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[54] **FOOTWEAR PROTUBERANCE**

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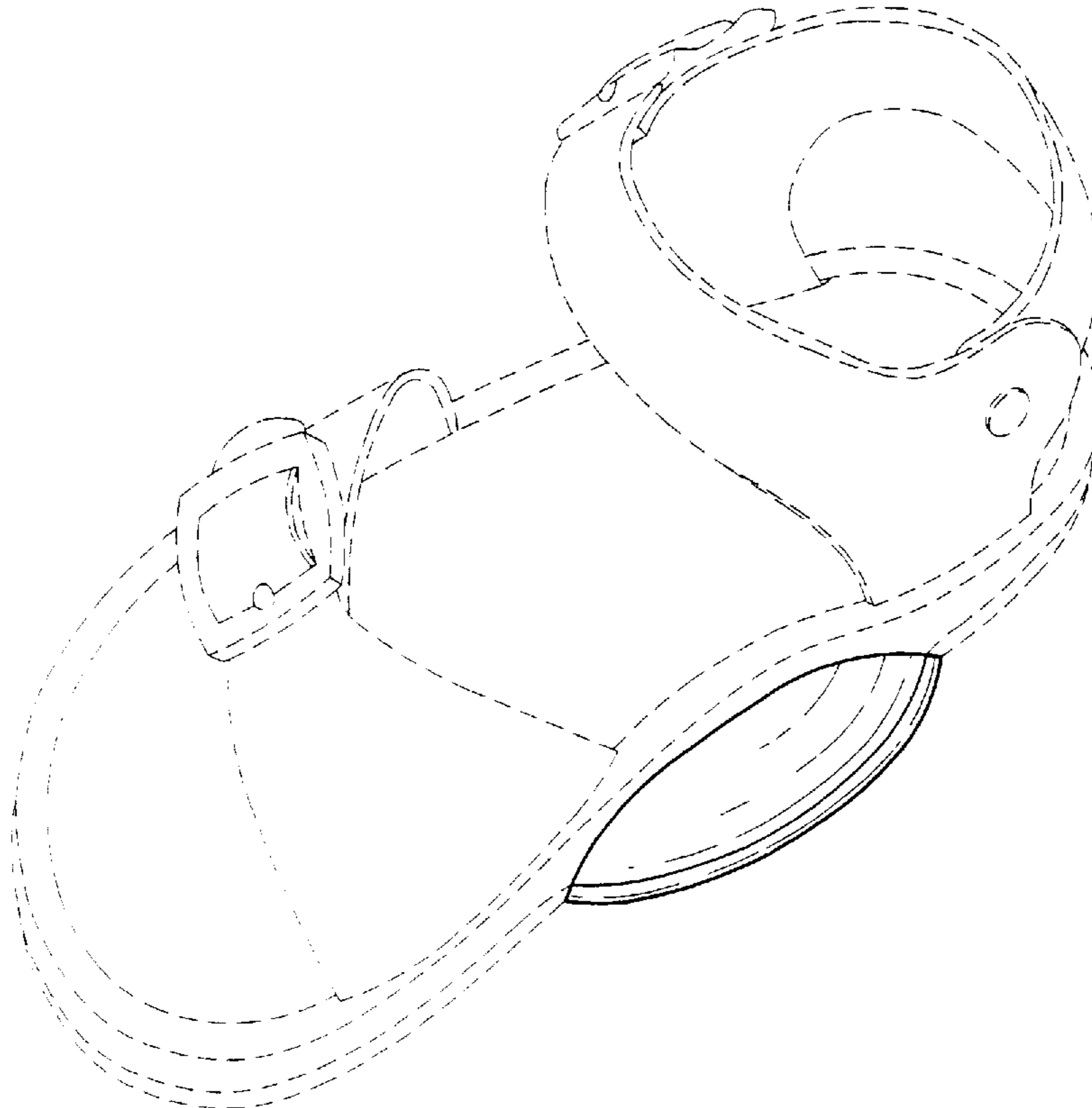
[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a footwear protuberance, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a right side elevational view of a footwear protuberance showing our new design. The footwear shown in broken lines is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design;
FIG. 2 is a bottom plan view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a top plan view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a left side elevational view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a front elevational view thereof; and,
FIG. 7 is a front top isometric view thereof.

