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## [54] OPEN TOE SLIPPER

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## [57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for open toe slipper, as shown and described.

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FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the top, front and side of an open toe slipper, showing our new design;

FIG. 2 is a top plan view of our new design;

FIG. 3 is a bottom plan view of our new design;

FIG. 4 is a left side elevation view of our new design;

FIG. 5 is a front elevation view of our new design;

FIG. 6 is a rear elevation view of our new design; and,

FIG. 7 is a right side elevation view of our new design.

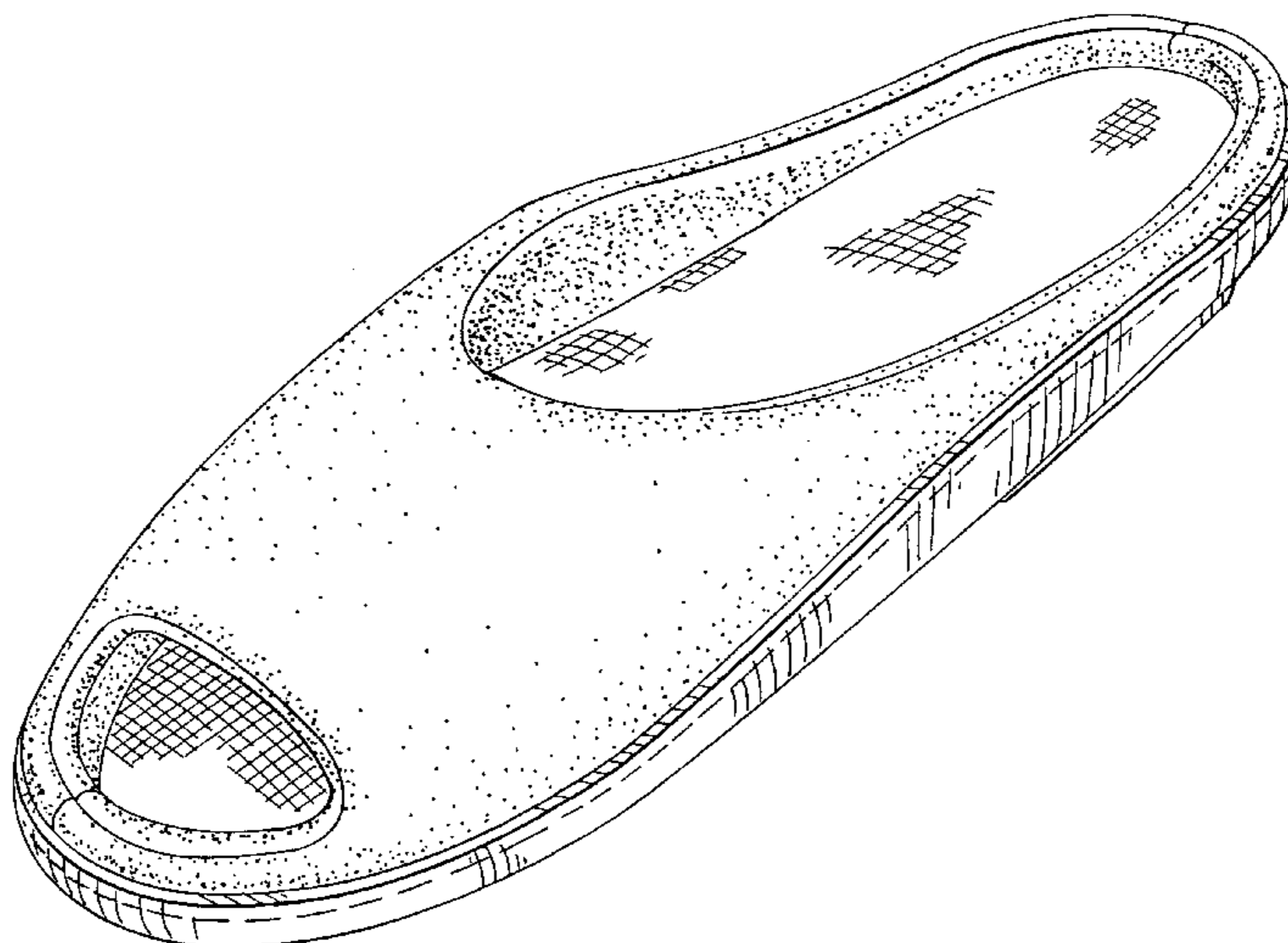
It should be understood that the stitching along the upper edge of the outsole is an ornamental feature of our slipper design. It should be understood that the tread pattern on the bottom of the outsole is in phantom and does not form part of the claimed design.

