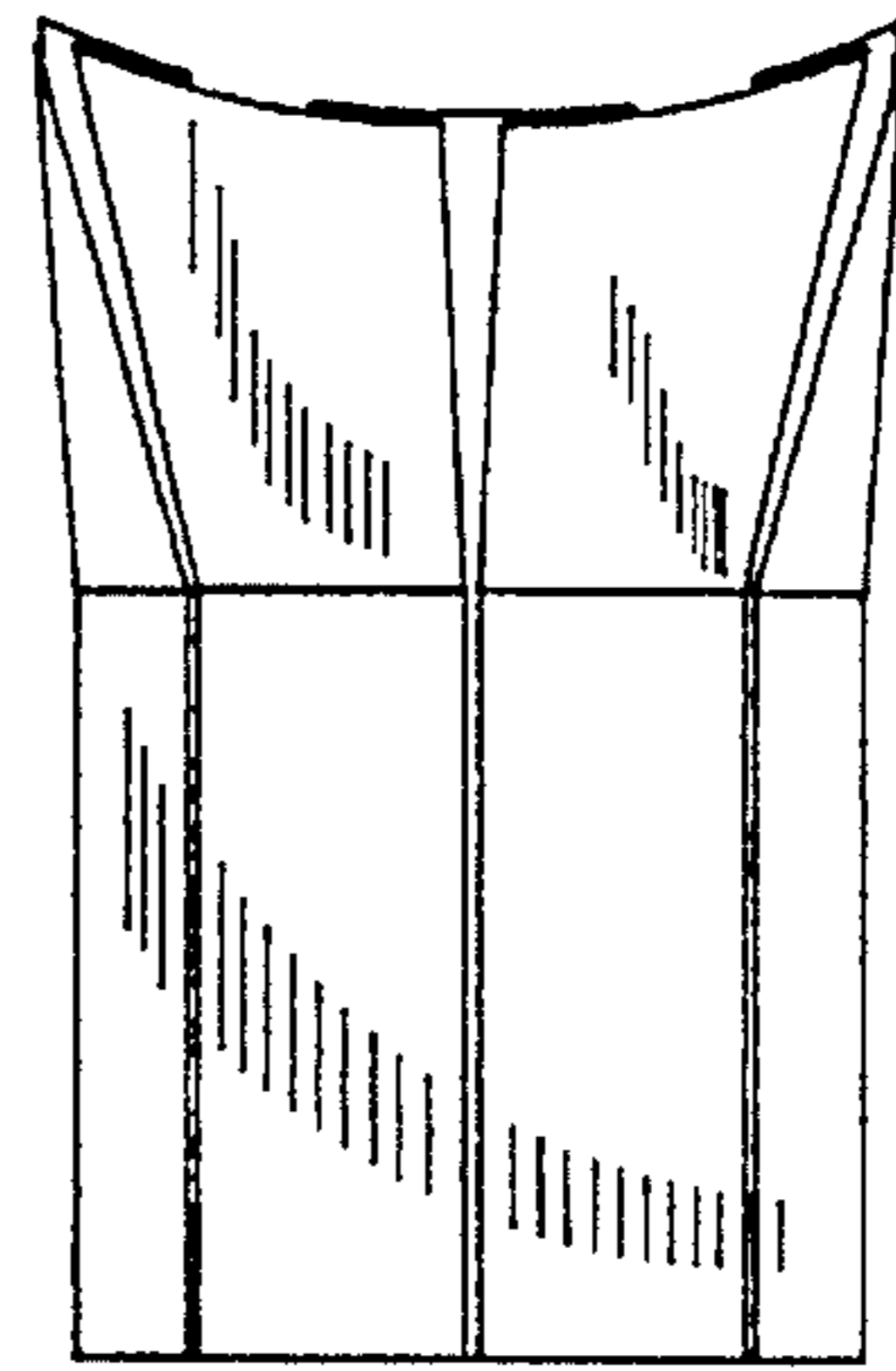


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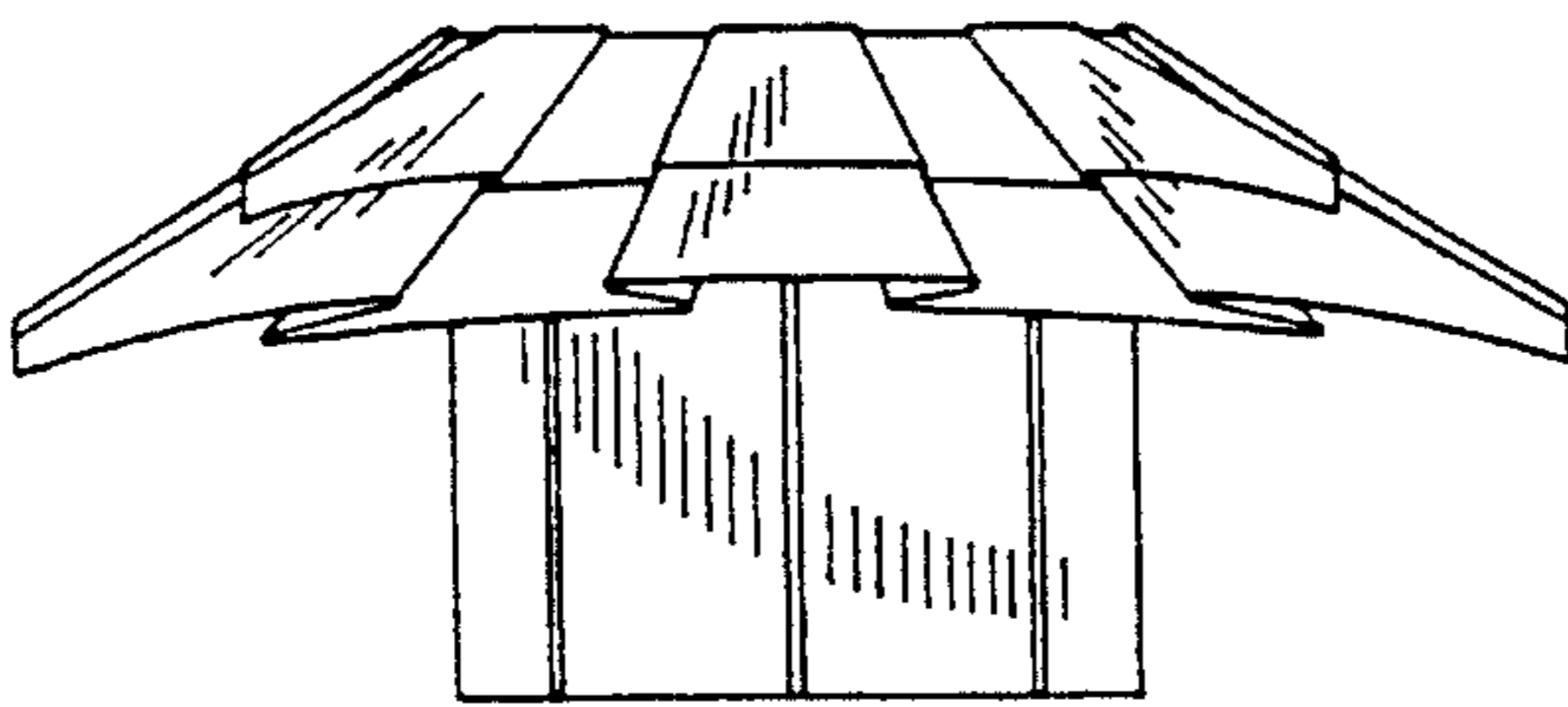


