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The ornamental design for a stapler, as shown and described.

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FIG. 1 is a bottom and side perspective view of a stapler, showing my new design;

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FIG. 2 is a side elevational view thereof;

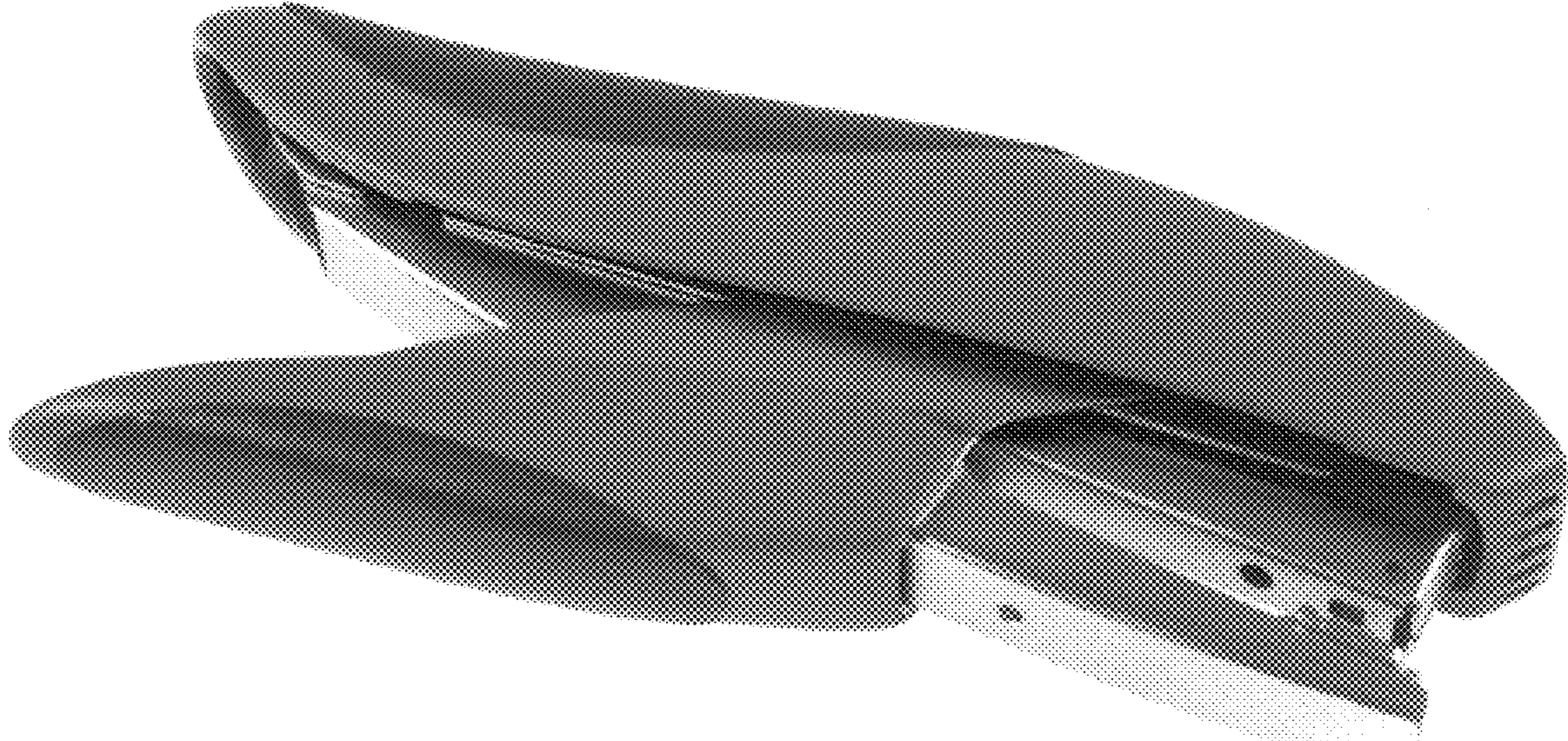
FIG. 3 is a side elevational view thereof, taken from the side opposite to that shown in FIG. 2;

FIG. 4 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a bottom plan view thereof;

FIG. 6 is an end elevational view thereof, taken from the left of FIG. 2; and,

FIG. 7 is an end elevational view thereof, taken from the right of FIG. 2.

