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(54) **STORAGE CONTAINER**

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The ornamental design for a storage container, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a top, front and left side perspective view of a storage container showing my new design;

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FIG. 2 is a front, left side and interior perspective view, with the lid open, thereof;

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FIG. 3 is a right side elevational view thereof;

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FIG. 4 is a left side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a front elevational view thereof;

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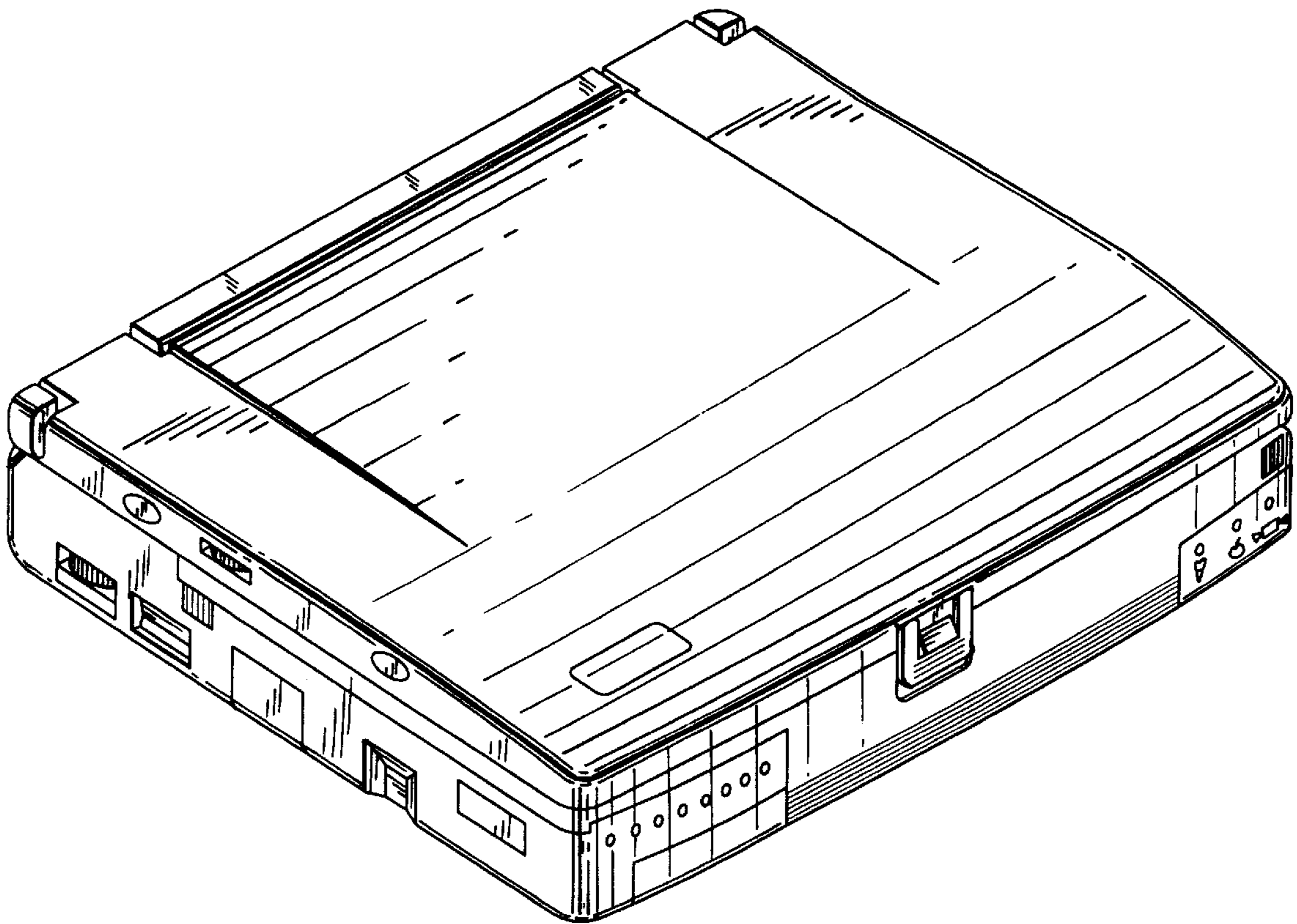
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FIG. 6 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 7 is a back elevational view thereof; and,

FIG. 8 is a bottom plan view thereof.