1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets



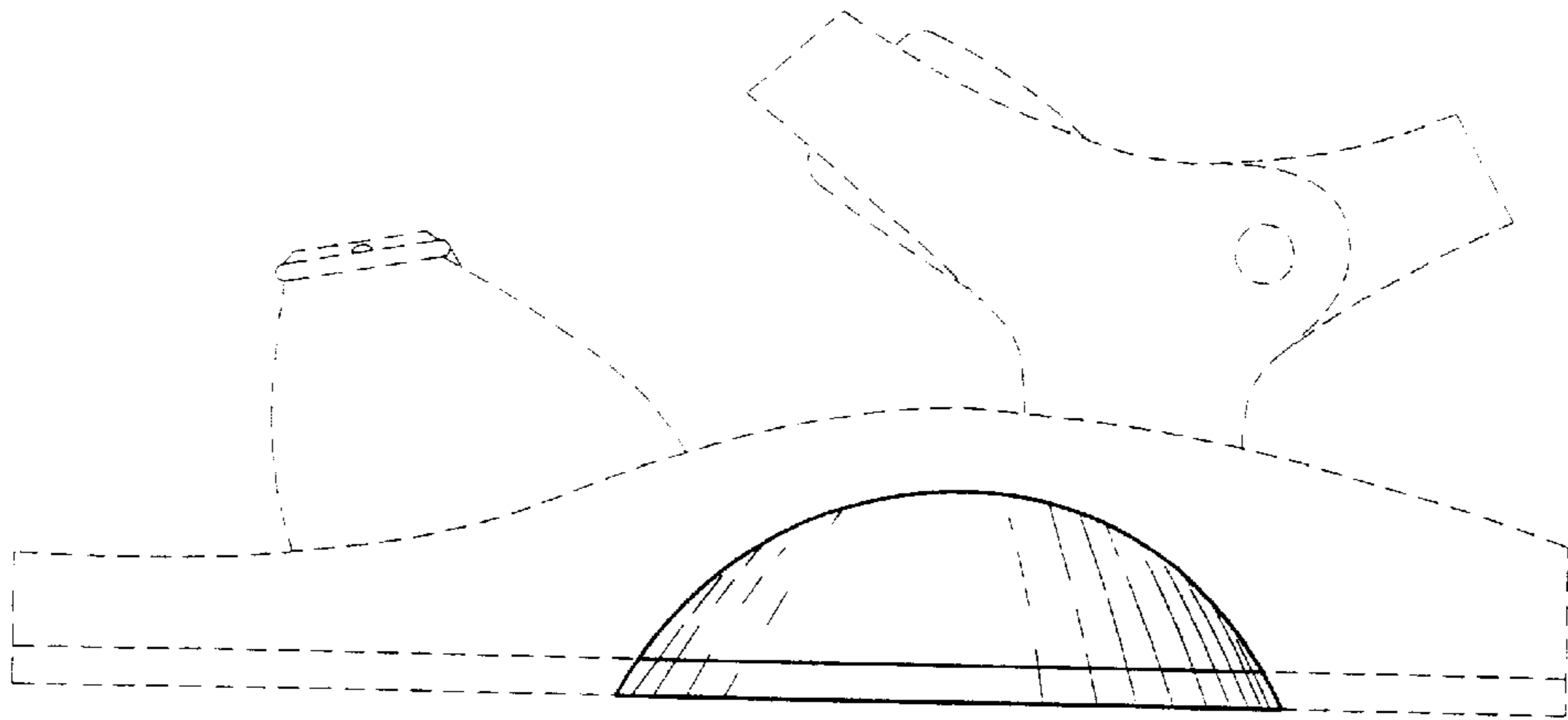


