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(54) **ALIQUOT HOLDER**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for an aliquot holder, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

The present invention relates to an device for containing an aliquot segment of a liquid test sample in a number of open wells.

FIG. 1 is a top perspective view of the aliquot holder showing our new design;

FIG. 2 is a bottom perspective view of the aliquot holder showing our new design;

FIG. 3 is top plan view thereof;

FIG. 4 is bottom plan view thereof;

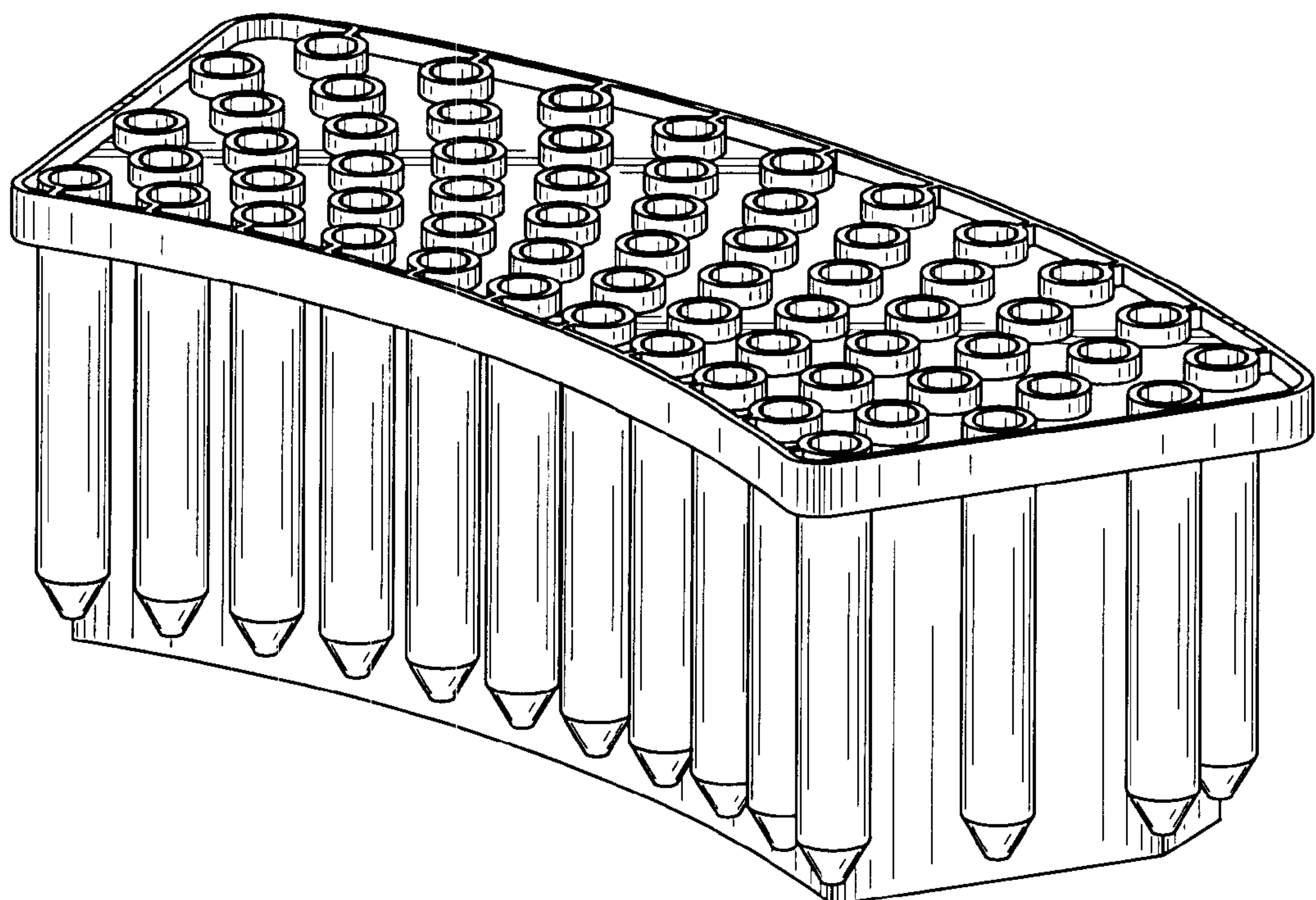
FIG. 5 is a left side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 6 is a right side elevational view thereof;

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

FIG. 8 is a front elevational view thereof.

