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## [54] DIAMOND SCALPEL BLADE

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Ocular Surgery News Jan. 1996, Charles H. Williamson Article similar bottom view but totally different top, front profile, and side views.

Koi, 1996 adv., Shepard Clear Cornea Diamond Knife similar bottom view but totally different on all other view with top facets being equal with bottom facet and having a different over all shape.

Akorn-Metico, 1996 cat., Diamond Knives from Akorn Metico same design as Koi in tapered spear.

Rhein Medical Inc, 1996 cat., 05-5019 Clear Corneal Knife with sharp edges same as KOI design.

Huco. 1996 cat., Clear Cornea 90°trapezoide (4edges) same as KOI design.

Asico, 1996 cat., Clear Corneal blade configuration 11 same as KOI design.

Accutome, 1996 cat., Trapezoid similiar bottom view but totatlly different all other views.

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## [57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for a diamond scalpel blade, as shown and described.

## DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front elevational view of a diamond scalpel blade showing my new design;

FIG. 2 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a left side elevational view, the undisclosed right side being a mirror image;

FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view thereof;

FIG. 6 is a rear elevational view of a second embodiment of FIG. 1 , the only difference residing in the transparent surface;

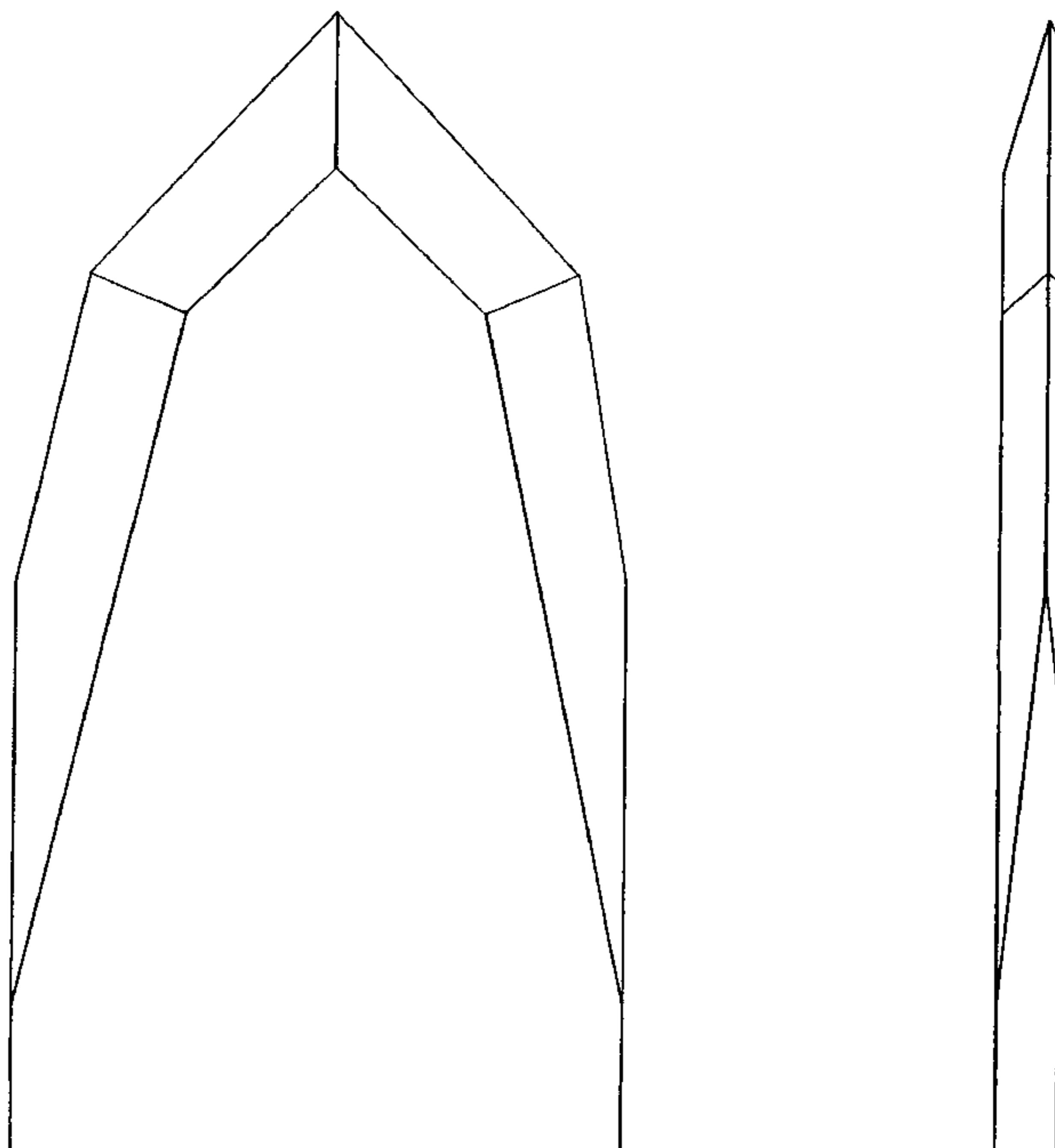
FIG. 7 is a top plan view thereof;