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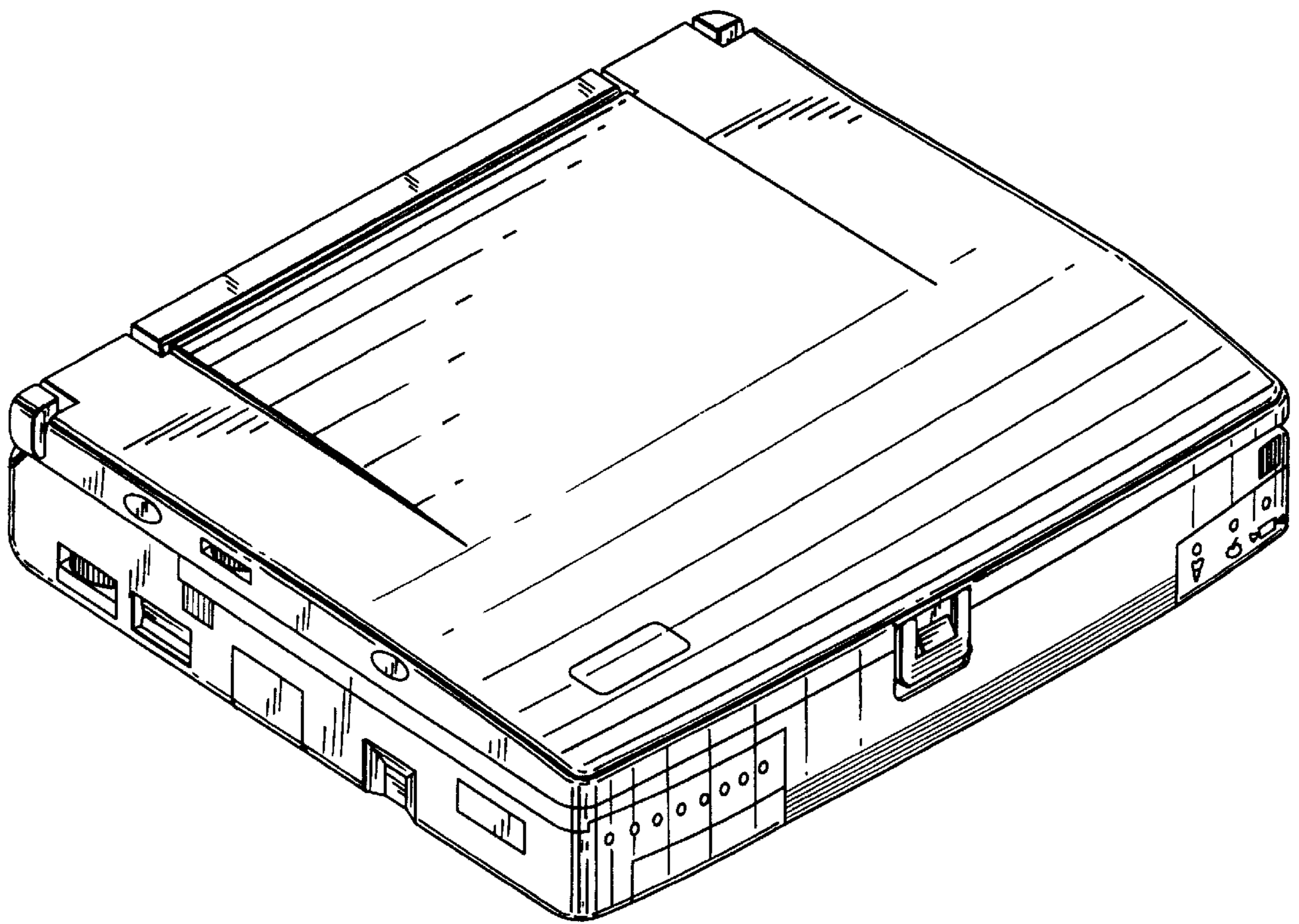


