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(54) **FOOTWEAR OUTSOLE**

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The ornamental design for footwear outsole, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

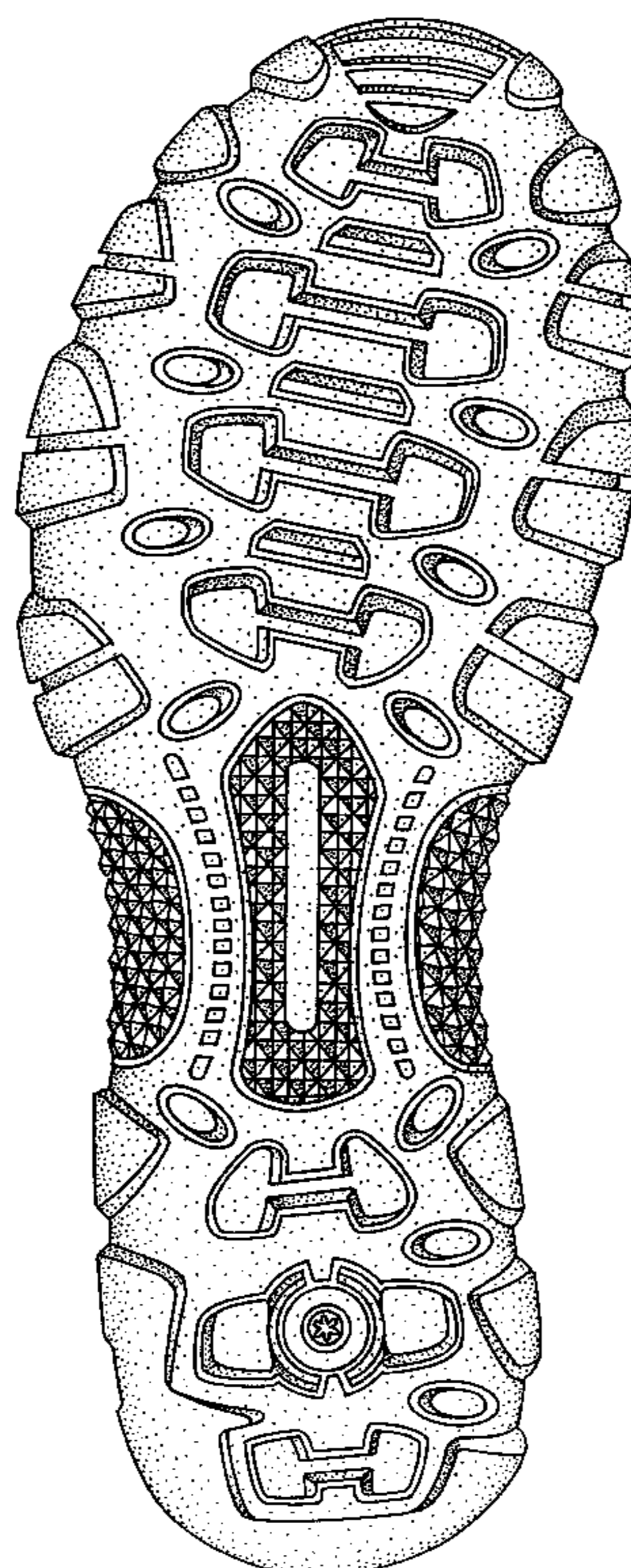
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FIG. 1 is a bottom plan view of the shoe sole embodying the new design;  
FIG. 2 is a right side elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 3 is a left side elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 4 is a front elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view thereof; and,  
FIG. 6 is a perspective view thereof.  
FIGS. 2–6 show portions of a midsole in broken lines. The midsole portions are shown for environmental purposes and form no part of the claimed design.

