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[54] **PAYMENT INSTRUMENT**

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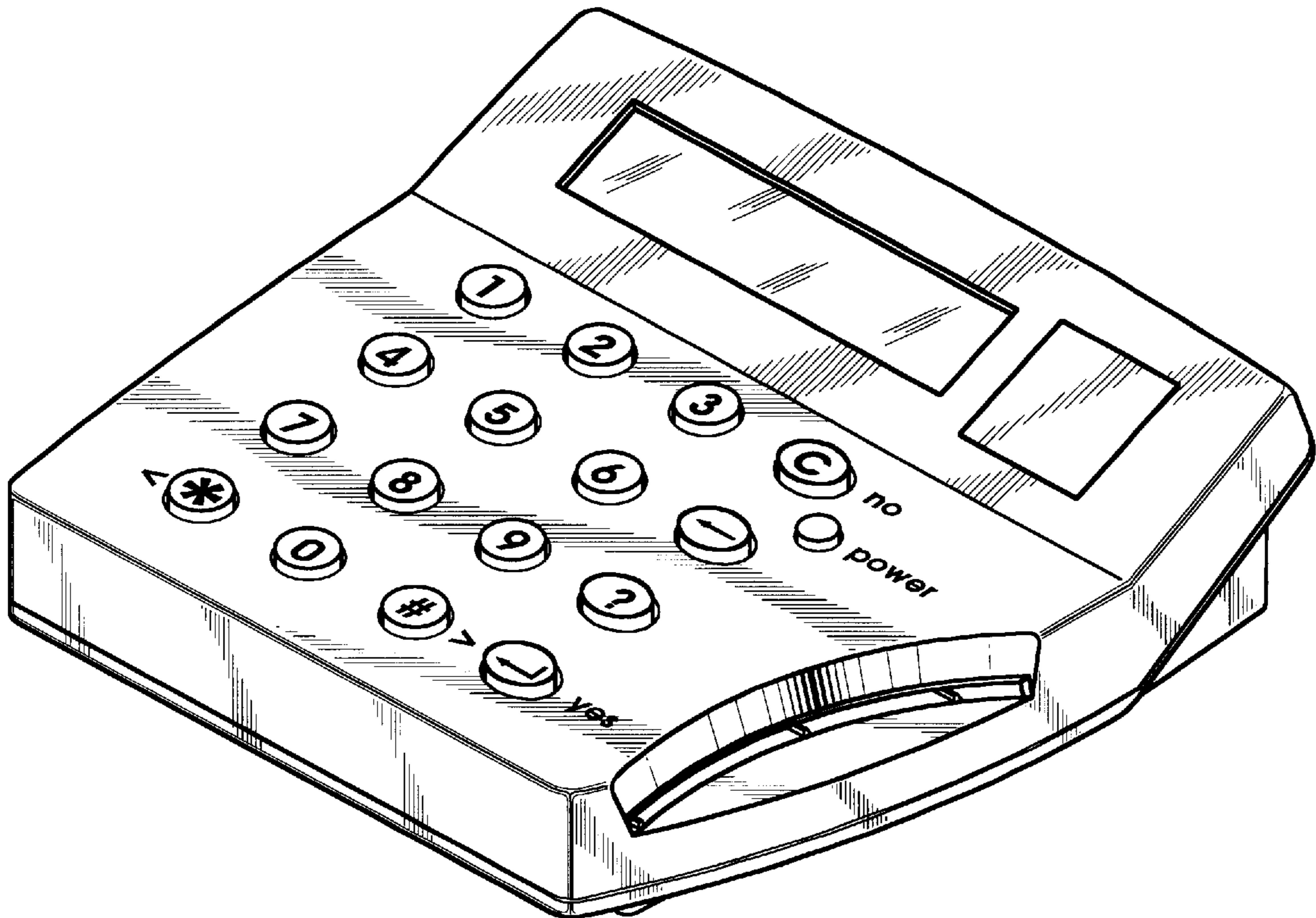
[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for the payment instrument, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a payment instrument showing our new design;
FIG. 2 is a top plan view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a bottom plan view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a front elevation view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a rear elevation view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a left side elevation view thereof; and,
FIG. 7 is a right side elevation view thereof.