1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets

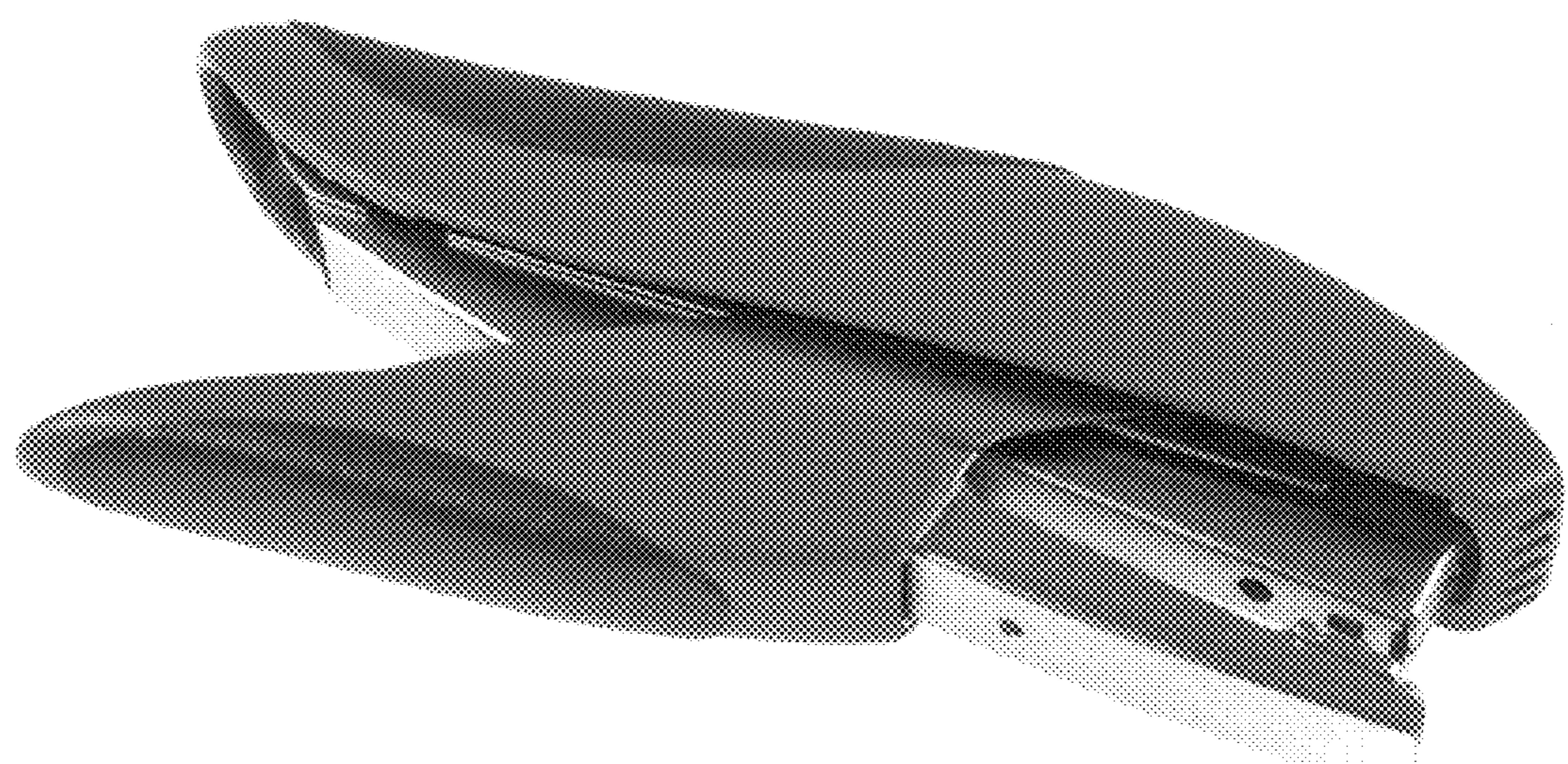