FIG. 1

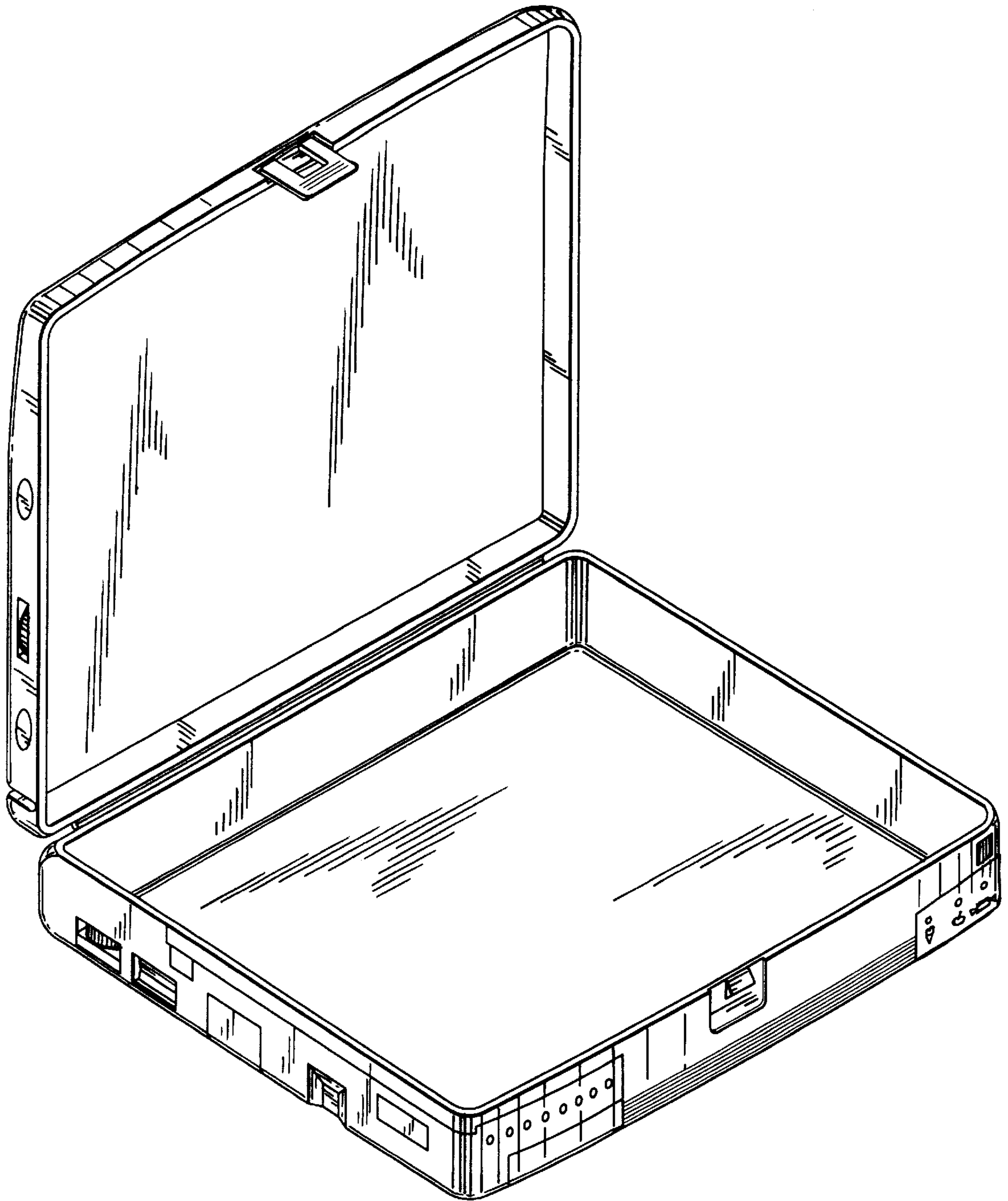


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