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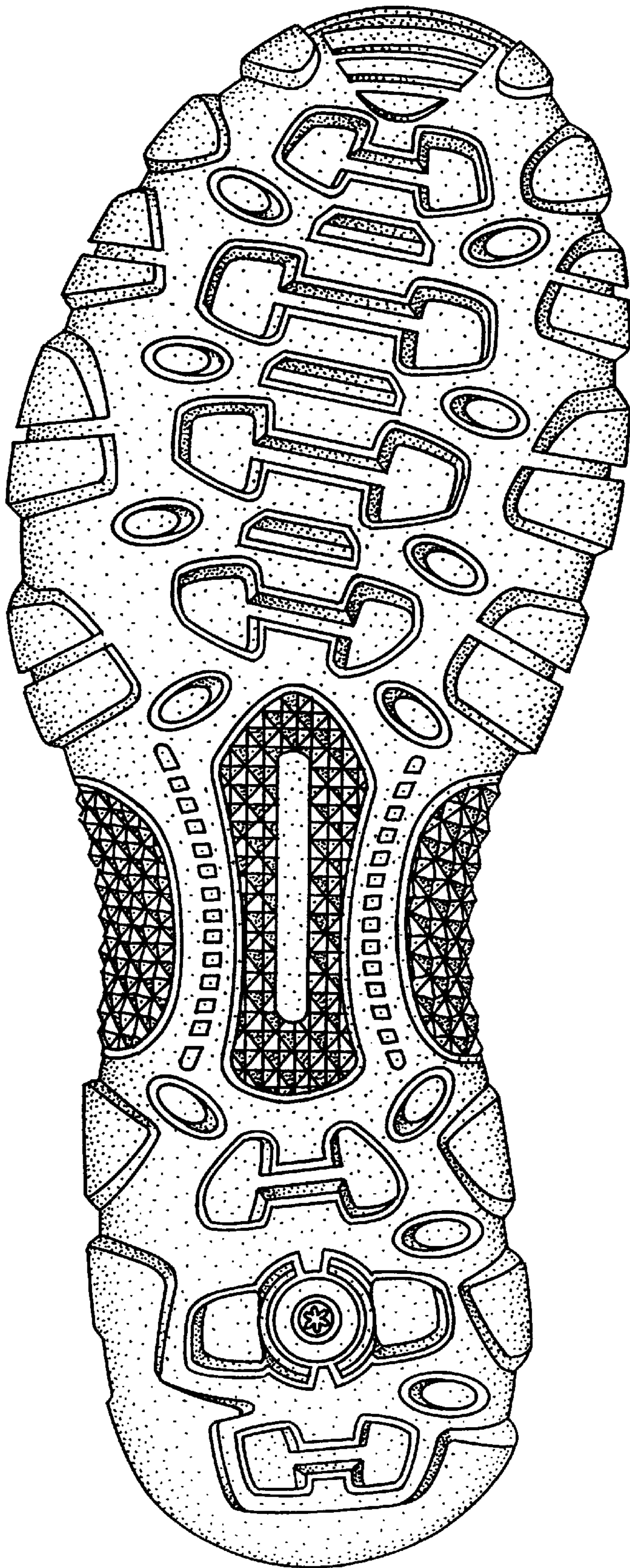


