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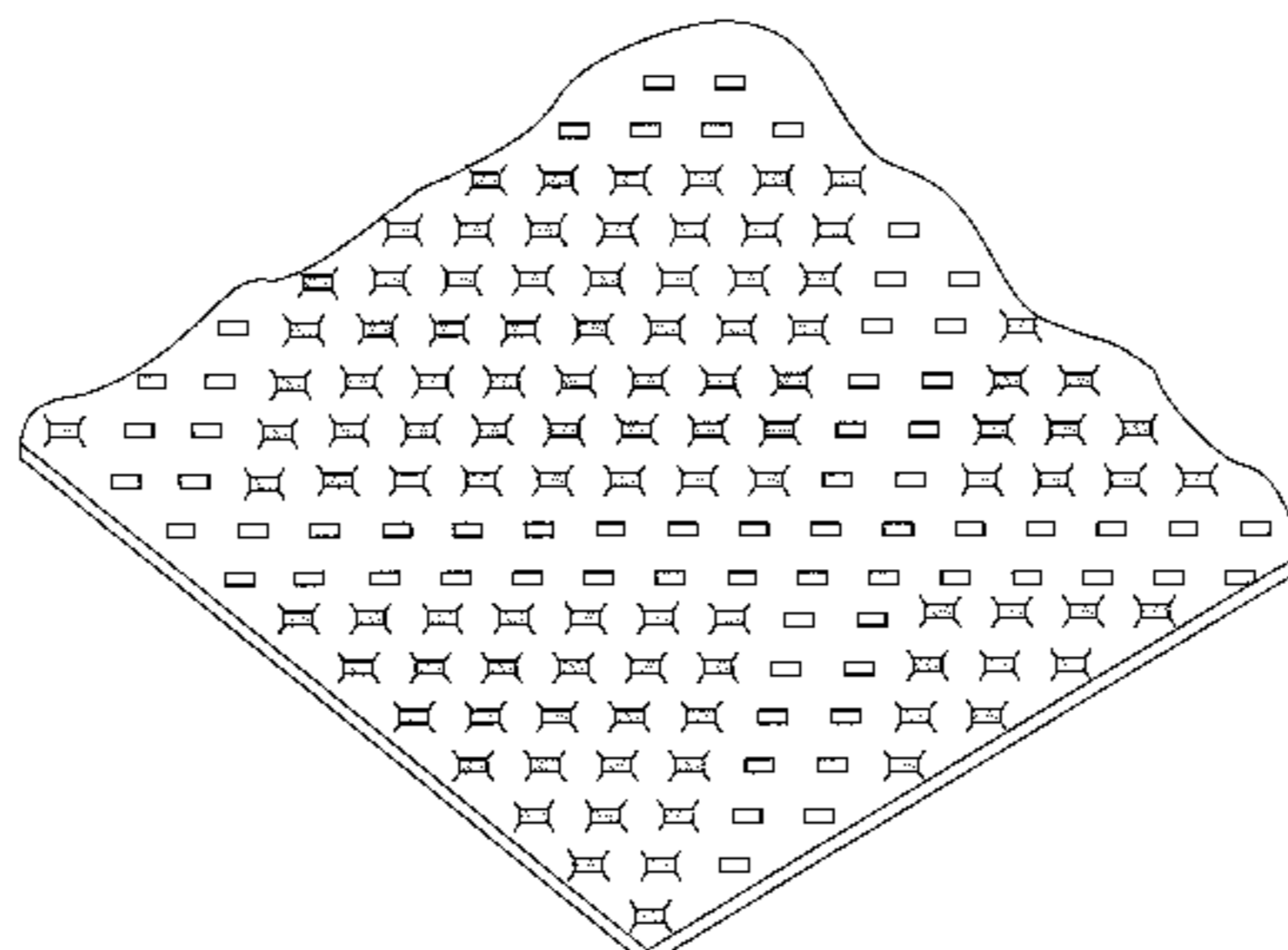
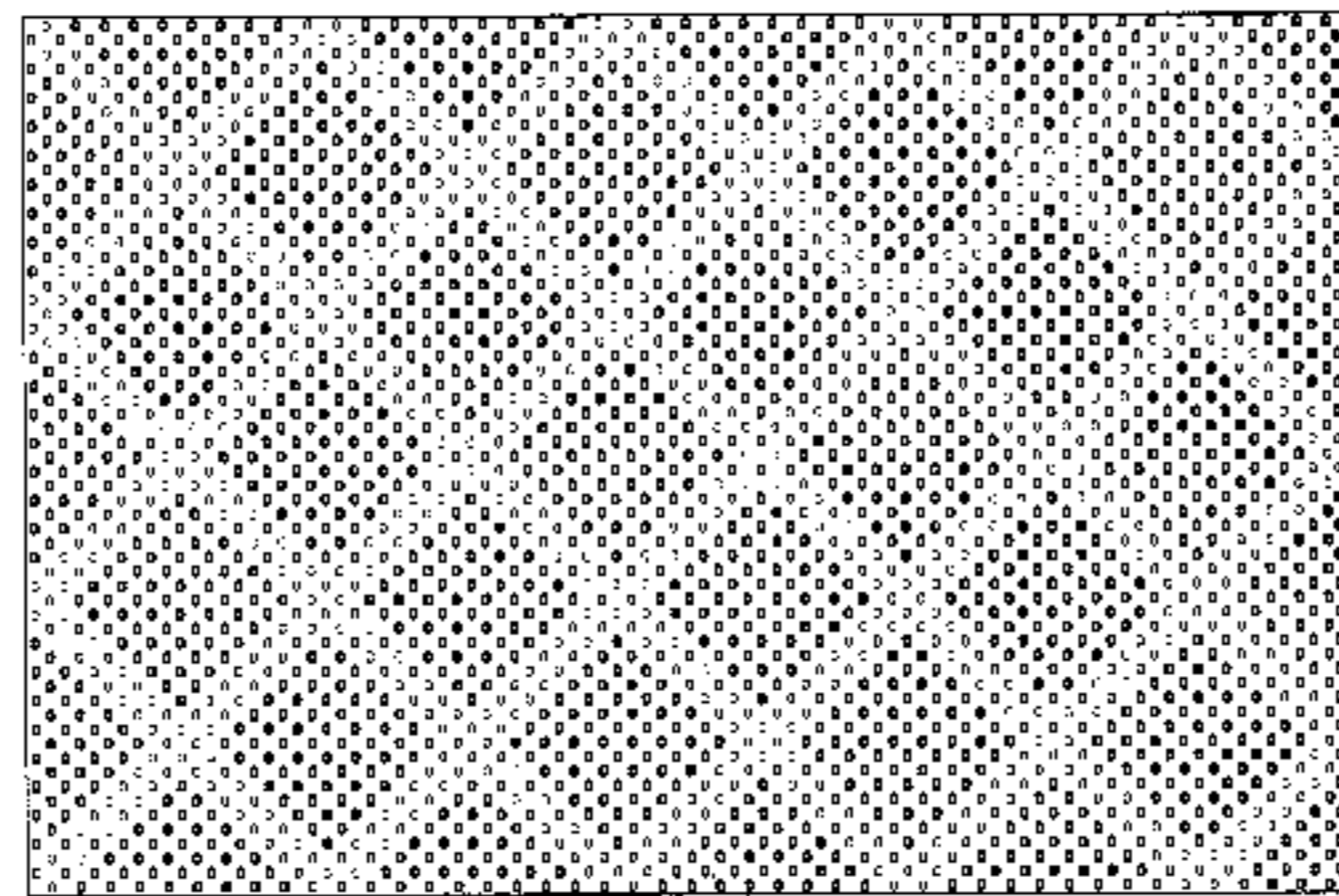
(57) **CLAIM**

We claim the ornamental design