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[54] **TIRE TREAD**

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[57] **CLAIM**

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

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DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a tire tread, it being understood that the pattern is repeated uniformly throughout the circumference of the tread;

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FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof; and,

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FIG. 3 is a side elevational view thereof, the opposite side elevational view being a mirror image thereof.

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The dark stippled shading in FIG. 1 represents grooves in the tread surface, having a depth as best defined in FIG. 2.

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1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets

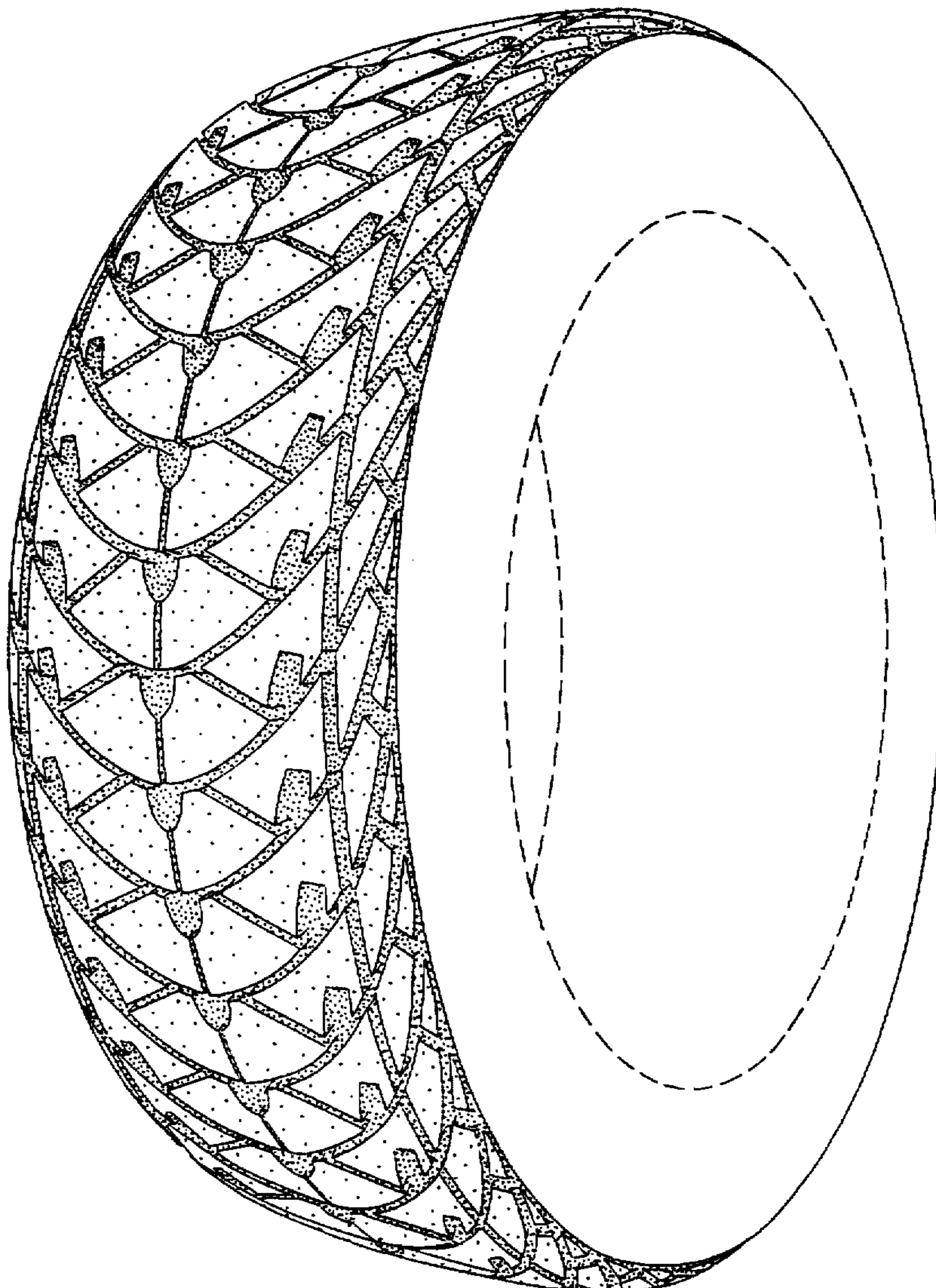


FIG. 1

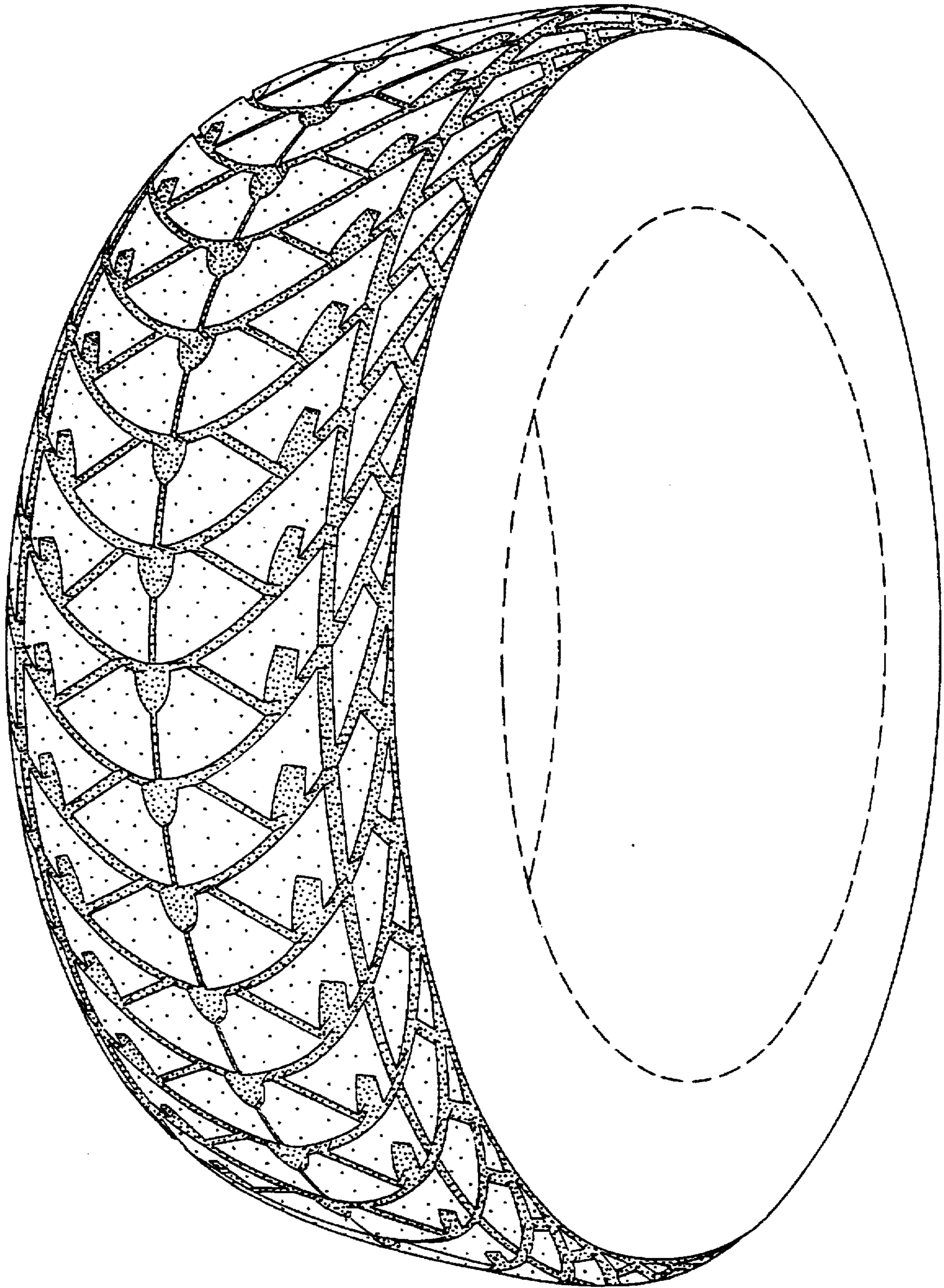


FIG. 2

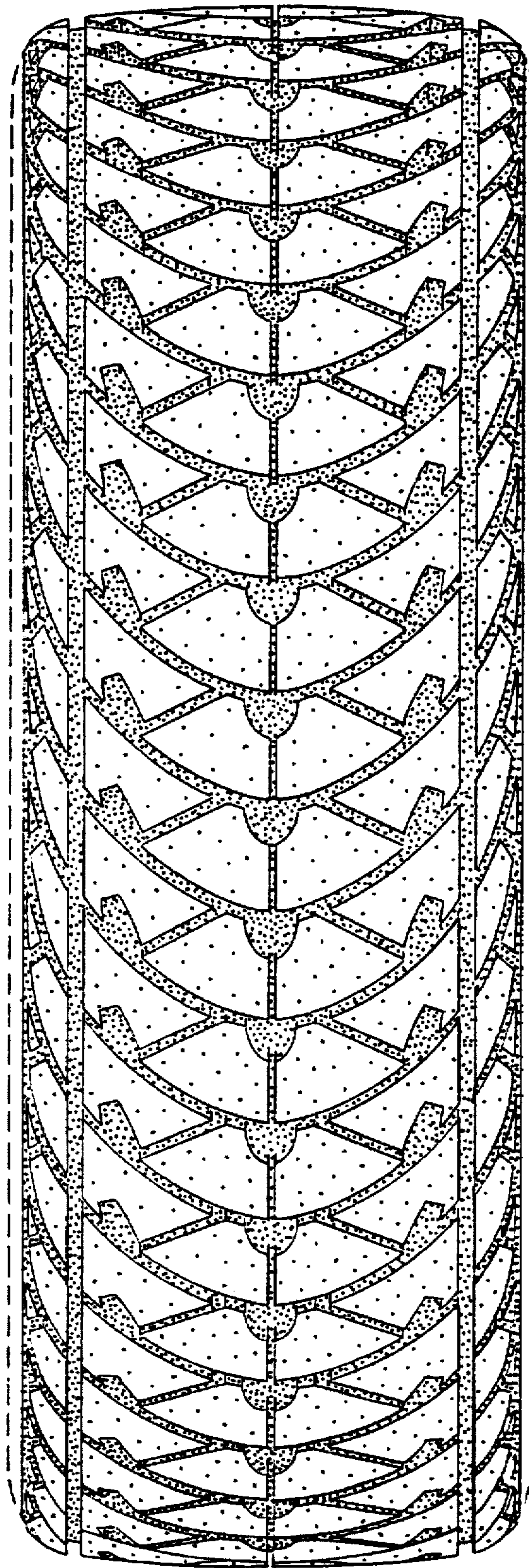


FIG. 3

