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[54] TREAD AND SHOULDER PORTIONS OF A VEHICLE TIRE

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### [57] CLAIM

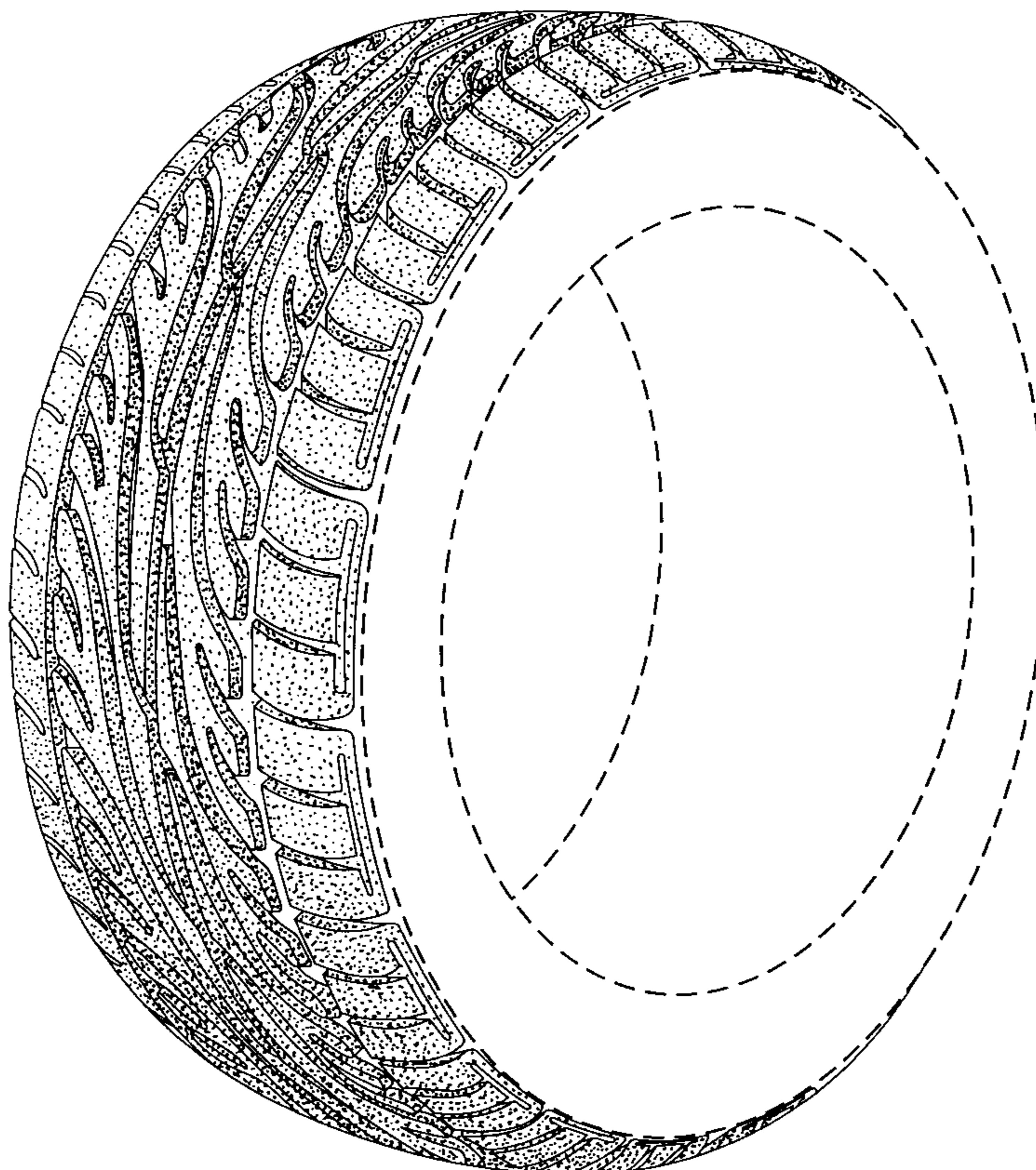
The ornamental design for the tread and shoulder portions of a vehicle tire, as shown and described.

