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[54] TUB FOR BATHING
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Undated Villeroy ad showing a “Naoko” tub, admitted prior art.
1995 Kohler ad showing an “Aventura” whirlpool.
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[57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for a tub for bathing, as shown and described.

Related U.S. Application Data

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DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a right, top, front perspective view of a tub for bathing embodying my new design;
FIG. 2 is a top plan view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a front elevational view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a right side elevational view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a left side elevational view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a cross-sectional view taken along line 6—6 of FIG. 2;
FIG. 7 is a cross-sectional view taken along line 7—7 of FIG. 2;
FIG. 8 is a cross-sectional view taken along line 8—8 of FIG. 2;
FIG. 9 is a cross-sectional view taken along line 9—9 of FIG. 2; and,
FIG. 10 is a top plan view of a second embodiment which is a mirror image of that shown in FIG. 2, the front elevational view being a mirror image of that shown in FIG. 3, the left side elevational view being a mirror image of that shown in FIG. 4, and the right side elevational view being a mirror image of that shown in FIG. 5.
The broken line representations of holes in FIGS. 1-10, are for purposes of illustration only, and form no part of the claimed design.

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Undated Néomediam ad showing a “Micromega” tub, admitted prior art.
1986 Kohler ad, p. 7-3, showing a “Pristine” bath.

