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(54) **PIPETTE TIP**

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(57) **CLAIM**

We claim the ornamental design for pipette tip, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a first embodiment of the pipette tip.

FIG. 2 is a side view of the pipette tip of FIG. 1.

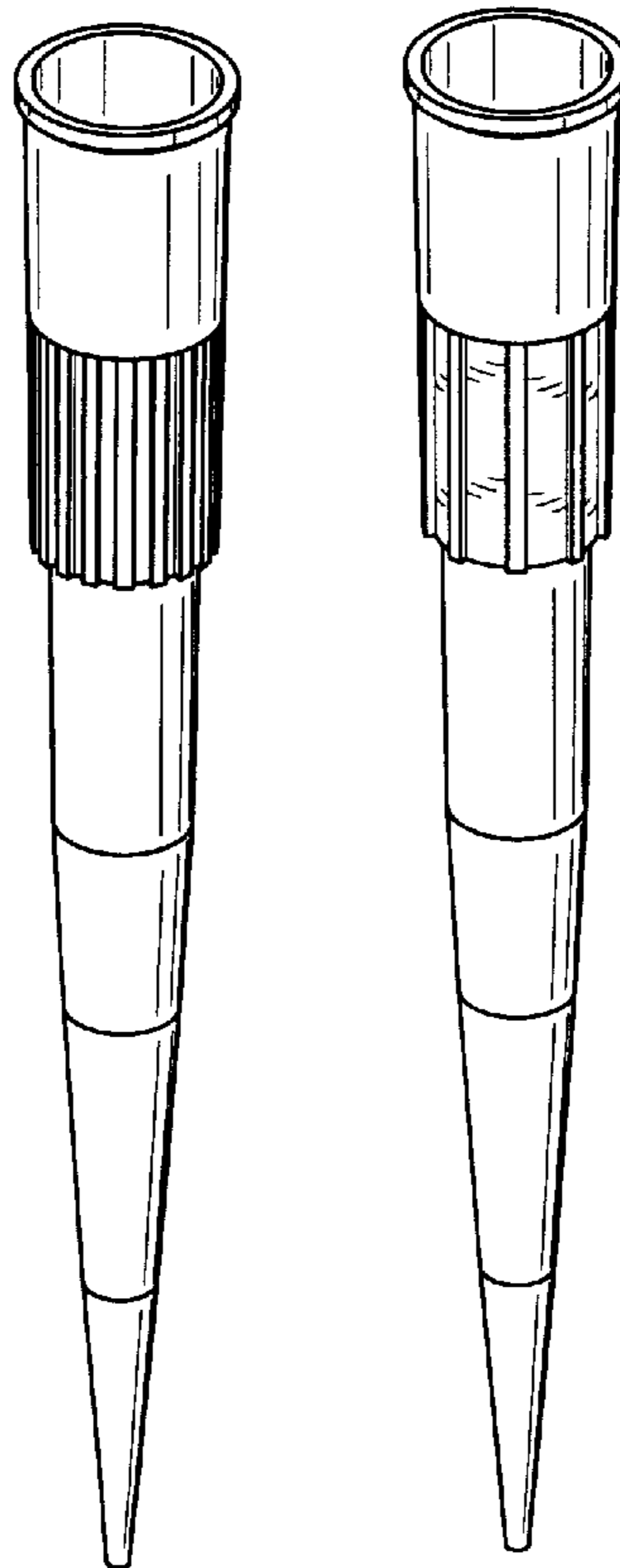
FIG. 3 is a bottom view of the pipette tip of FIG. 1.

FIG. 4 is a perspective view of a second embodiment of the pipette tip.

FIG. 5 is a side view of the pipette tip of FIG. 4; and,

FIG. 6 is a bottom view of the pipette tip of FIG. 4.

