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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for an electric connector, as shown
and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of an electric connector
showing my design;

FIG. 2 is a left side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a right 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 top plan view thereof, a bottom plan view being
a mirror image.

FIG. 7 is a perspective view of another embodiment of an
electric connector showing my design; and

FIG. 8 is a top plan view thereof, a bottom plan view thereof
being a mirror image. The rest of views thereof is the same
as those of the embodiment of FIG. 1.

FIG. 9 is a perspective view of a third embodiment of an
electric connector showing my design;

FIG. 10 is a right side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 11 is a front elevational view thereof; and

FIG. 12 is a rear elevational view thereof. The rest of the
views thereof are the same as those of the embodiment of
FIG. 1.

FIG. 13 is a perspective view of a fourth embodiment of an
electric connector showing my design, top and bottom plan
views thereof being the same as those of the embodiment of
FIG. 7, left and right side elevational view thereof and front
and rear elevational views thereof being the same as those of
the embodiment of FIG. 9.

FIG. 14 is a reference top plan view of the embodiment of
FIGS. 1 and 9.

FIG. 15 is a reference enlarged cross sectional view along
the line 15—15 of FIG. 14 without showing internal struc-
ture;

FIG. 16 is a reference enlarged cross sectional view thereof
along the line 16—16 of FIG. 14;

FIG. 17 is a reference cross sectional view along the line
17—17 of FIG. 14;

FIG. 18 is an enlarged reference top plan view along the
lines 18—18 of FIG. 14, a bottom plan view being a mirror
image;

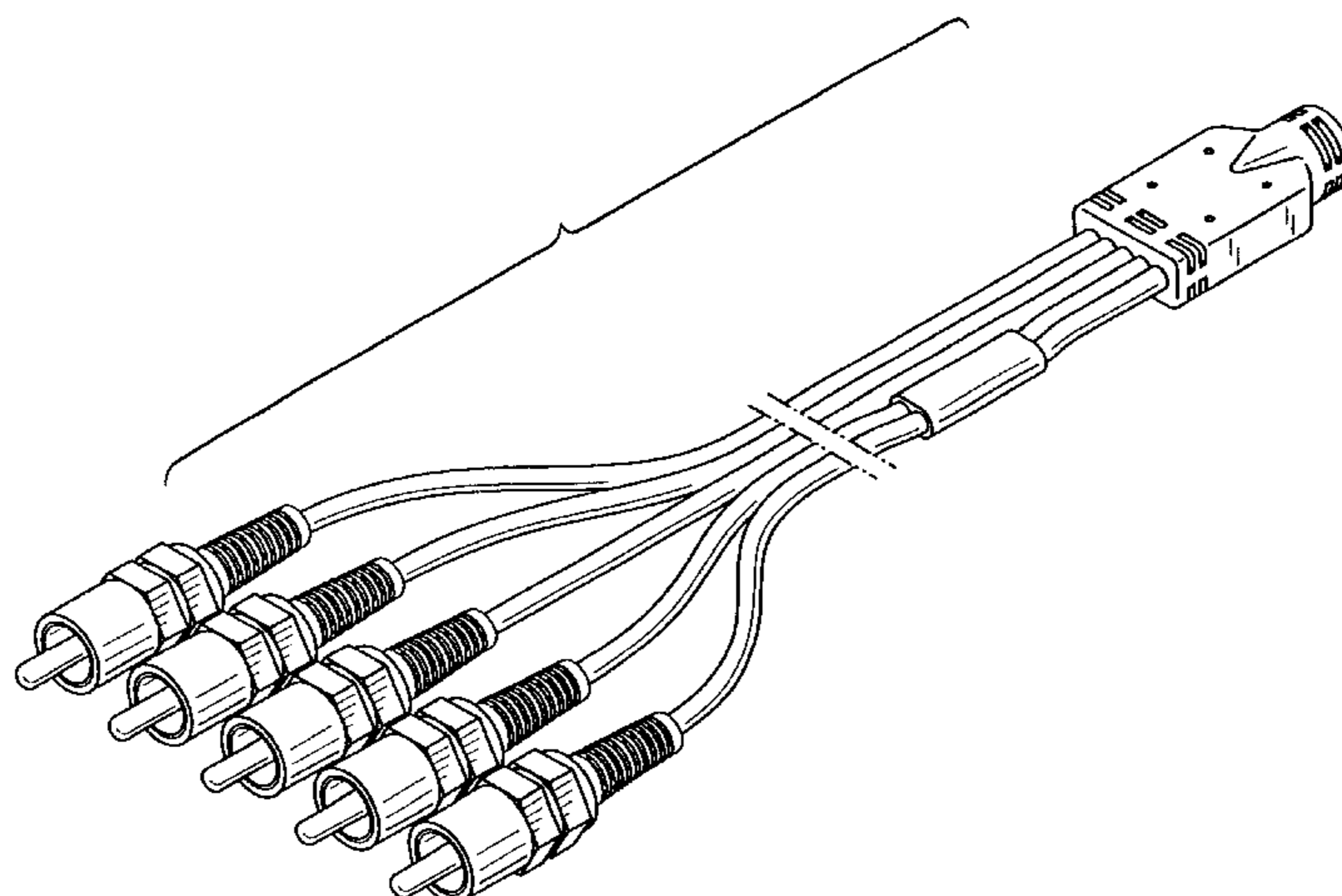
FIG. 19 is an enlarged reference top plan view of the portion
along the line 19—19 of FIG. 14 having electric lines
attached at the left side shown in broken lines;

FIG. 20 is an enlarged reference left side elevational view of
FIG. 2; and,

FIG. 21 is a reference top plan view of the embodiments of
FIGS. 1 and 9 wherein a cable portion is connected to the
right end.

The broken lines at the right end of the connector in FIGS.
3, 10 and 21 are included for the purposes of illustrating
environmental structure only and form no part of the
claimed design. The cables are shown broken away through-
out the drawing figures to indicate indeterminate length.