Fig. 1

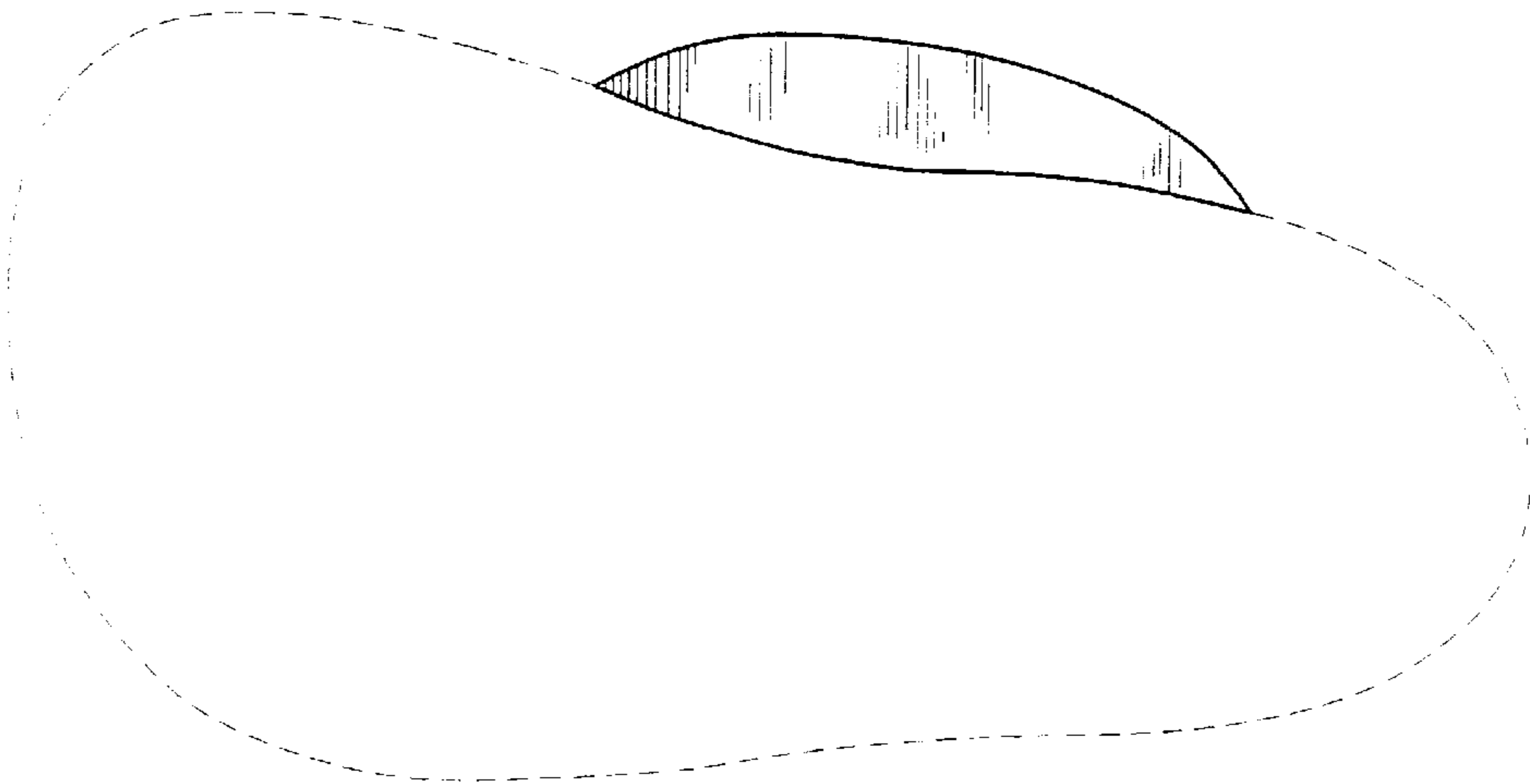


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