1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets



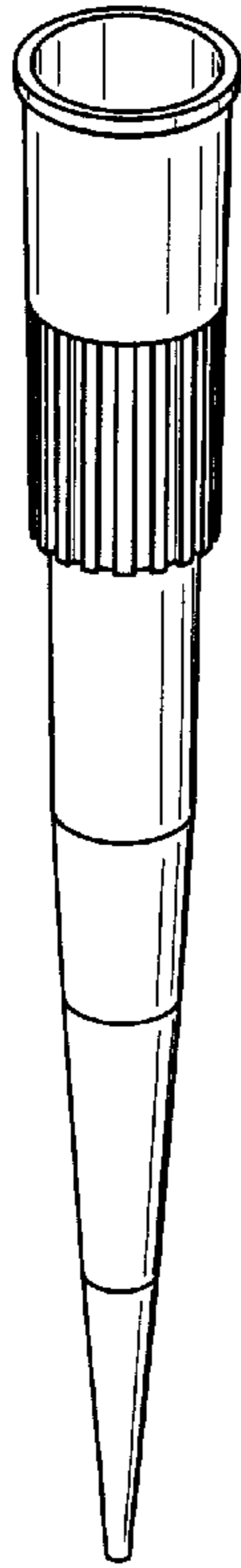


Fig. 1