The partial rendering of the surface pattern is for ease of illustration. It is understood that the pattern continues throughout the surface on which it is only partially shown.

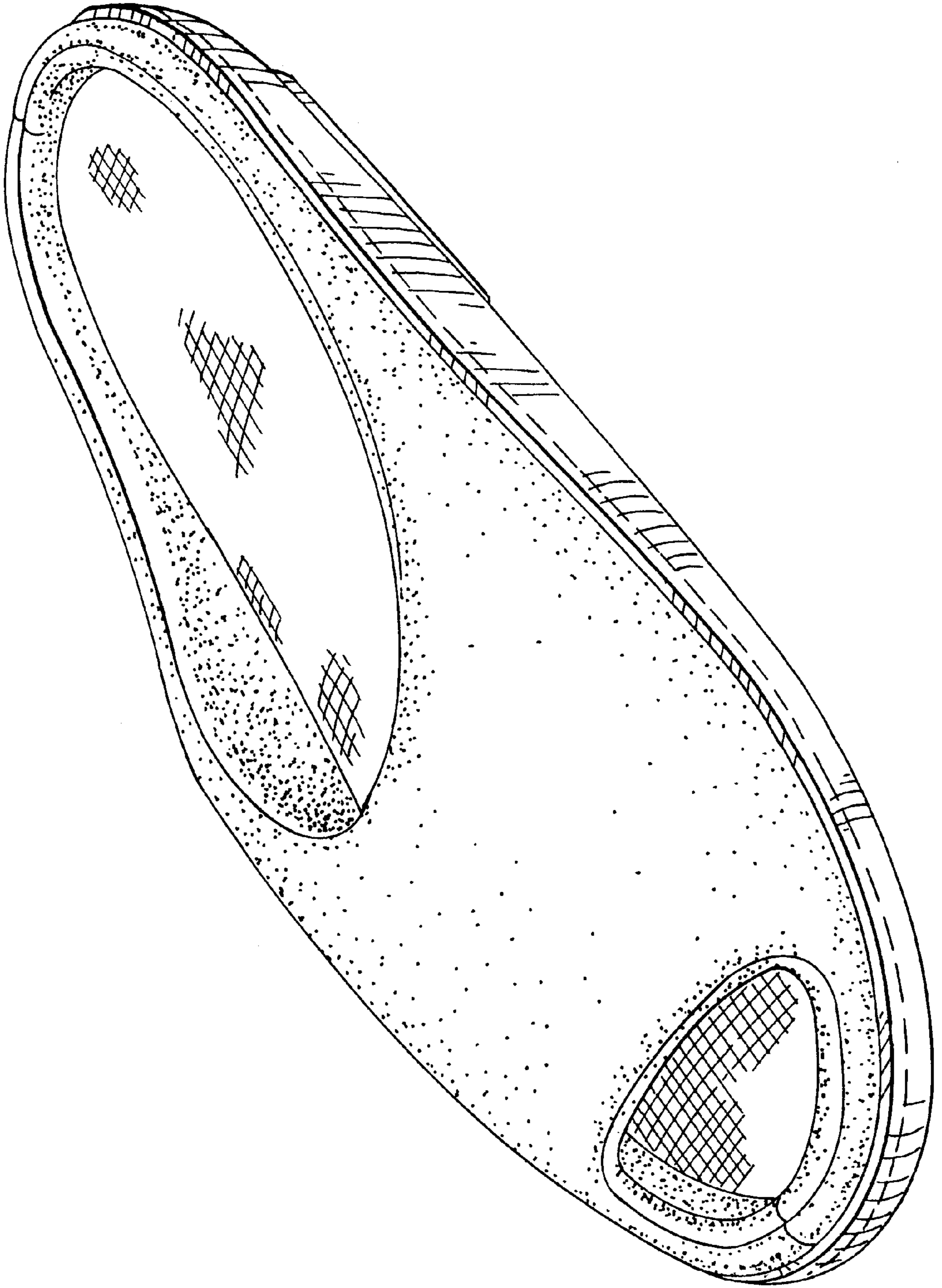
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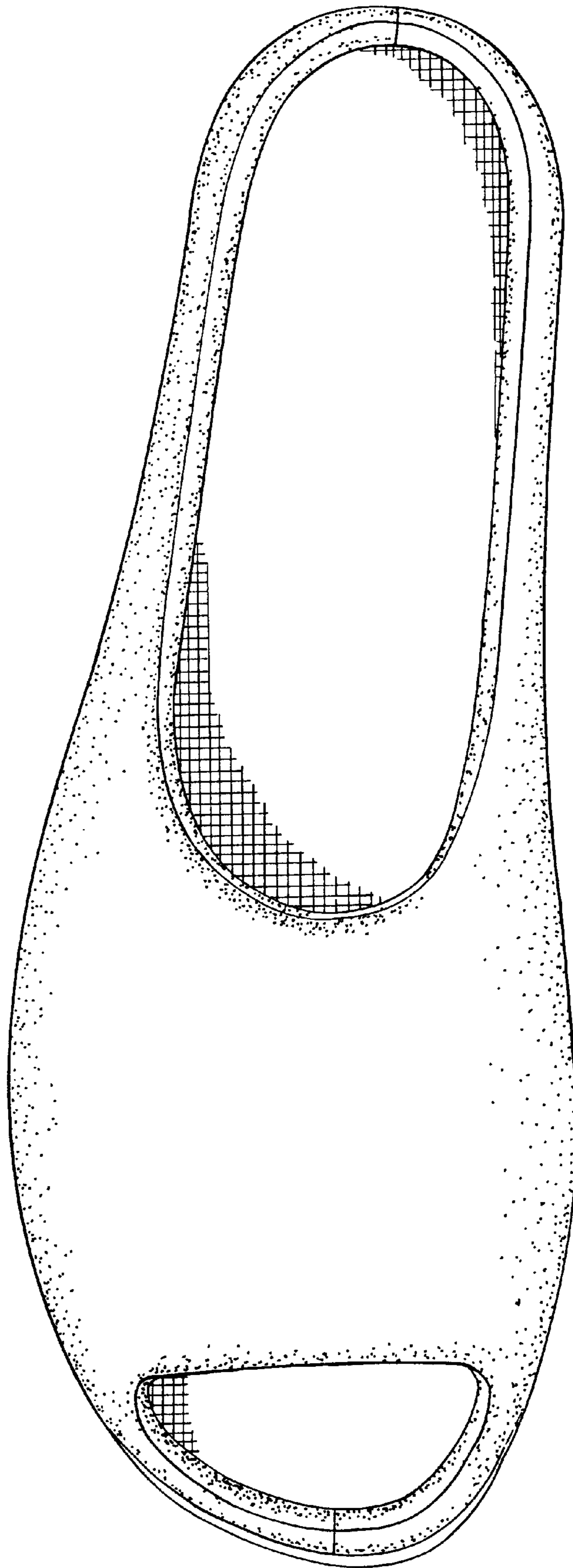
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*Fig. 1*