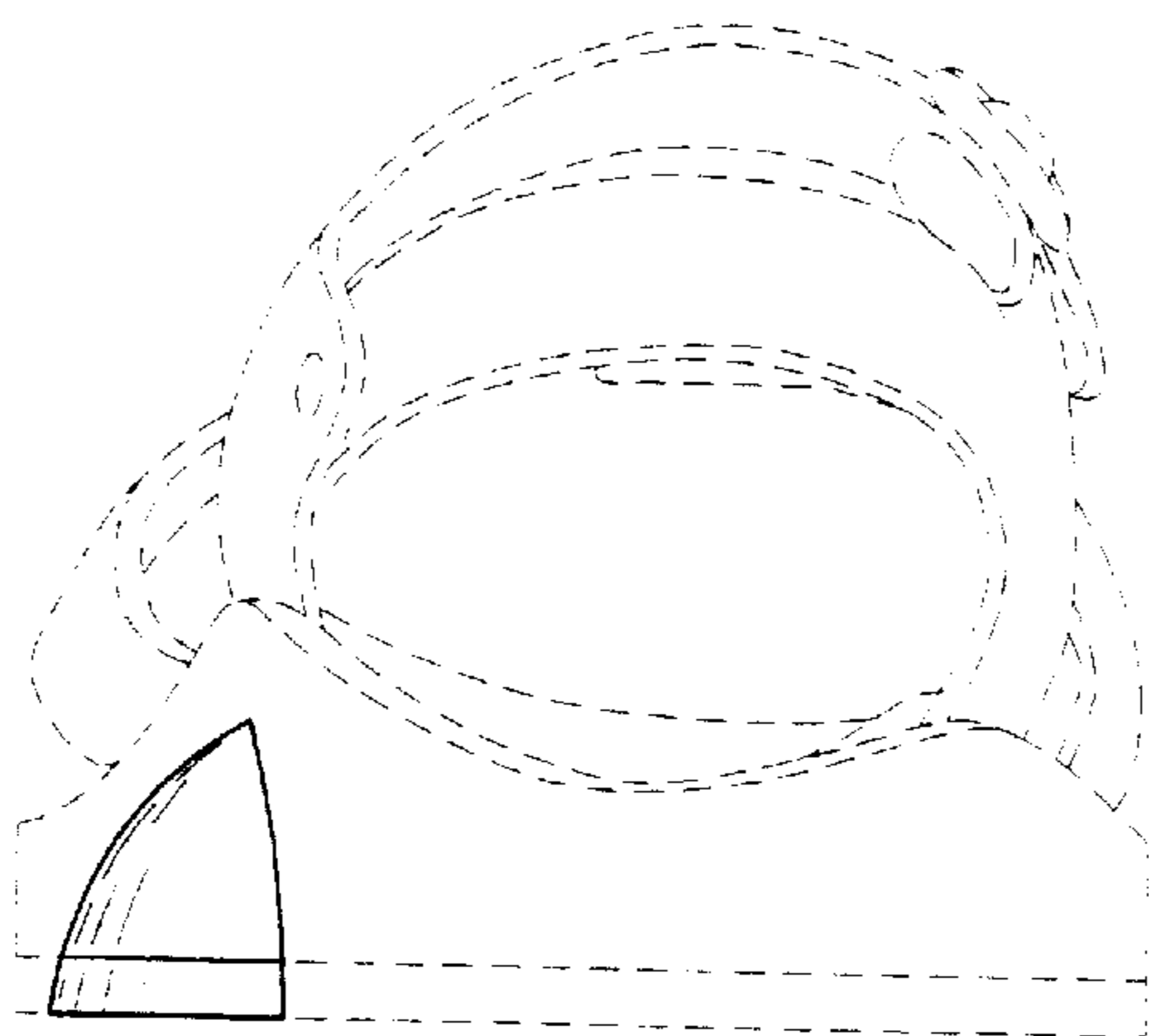