1 Claim, 10 Drawing Sheets



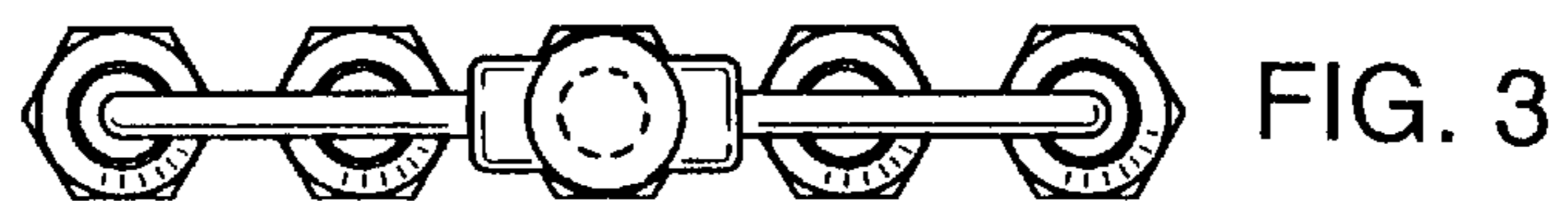
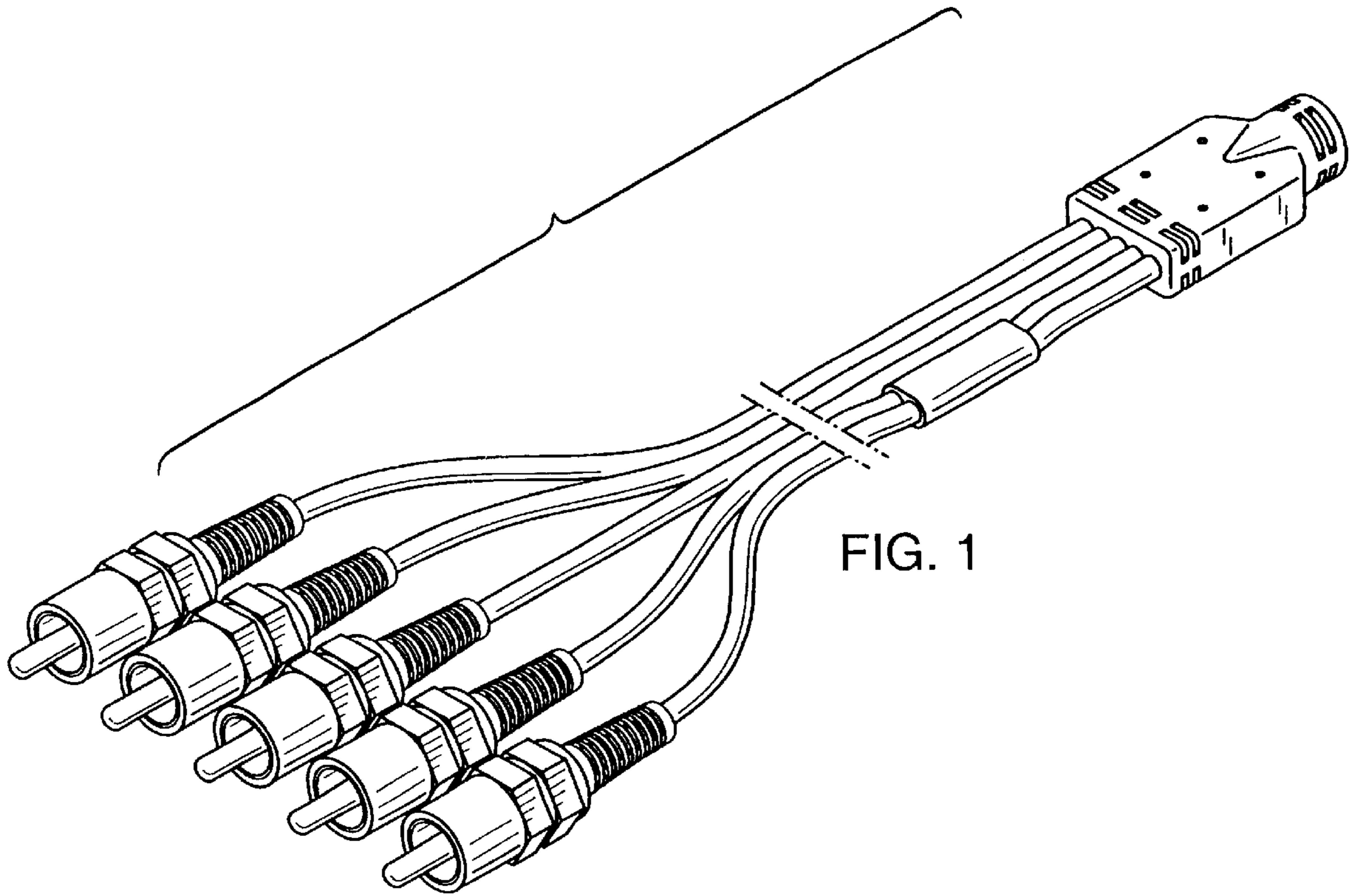