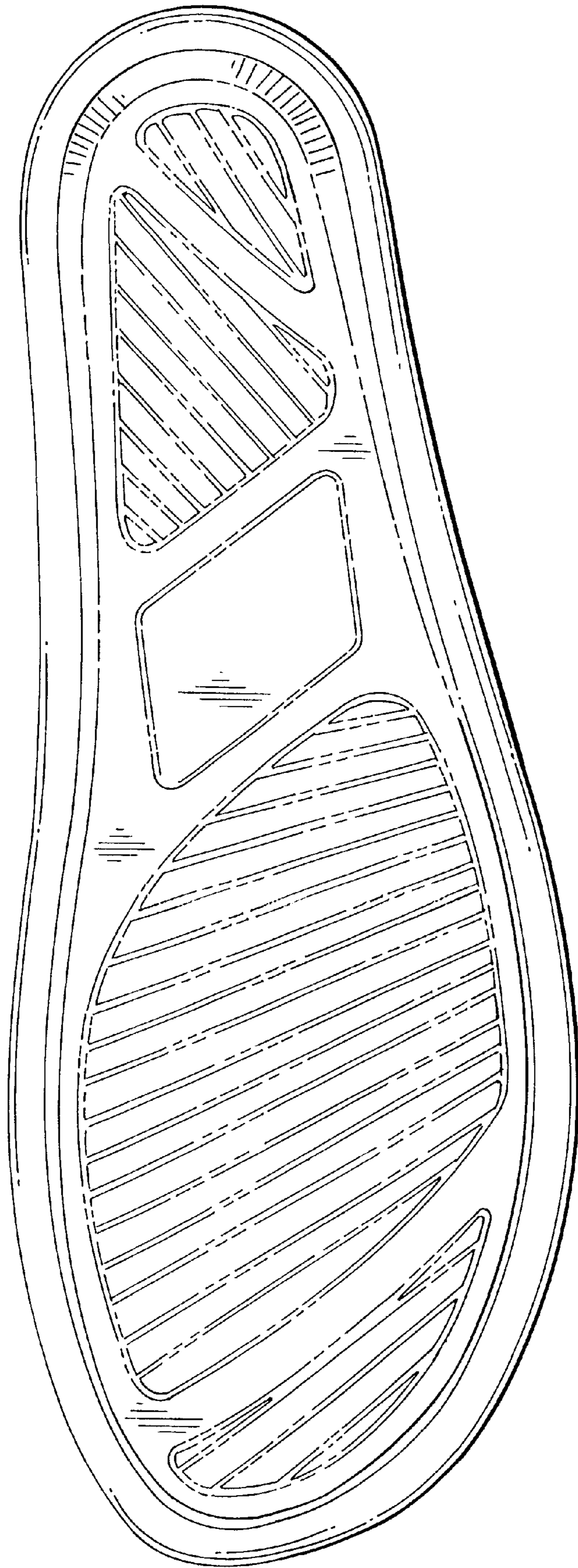


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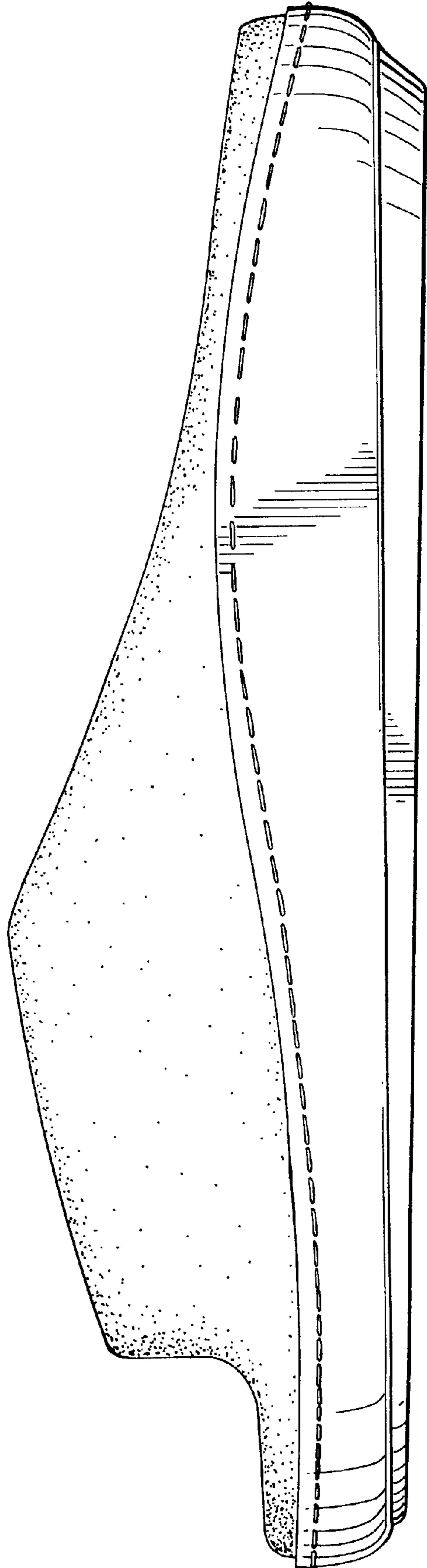




