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(54) **FRONT EXTERIOR OF A STEERING WHEEL**

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(57) **CLAIM**

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The ornamental design for a front exterior of a steering wheel, as shown and described.

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**DESCRIPTION**

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FIG. 1 is a front elevational view of a front exterior of a steering wheel showing our new design; and, FIG. 2 is a front elevational view of a front exterior of a steering wheel showing a second embodiment of our new design.

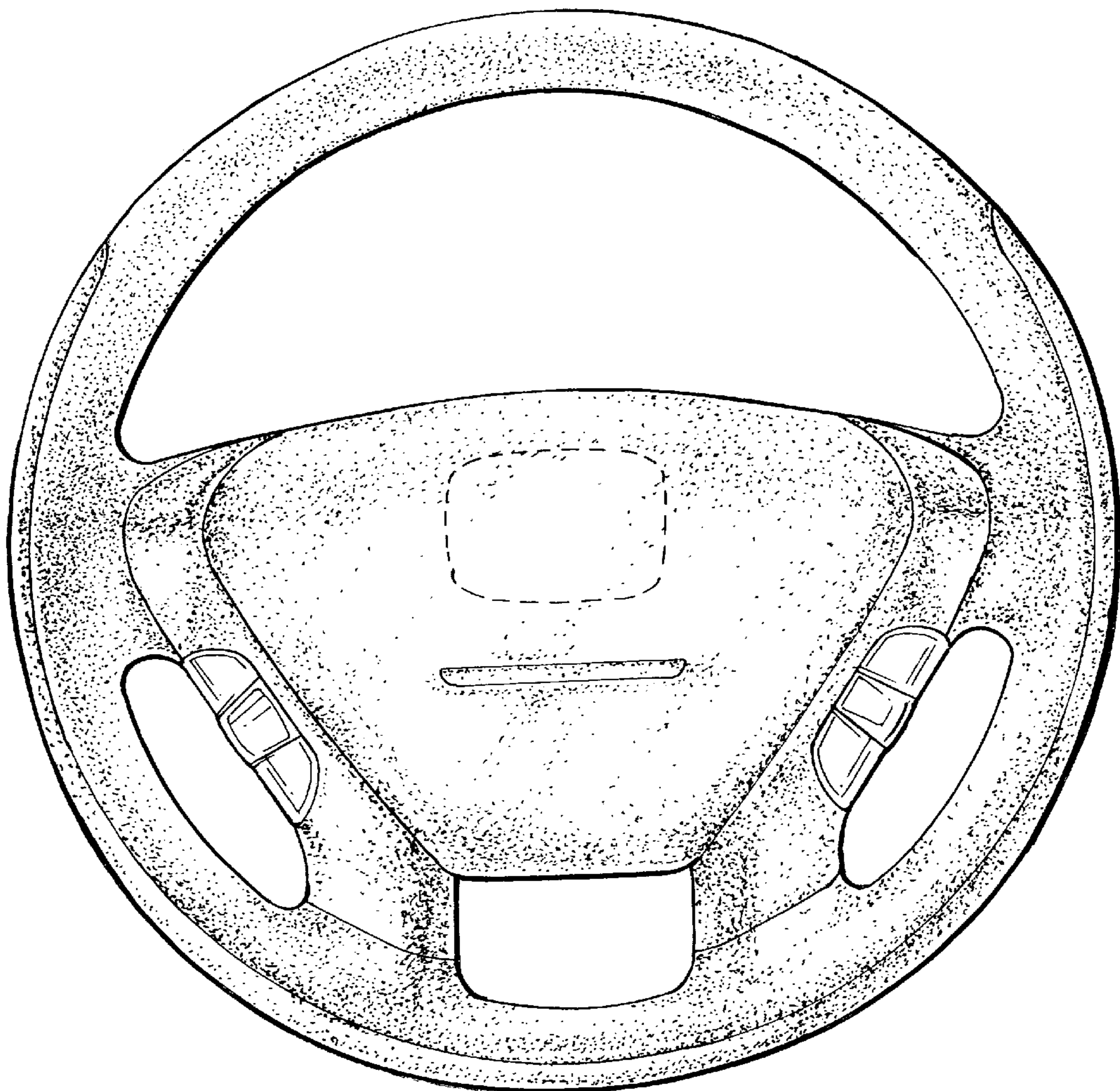
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The portions of the steering wheel shown in broken lines in FIGS. 1 and 2 are for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