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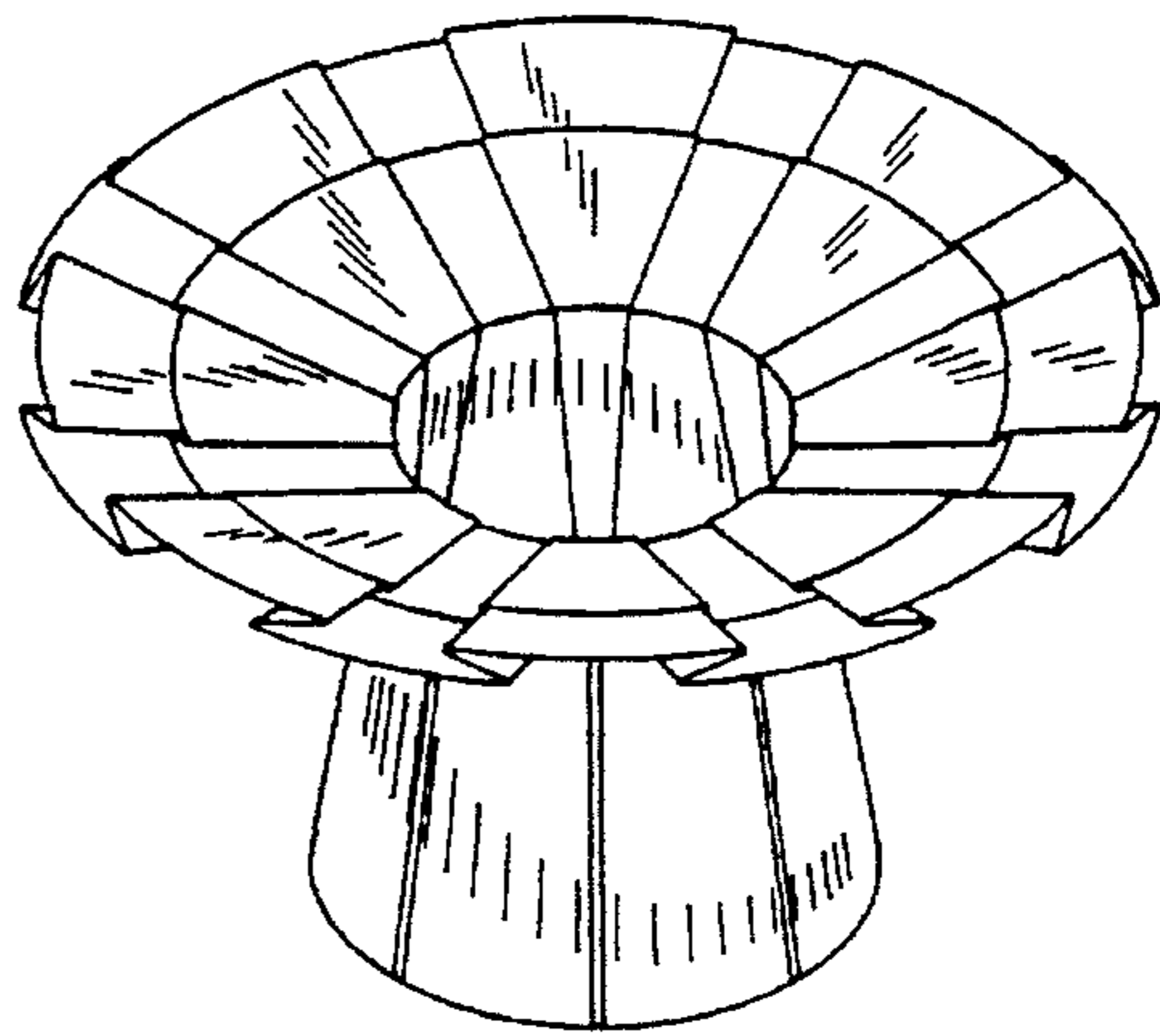


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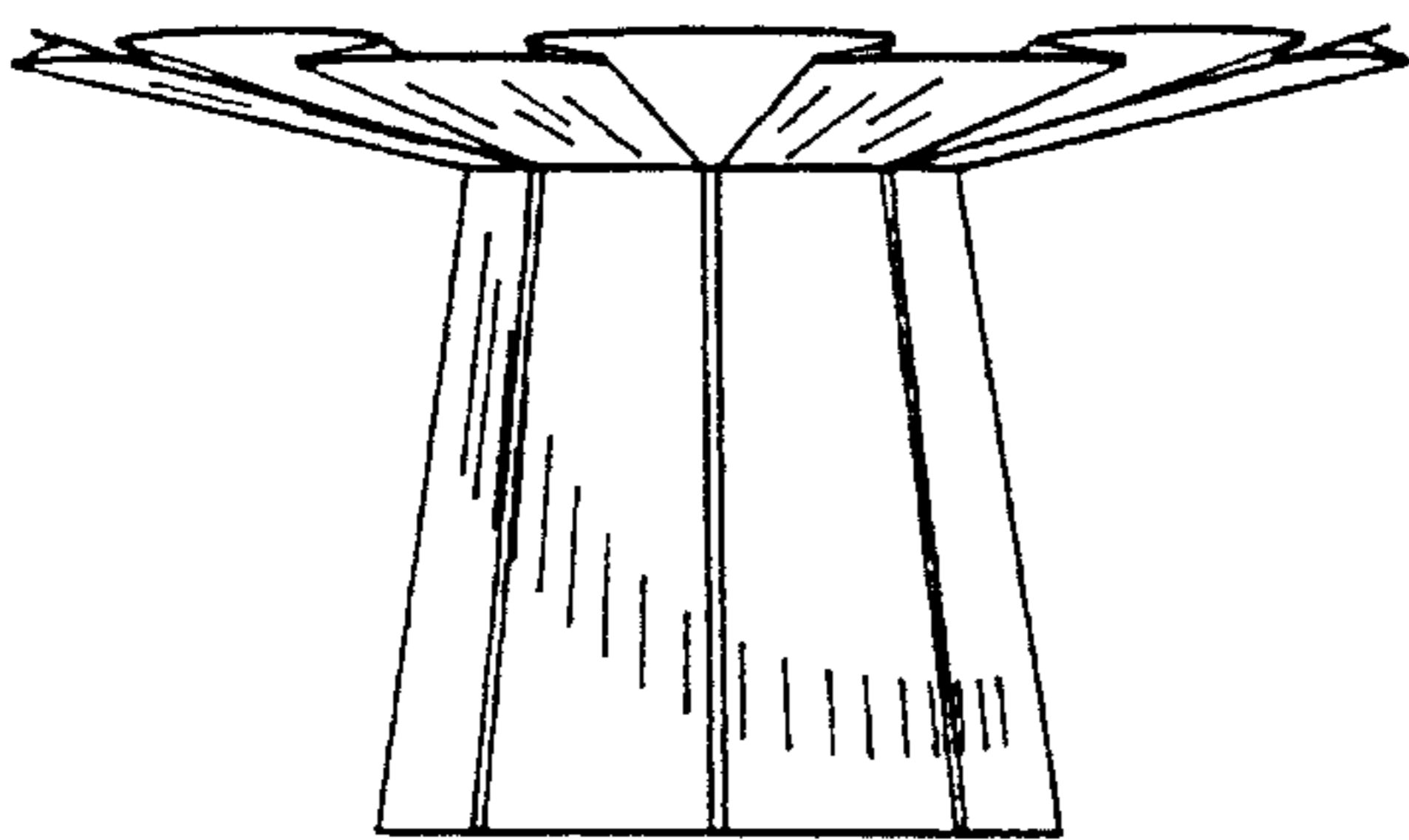