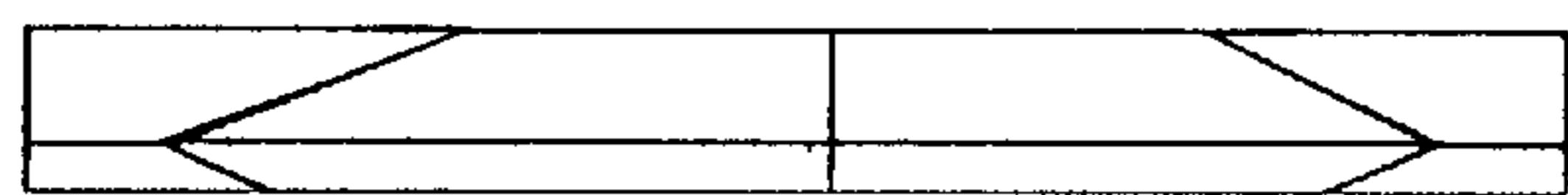
FIG. 8 is a left side elevational view thereof, the undisclosed right side a mirror image;

FIG. 9 is a bottom plan view thereof; and,

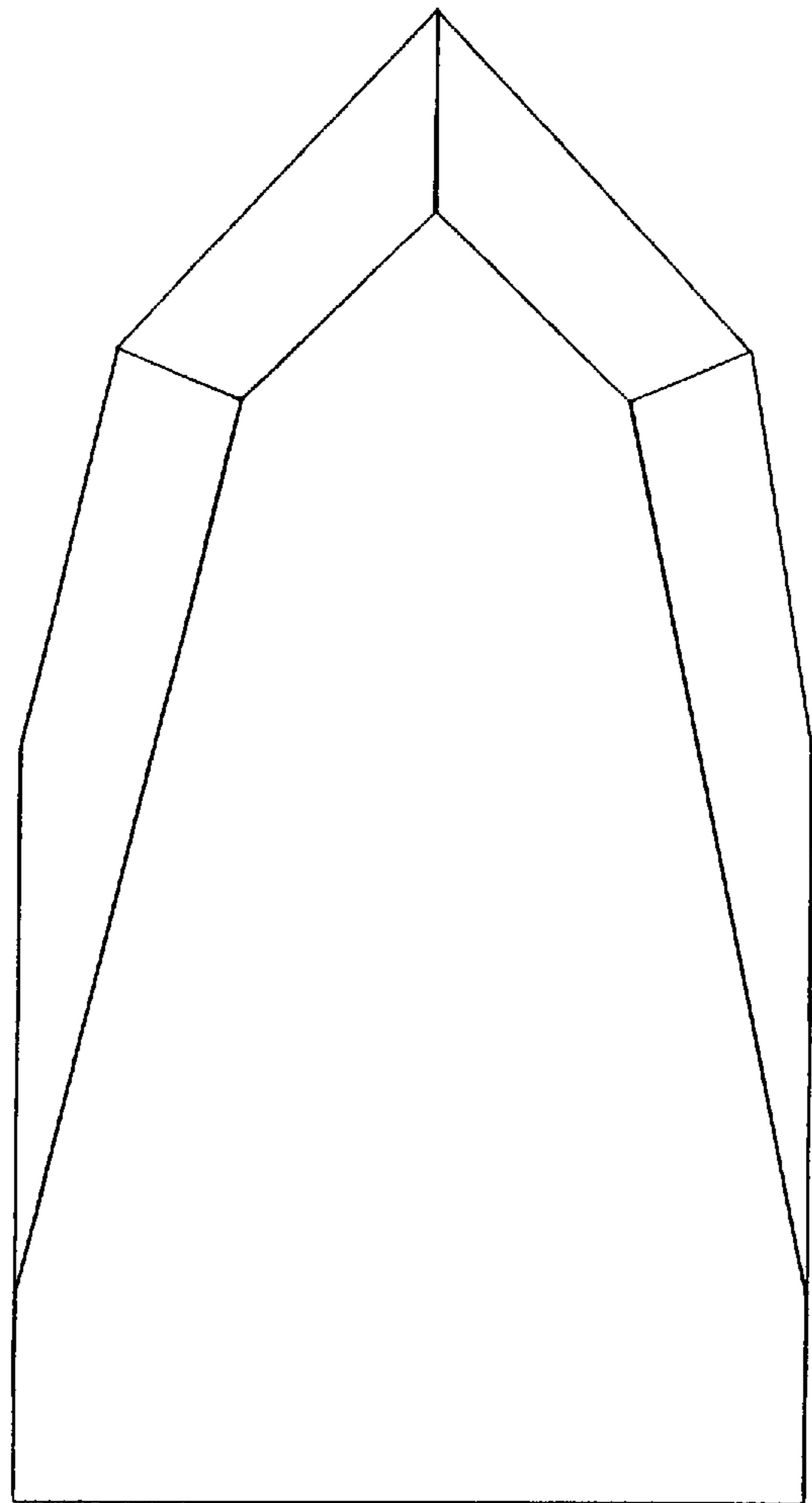
FIG. 10 is a rear elevational view thereof.