FIG. 1



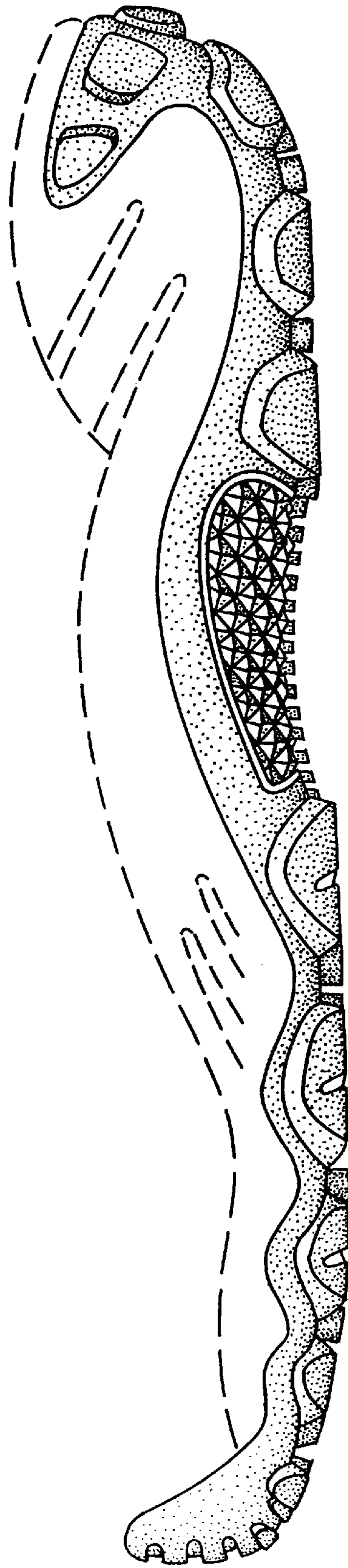


FIG. 2

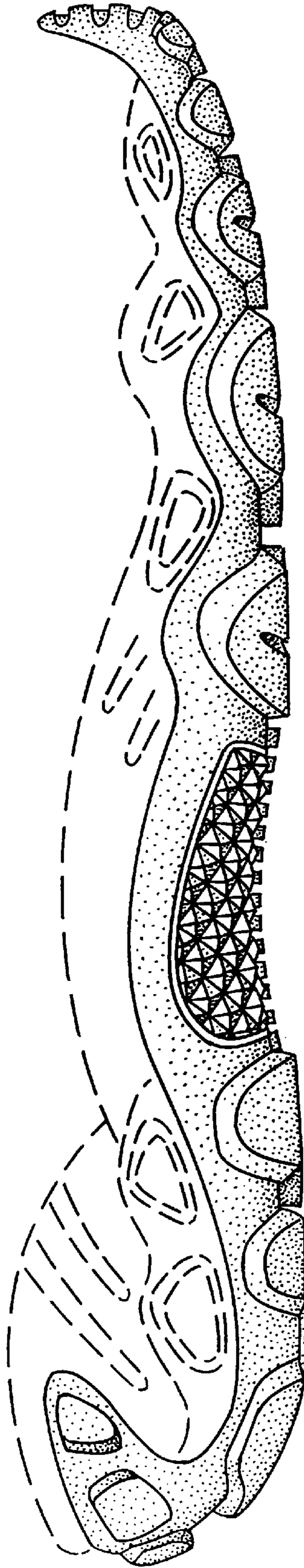


