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[54] TABBED NOTEBOOK INTERFACE FOR AN ELECTRONIC SPREADSHEET FOR A COMPUTER DISPLAY SCREEN

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## [57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for a tabbed notebook interface for an electronic spreadsheet for a computer display screen, as shown and described.

## DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a tabbed notebook interface for an electronic spreadsheet for a computer display screen, the broken line drawing of a computer display screen and hard drive is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design;

FIG. 2 is a front view thereof, the broken line drawing of a computer display screen and hard drive is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design;

FIG. 3 is a front view thereof, the interior window is shown separately for clarity of illustration;

FIG. 4 is a front view thereof, on an enlarged scale, the lower tabs are shown separately for clarity of illustration;

FIG. 5 is a front view of a second embodiment thereof, on an enlarged scale, the lower tabs are shown separately for clarity of illustration;

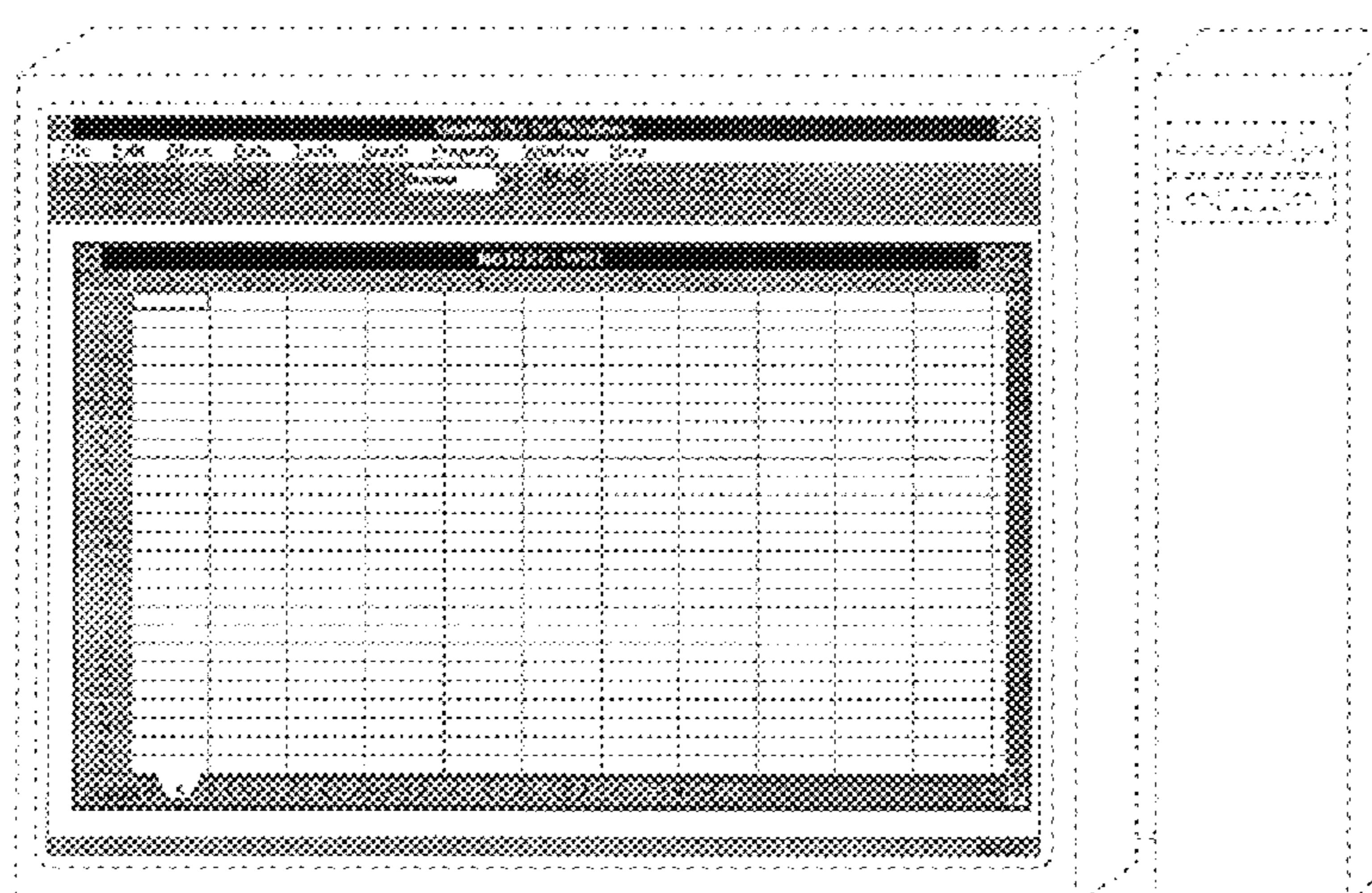
FIG. 6 is a front view of a third embodiment thereof, on an enlarged scale, the lower tabs are shown separately for clarity of illustration;