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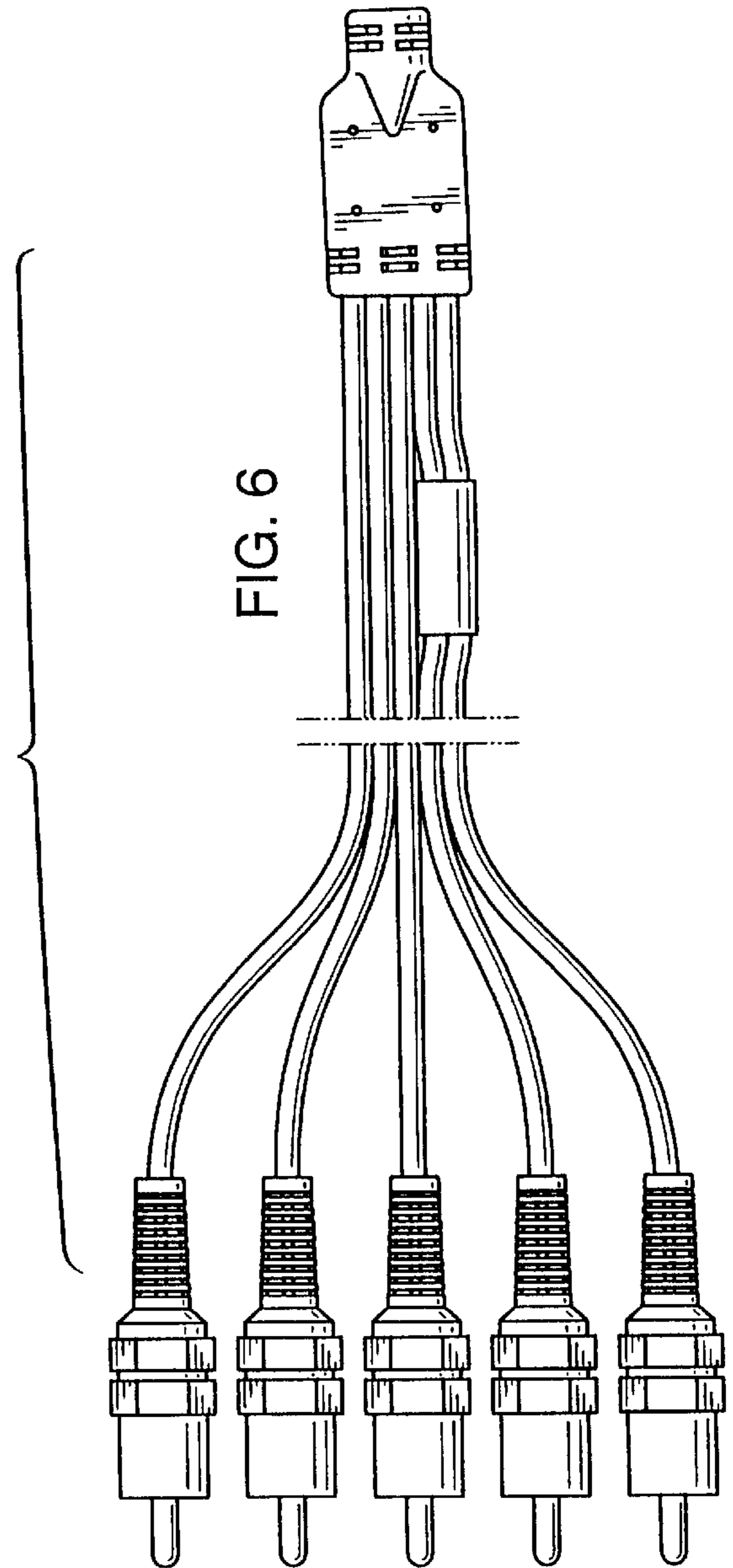
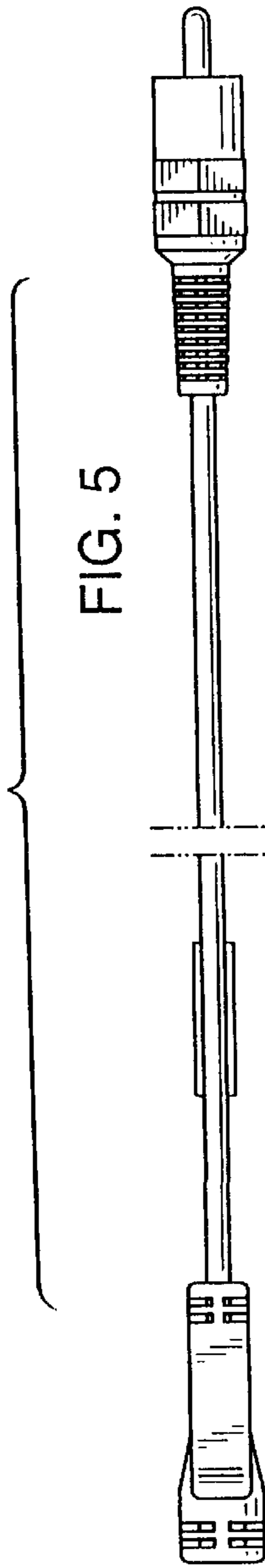
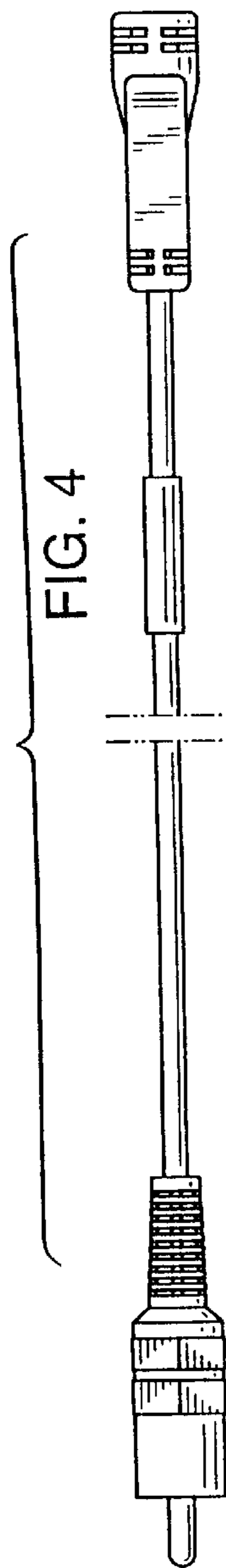