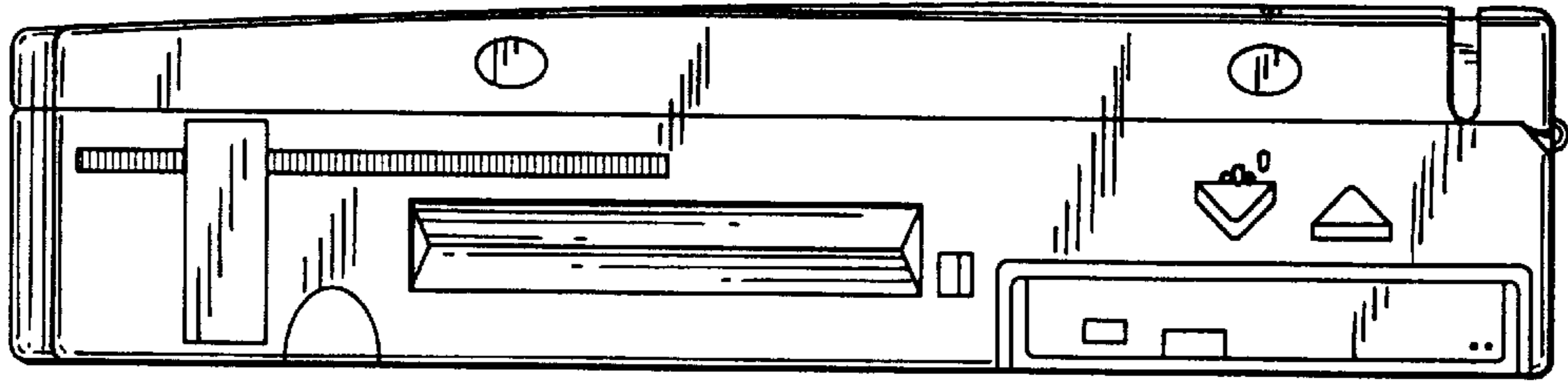


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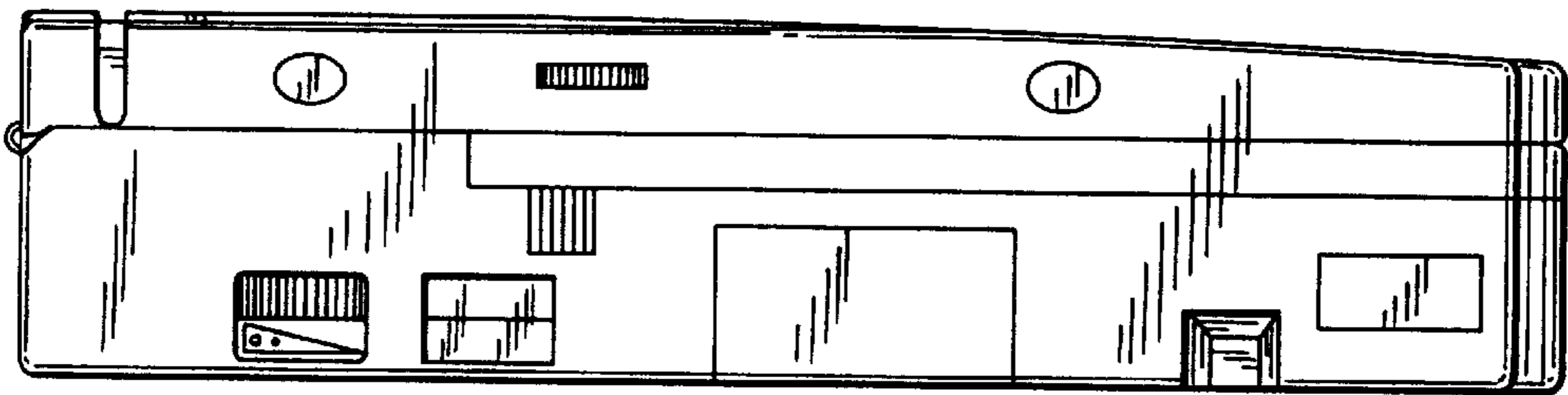