1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets



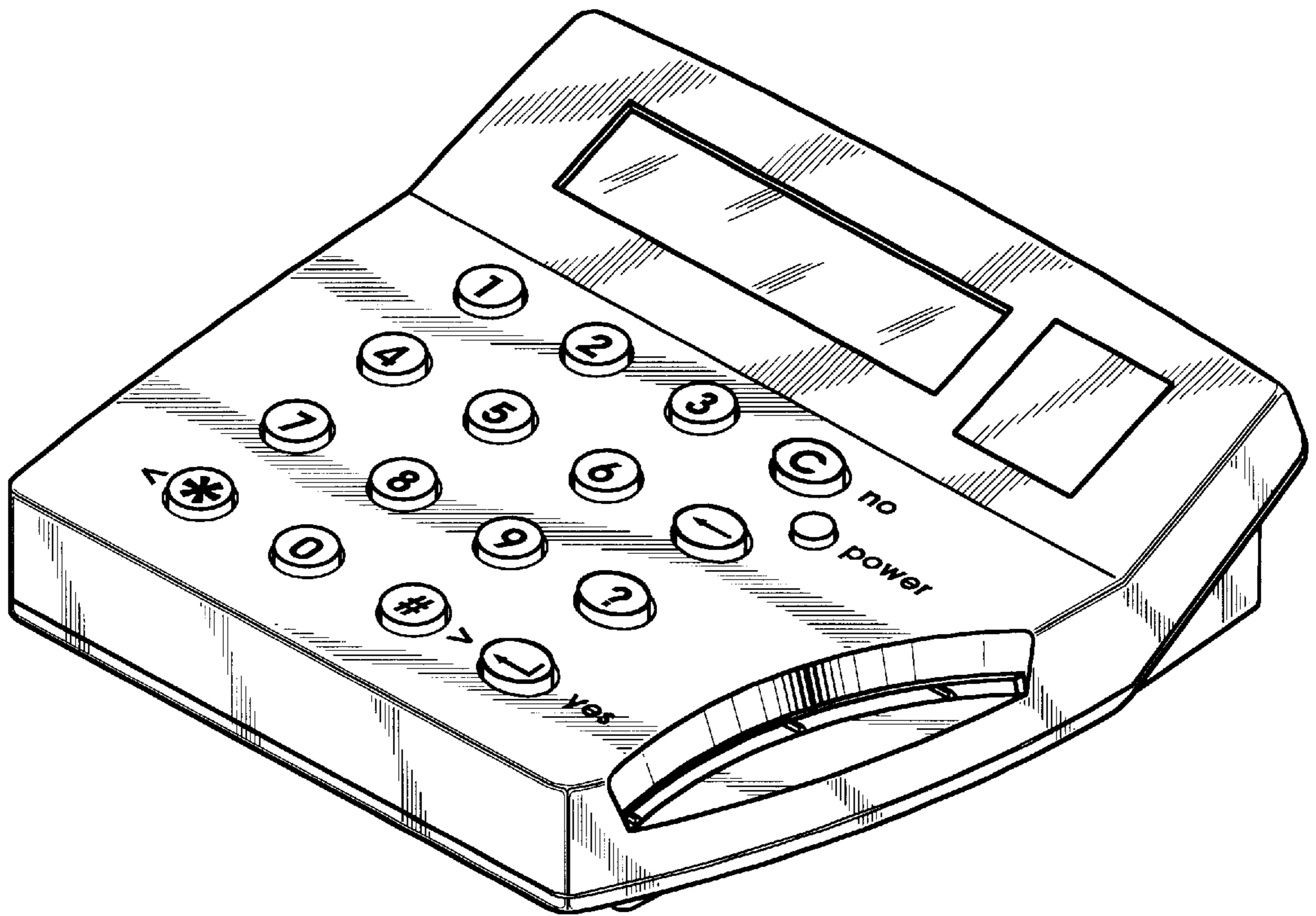