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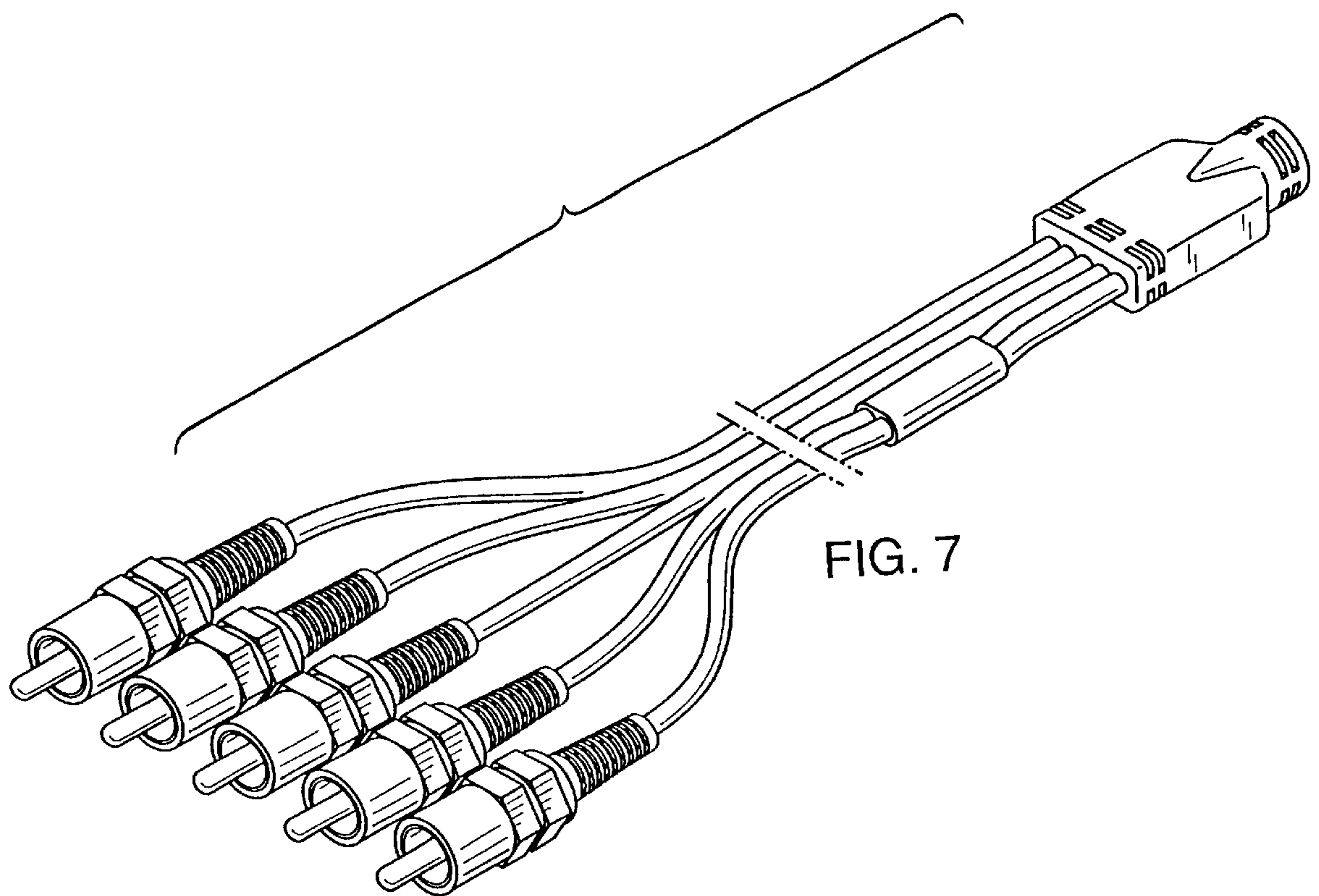
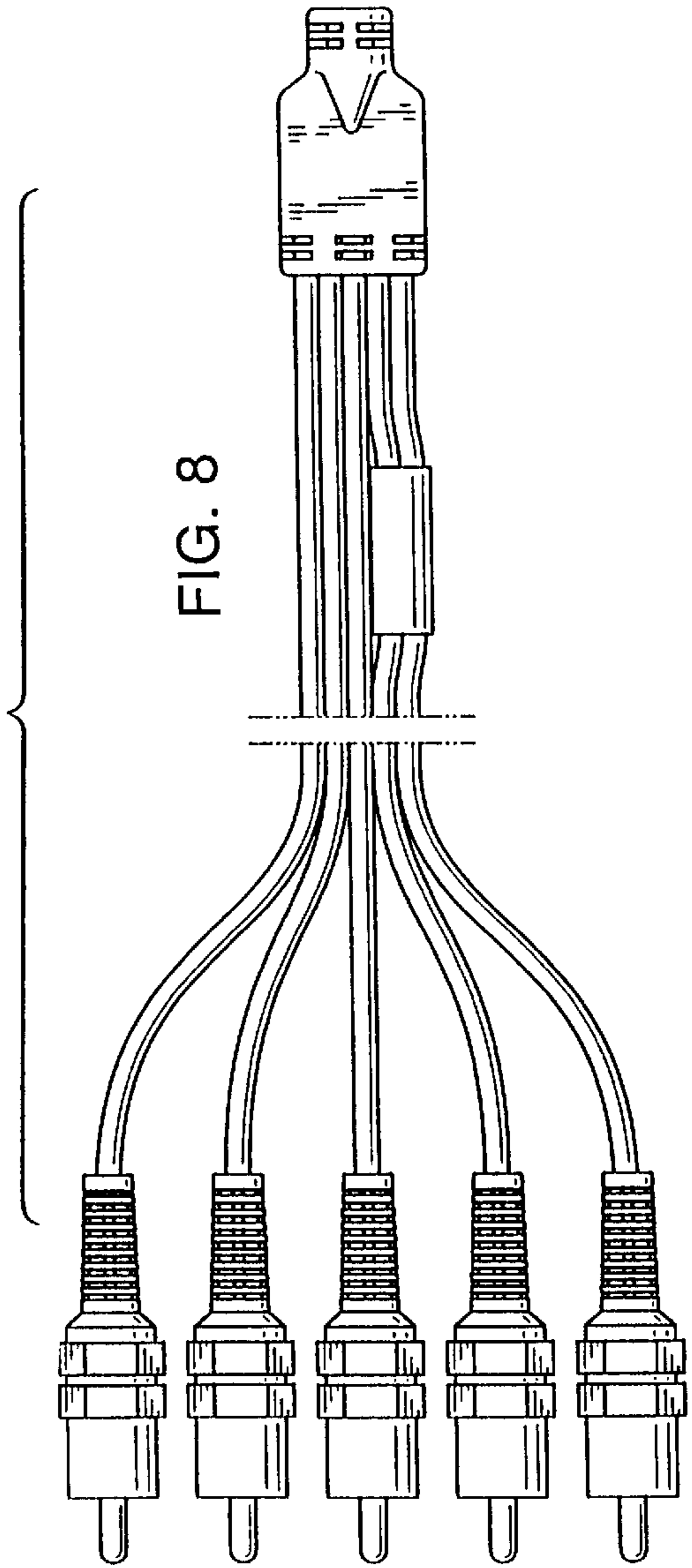