1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets



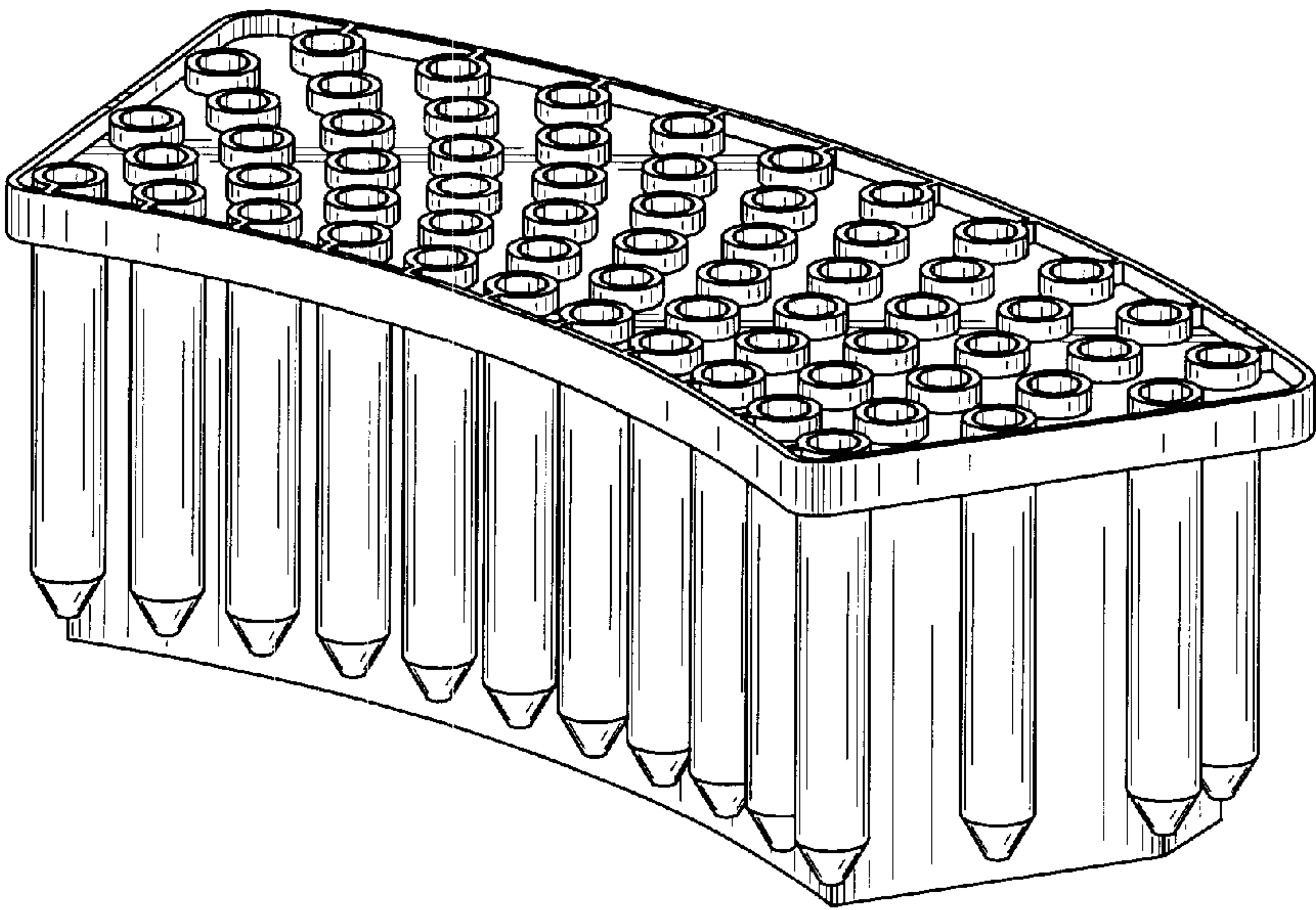


FIG. 1

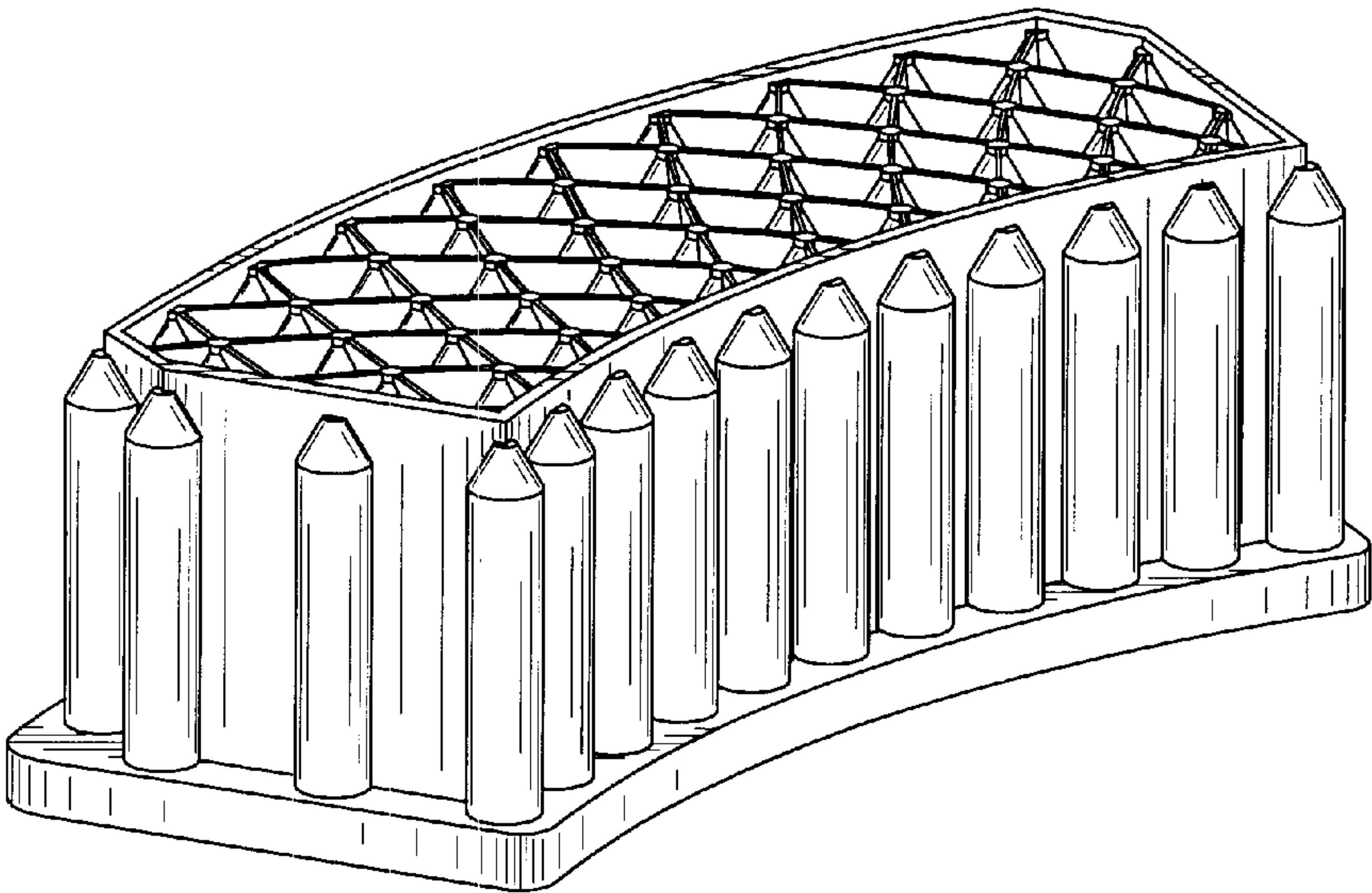