FIG. 3

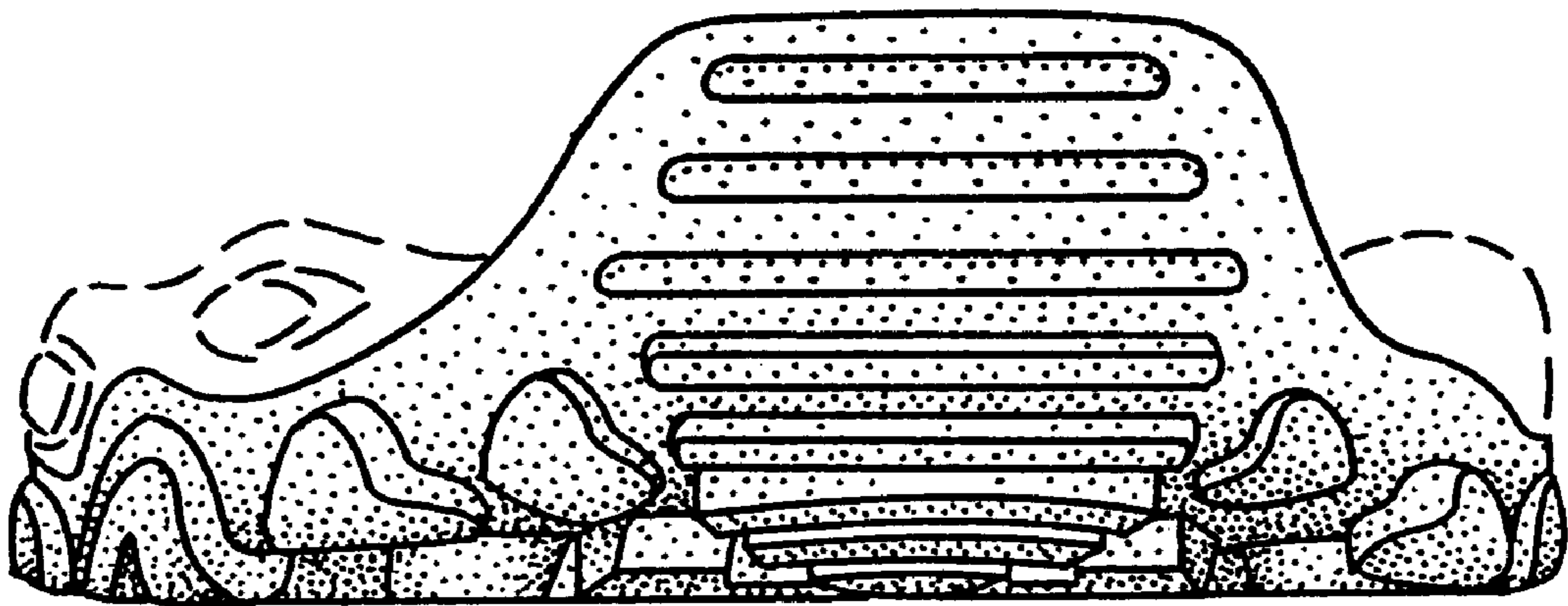


FIG. 4