1 Claim, 6 Drawing Sheets

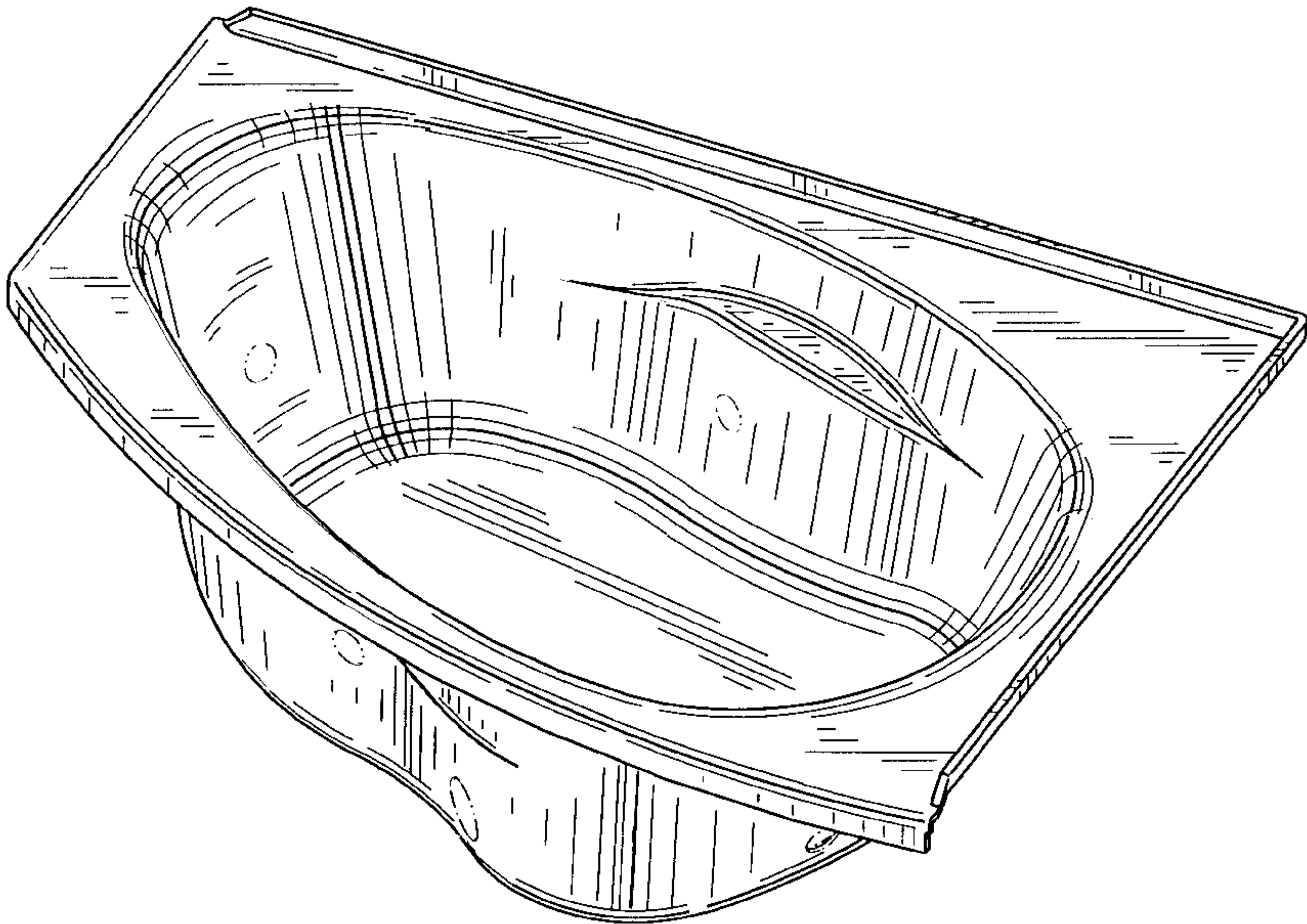
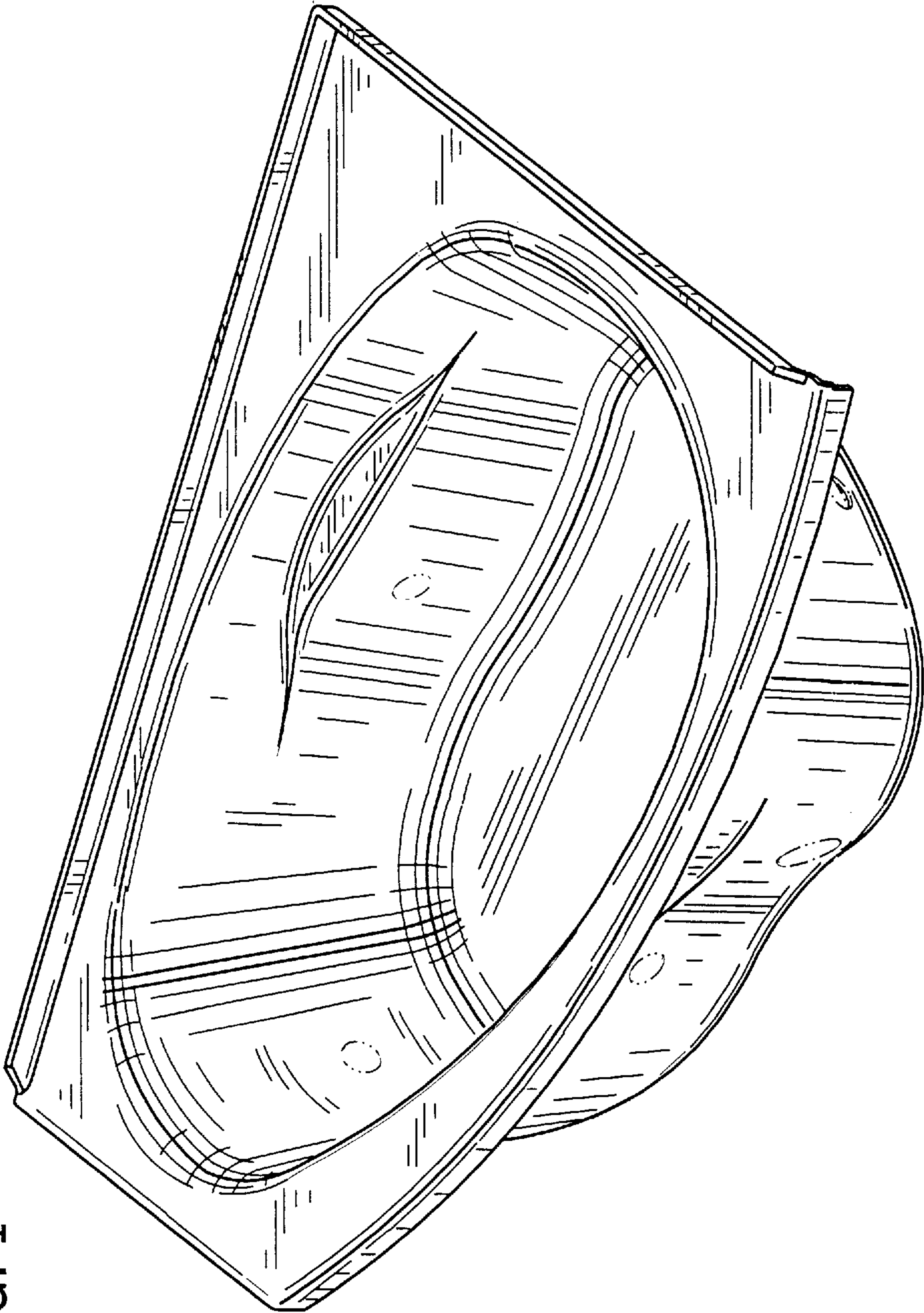