Fig.1

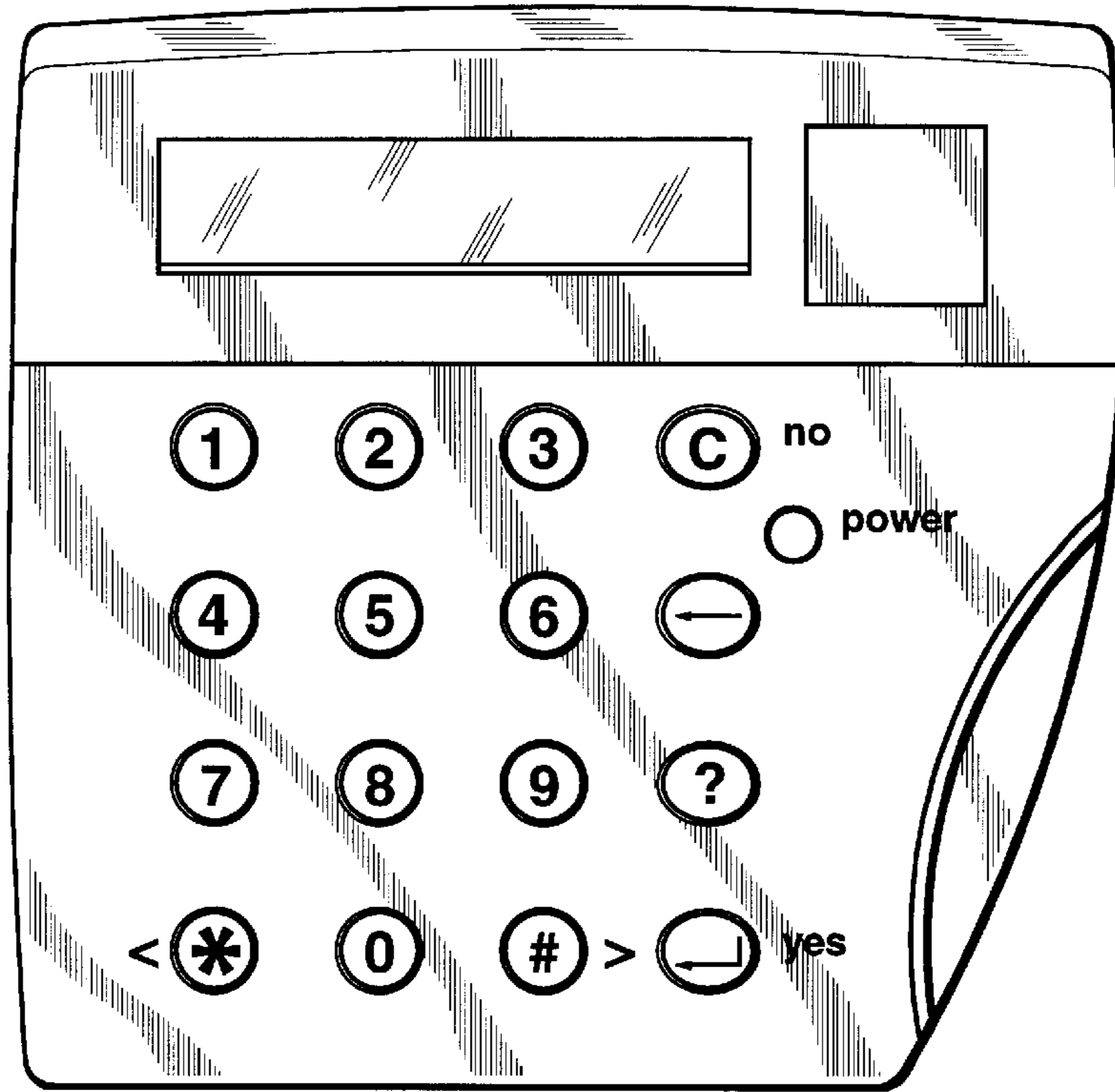