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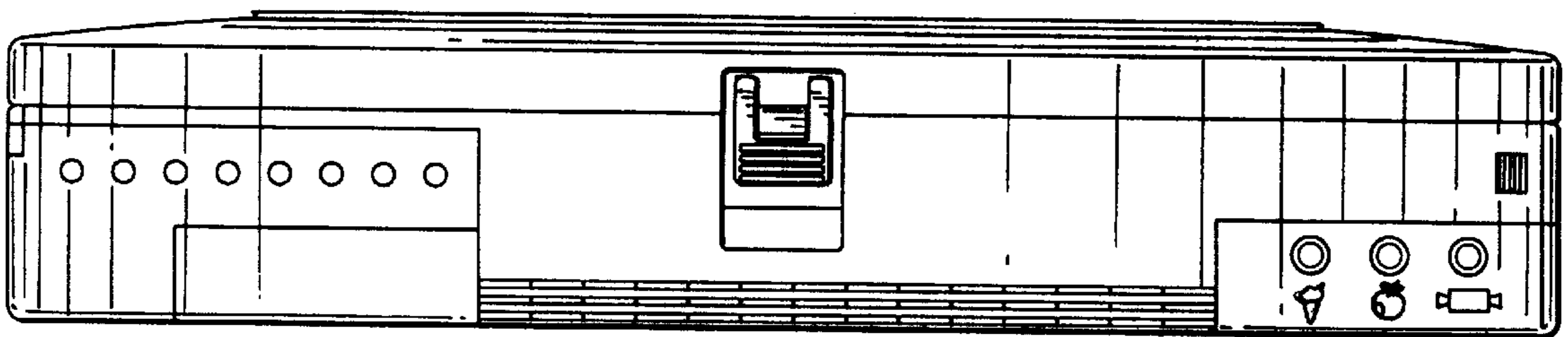