FIG. 1



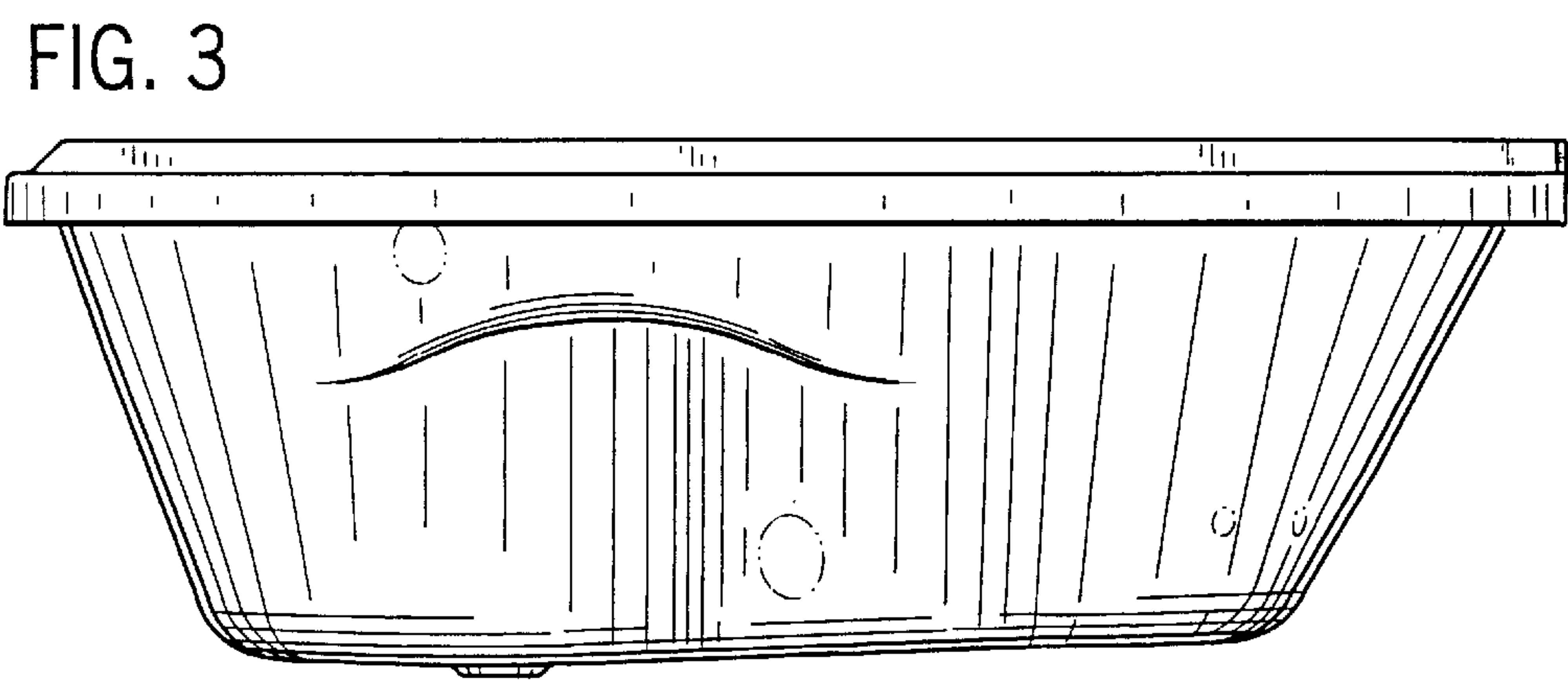
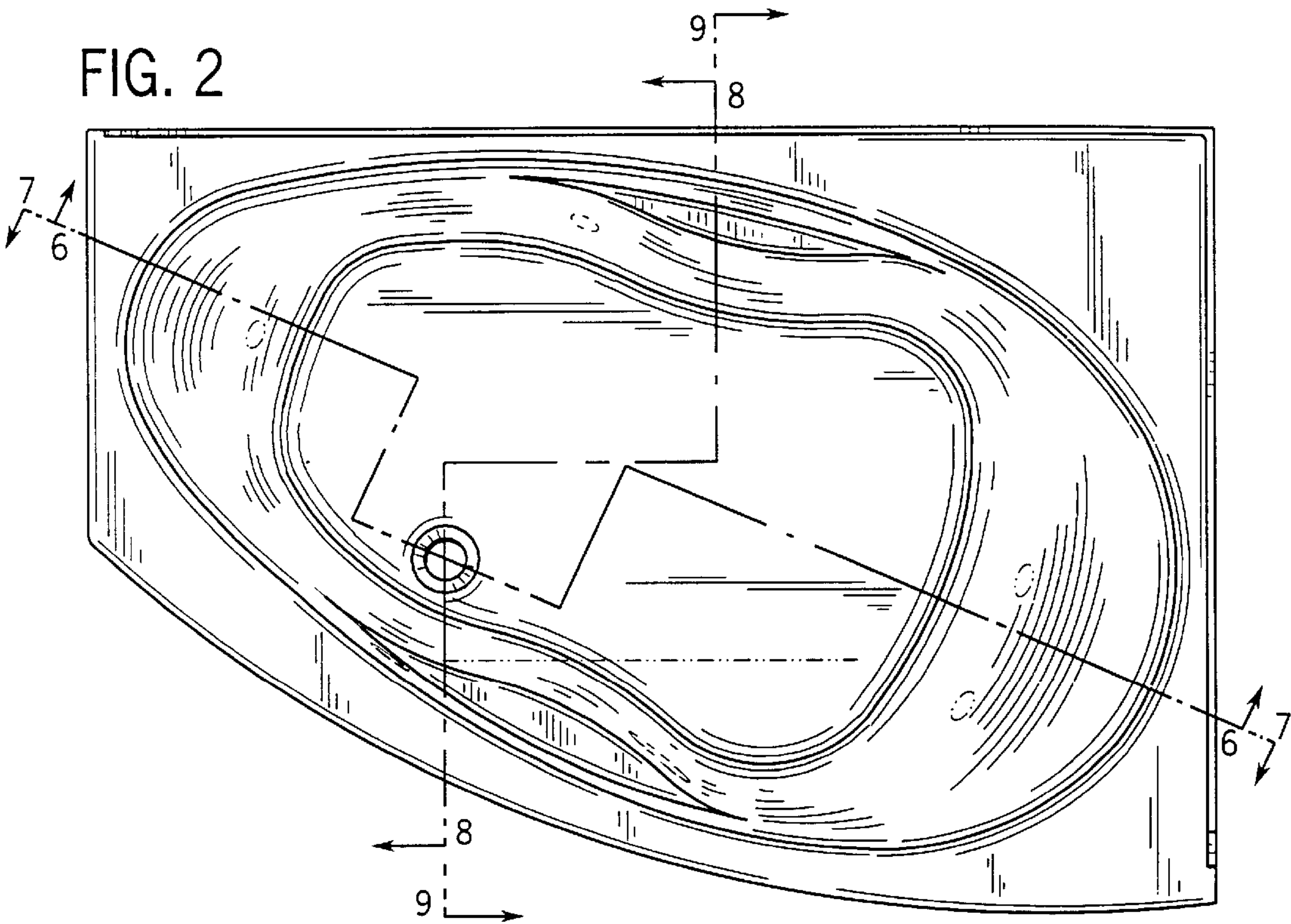