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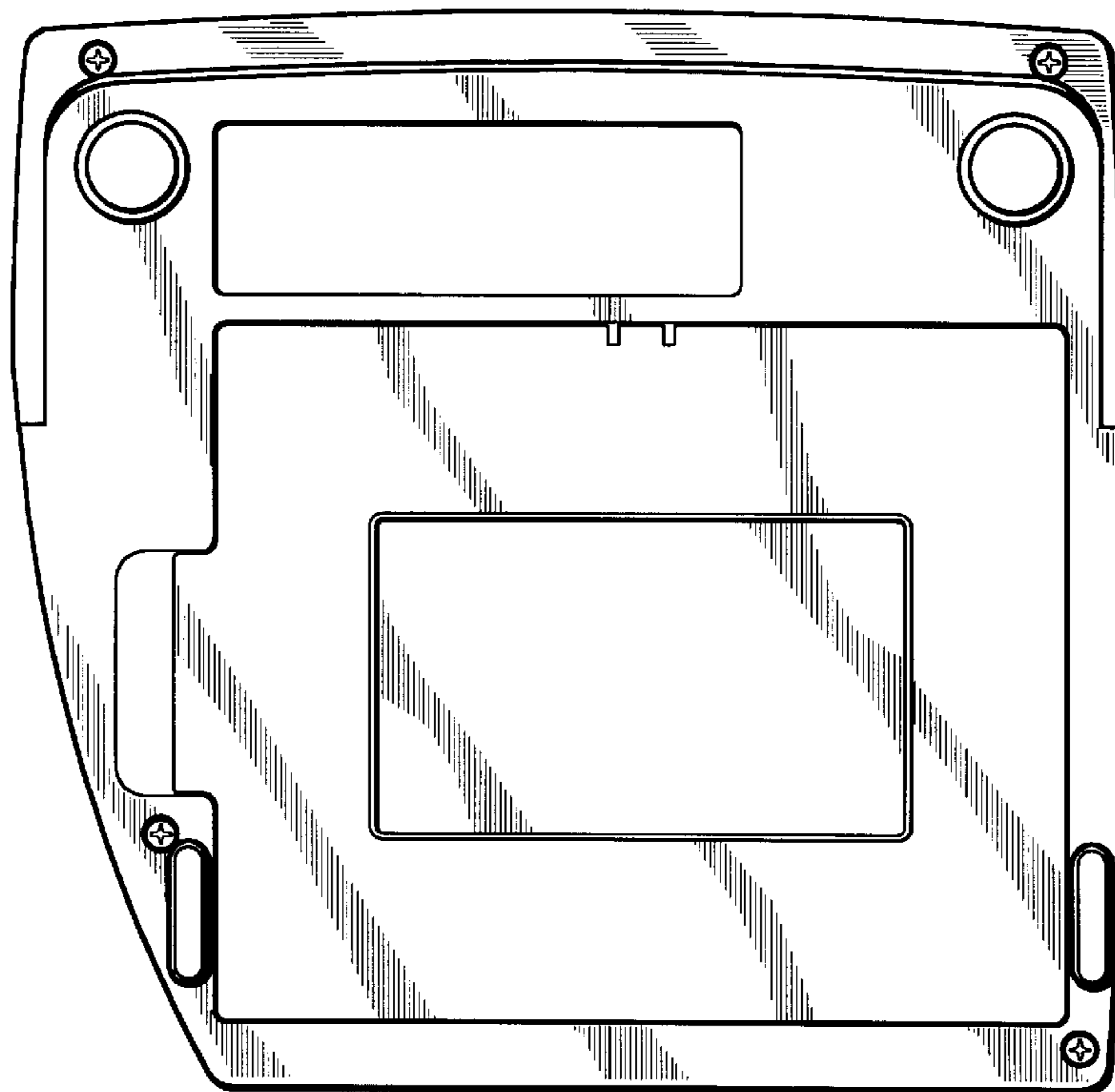