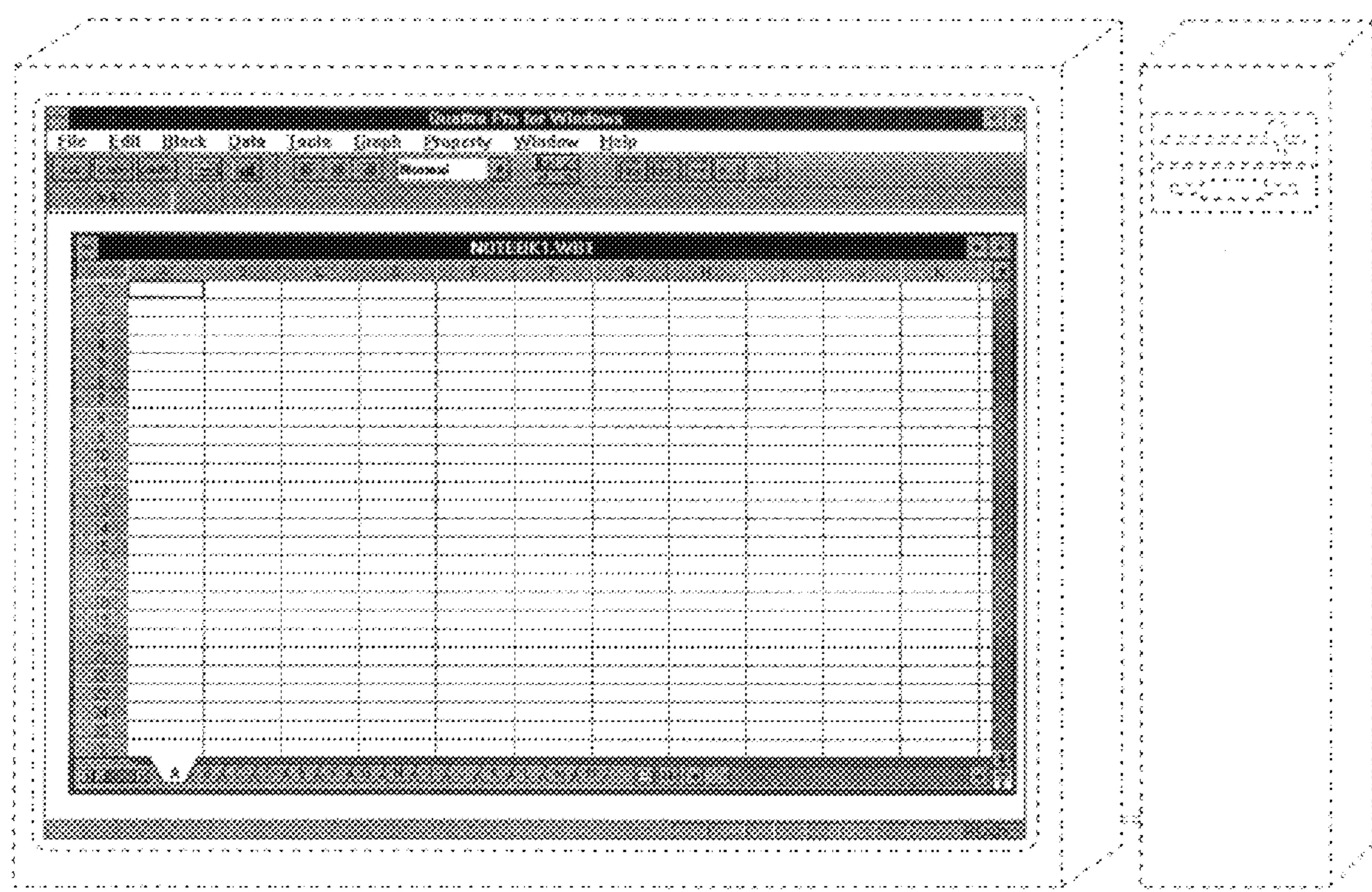
FIG. 7 is a front view of a fourth embodiment thereof, on an enlarged scale, the lower tabs are shown separately for clarity of illustration;