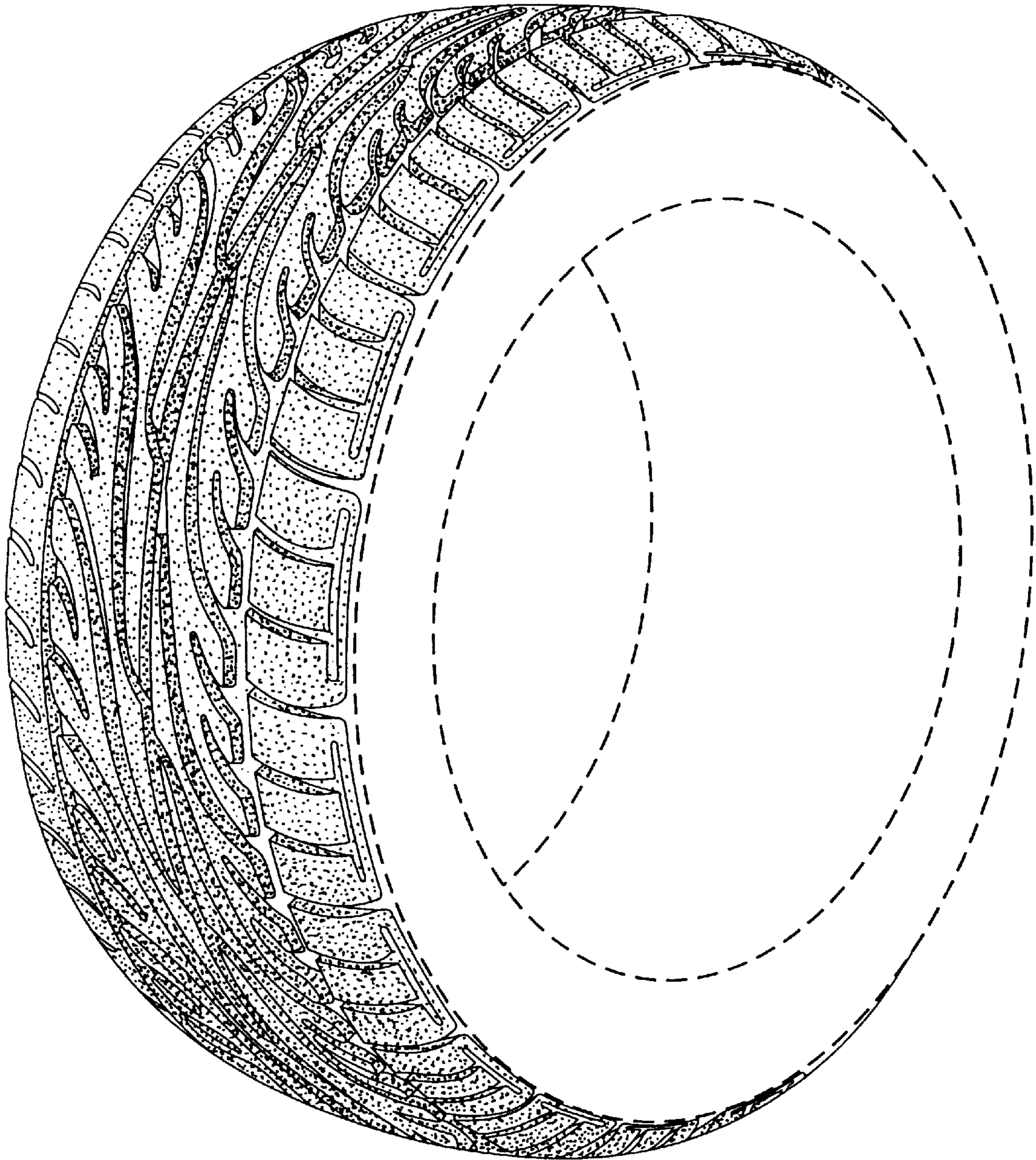
### DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the tread and shoulder portions of a vehicle tire according to the present invention; FIG. 2 is a front view of the tire thereof it being understood; and,