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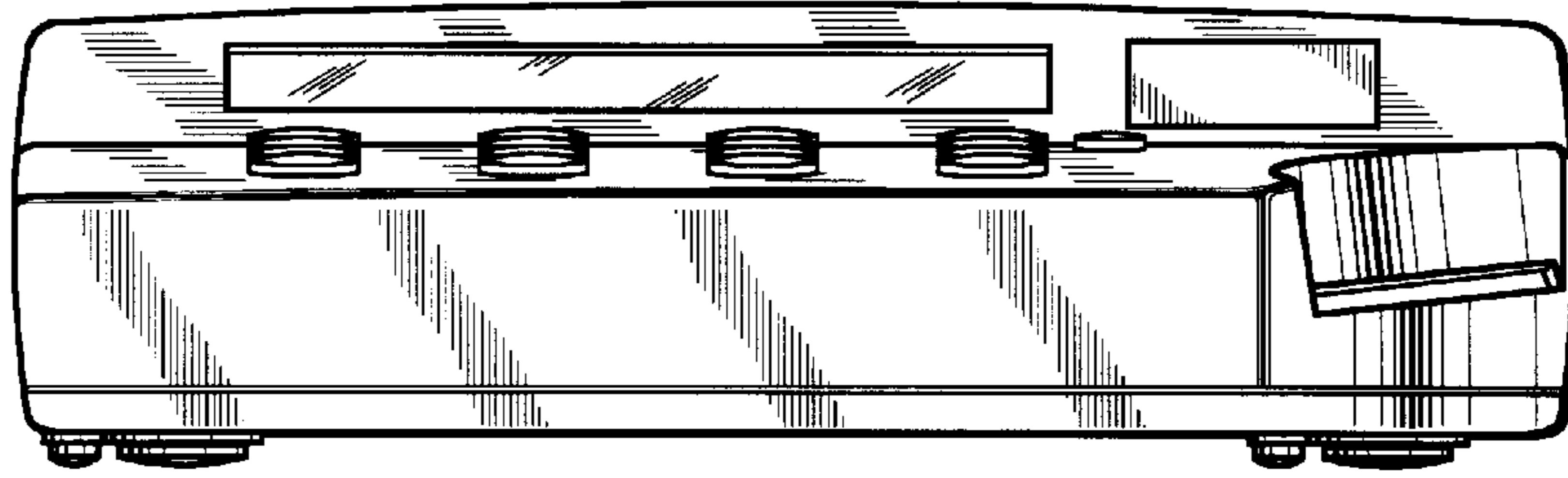


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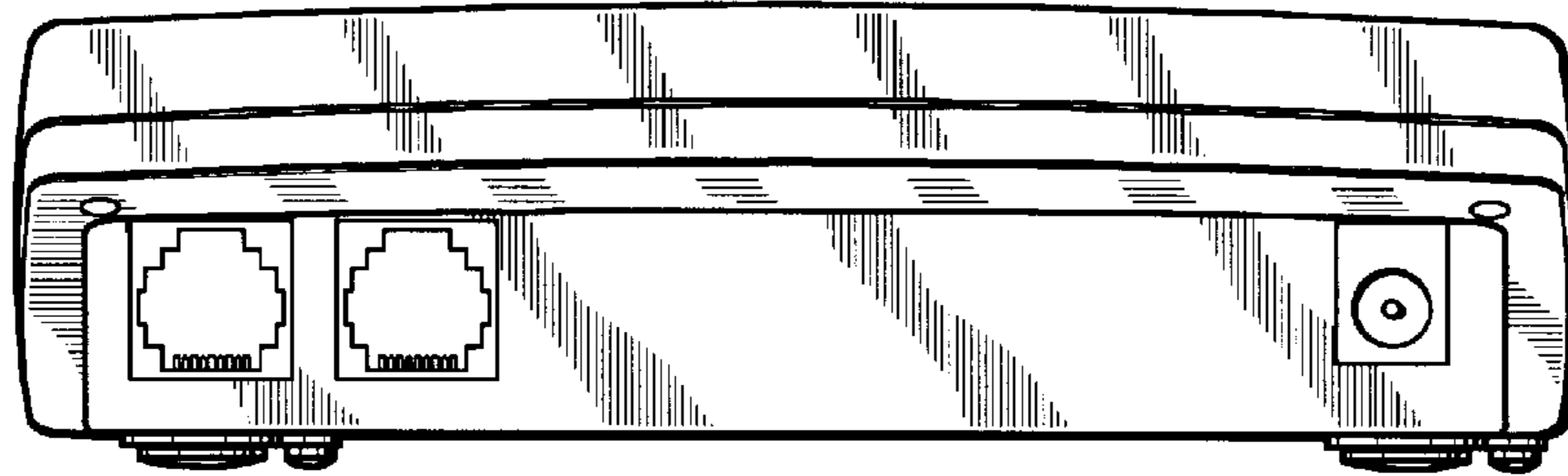