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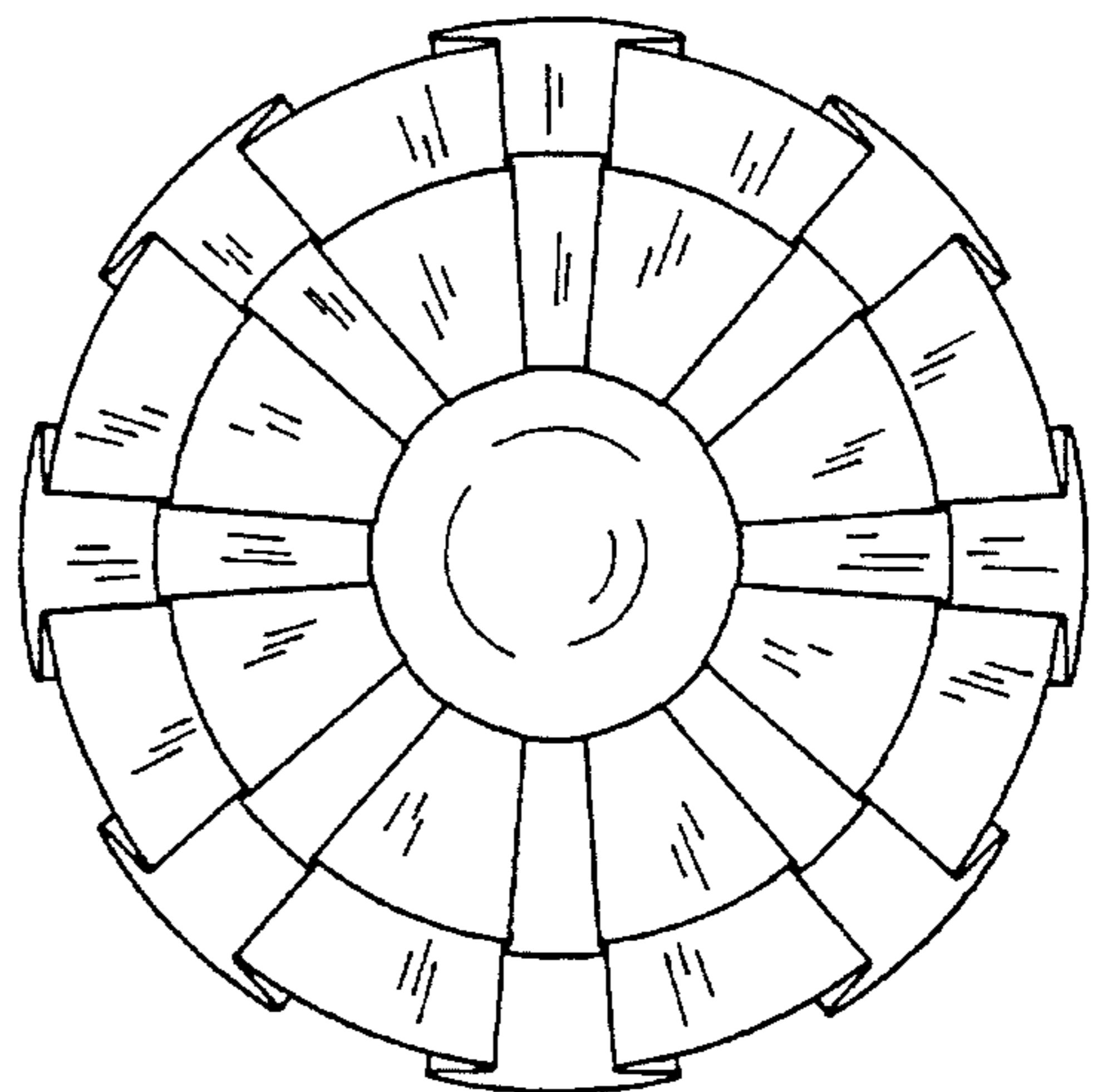


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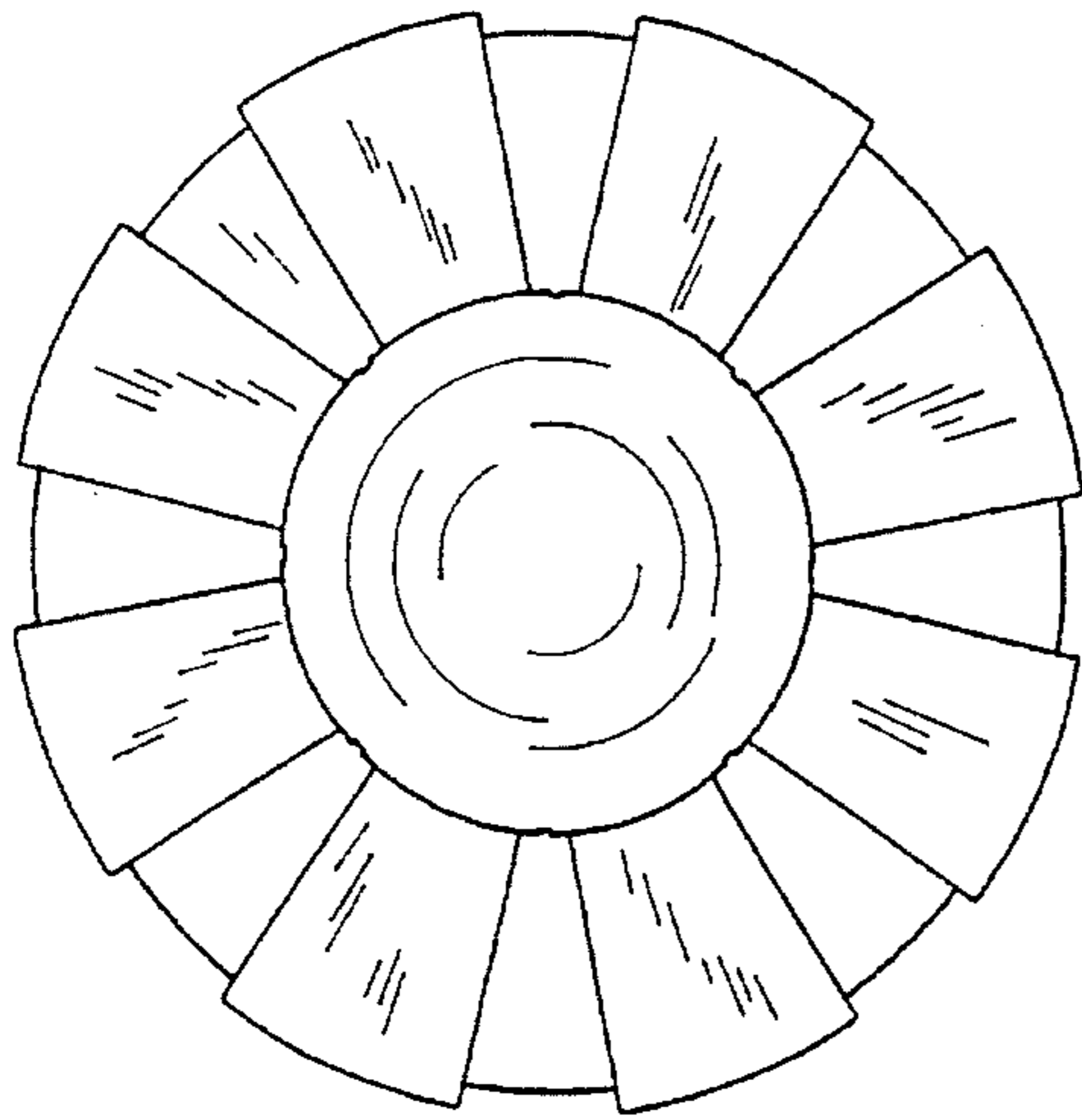