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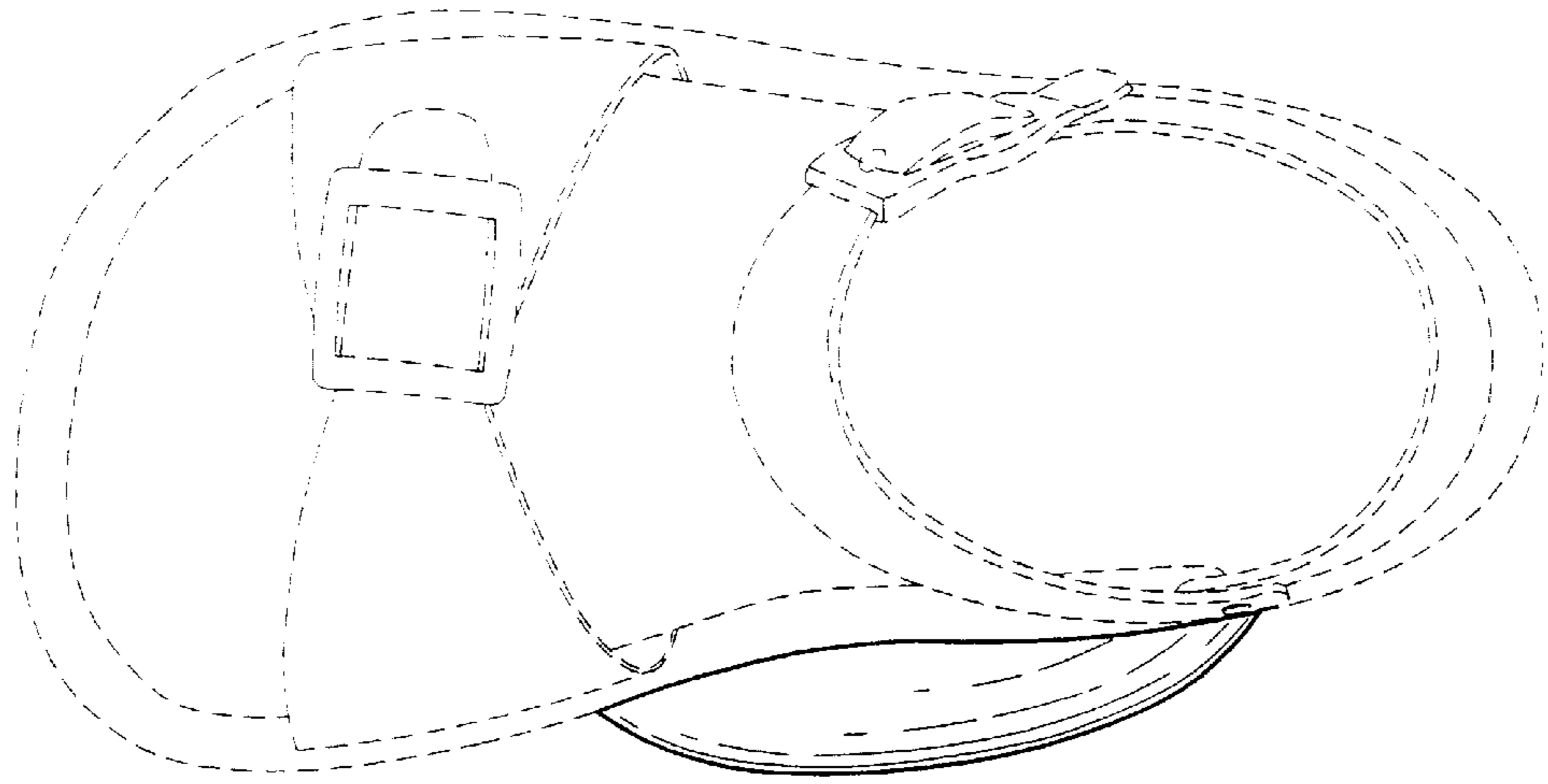


