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[54] **SURFACE PATTERN FOR ABSORBENT ARTICLES**

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The ornamental design for a surface pattern for absorbent articles, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a top plan view of a pattern for absorbent articles showing our new design; and,

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FIG. 2 is a top plan view of the pattern shown applied to an alternative absorbent article.

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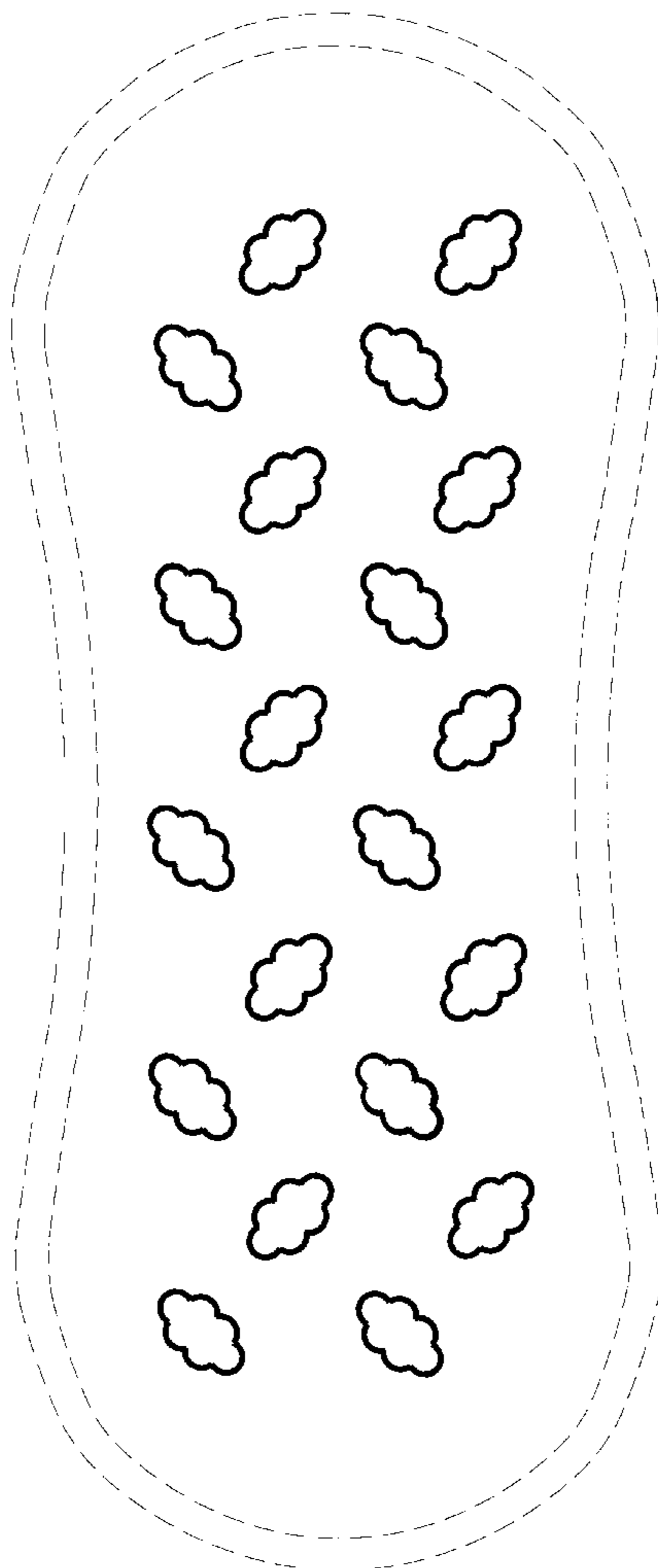
In the drawings, the broken lines define the boundaries of the claimed pattern as well as the boundaries of the article to which the pattern is applied, and form no part of the claim.

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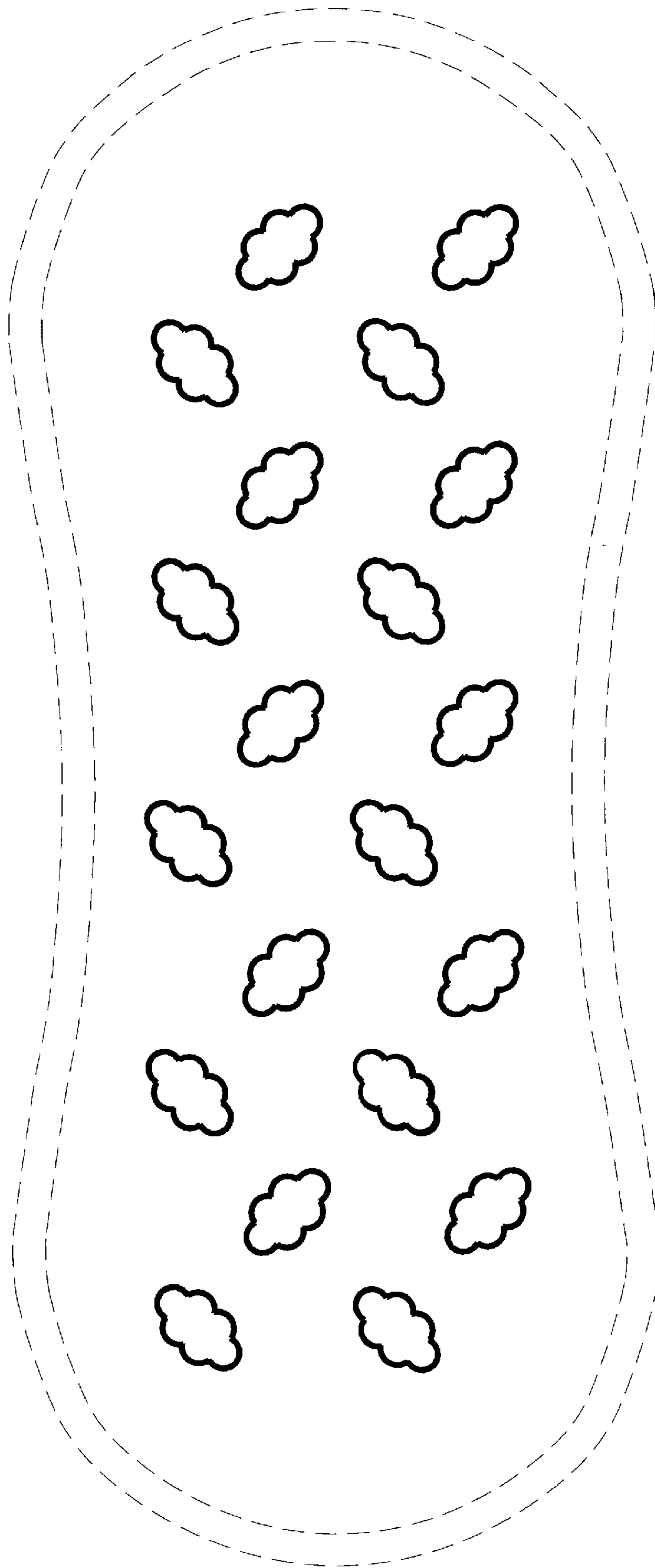