FIG. 2

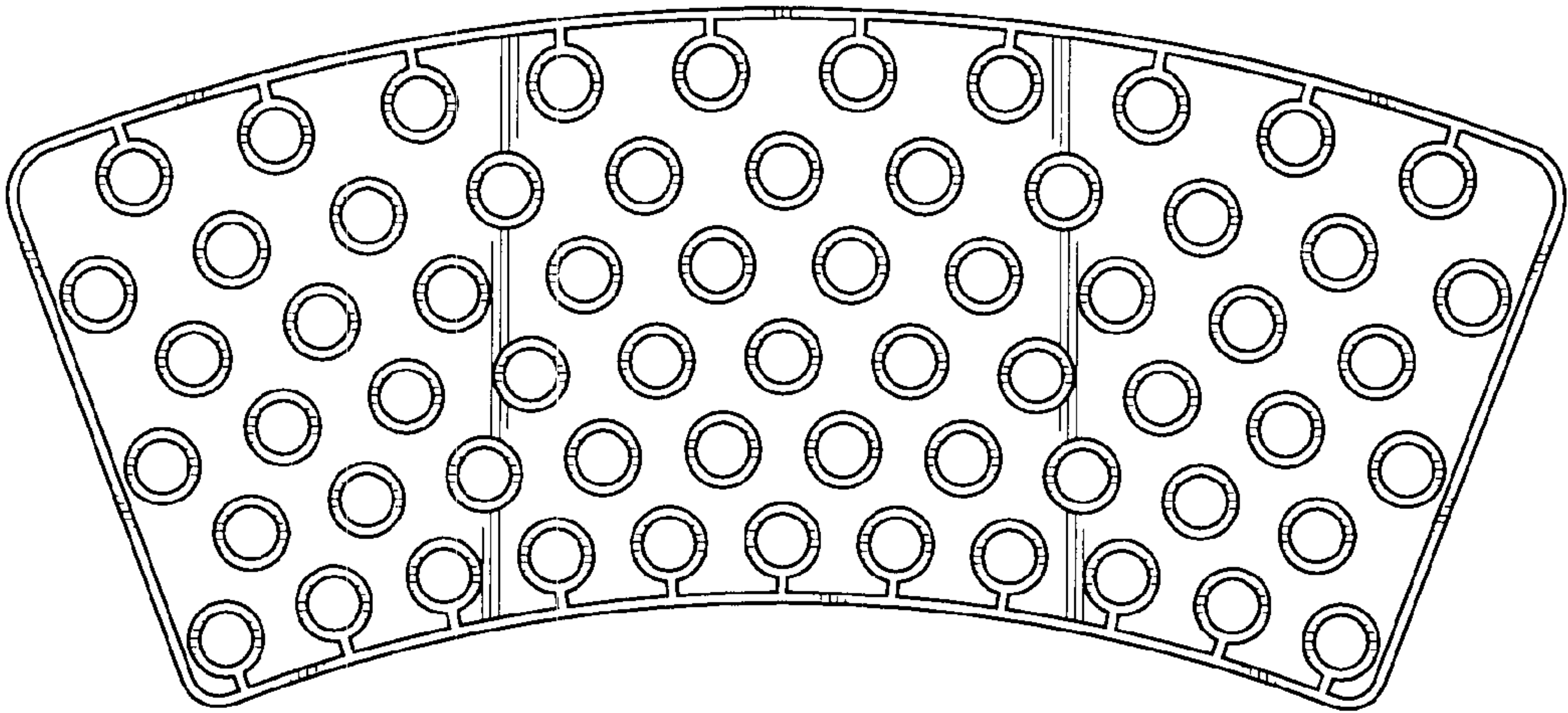