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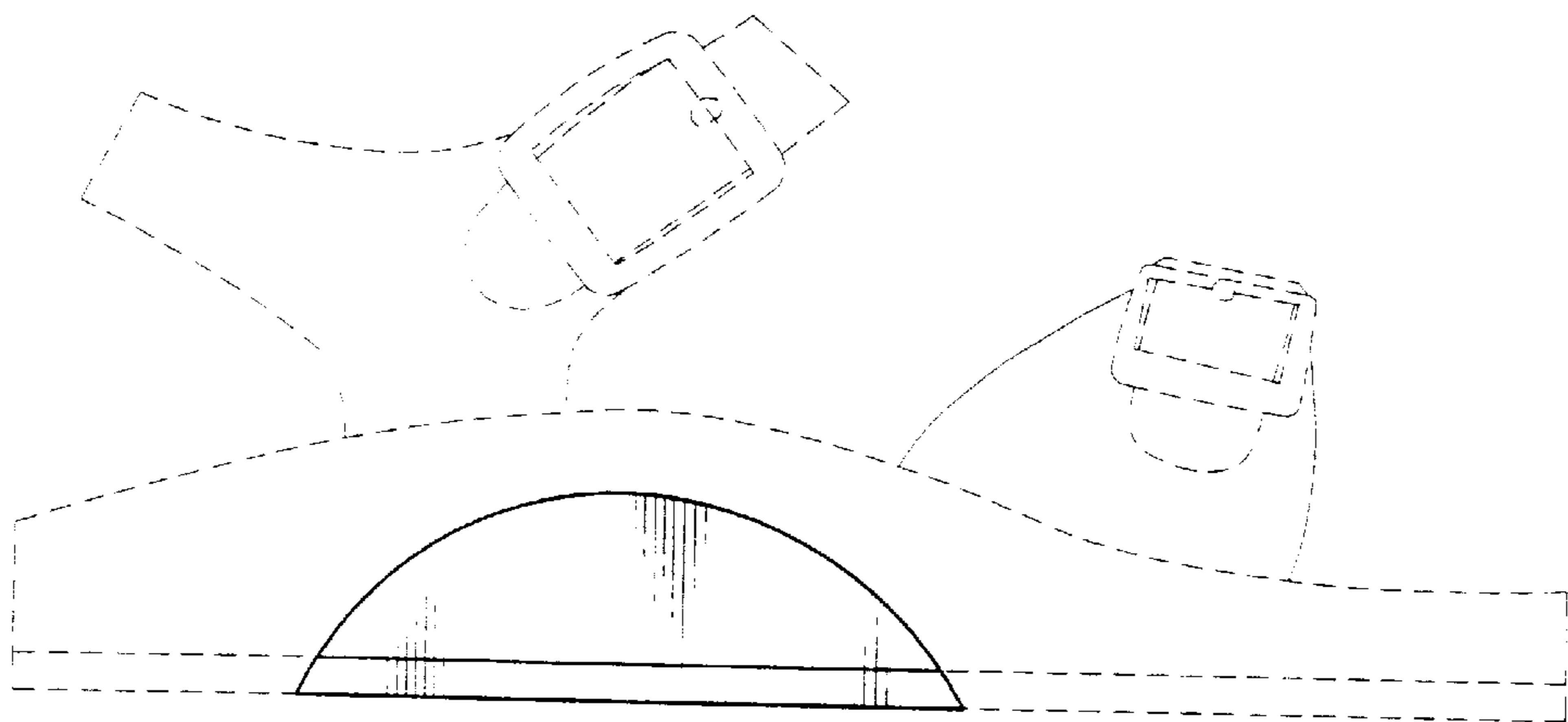