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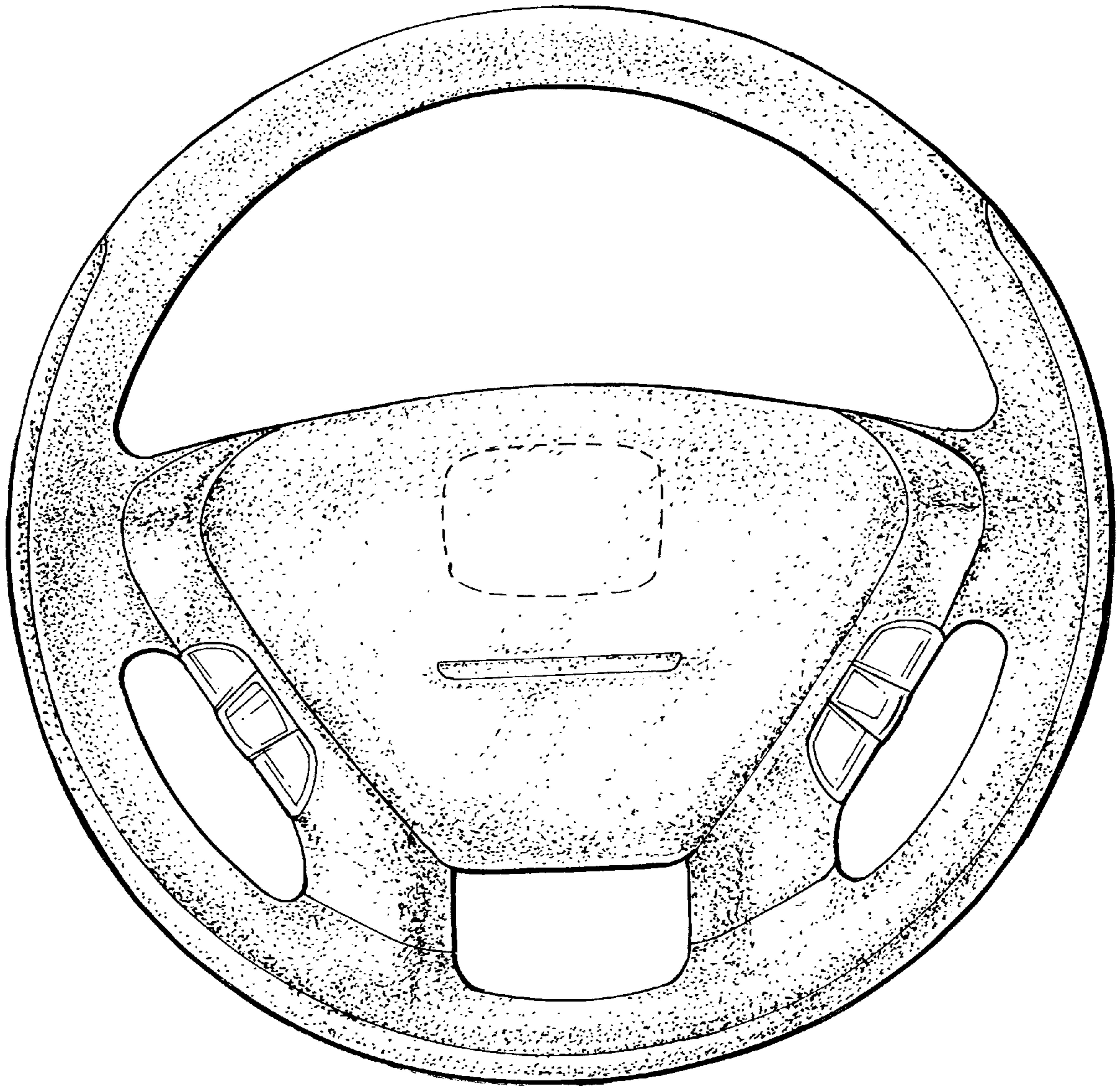