FIG. 8 is a front view of a fifth embodiment thereof, on an enlarged scale, the lower tabs are shown separately for clarity of illustration; and,

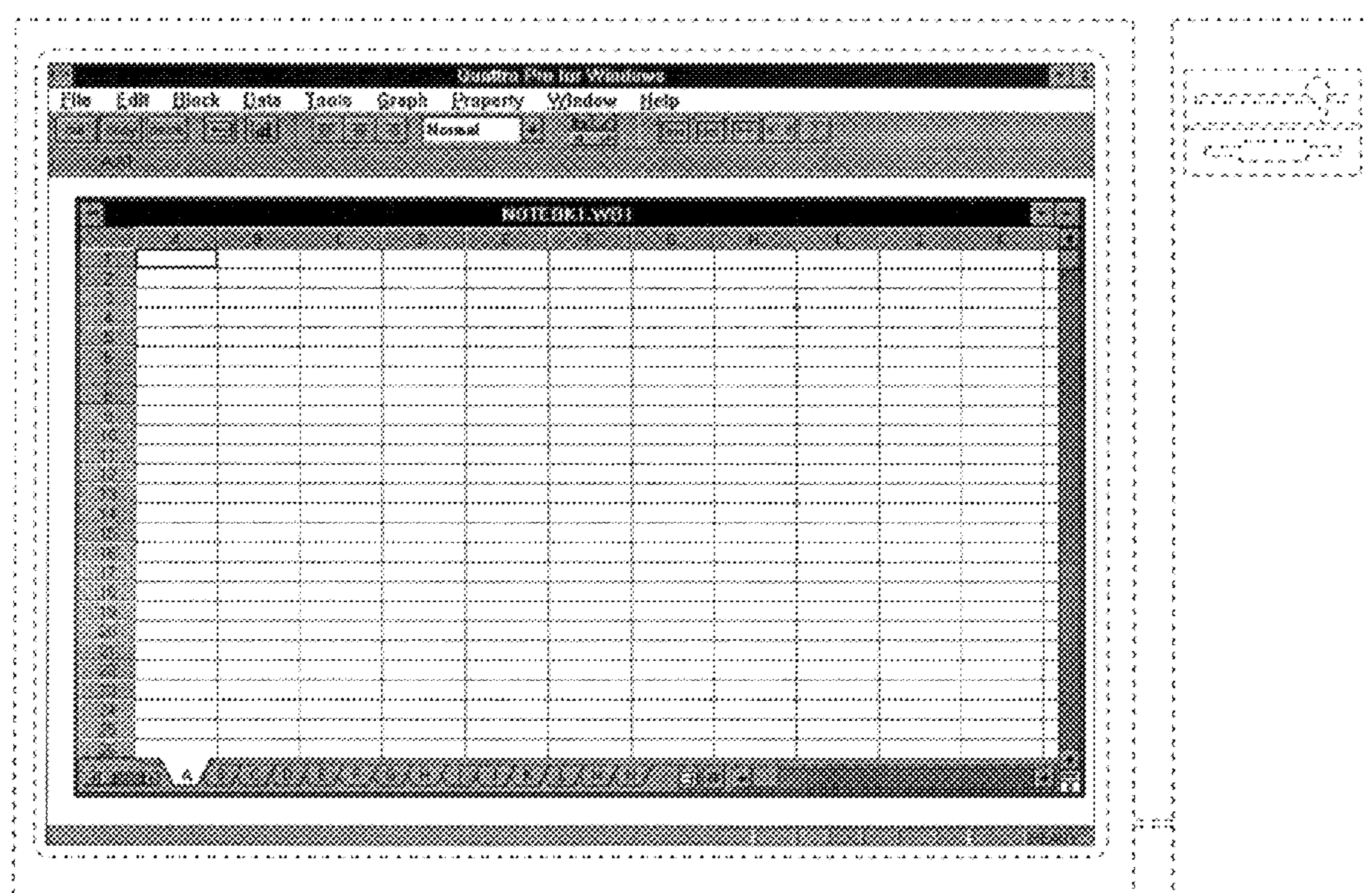
FIG. 9 is a front view of a sixth embodiment thereof, on an enlarged scale, the lower tabs are shown separately for clarity of illustration.