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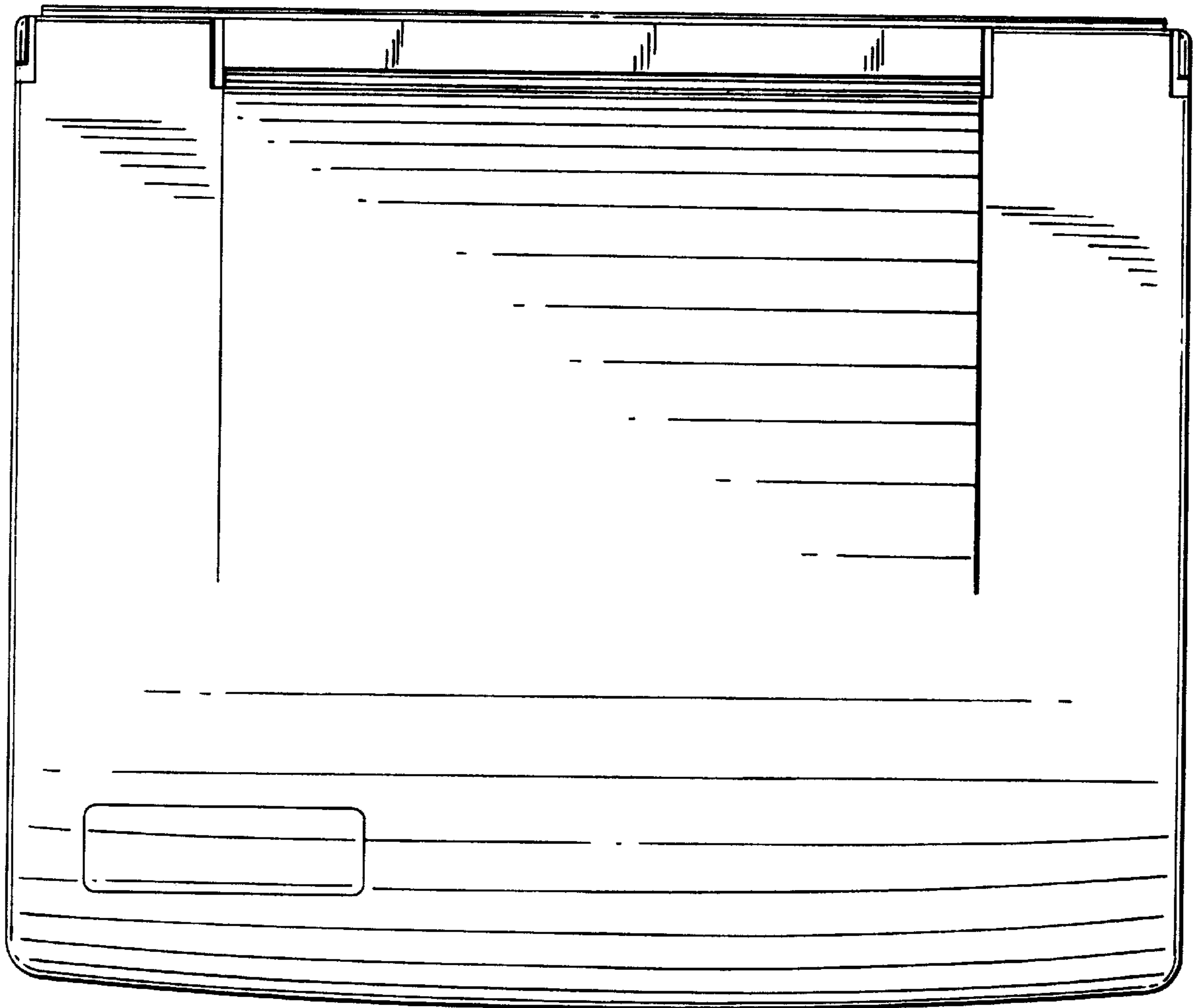


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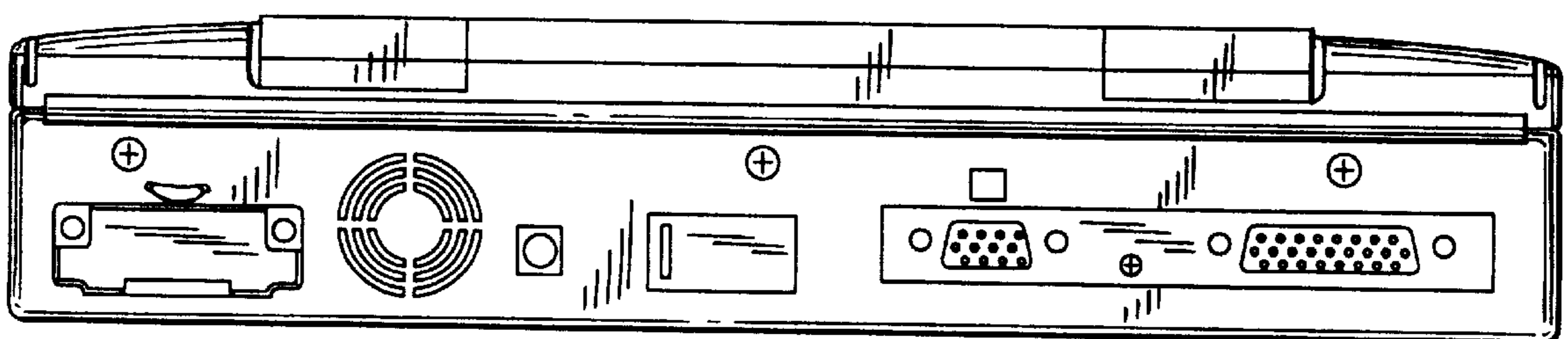