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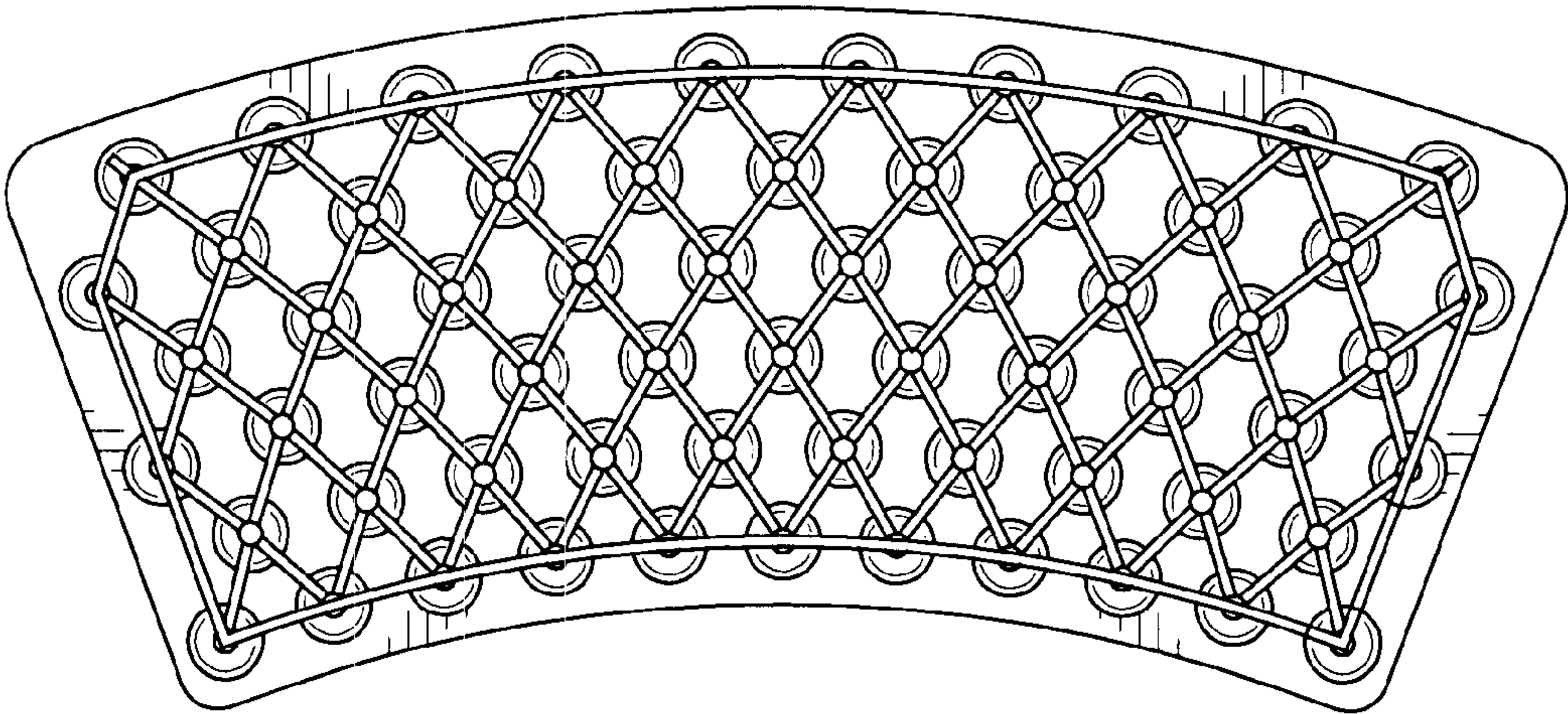