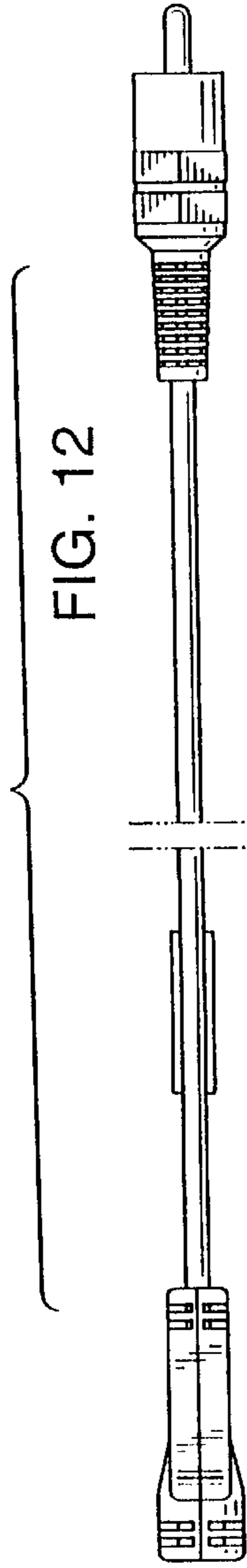
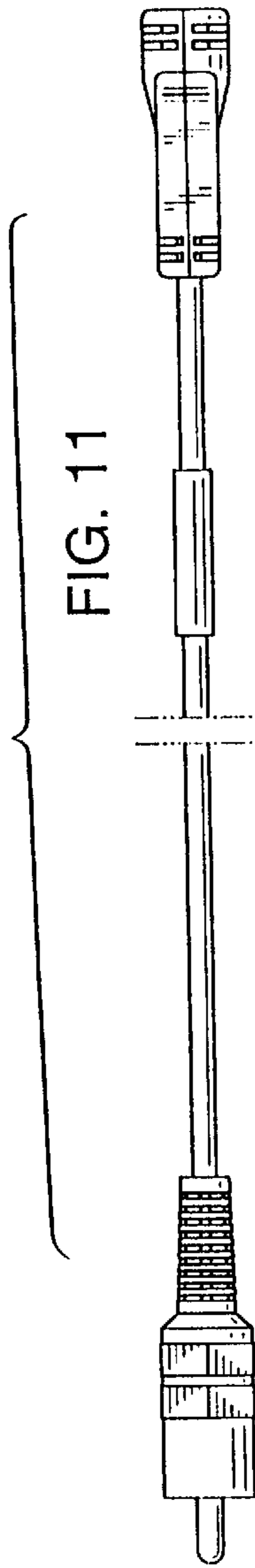
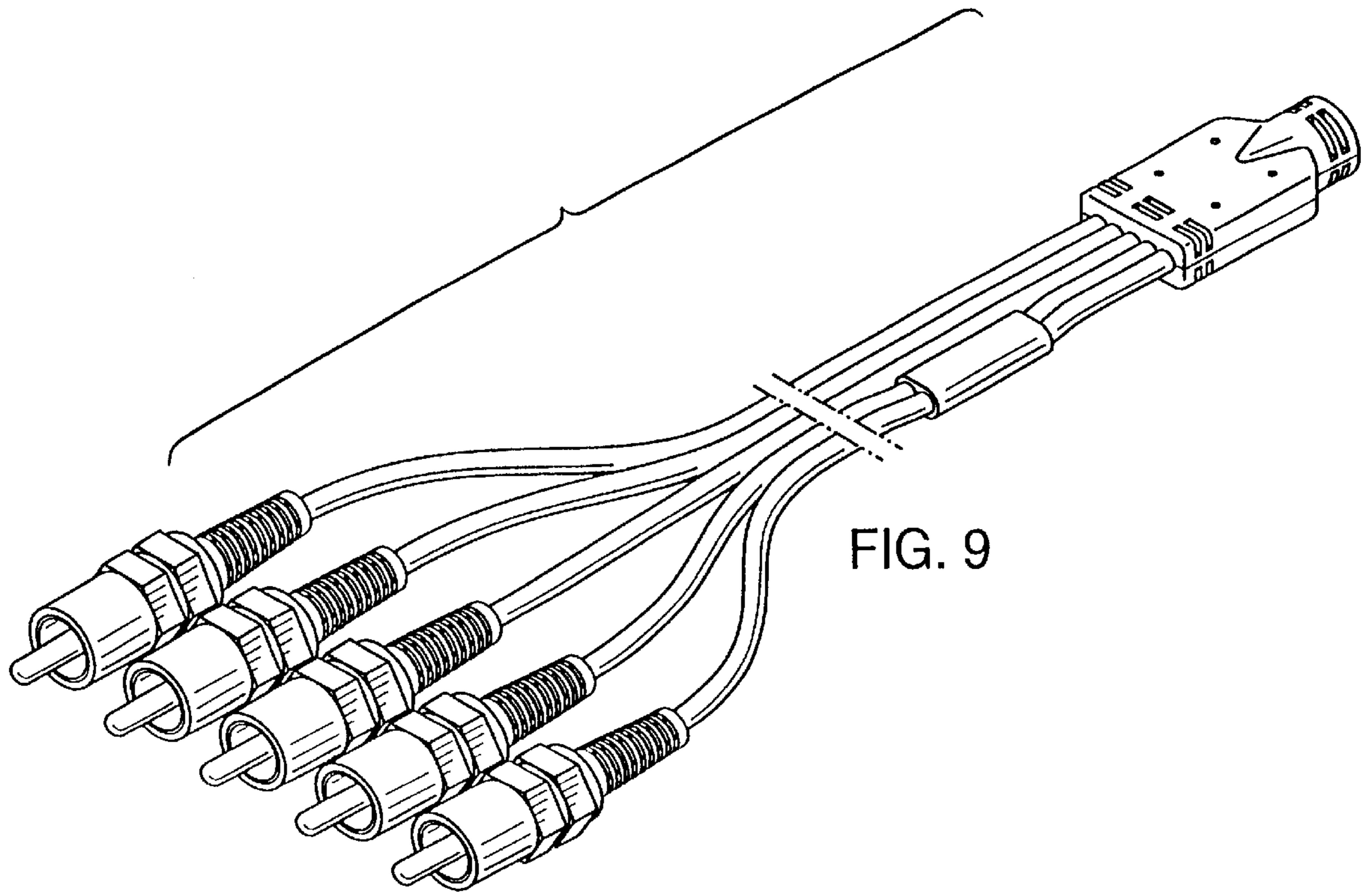