FIGURE 1

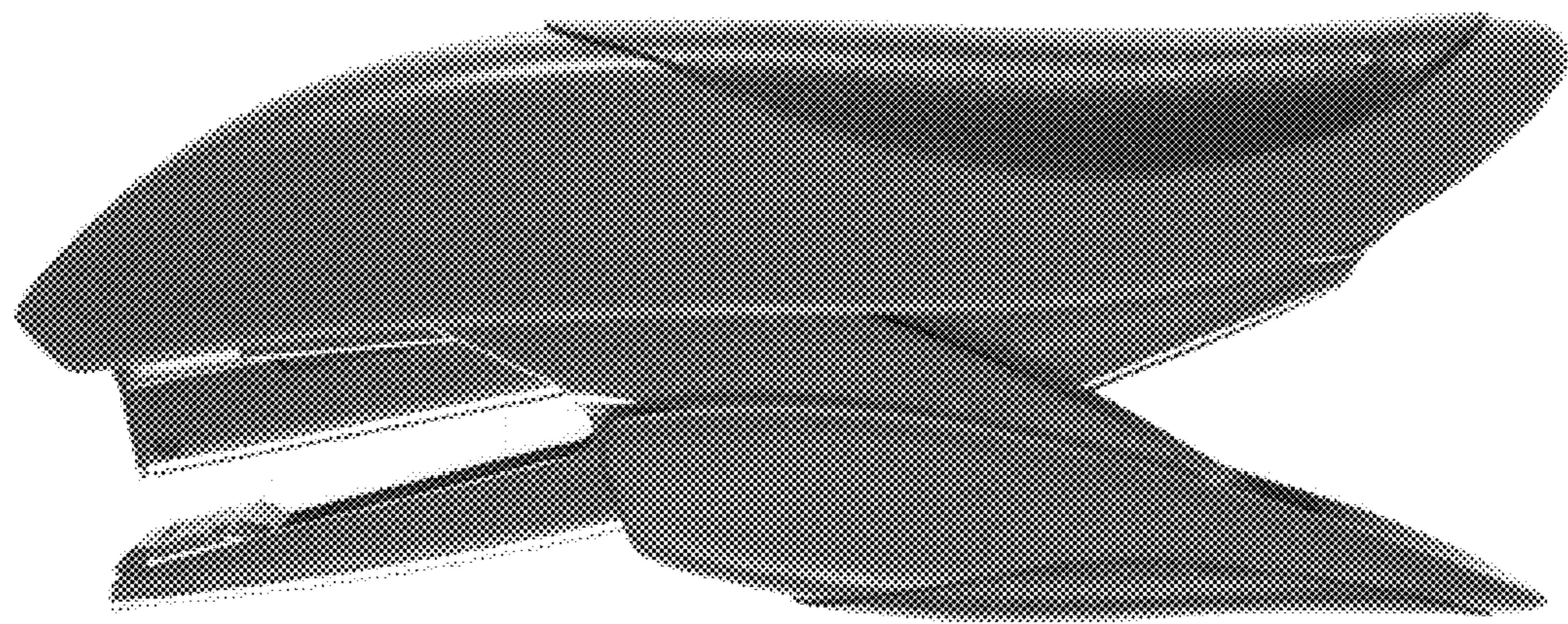


FIGURE 2

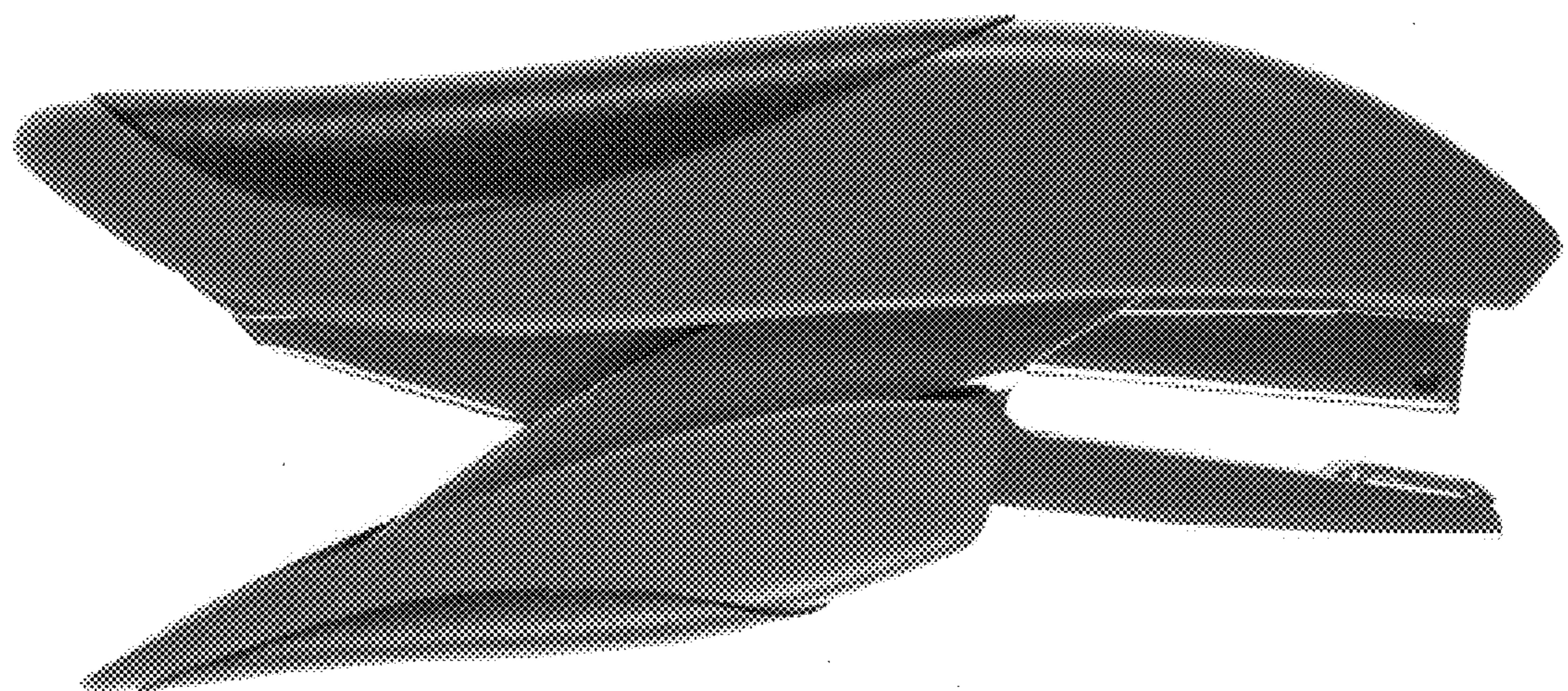