FIG. 4

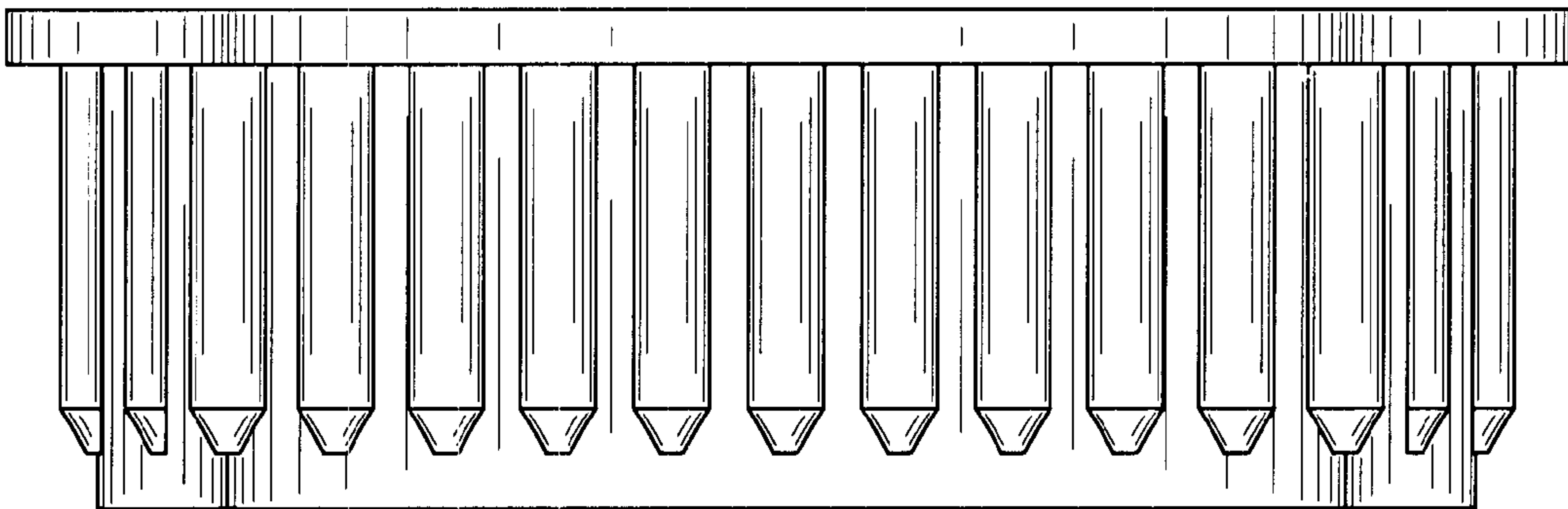


FIG. 5

