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(54) **FOOTWEAR SOLE**

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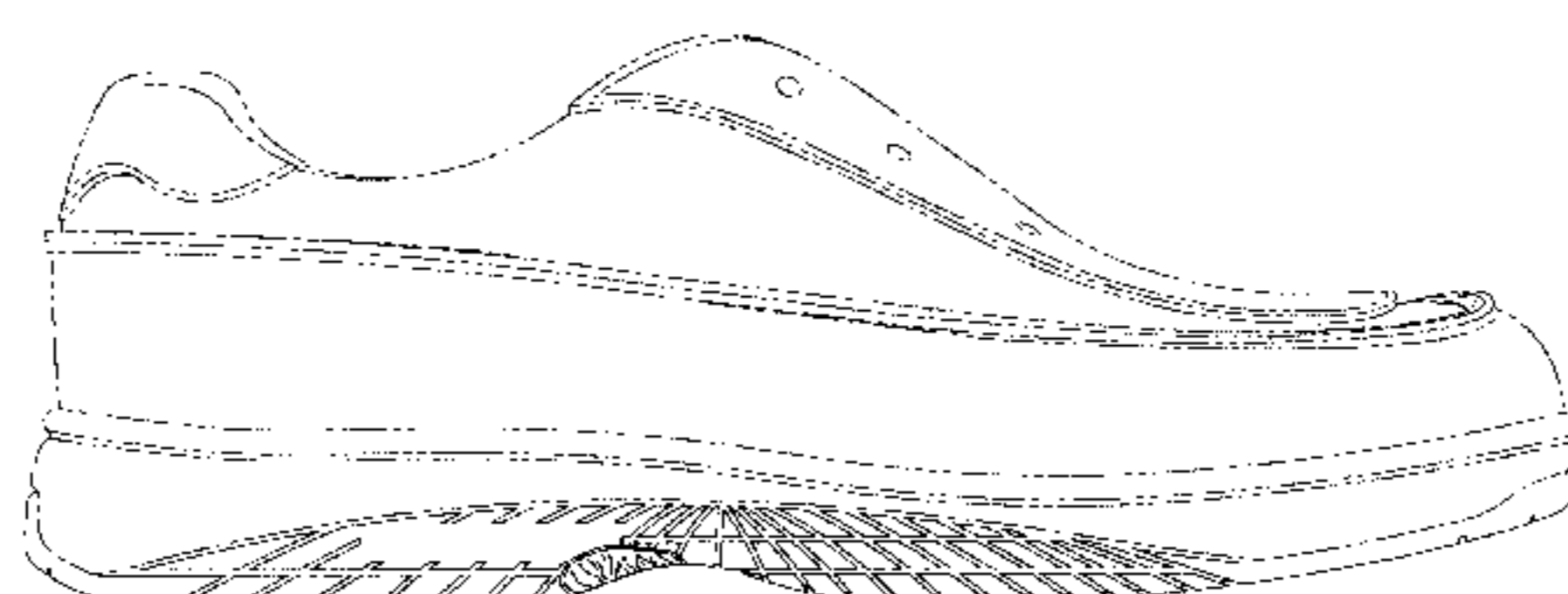
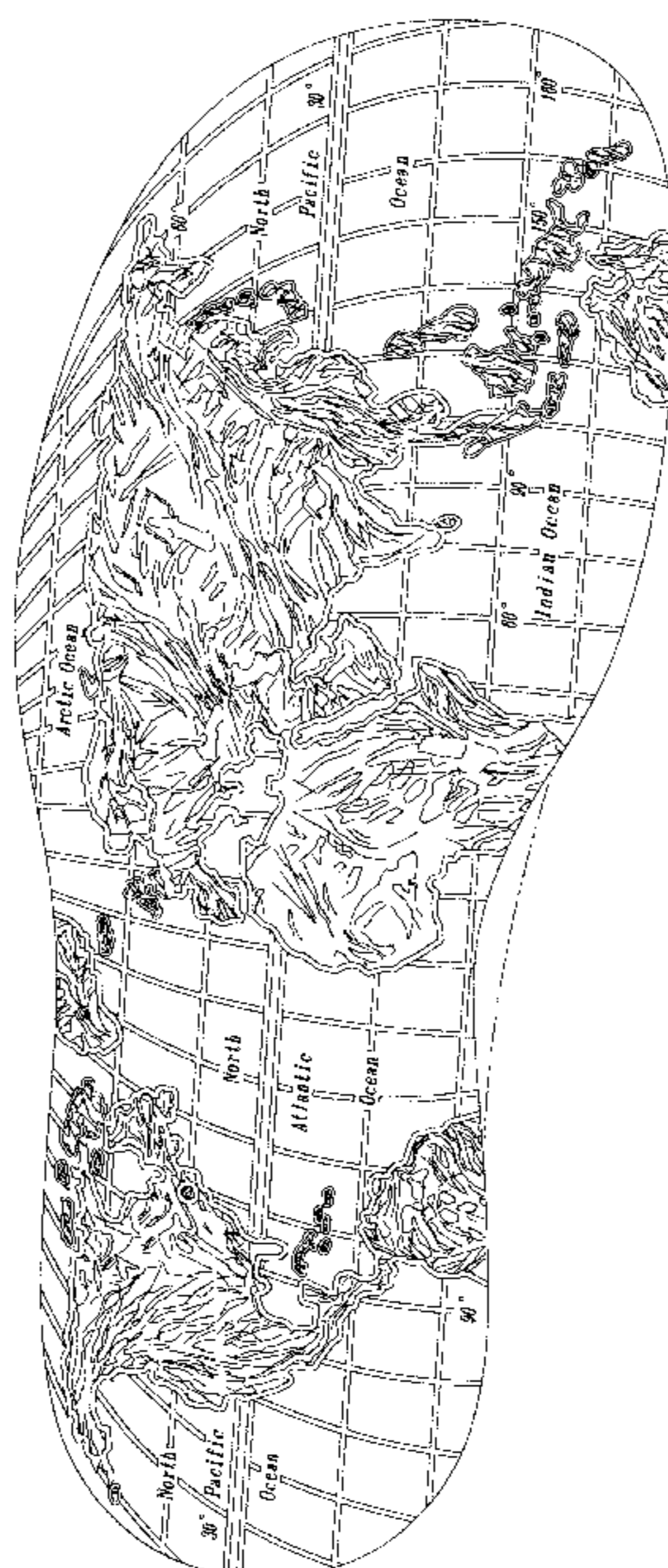
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for footwear sole, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the footwear sole embodying the new design;
 FIG. 2 is a bottom plan view thereof;
 FIG. 3 is a right side elevational view thereof;
 FIG. 4 is a left side elevational view thereof;
 FIG. 5 is a front elevational view thereof; and,
 FIG. 6 is a rear elevational view thereof.
 FIGS. 1-6 show portions an upper in broken lines. The upper is shown for environmental purposes and does not form any part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets



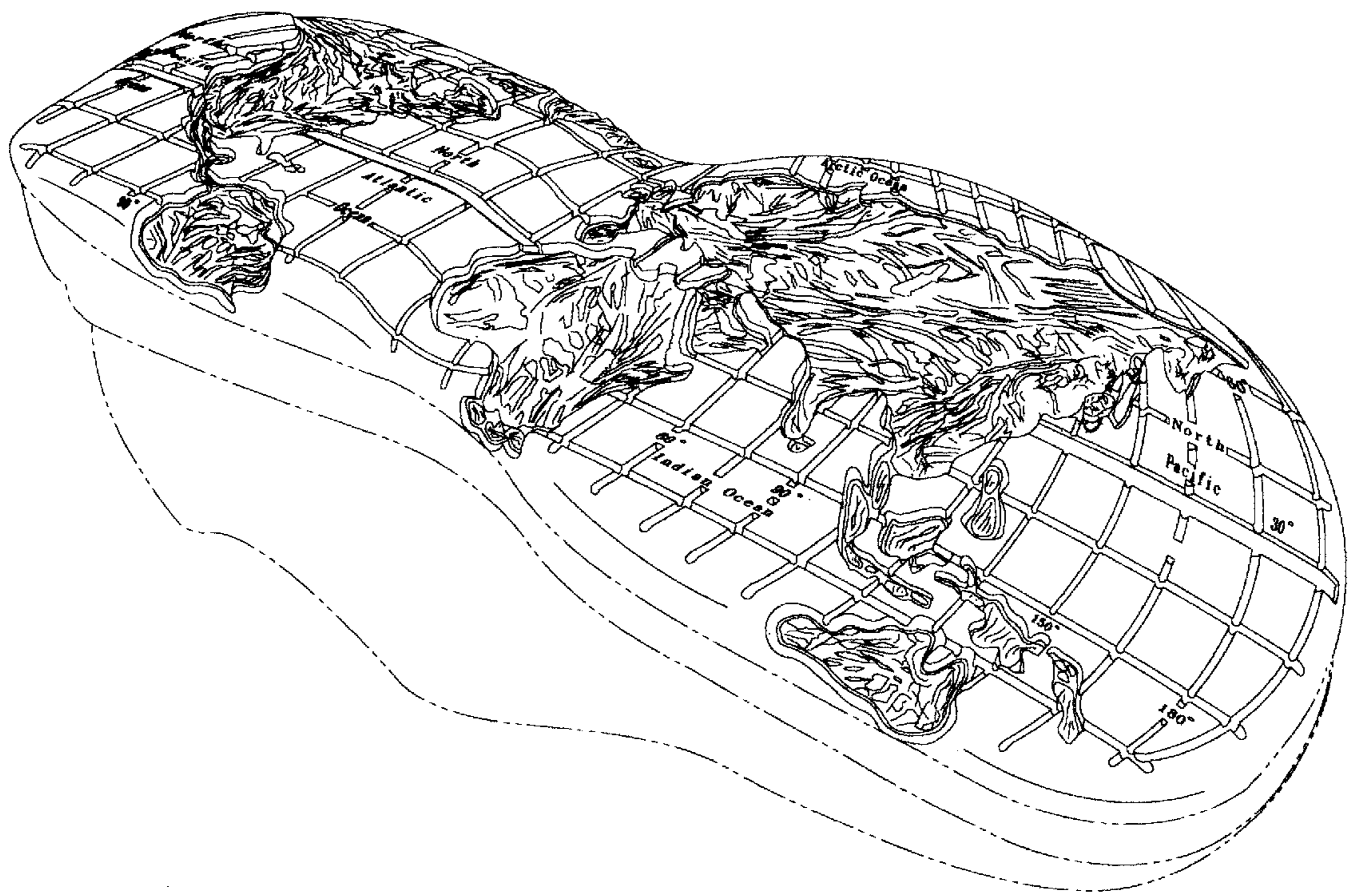


Fig. 1