FIG. 4

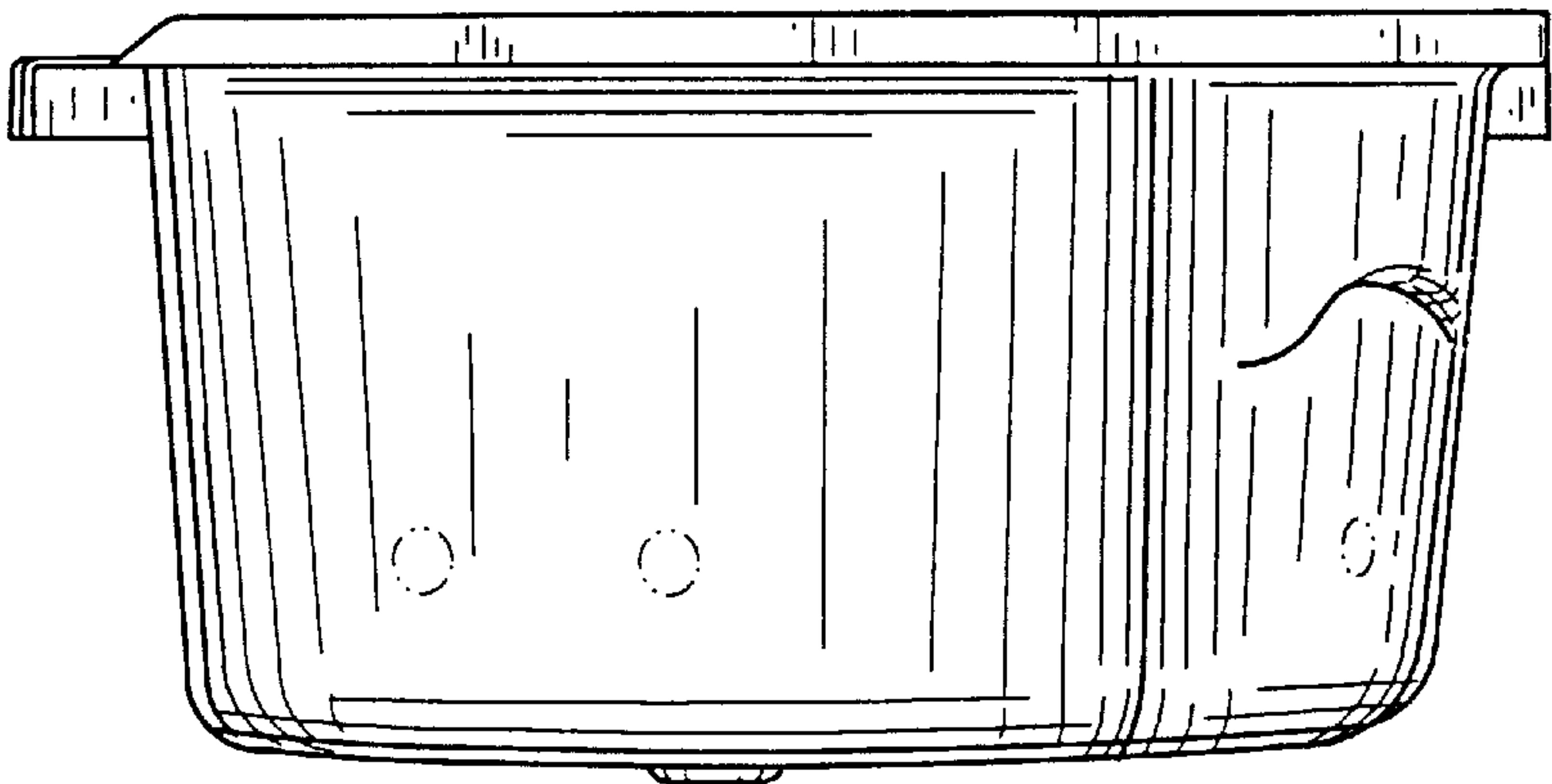