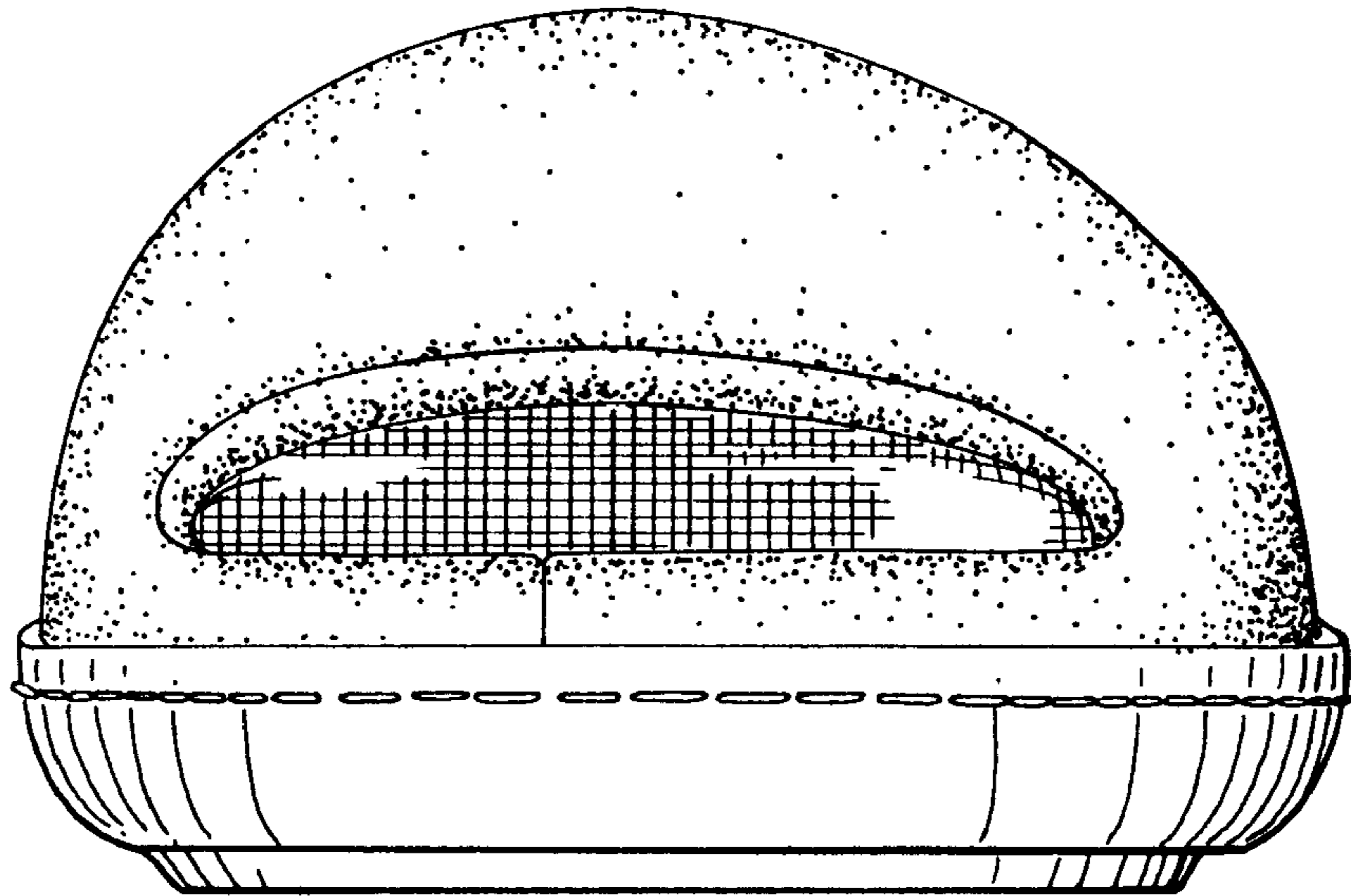
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