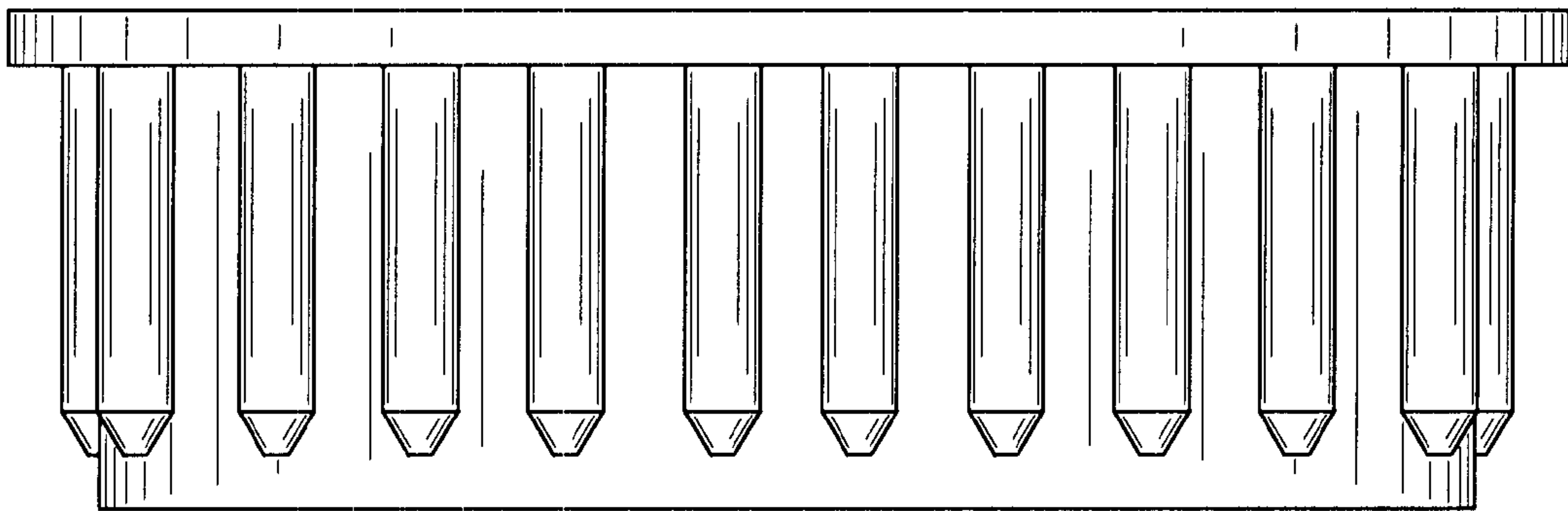


FIG. 6

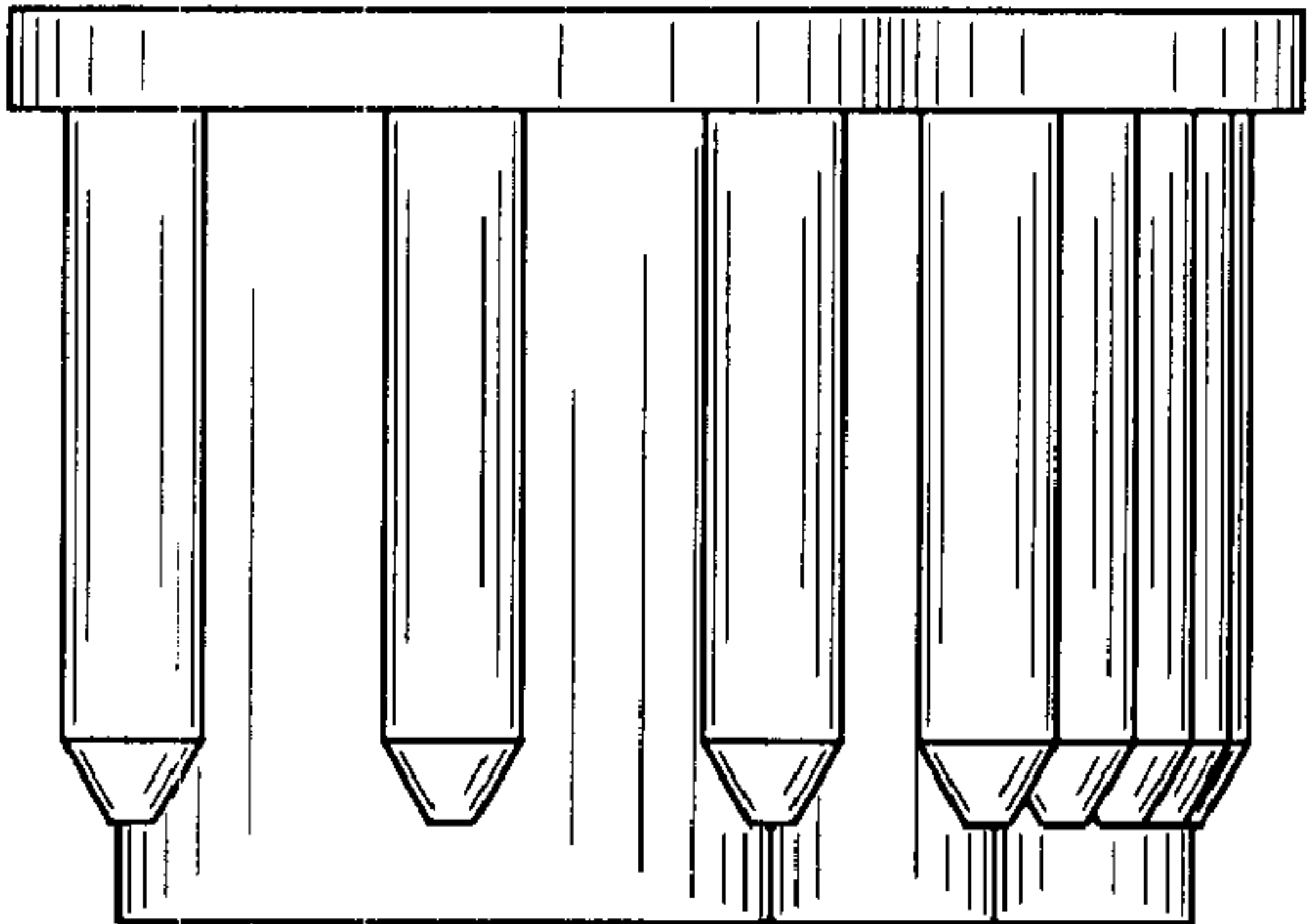