1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets





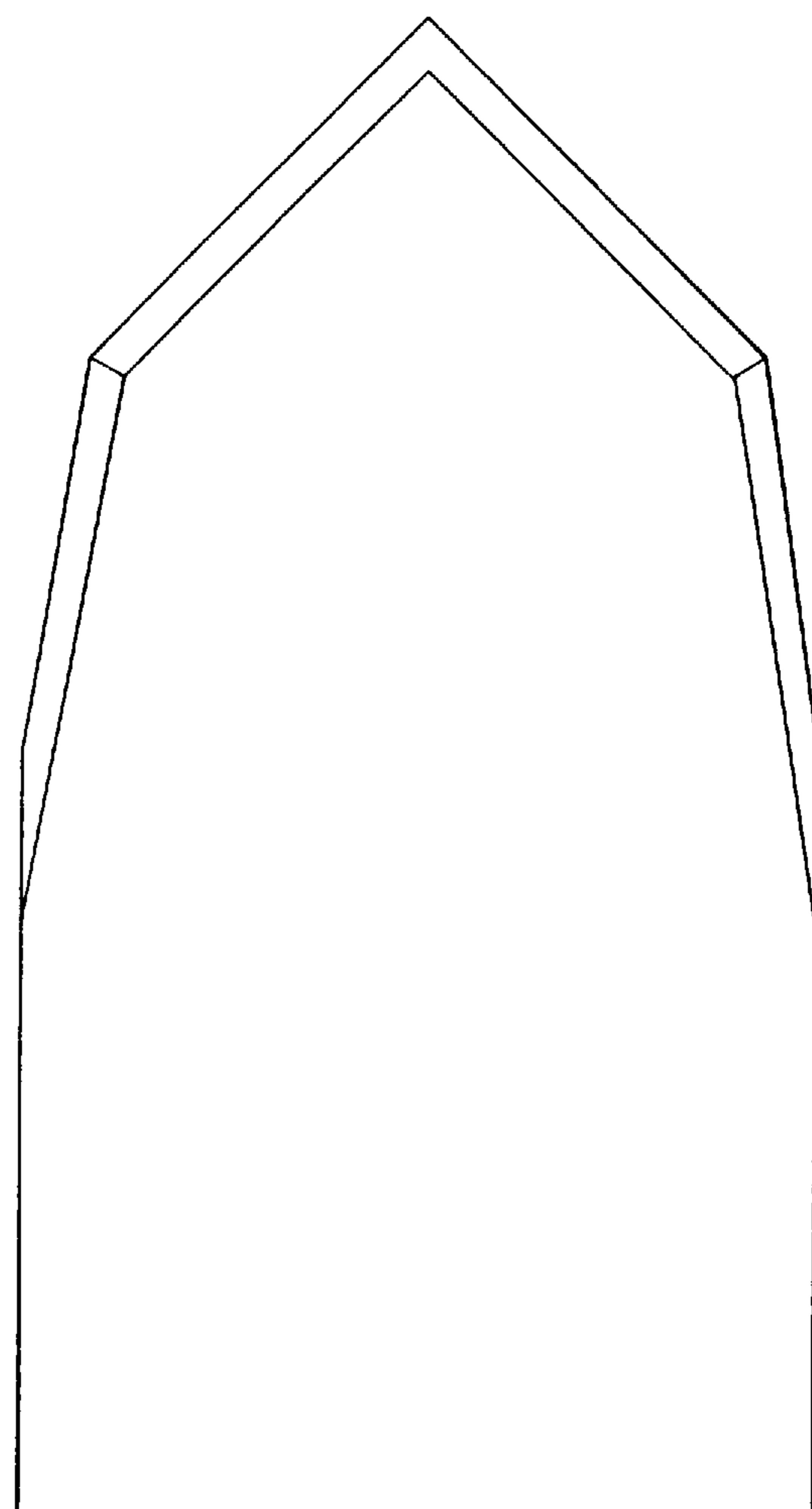
**Fig-1**



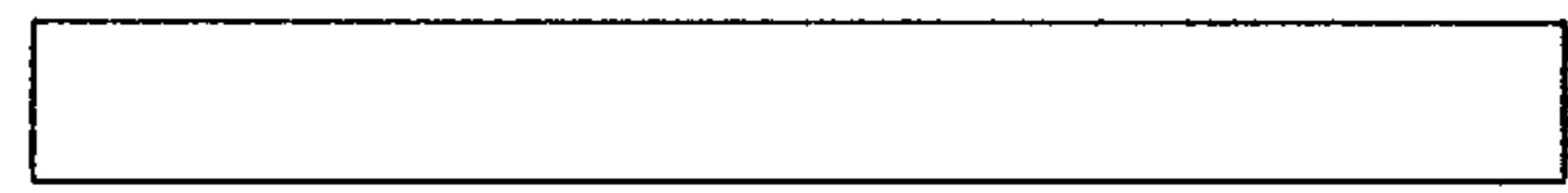