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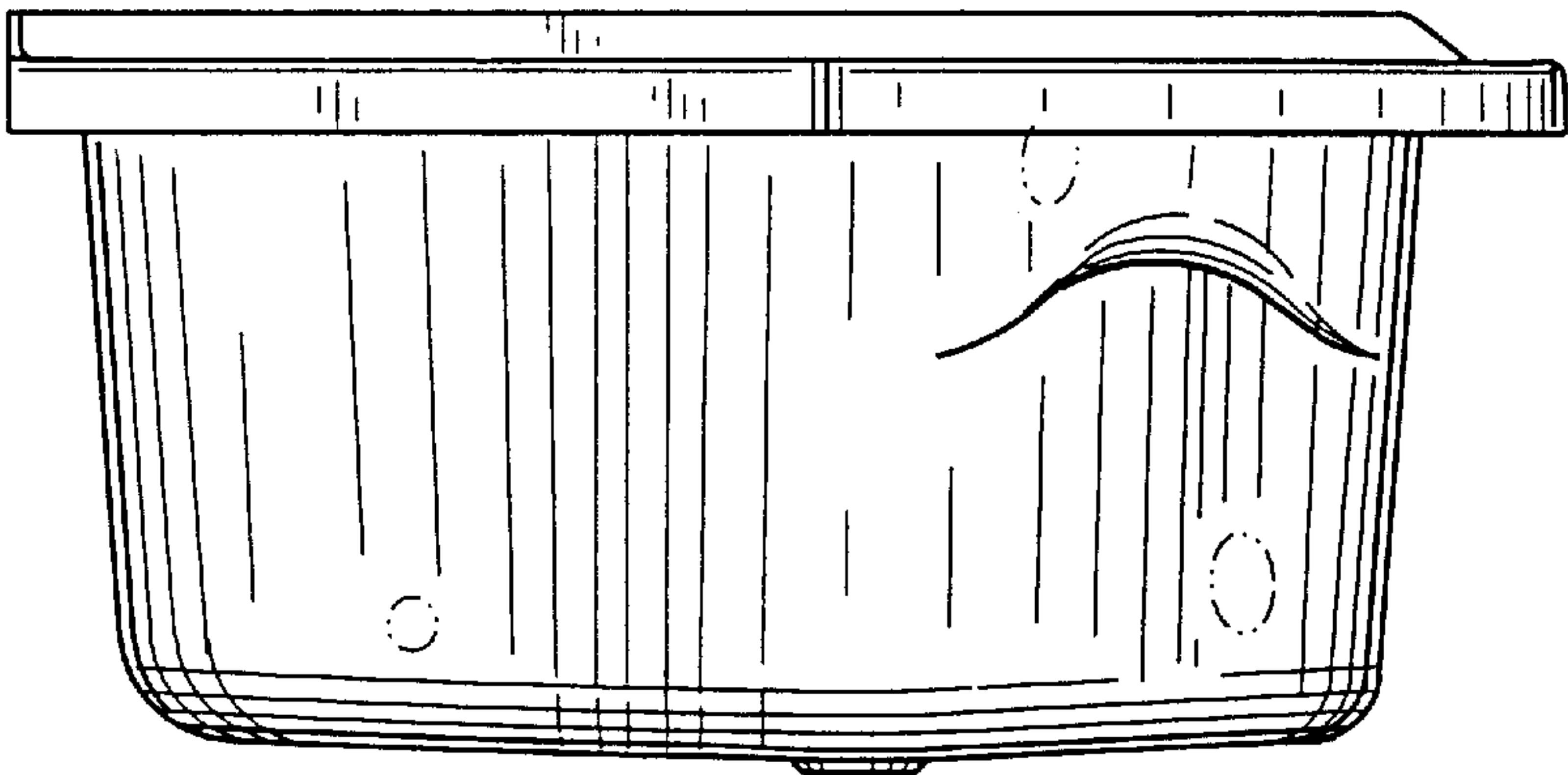