FIG. 1

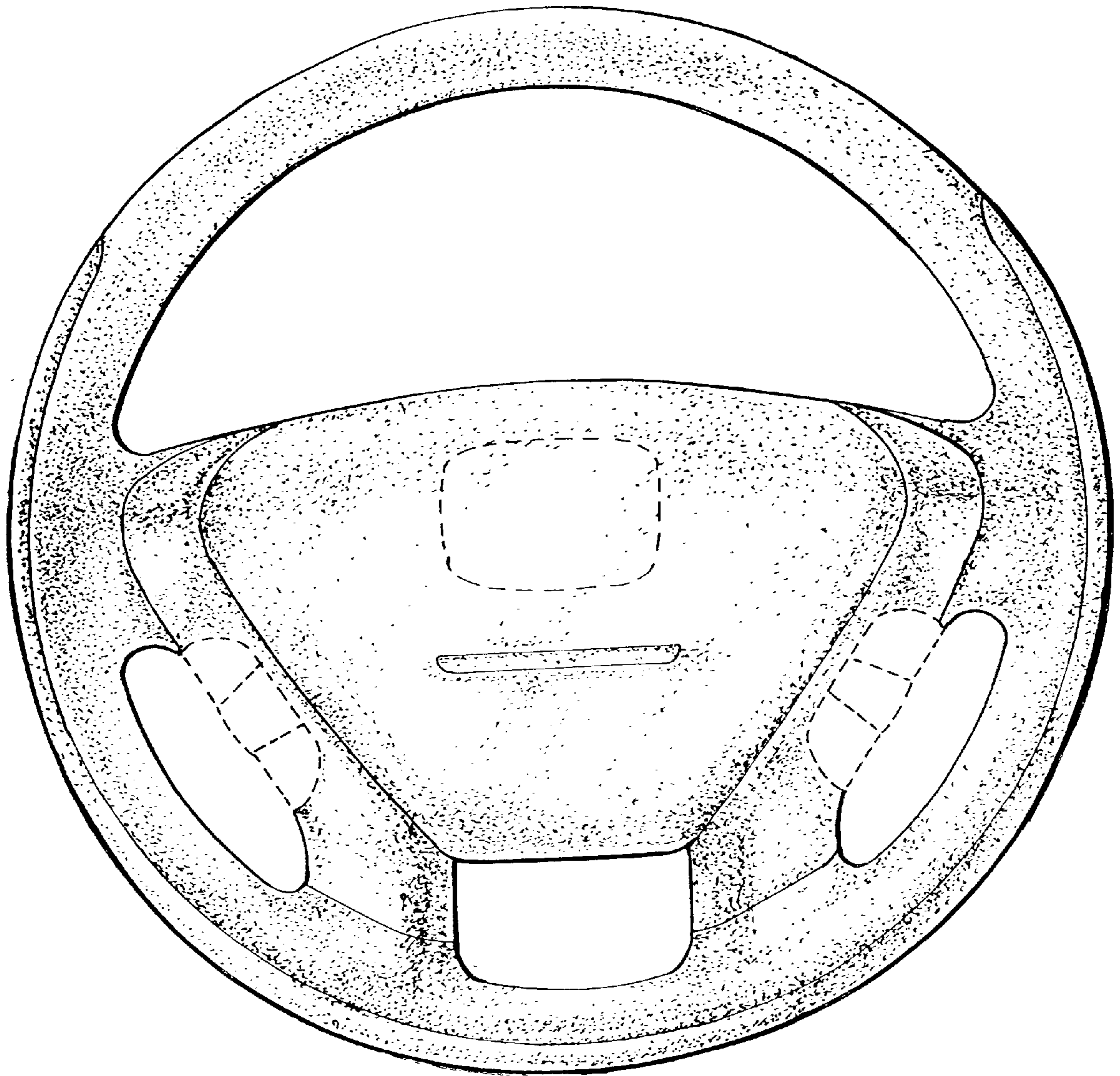


FIG. 2