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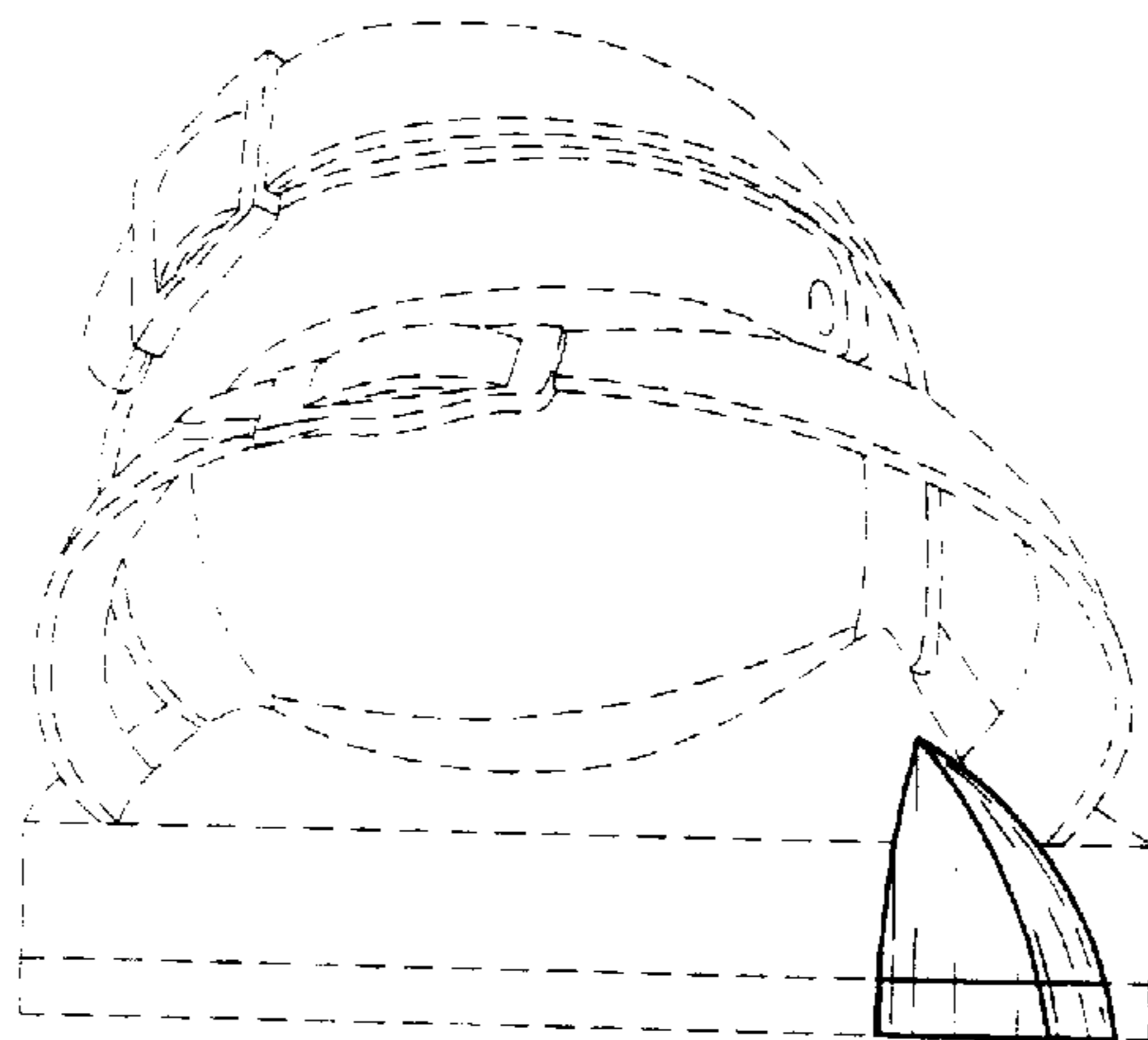