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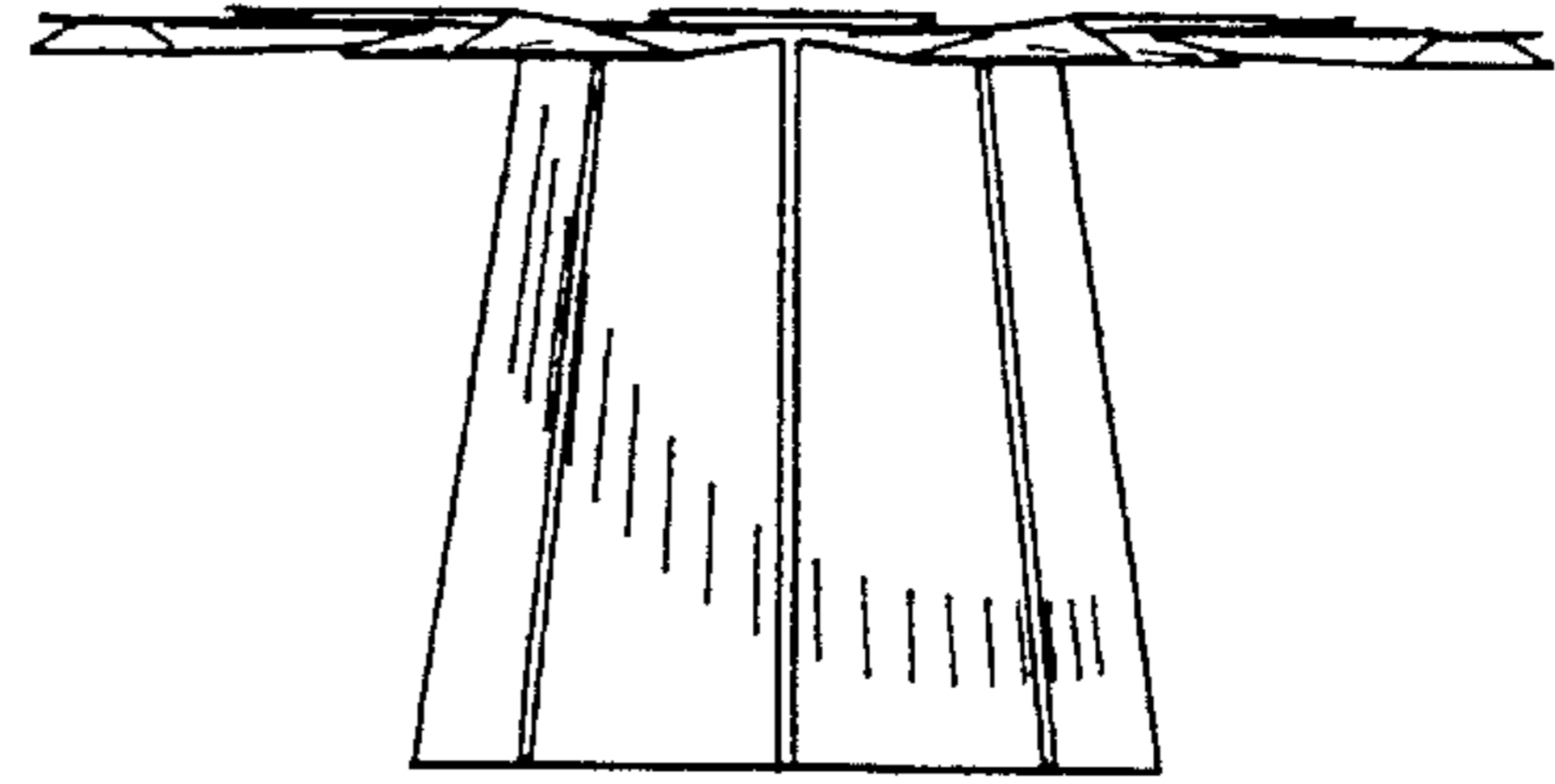


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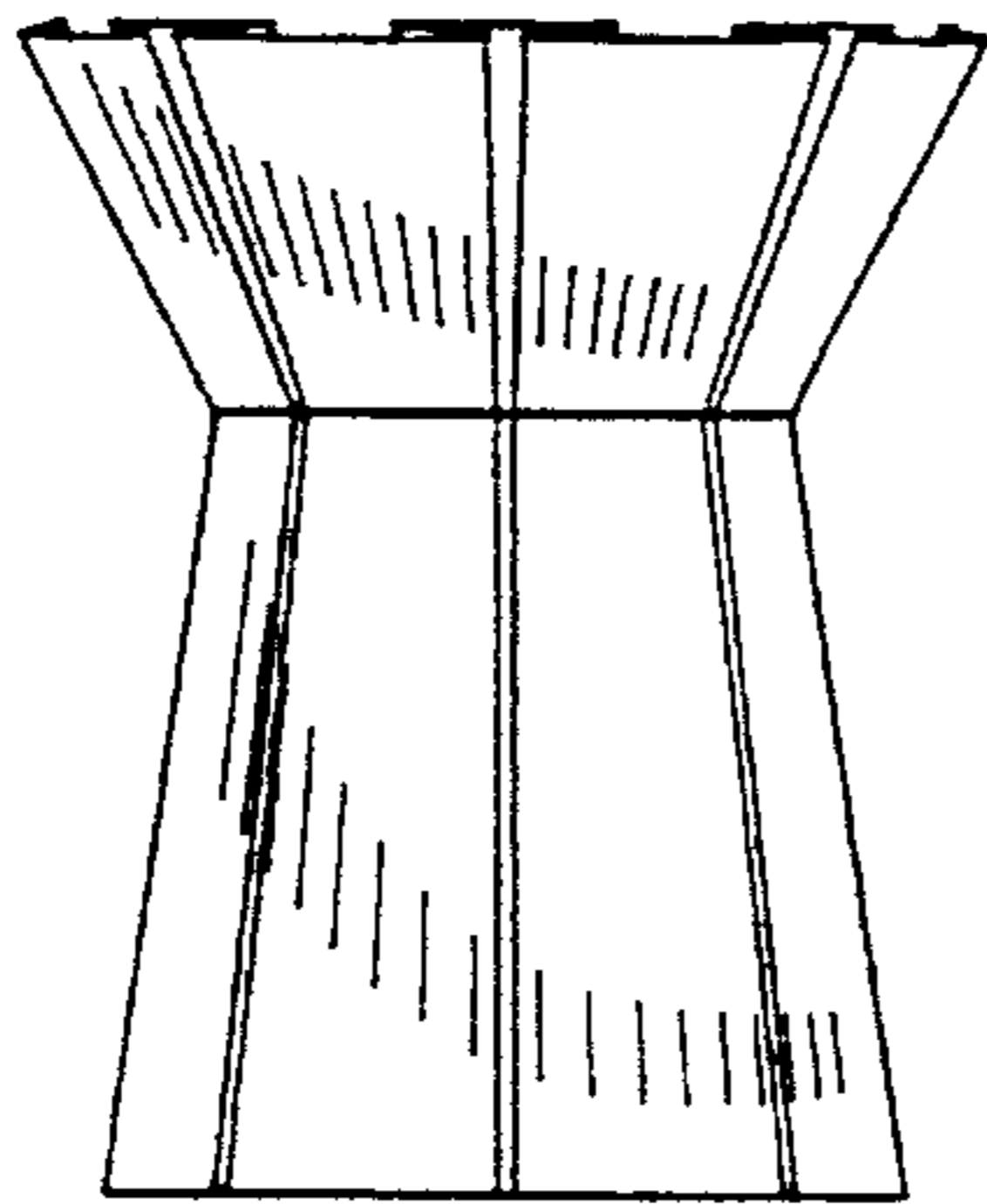