FIG. 7

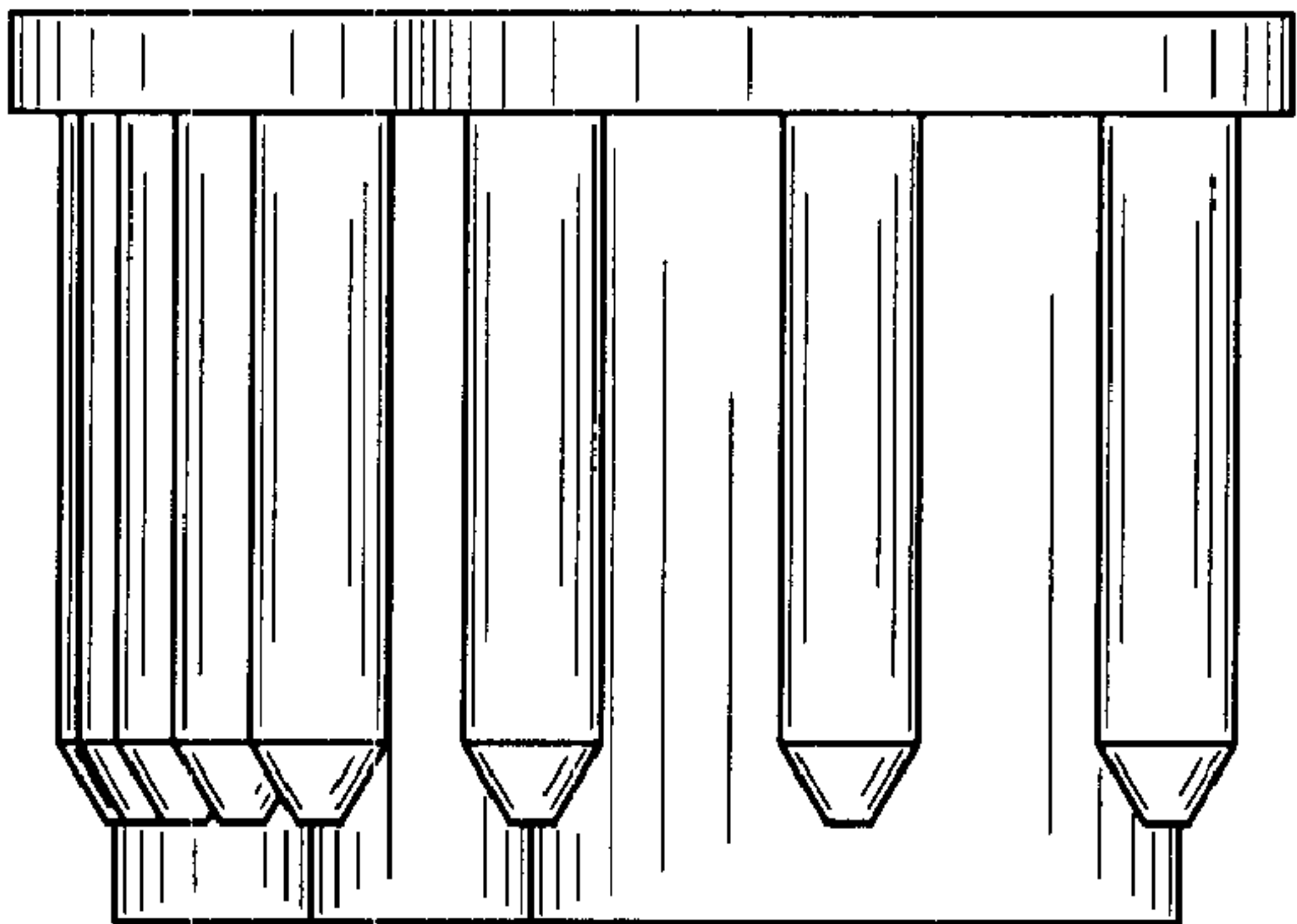


FIG. 8