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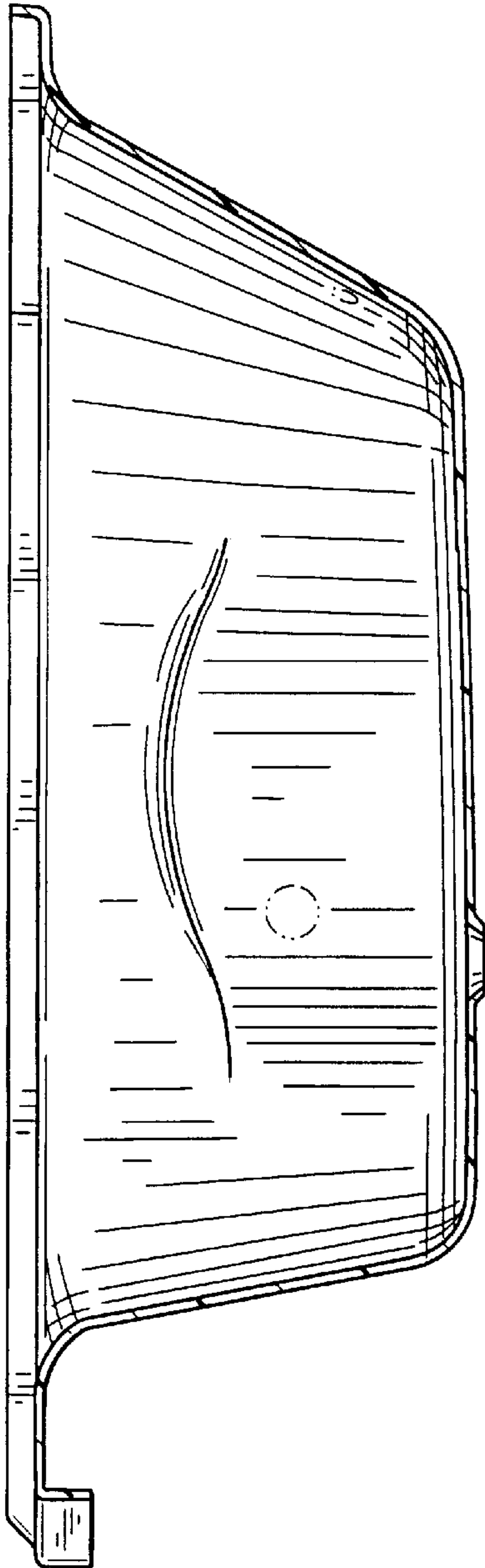