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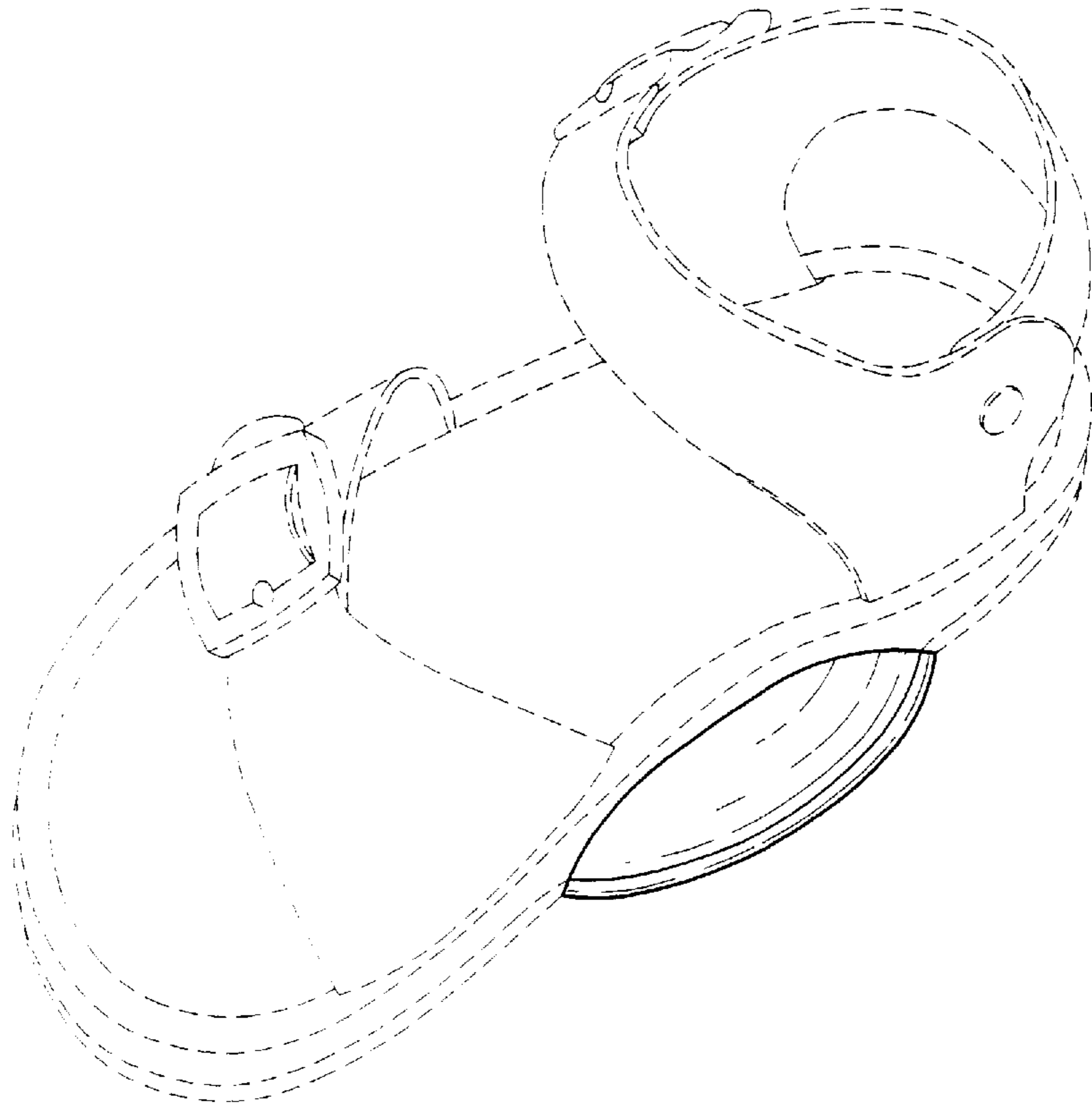


Fig. 7