FIG. 7

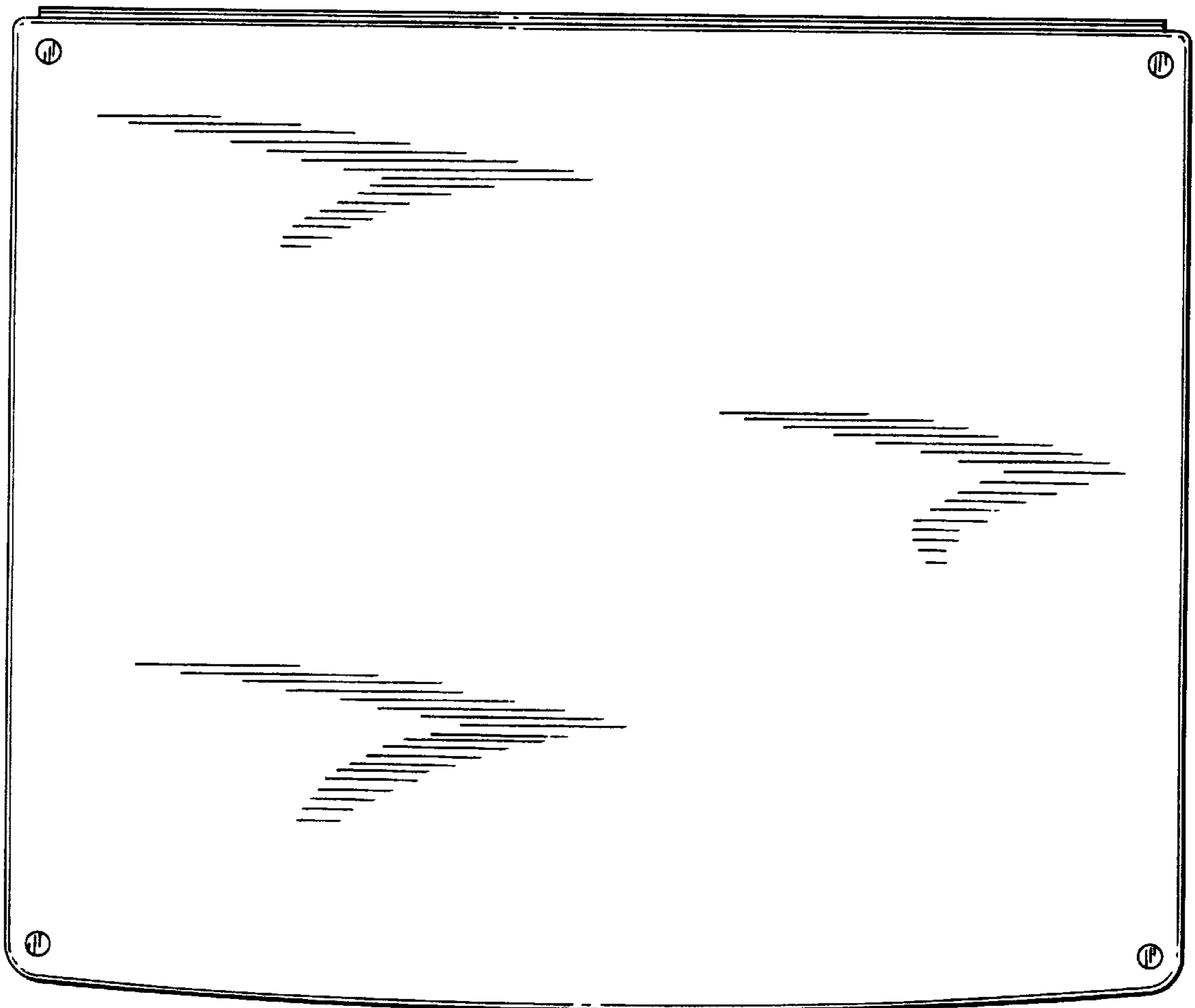


FIG. 8