FIG. 7





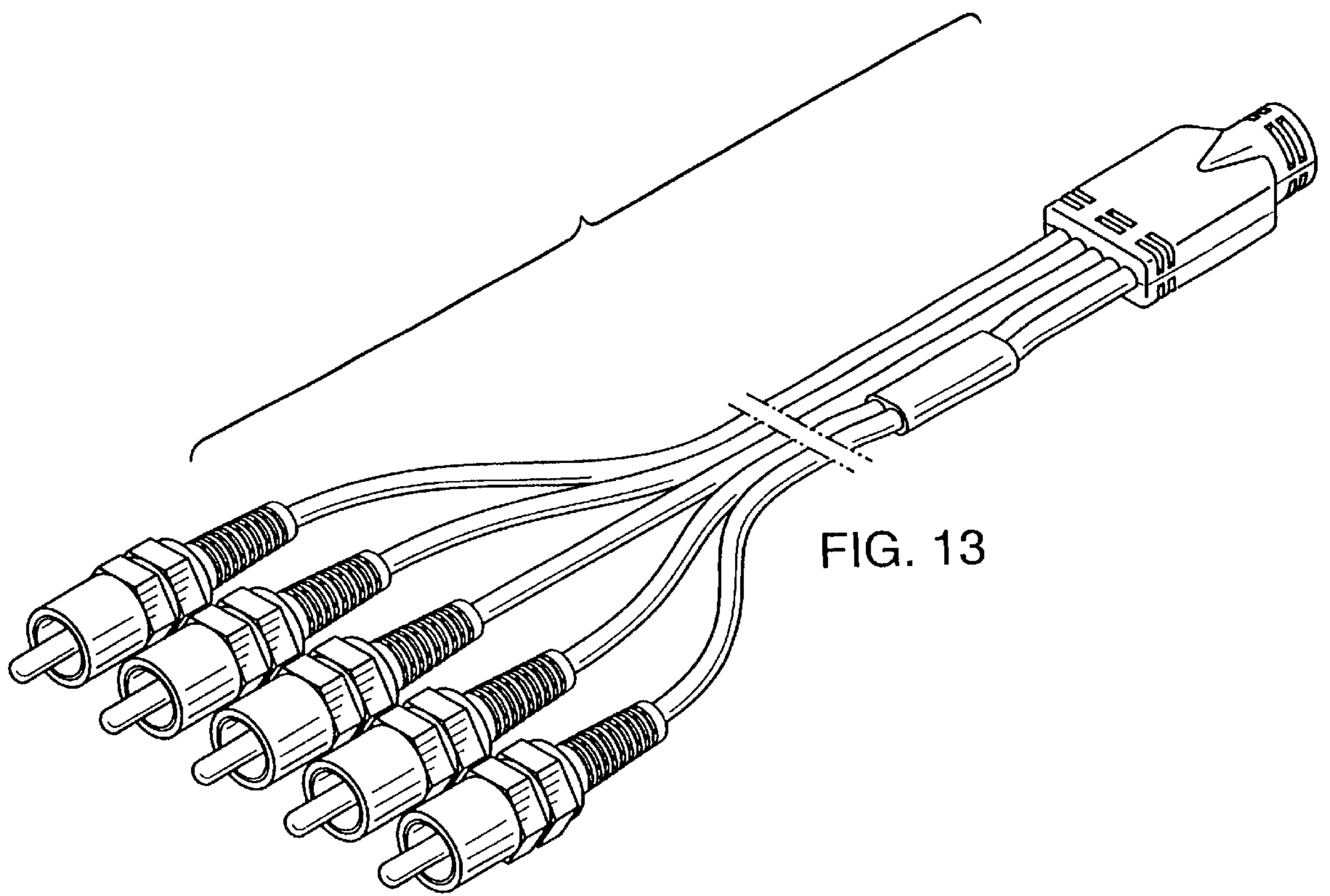
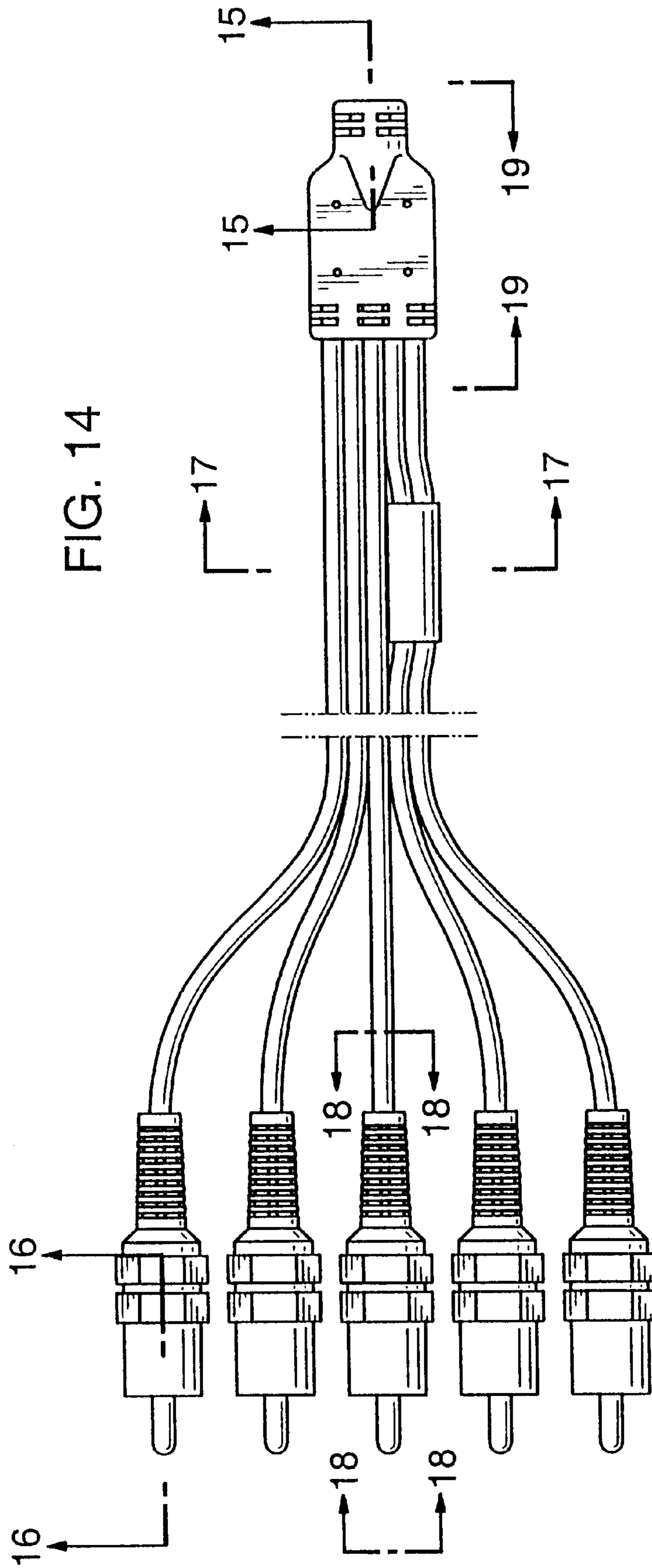