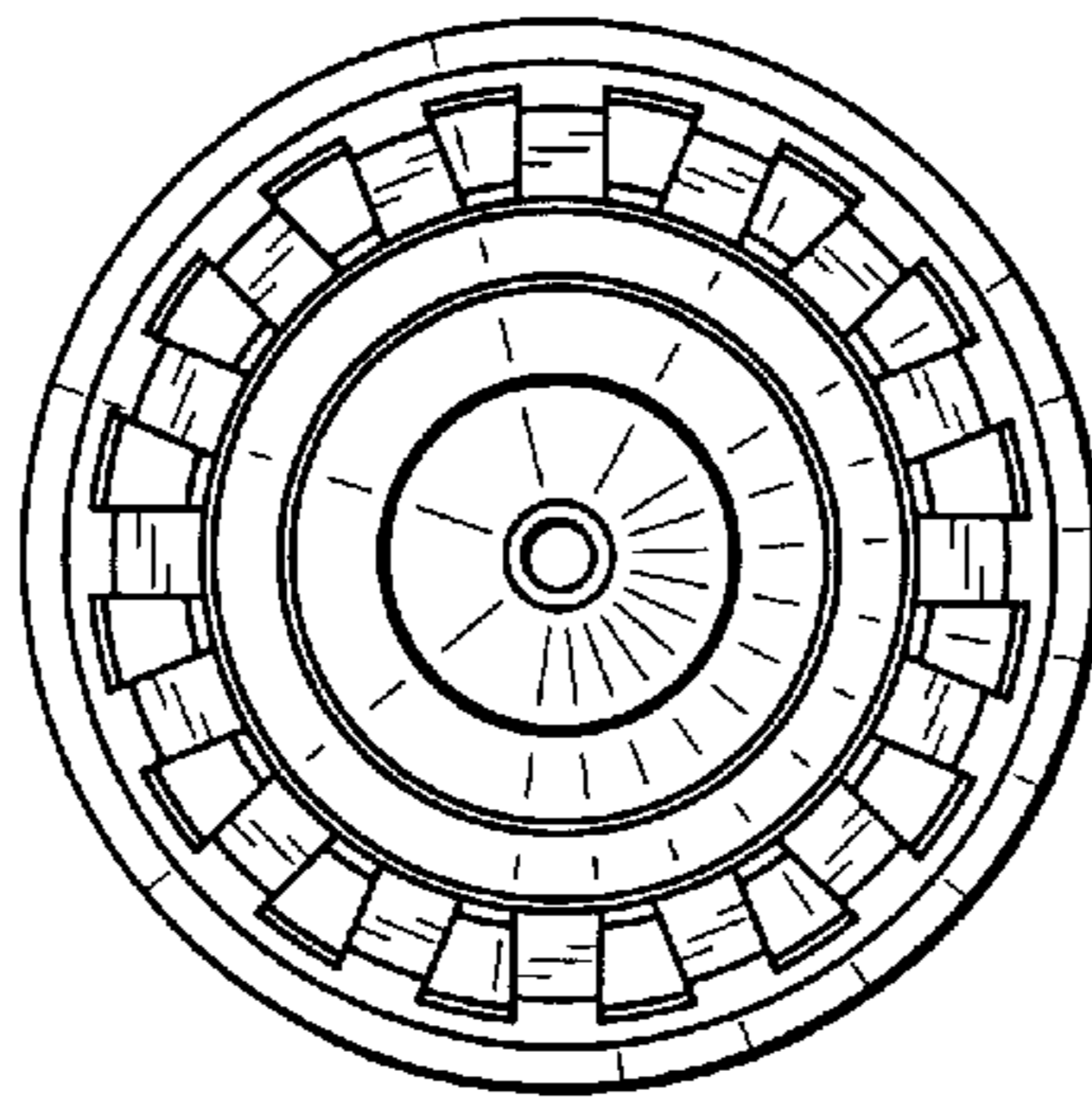


Fig. 3

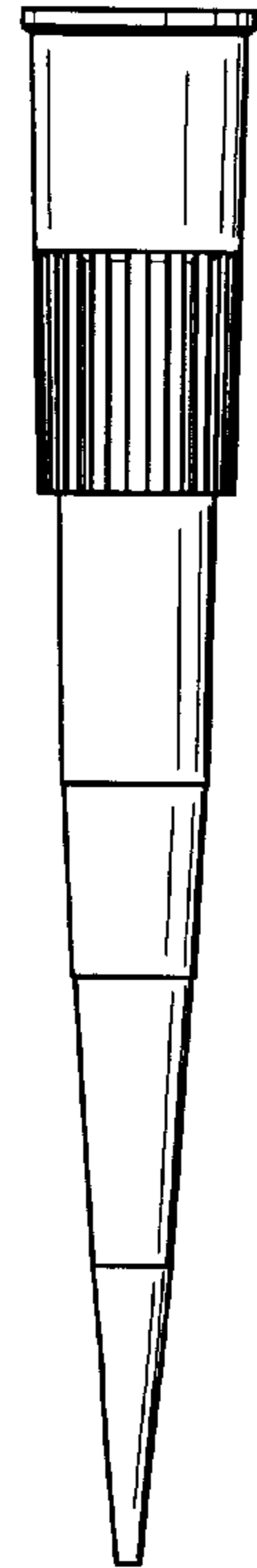


Fig. 2

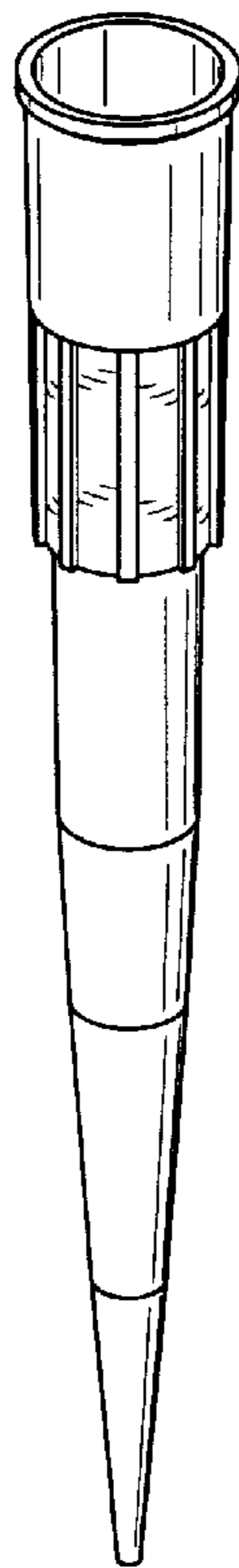