1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets





**FIG. 1**



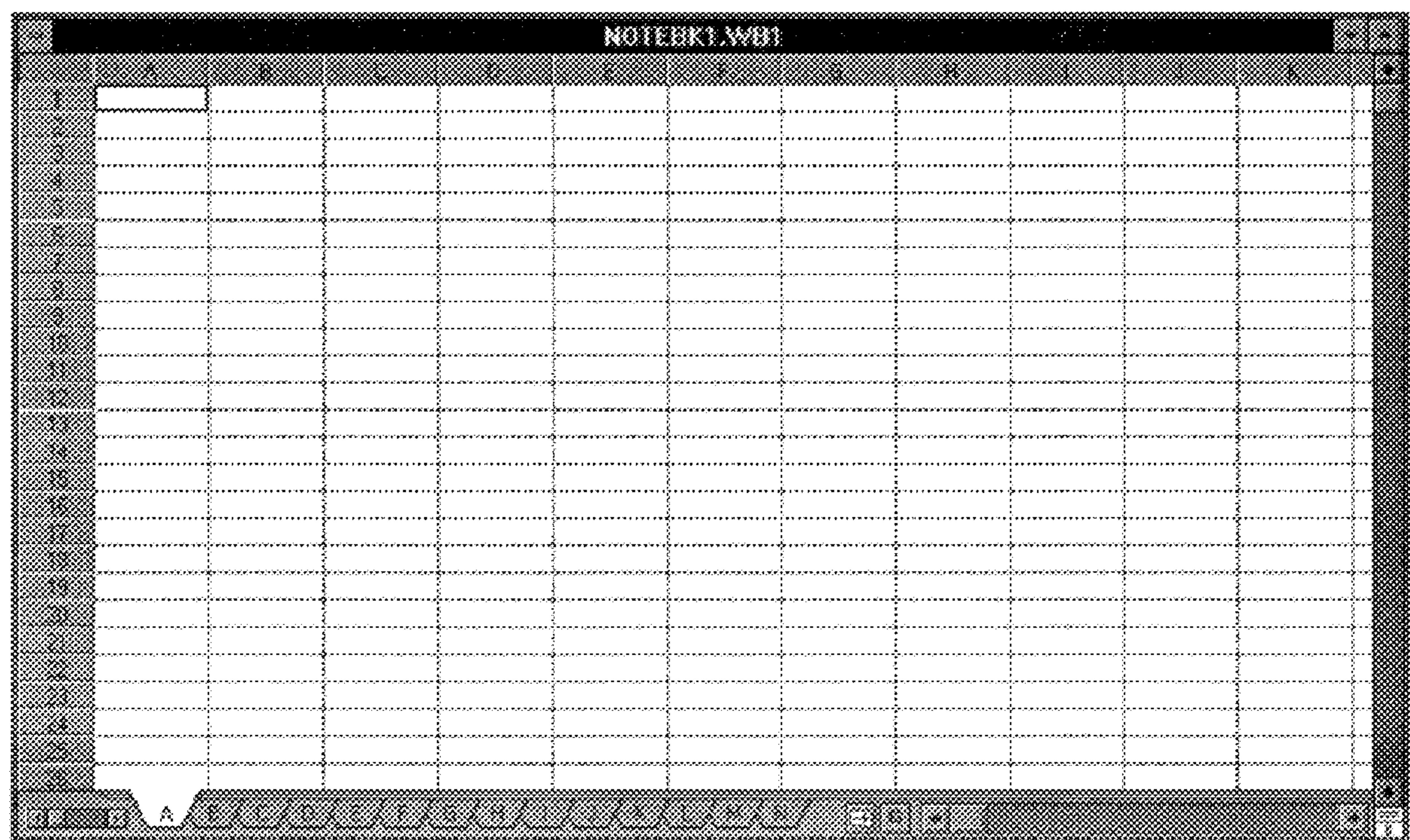
**FIG. 2**

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**FIG. 3**