FIG. 13



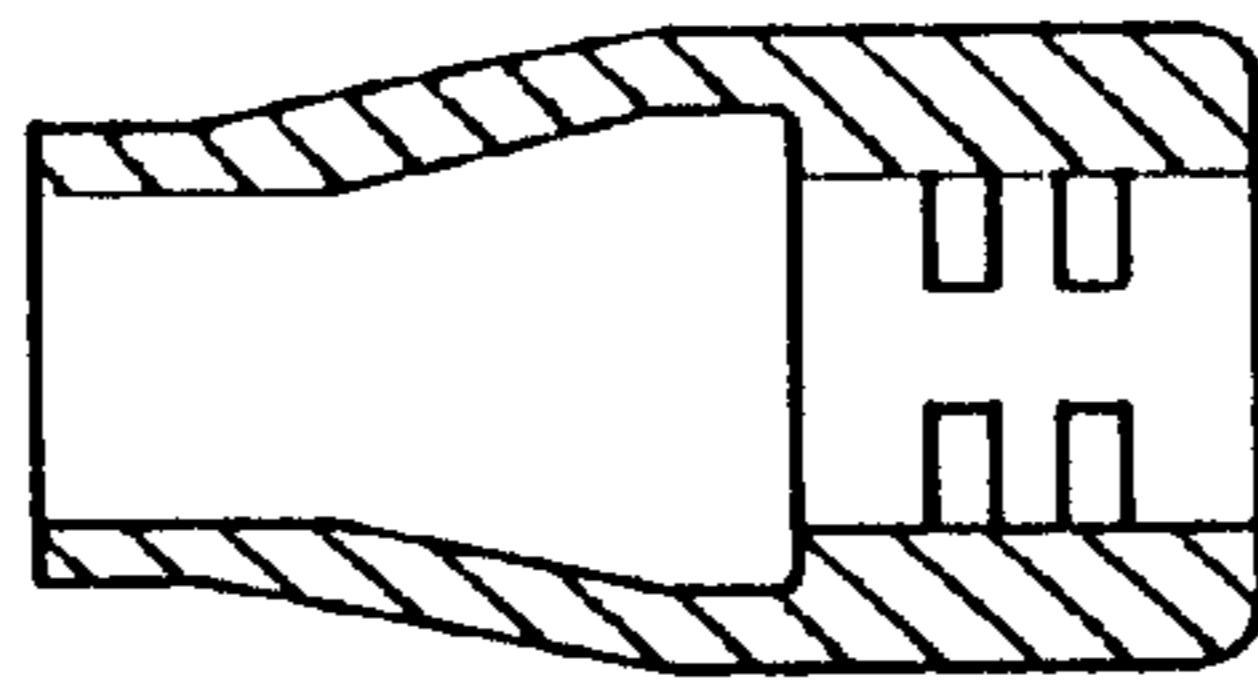


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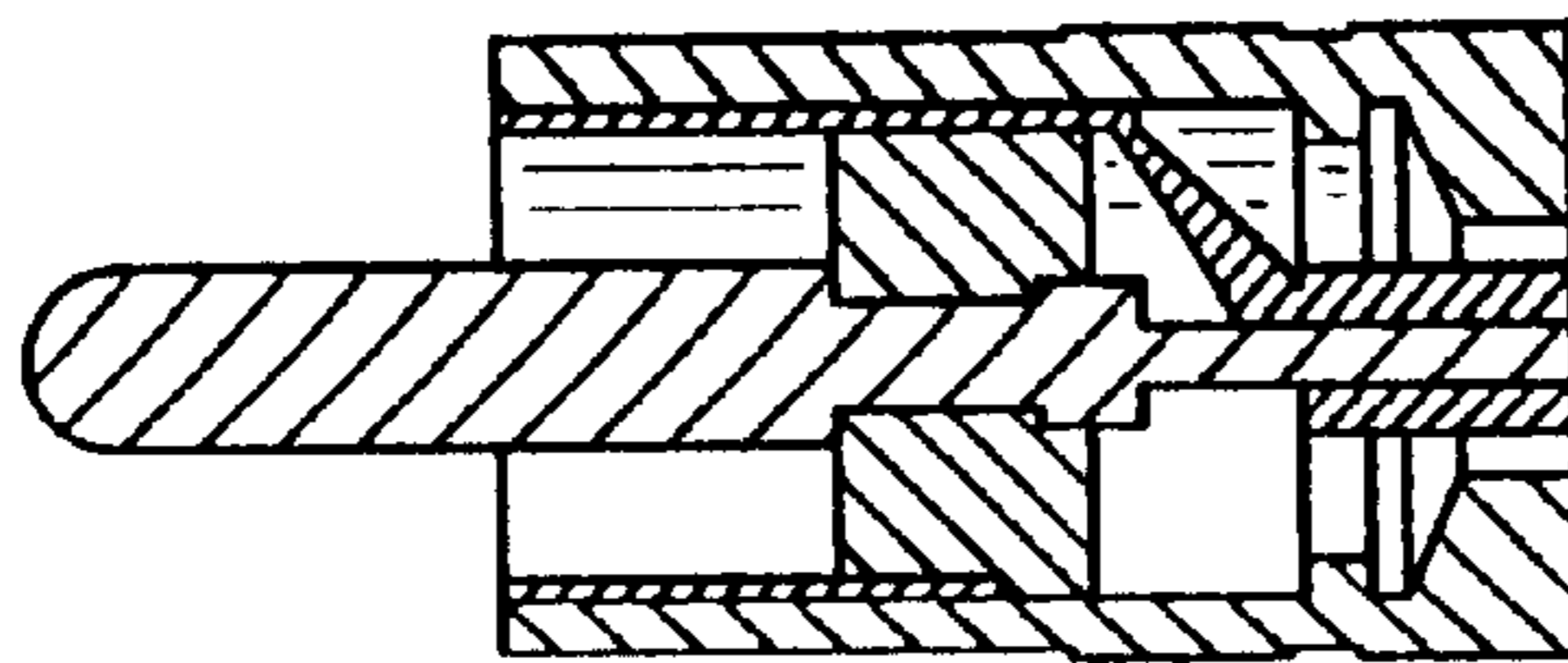