**Fig-2**



**Fig-3**



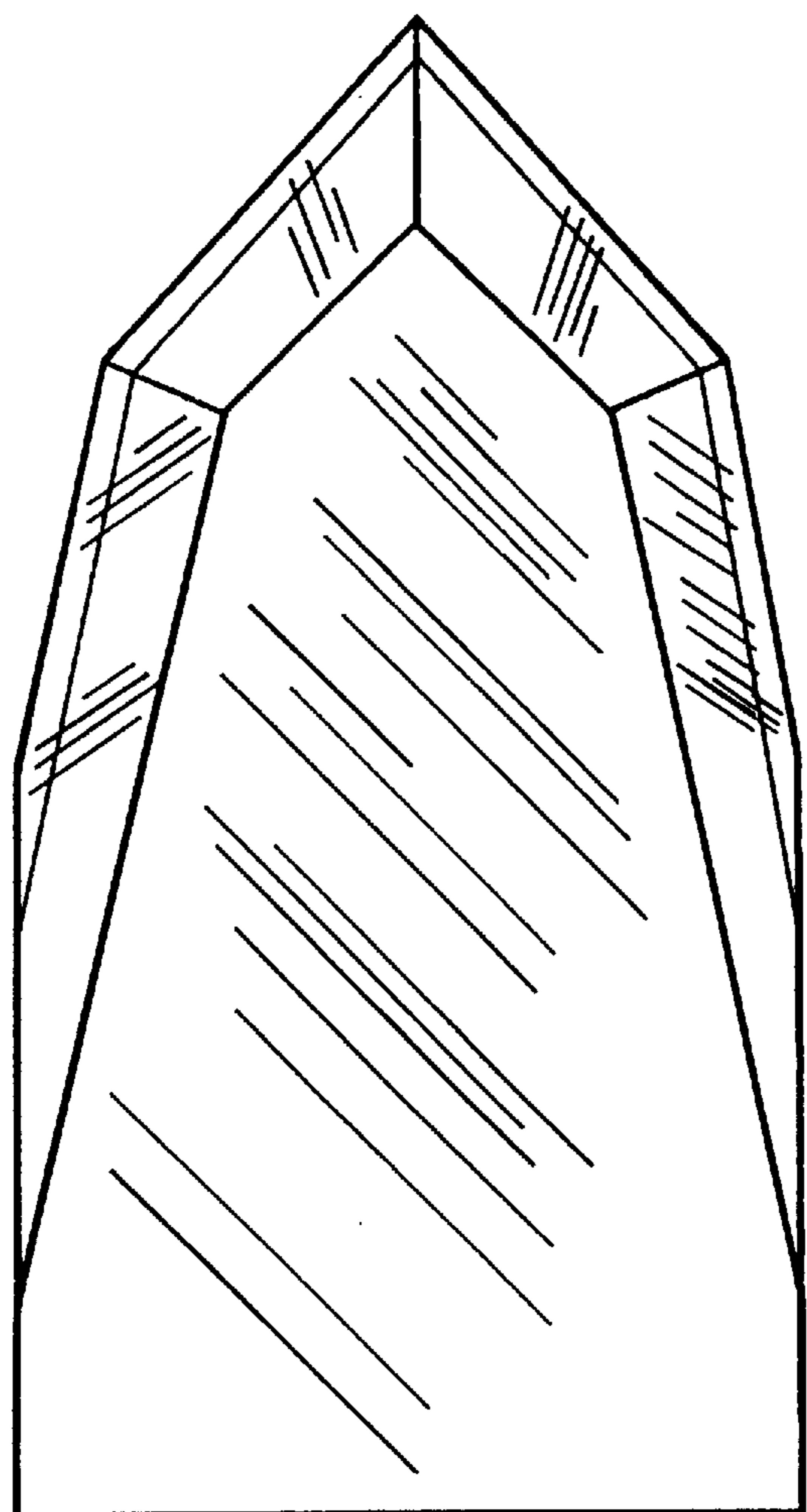
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