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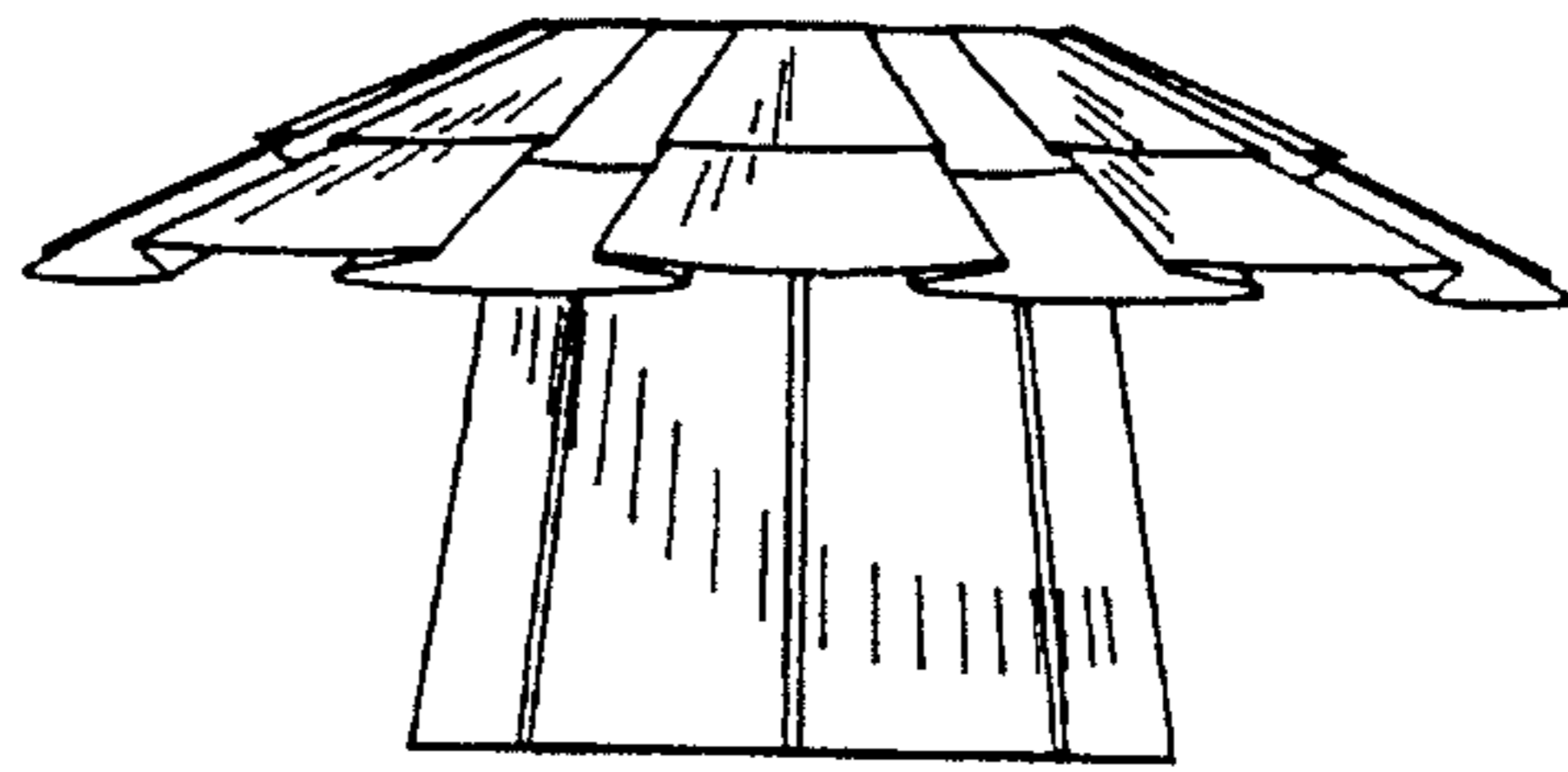


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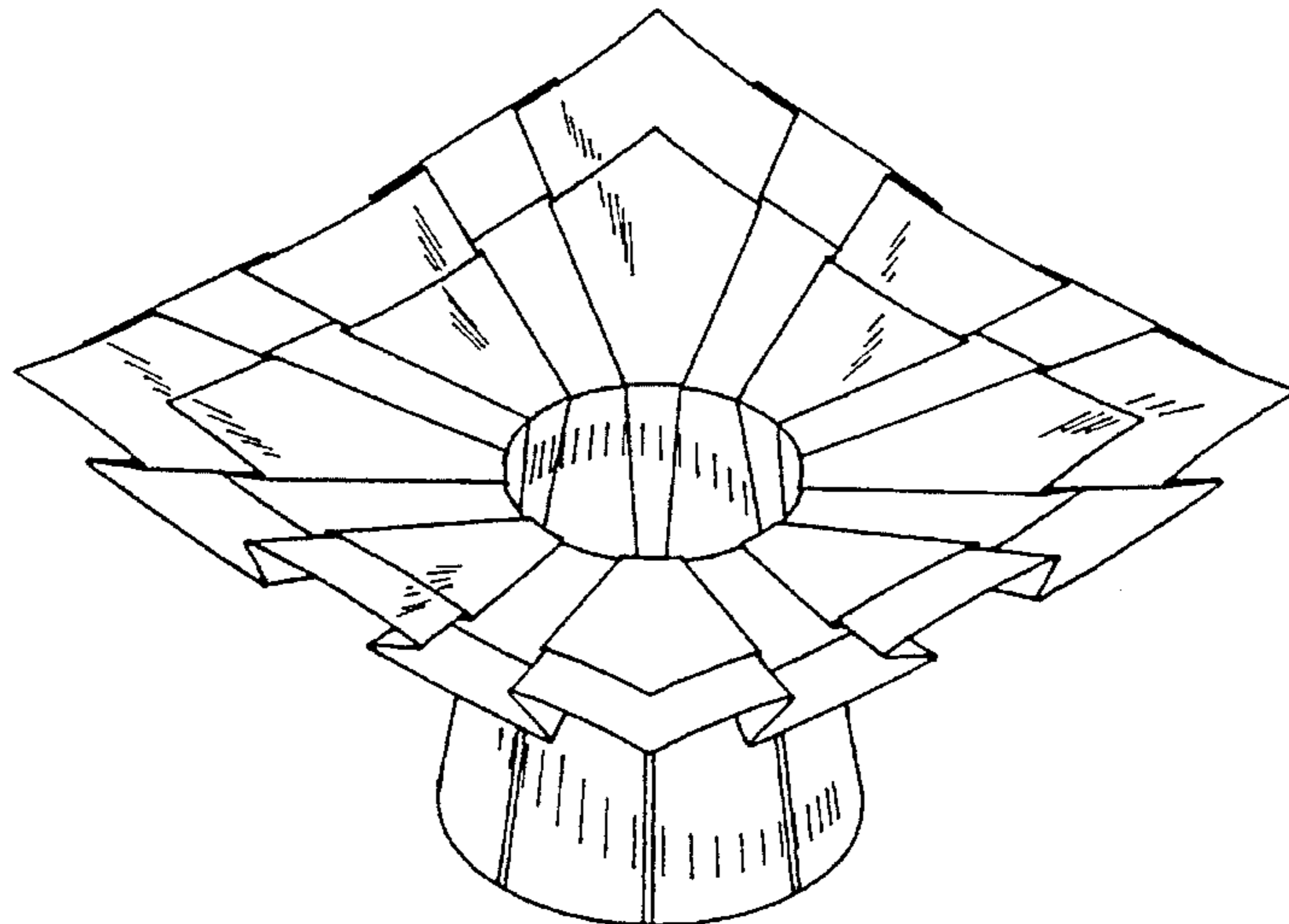