for a paper towel, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a top plan view of a paper towel showing our new design; and, FIG. 2 is an enlarged fragmentary perspective view thereof, shown broken away for ease of illustration. Surfaces of the article other than the top surface are not considered to be part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets**

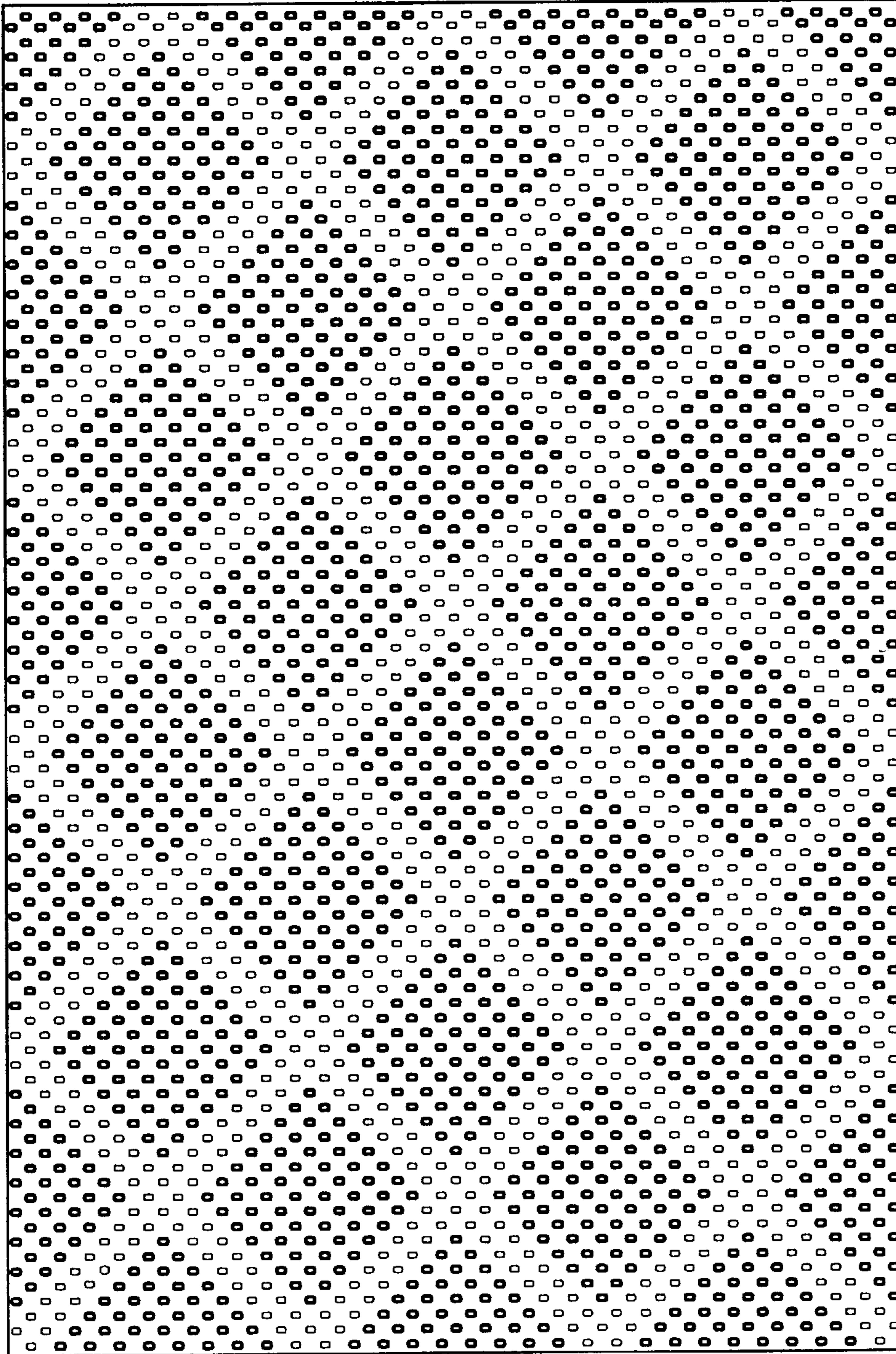


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**FIG. 1**

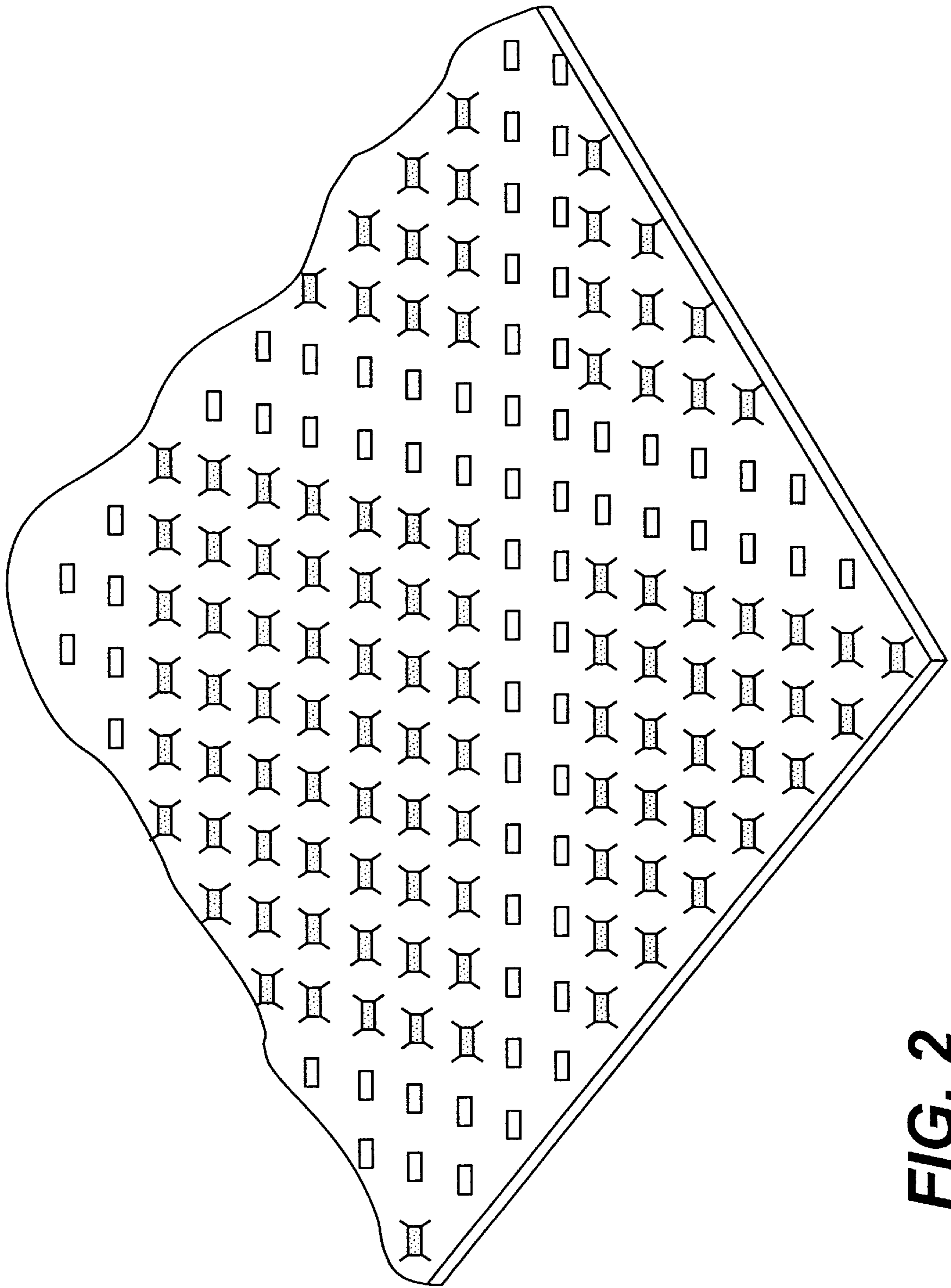


FIG. 2