FIG. 1

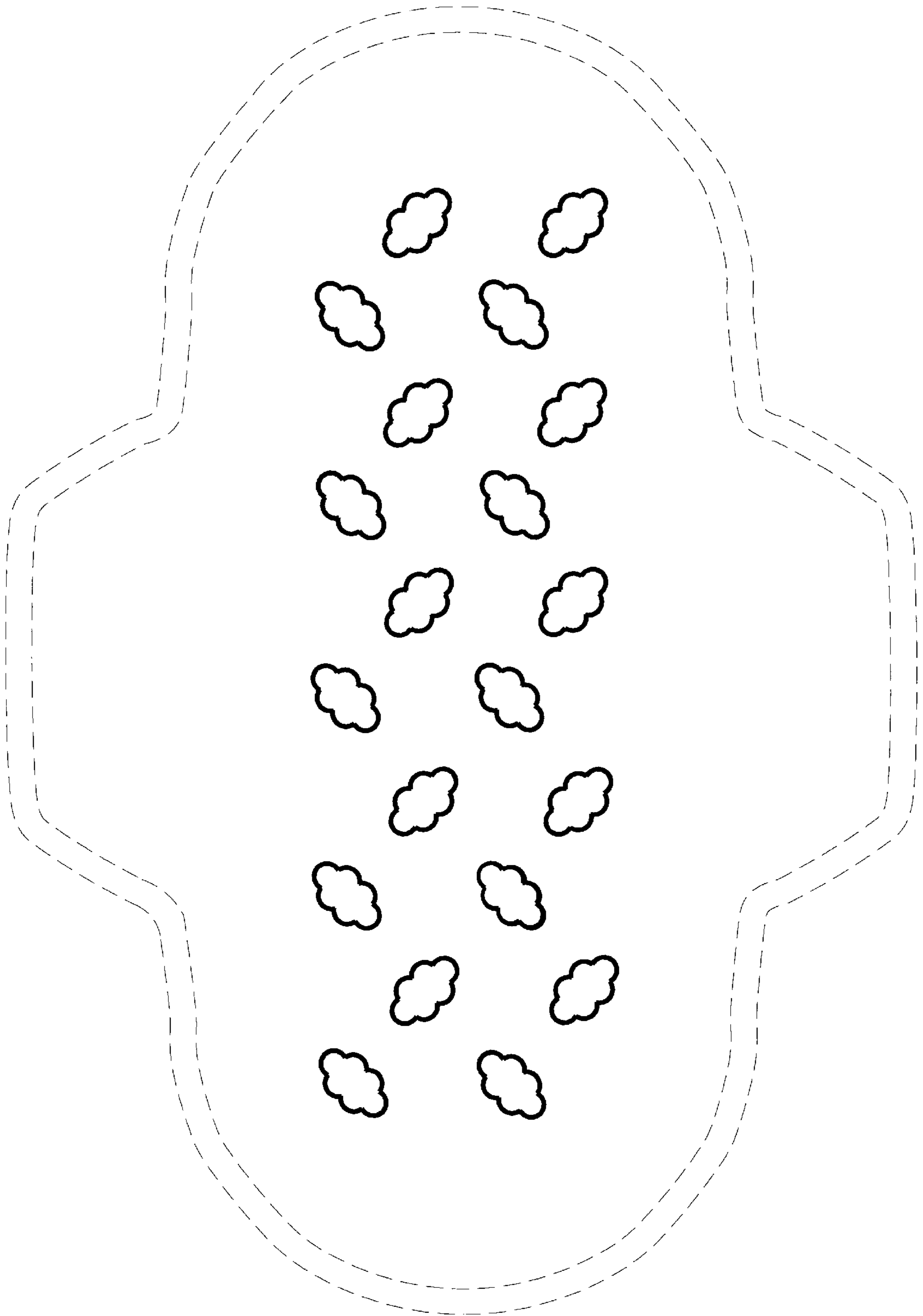


FIG.2