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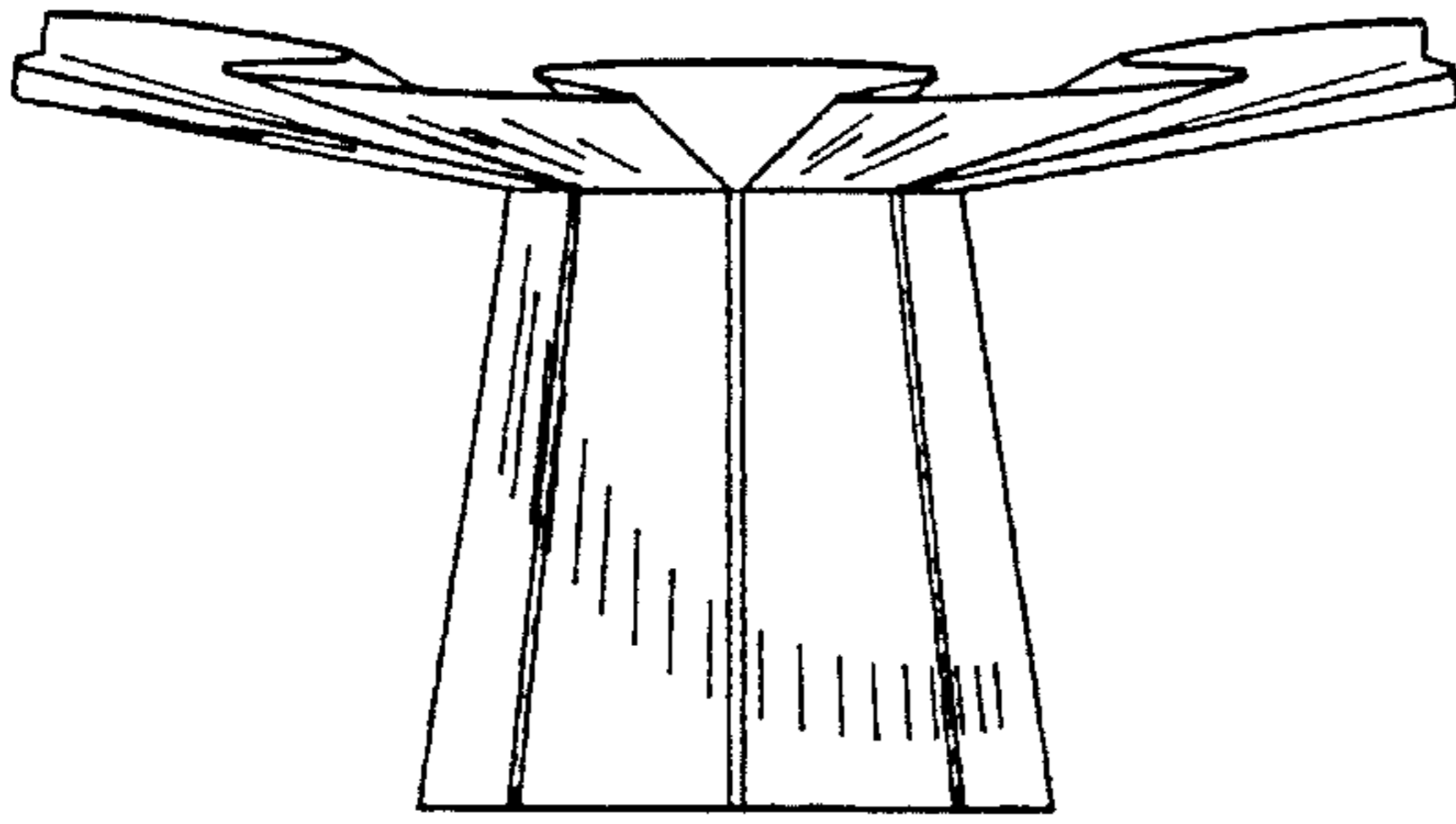


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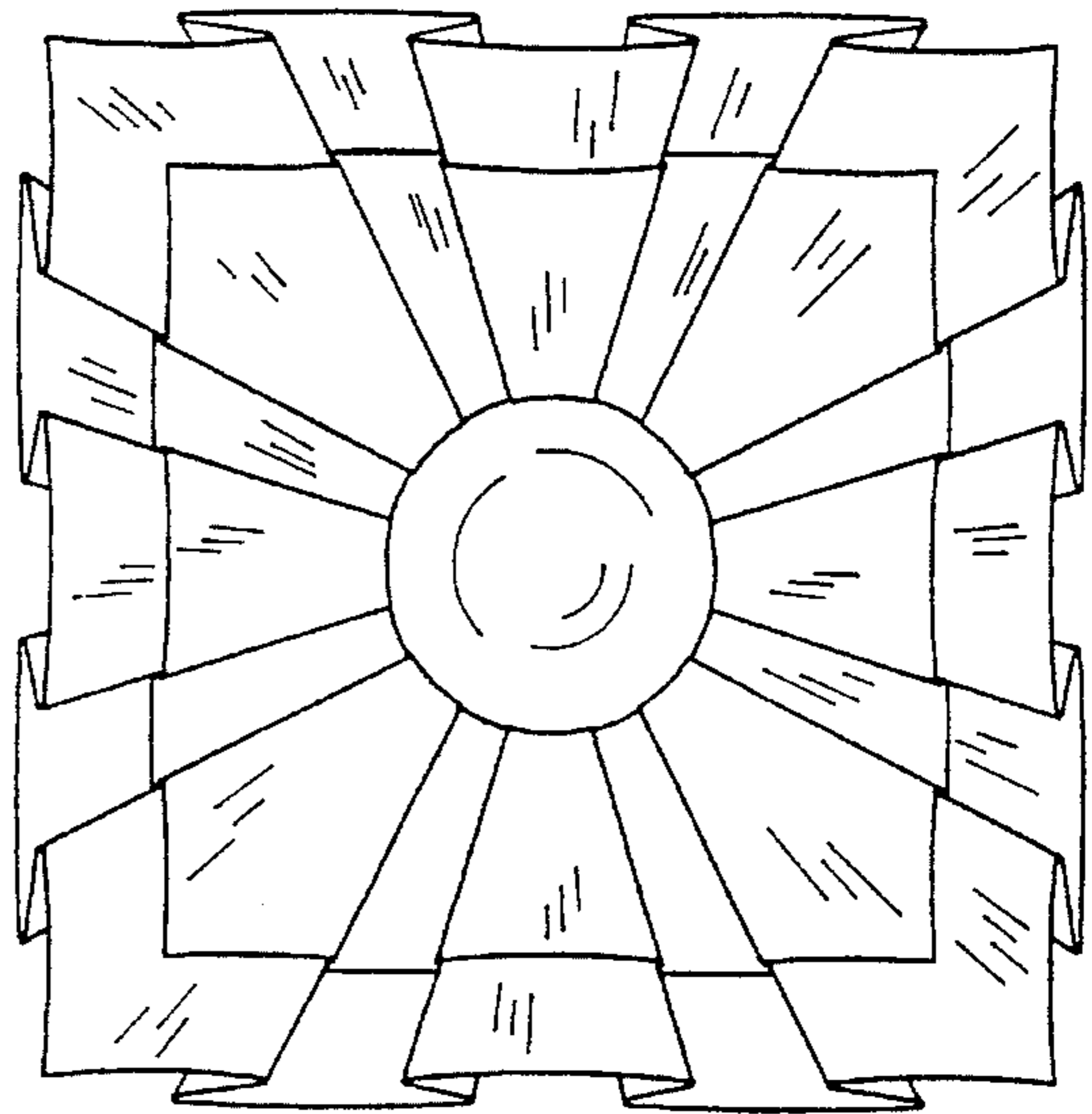