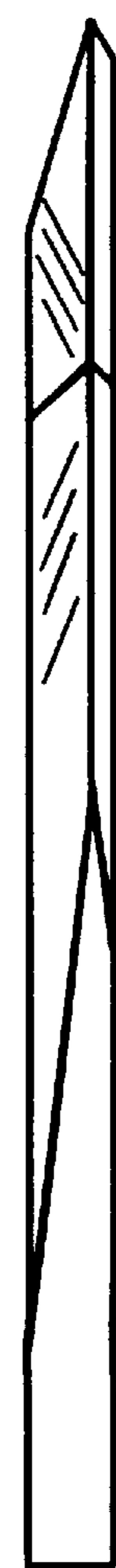
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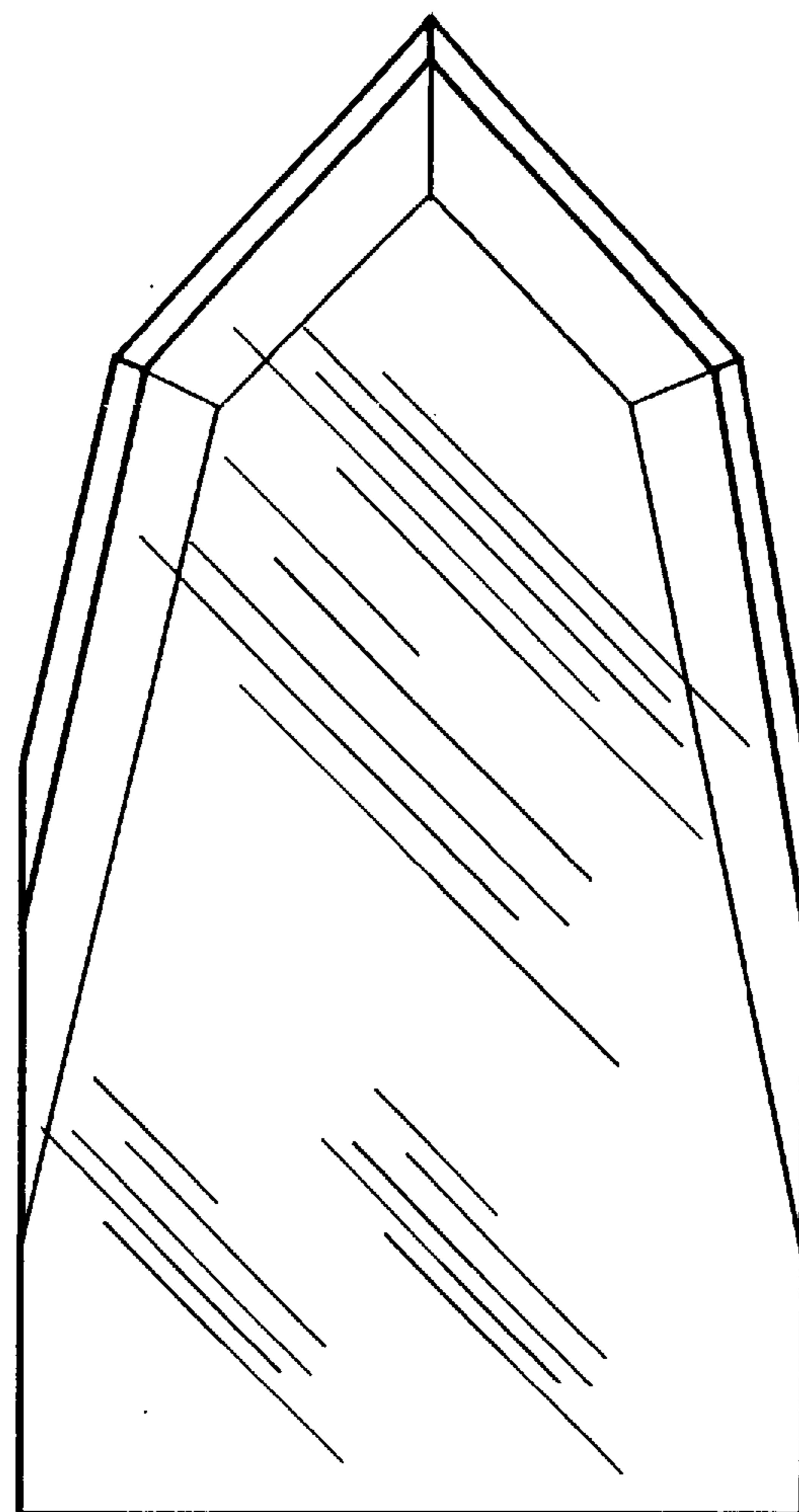
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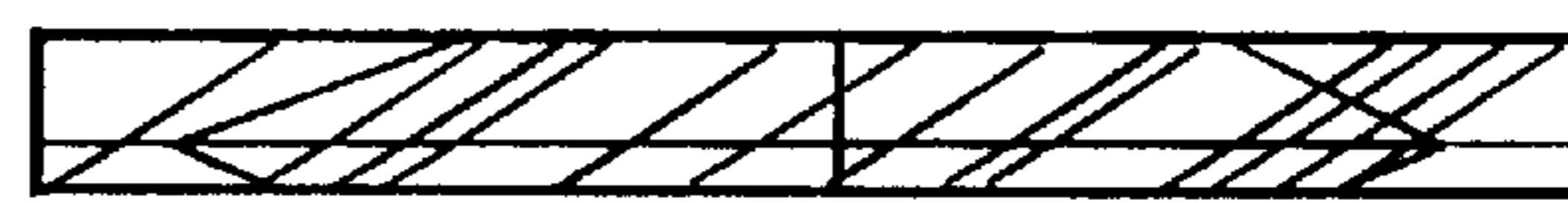
**Fig-7**



**Fig-8**



**Fig-9**



**Fig-10**