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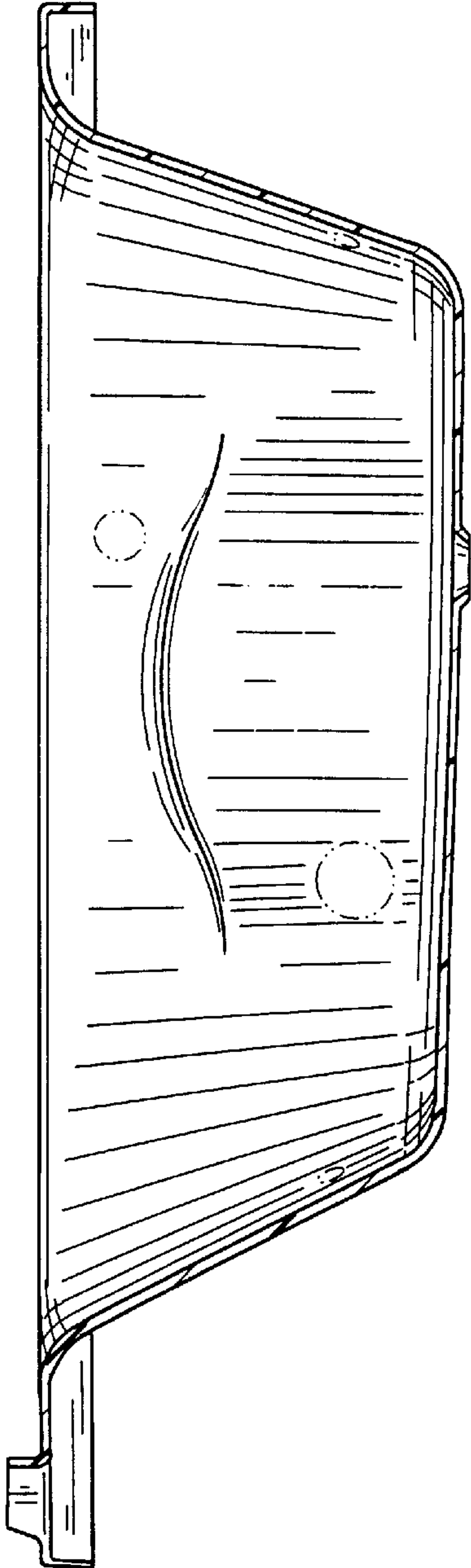


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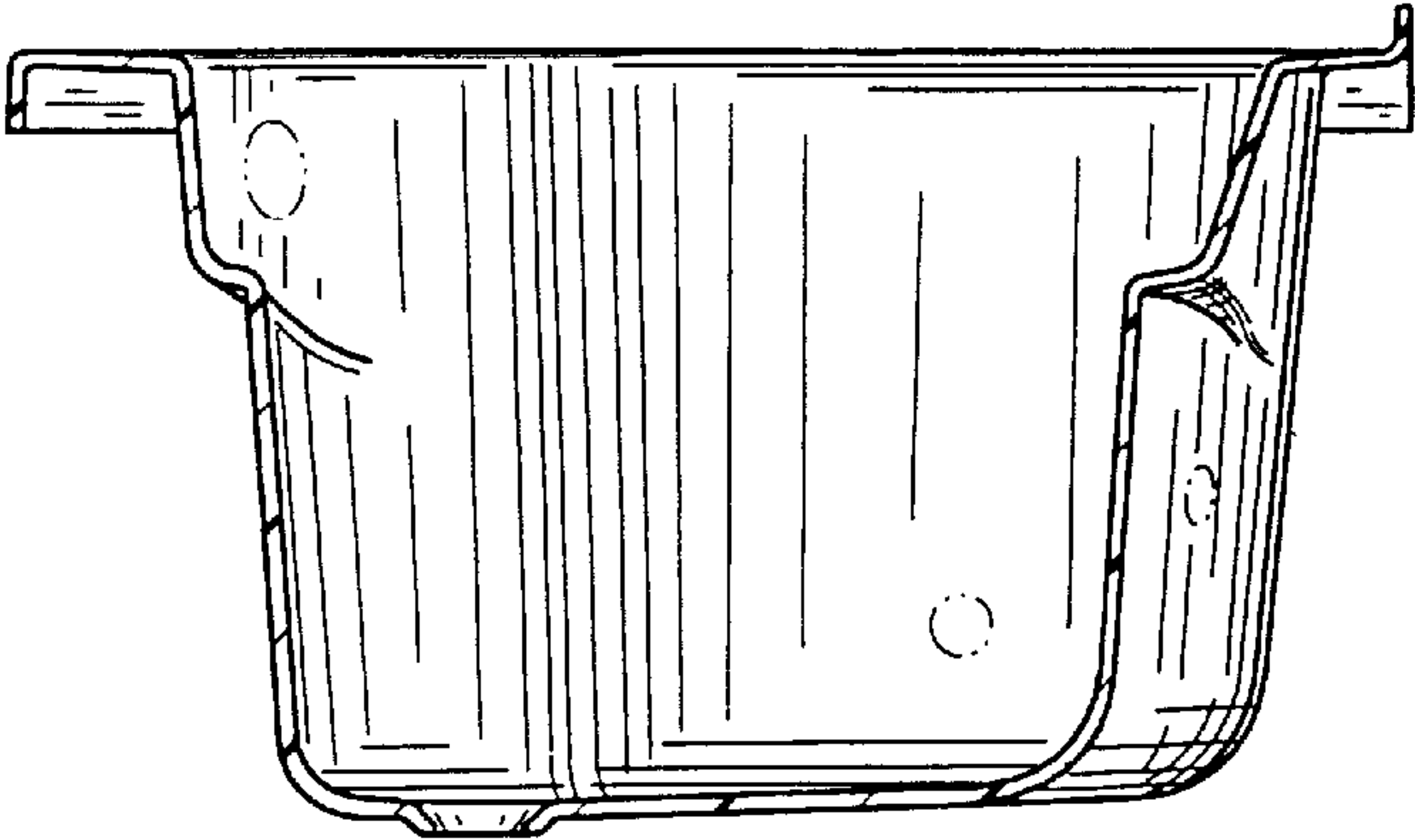