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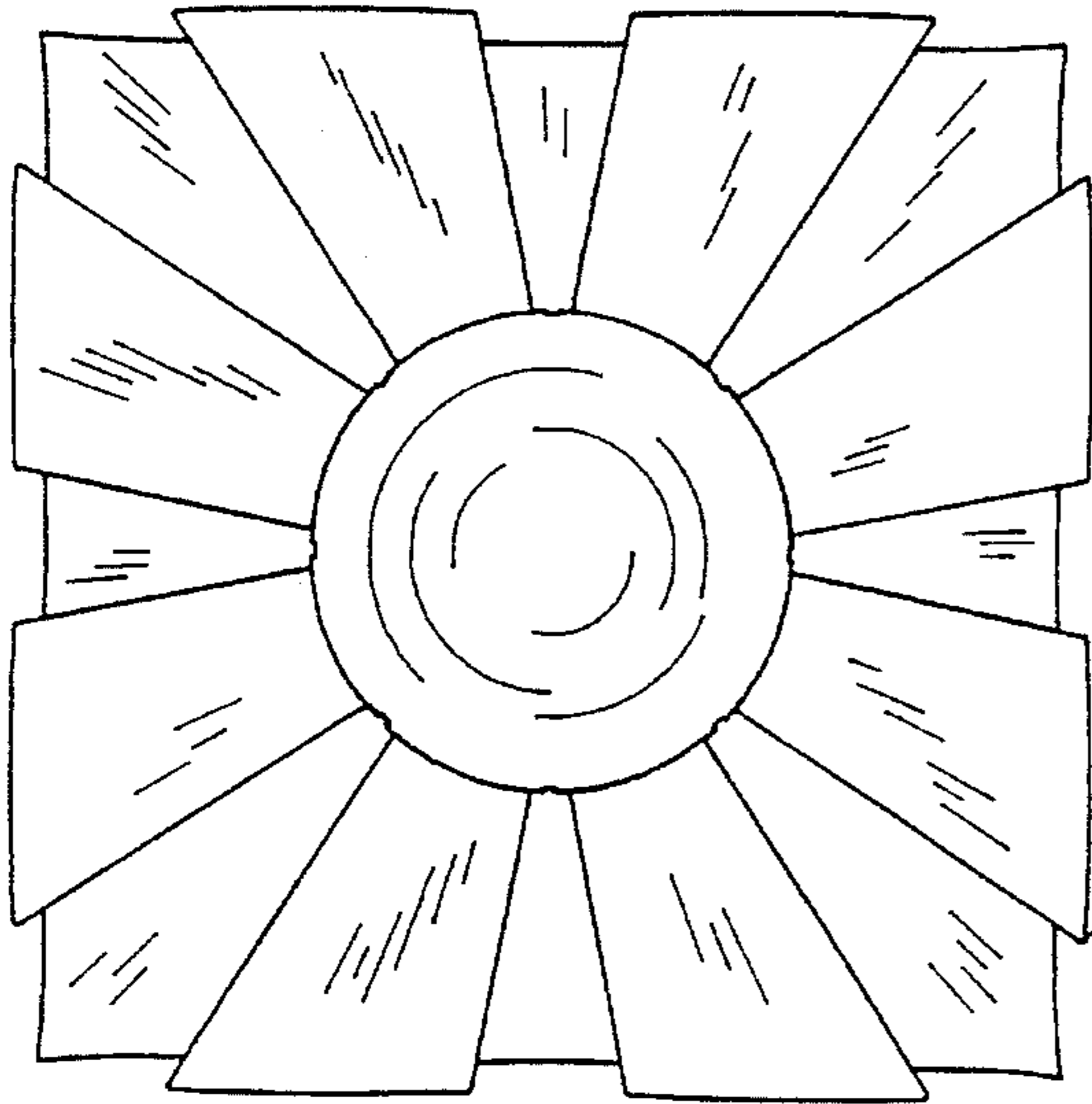


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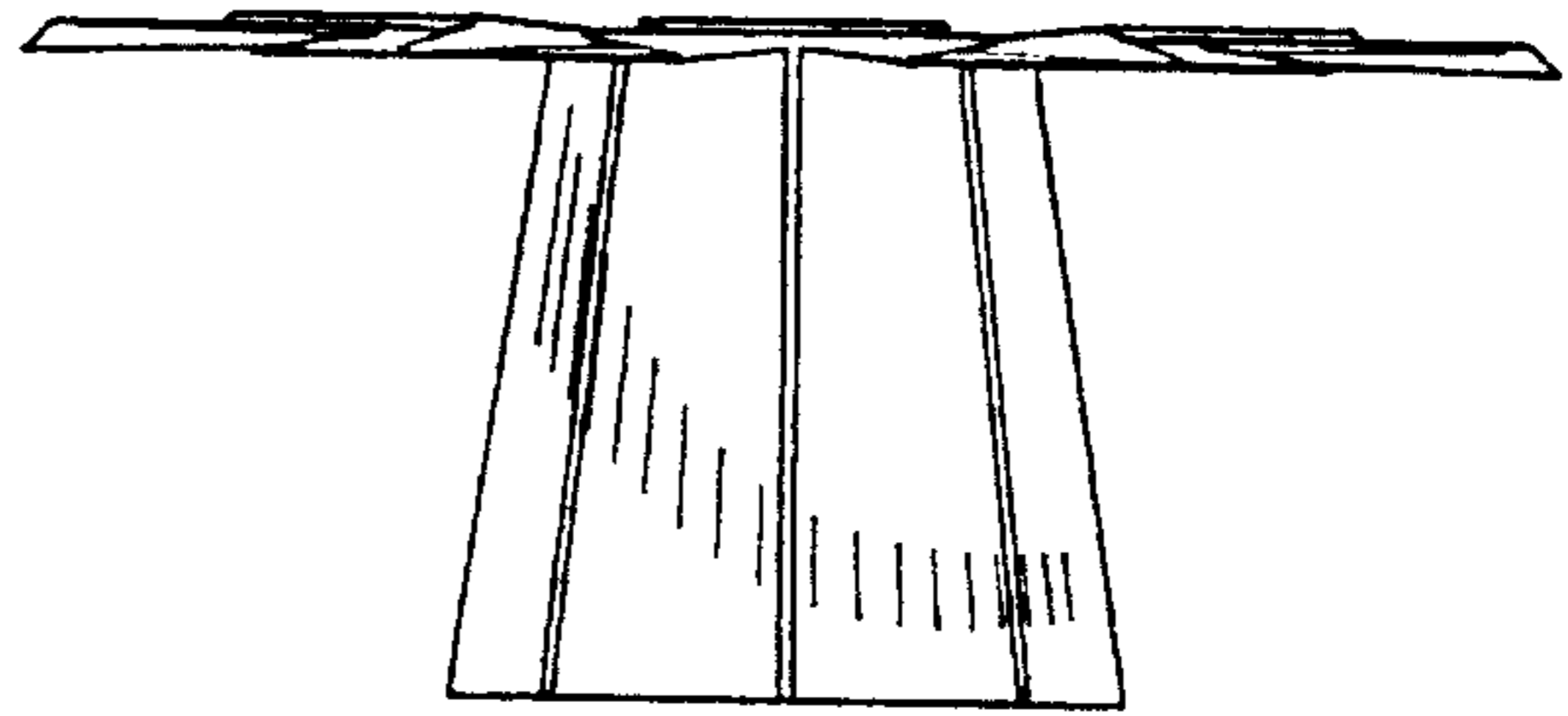