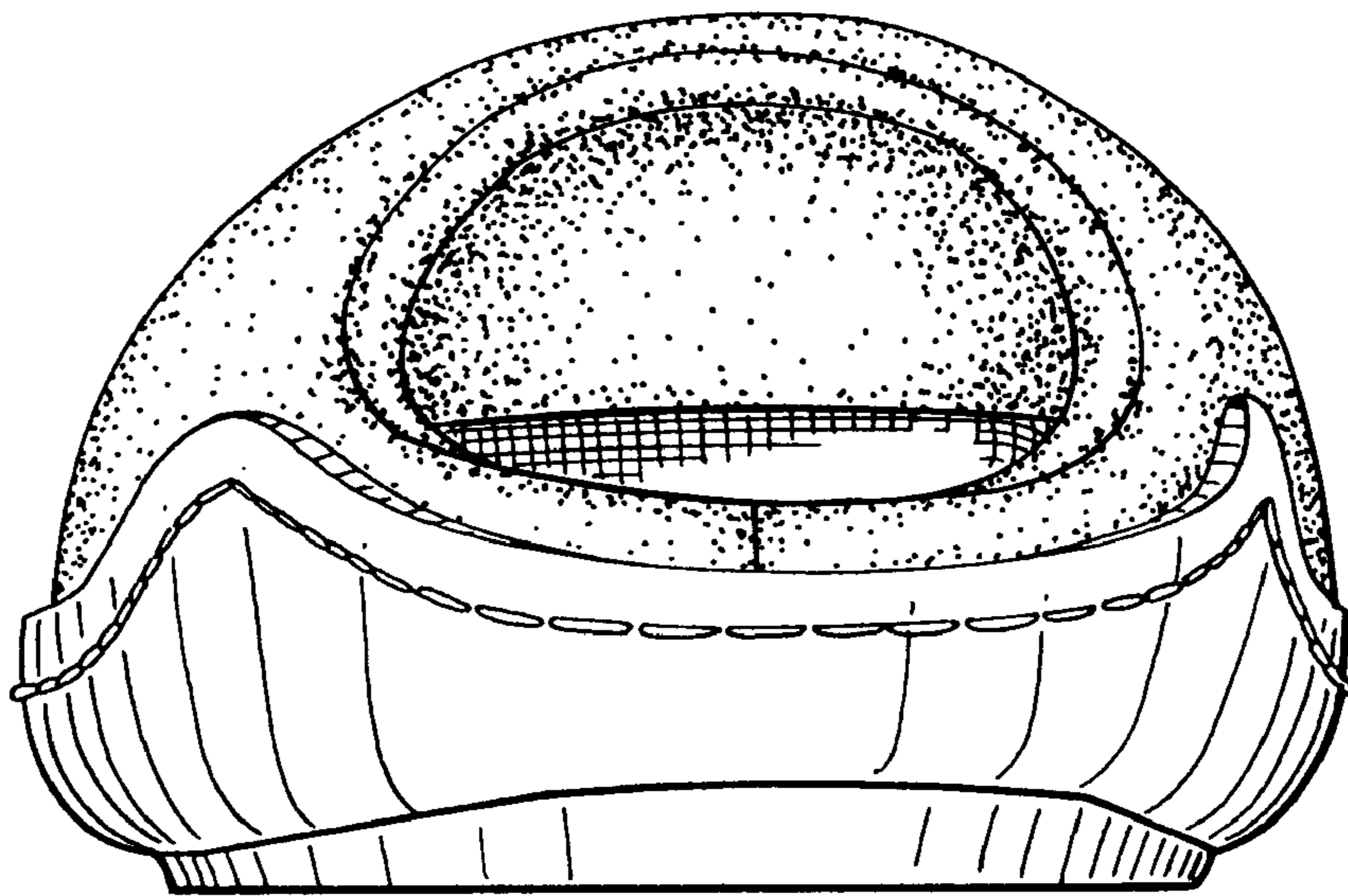
*Fig. 4*



*Fig. 5*



*Fig. 6*



*Fig. 7*