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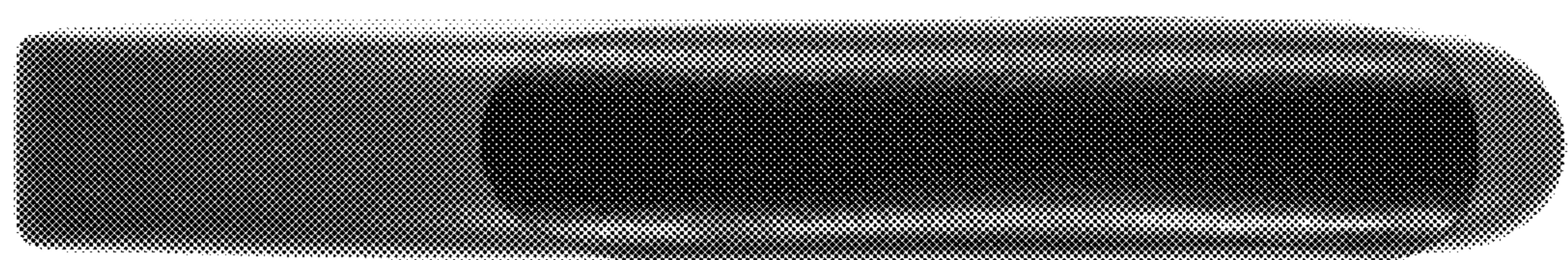