FIG. 3 is a side view of the tire thereof it being understood. The broken lines depicting the tire inner bead and sidewall and the peripheral boundary between the tire shoulder and the sidewall are for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

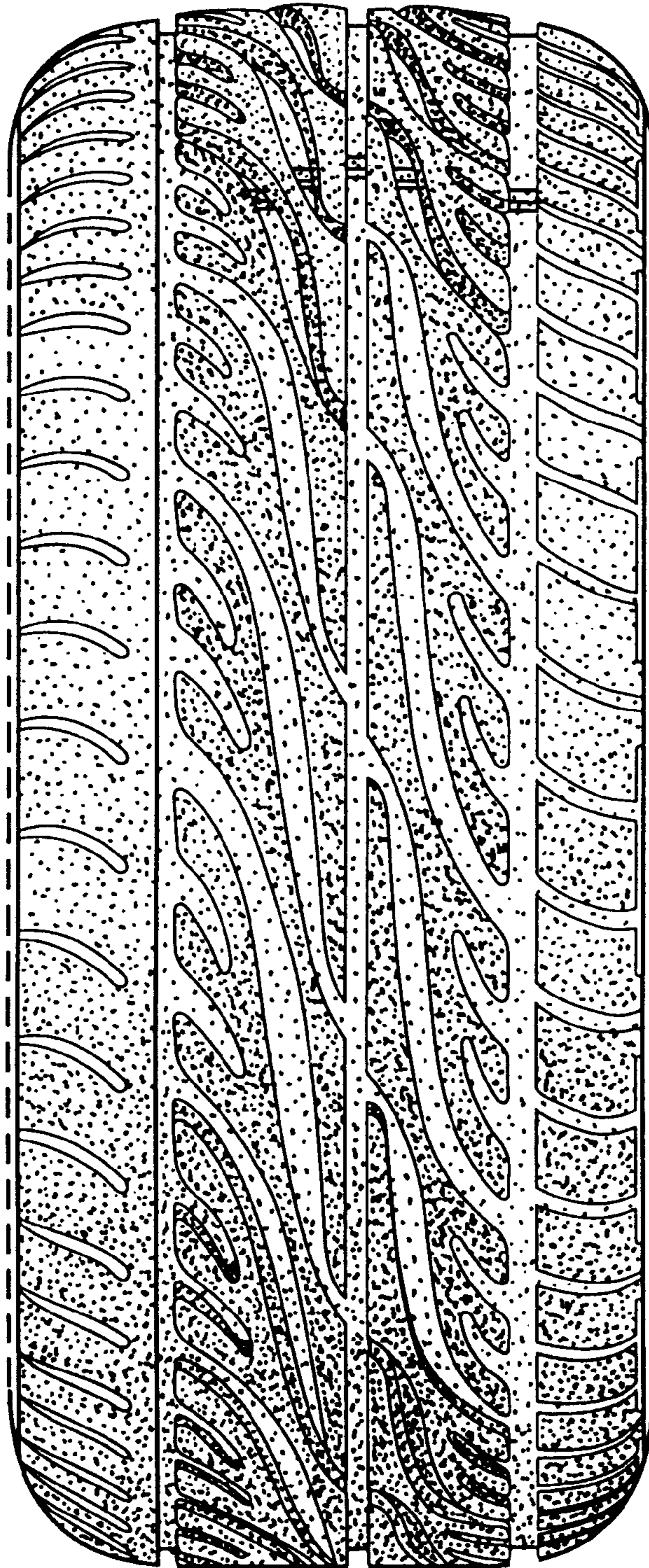
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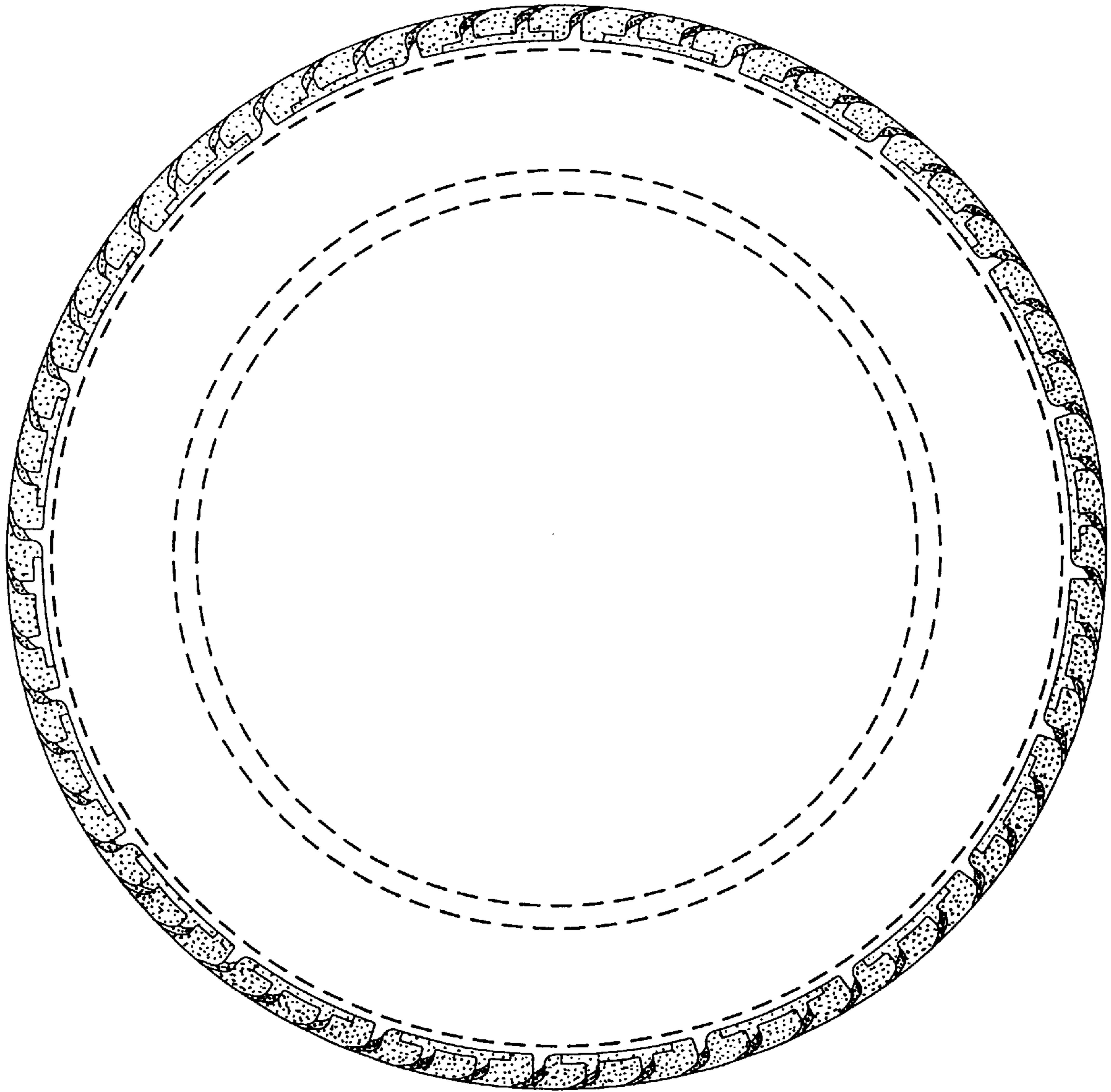


**FIG. 1**





**FIG. 2**



**FIG. 3**