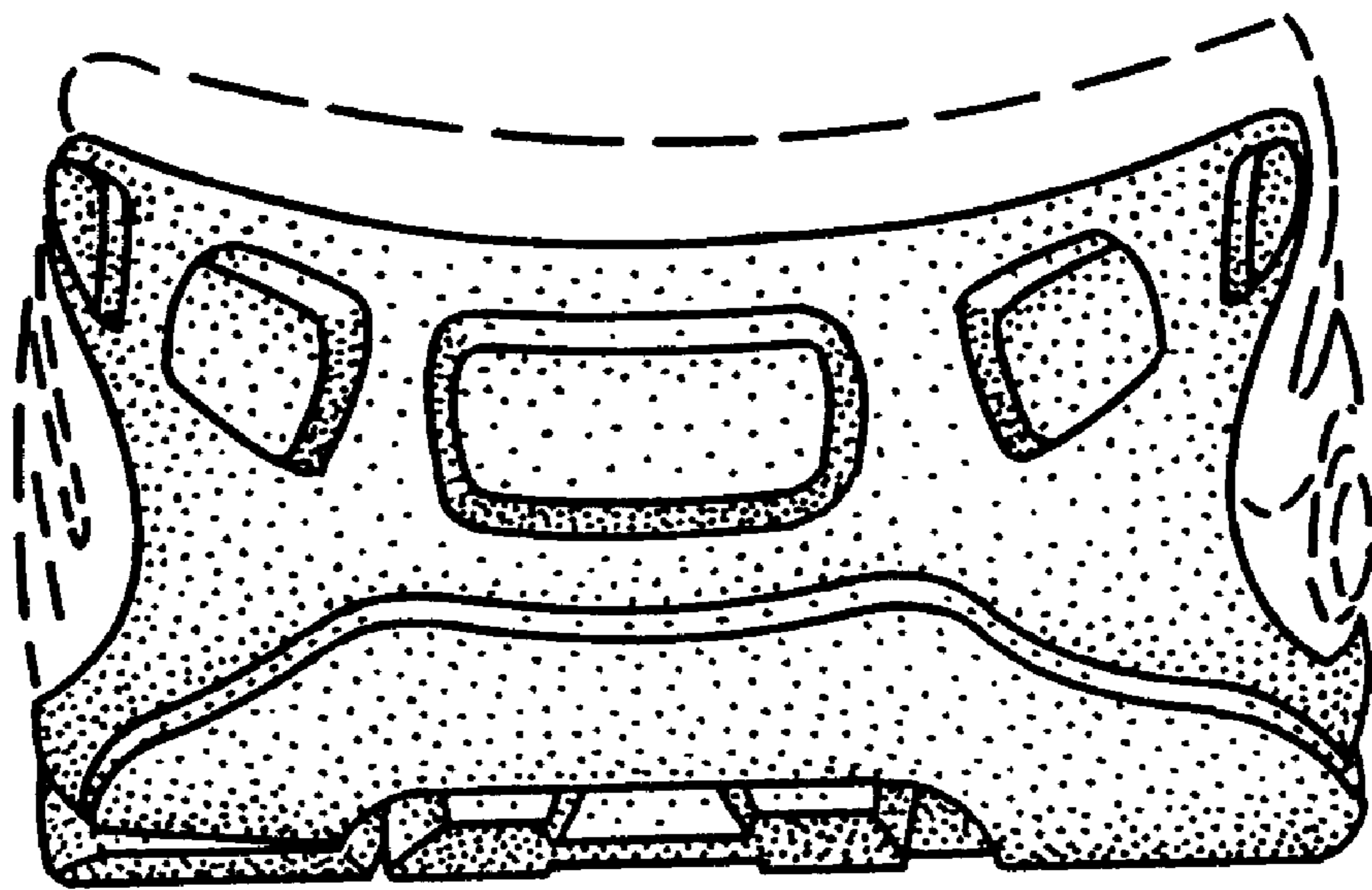


FIG. 5



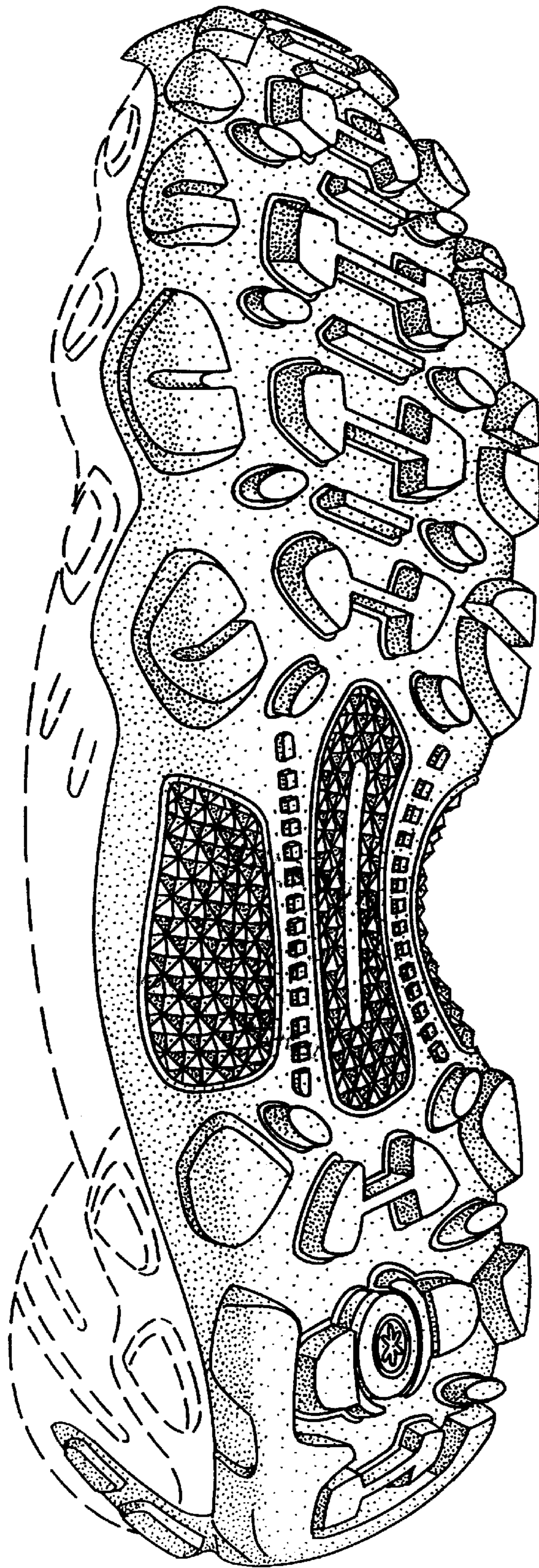


FIG. 6