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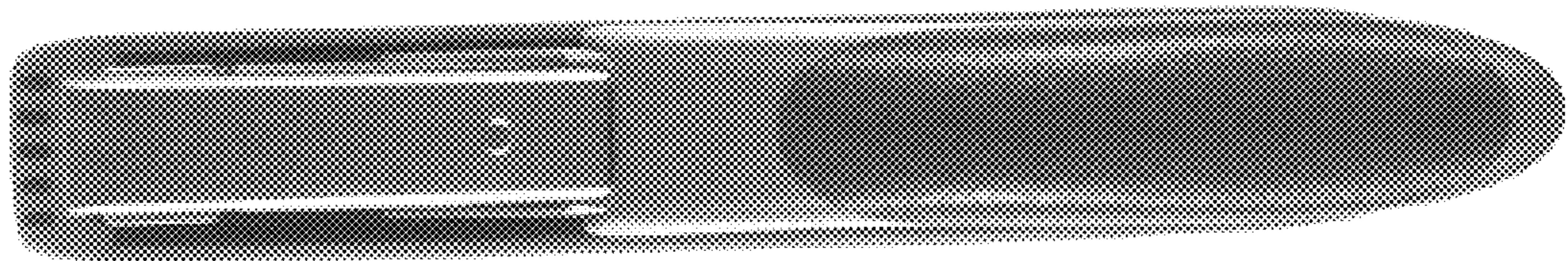


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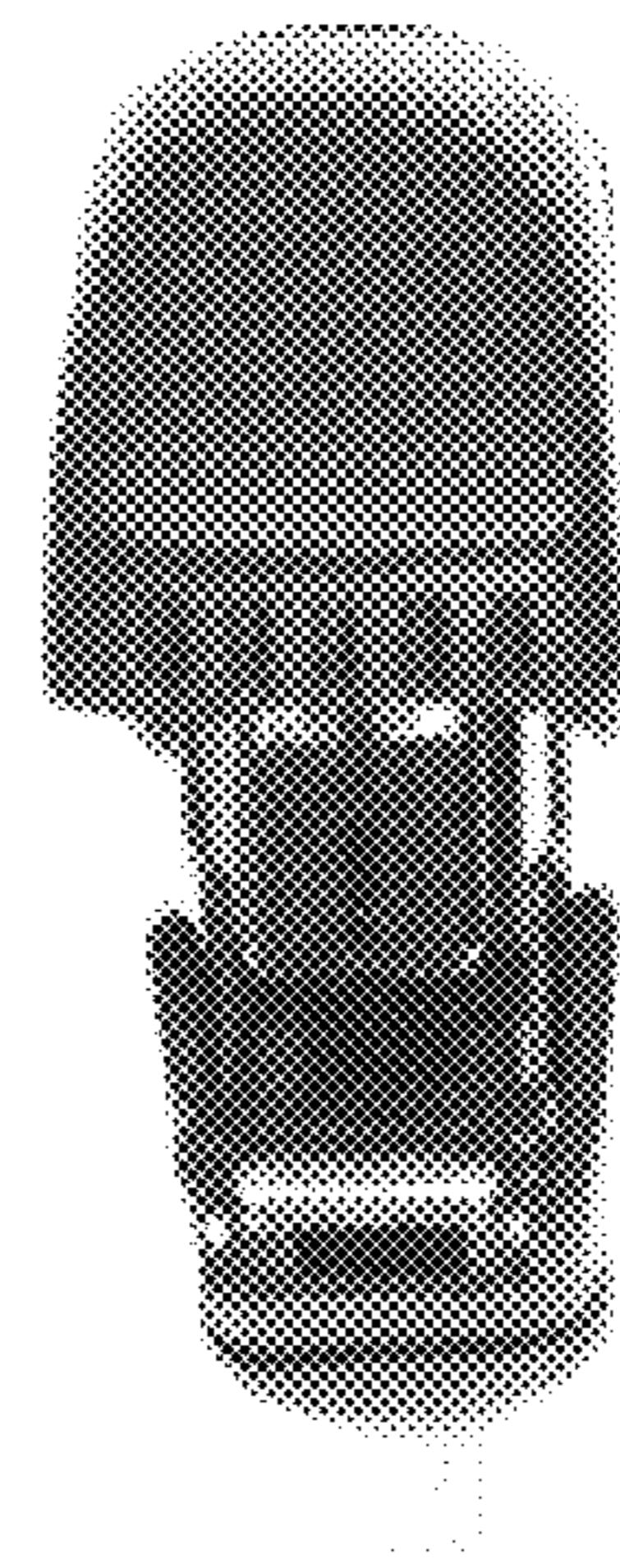