Fig. 4

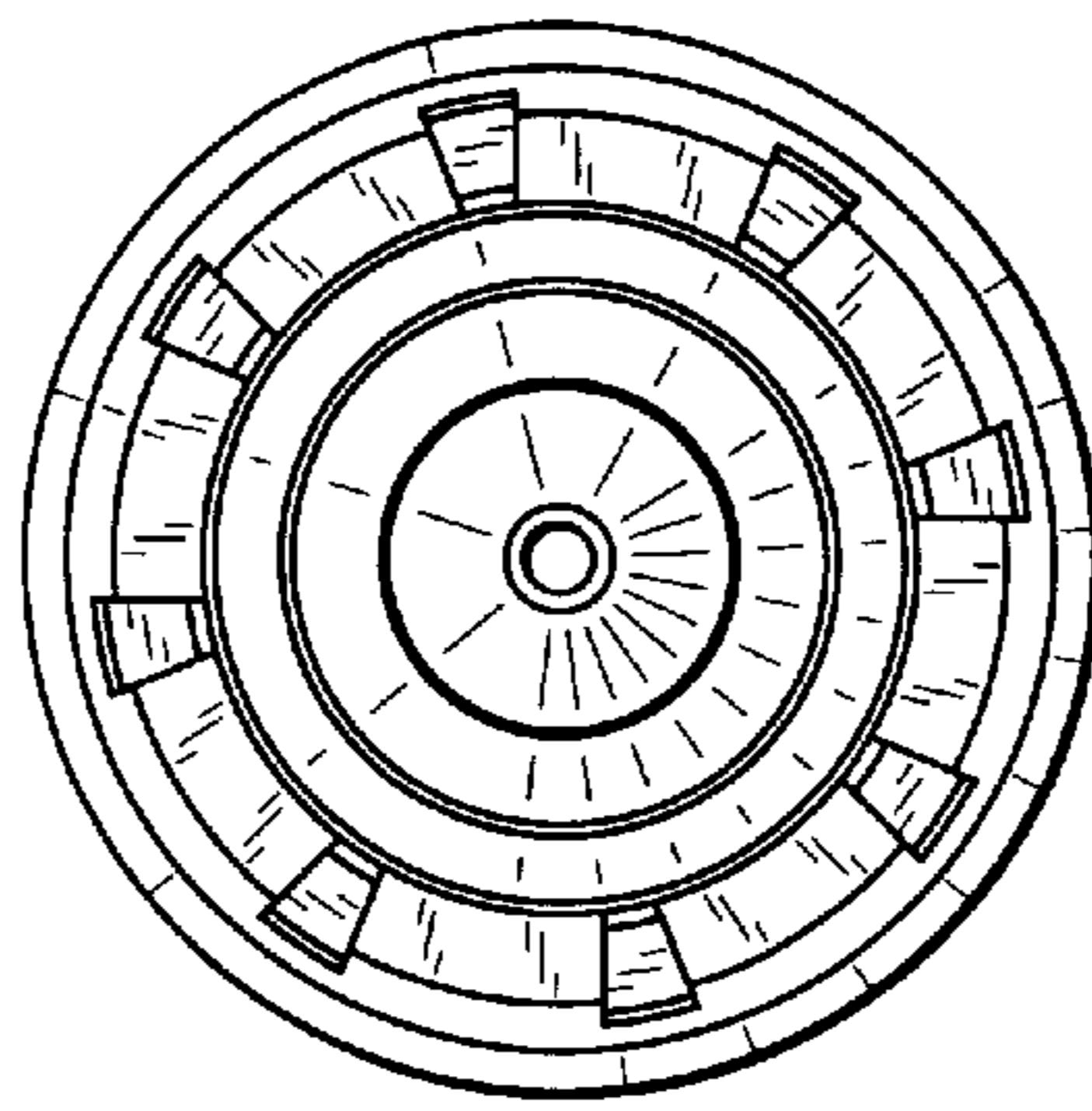


Fig. 6

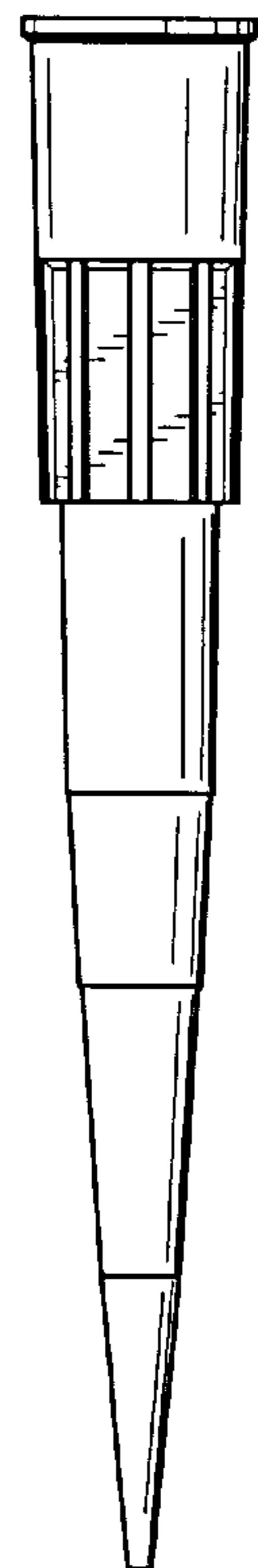


Fig. 5