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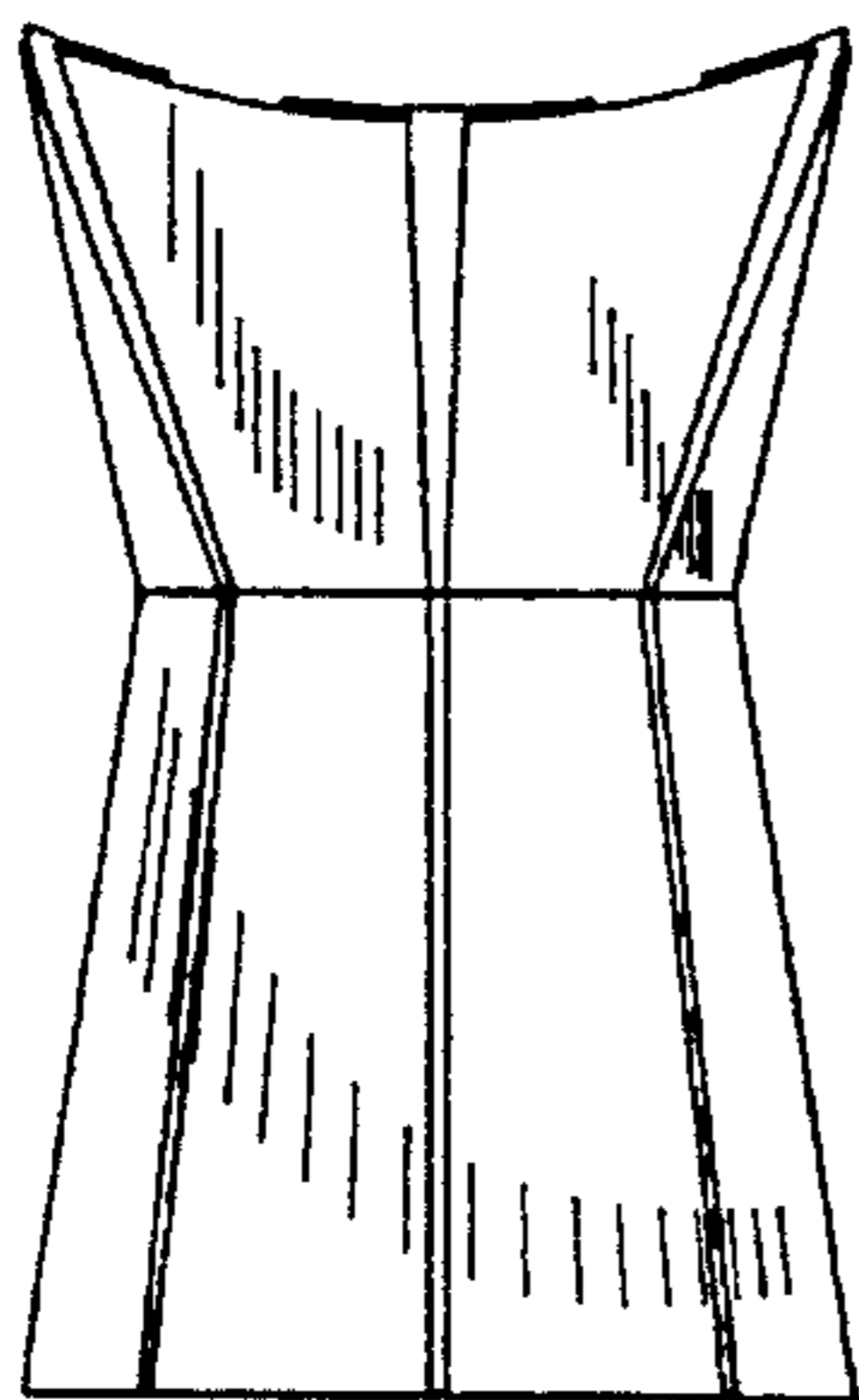


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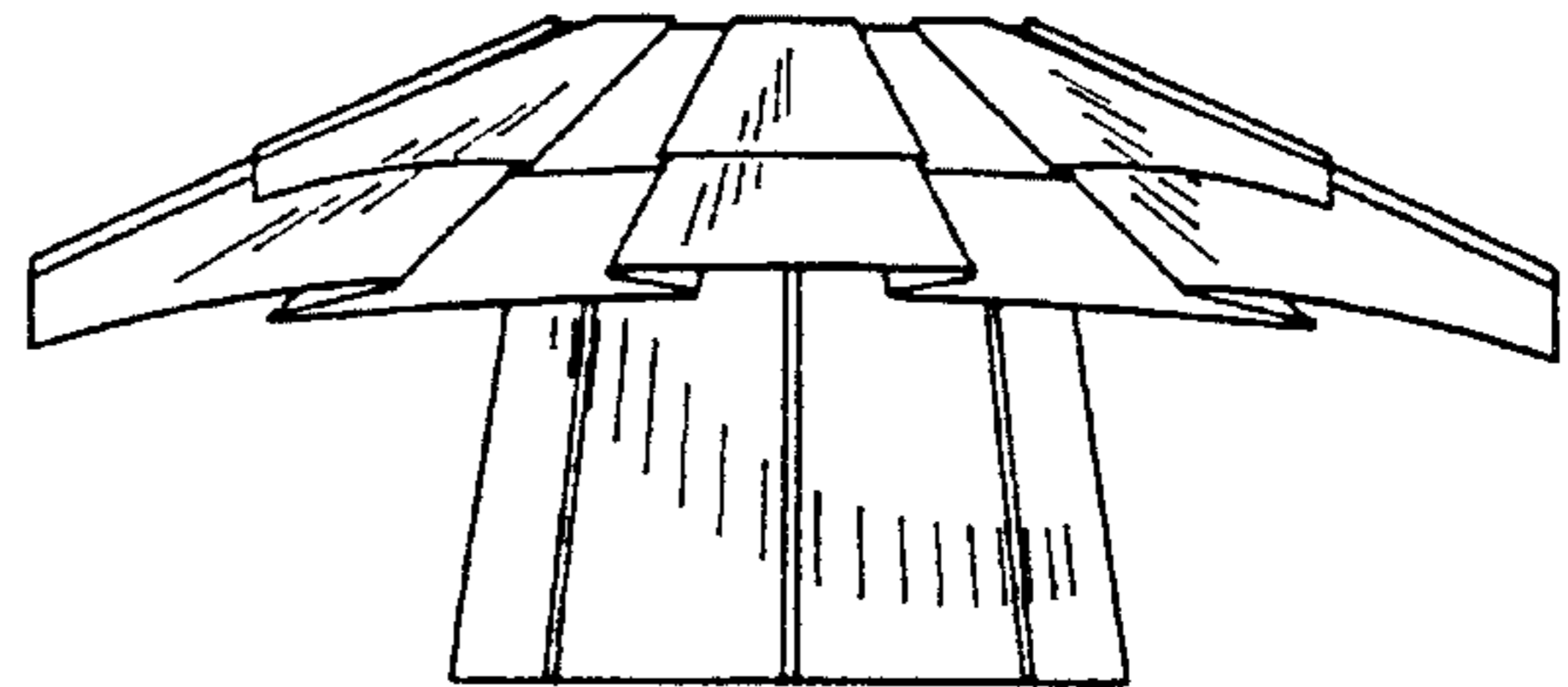


FIG. 35



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CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

PATENT NO. : Des. 370,188  
DATED : May 28, 1996  
INVENTOR(S) : Donald E. Weder et al.

It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Page 2, before '1 Claim, 6 Drawing Sheets', please insert the following paragraph: --The characteristic feature of the design resides in the specific pleating arrangement, comprised of the parallel disposition of the exterior folds, in combination with the interior V-shaped folds, all as best seen in Figures 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29--.

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