FIG. 16



FIG. 17

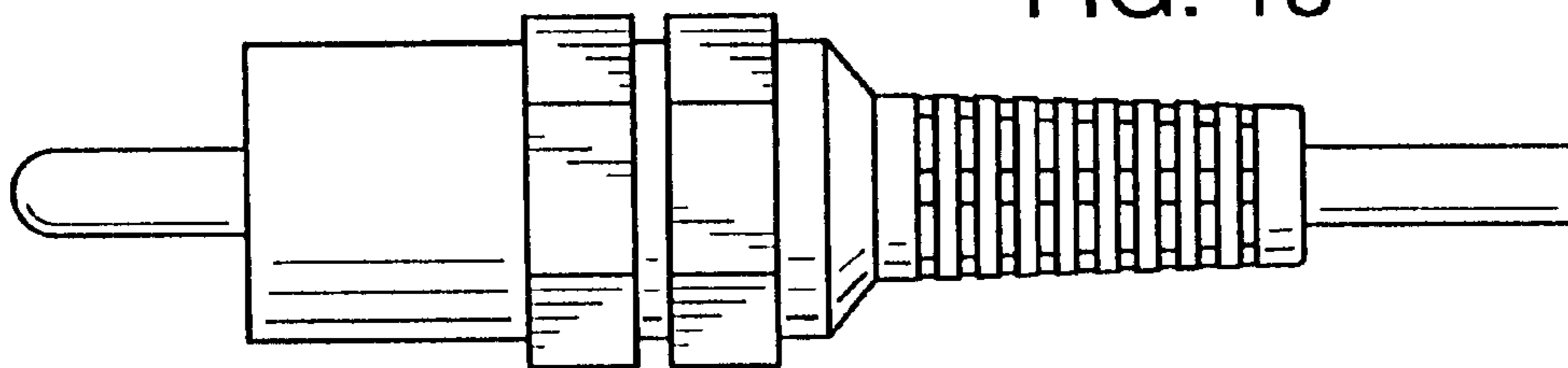


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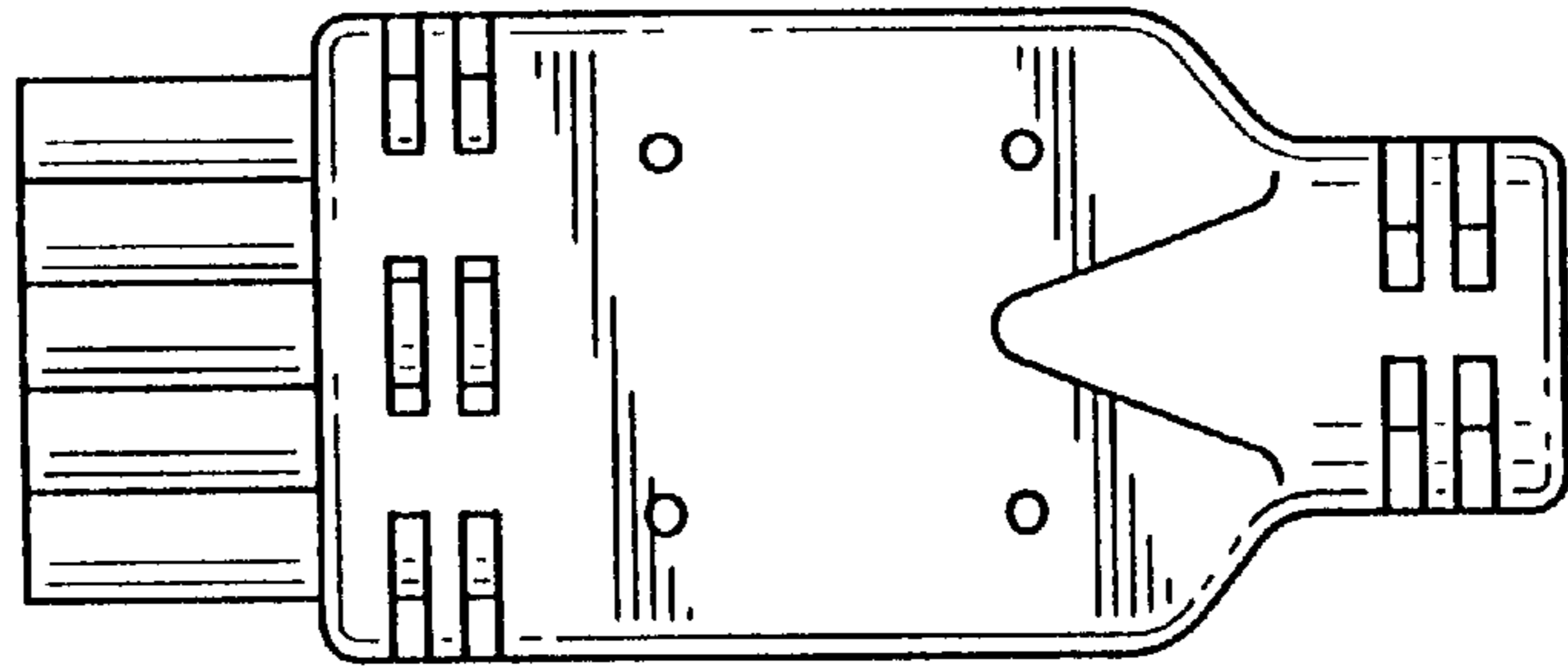


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FIG. 20