FIGURE 6

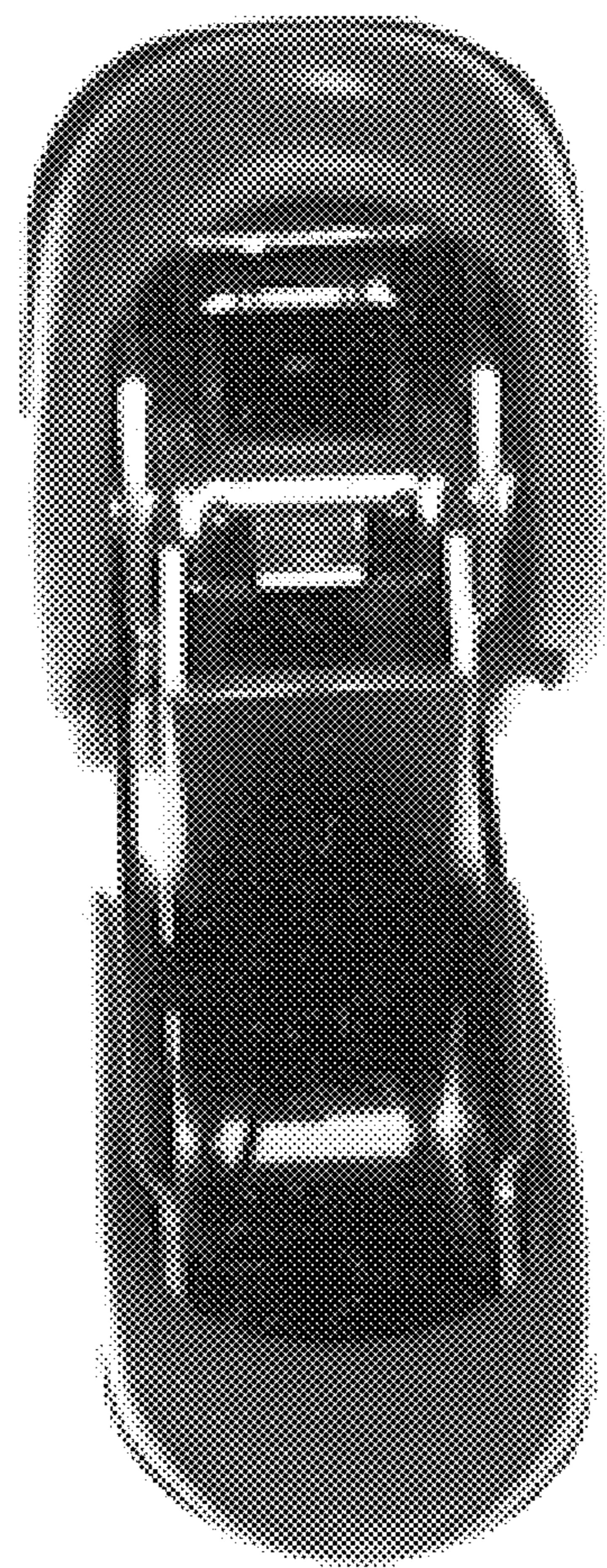


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