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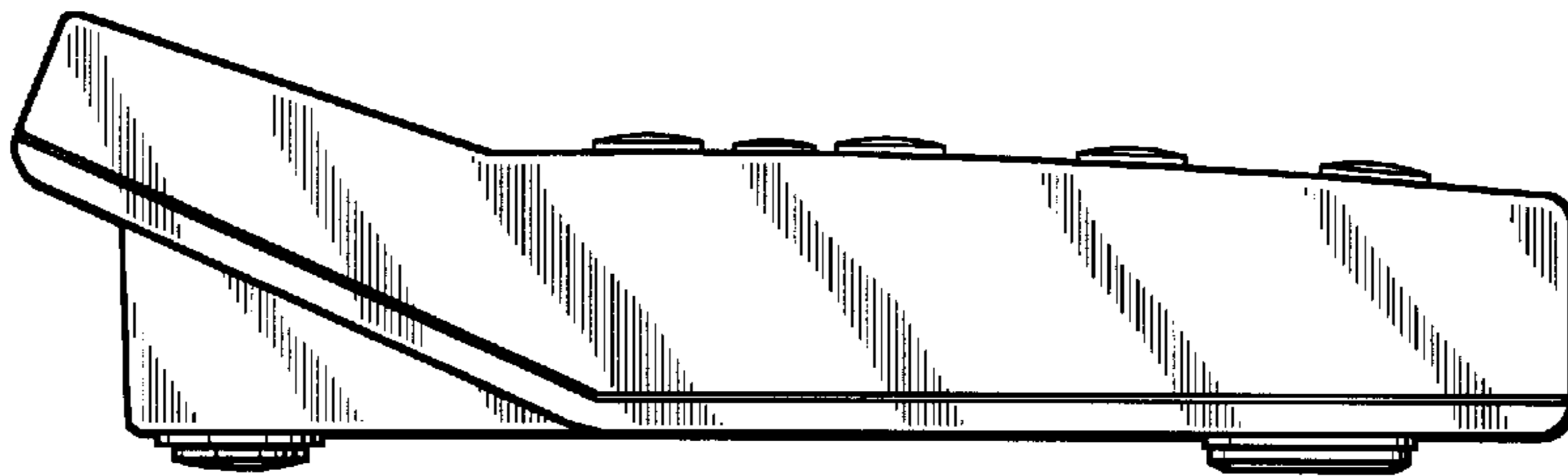


Fig.6

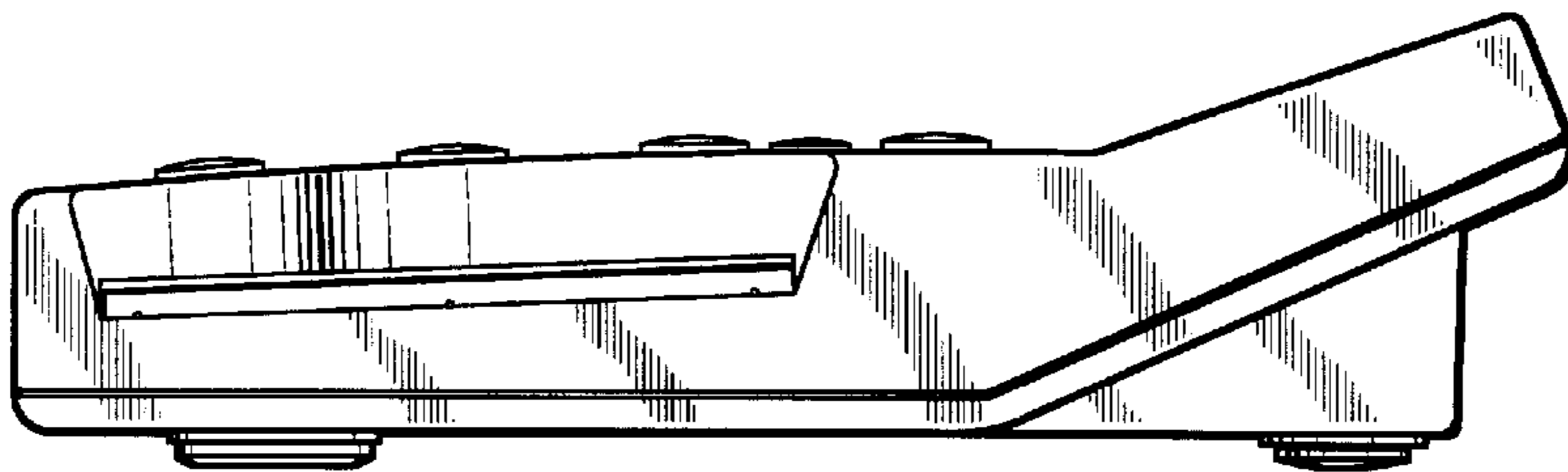


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