FIG. 9

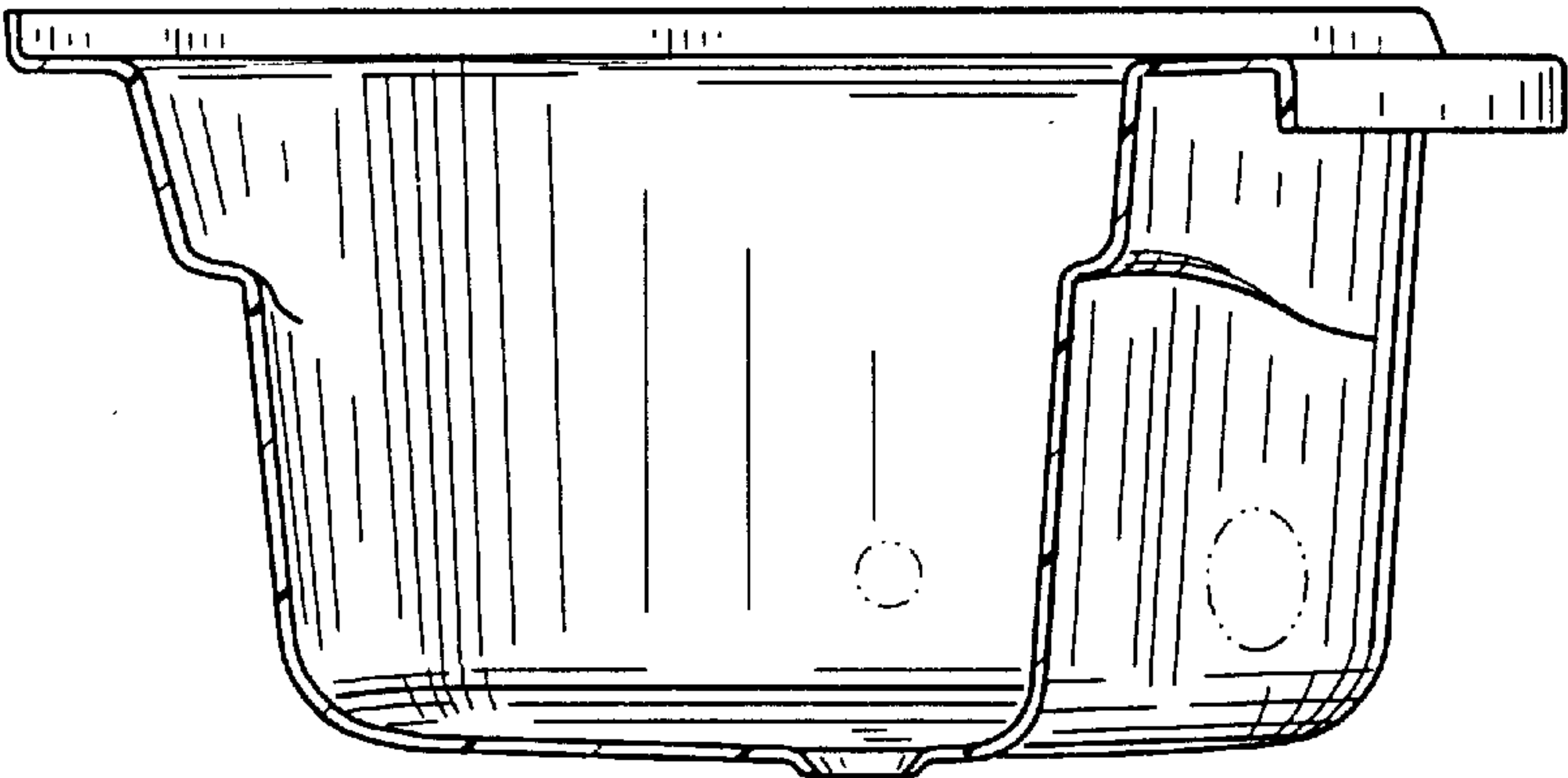


FIG. 10