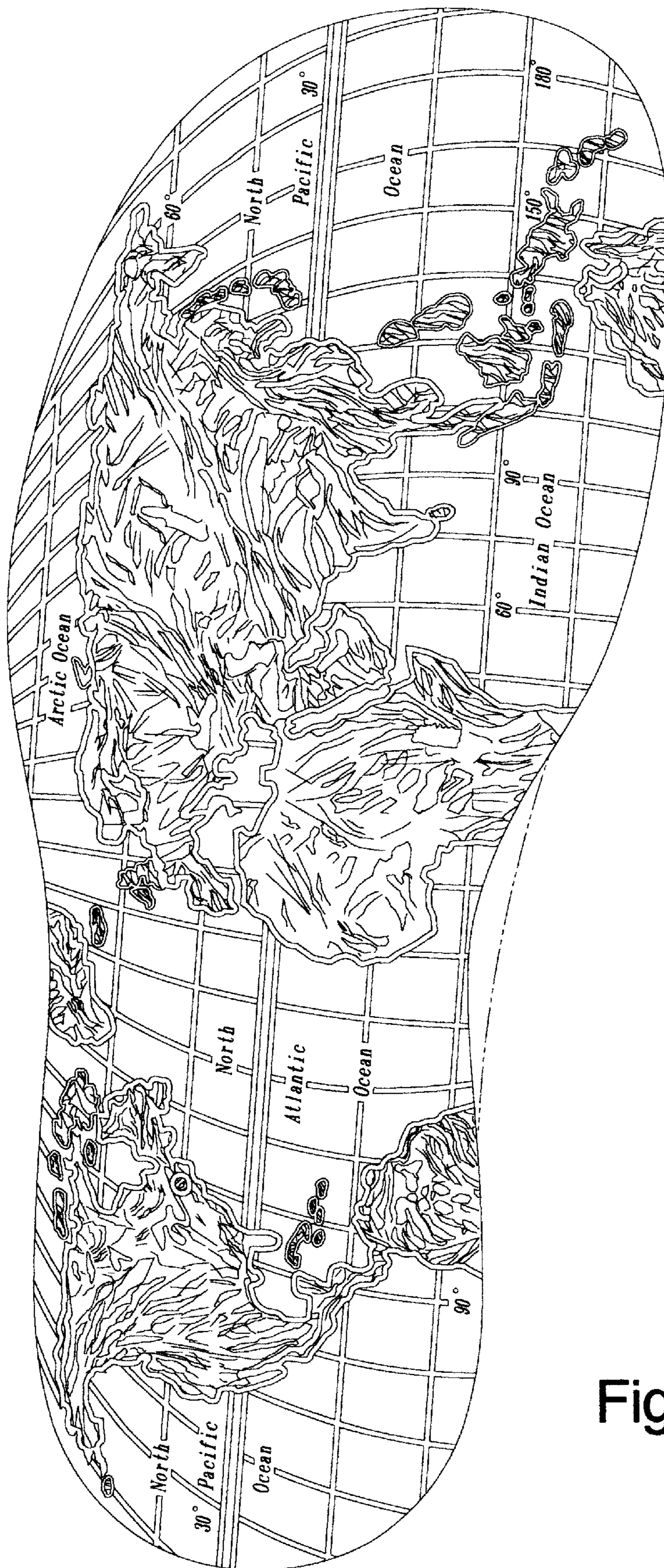


Fig. 2

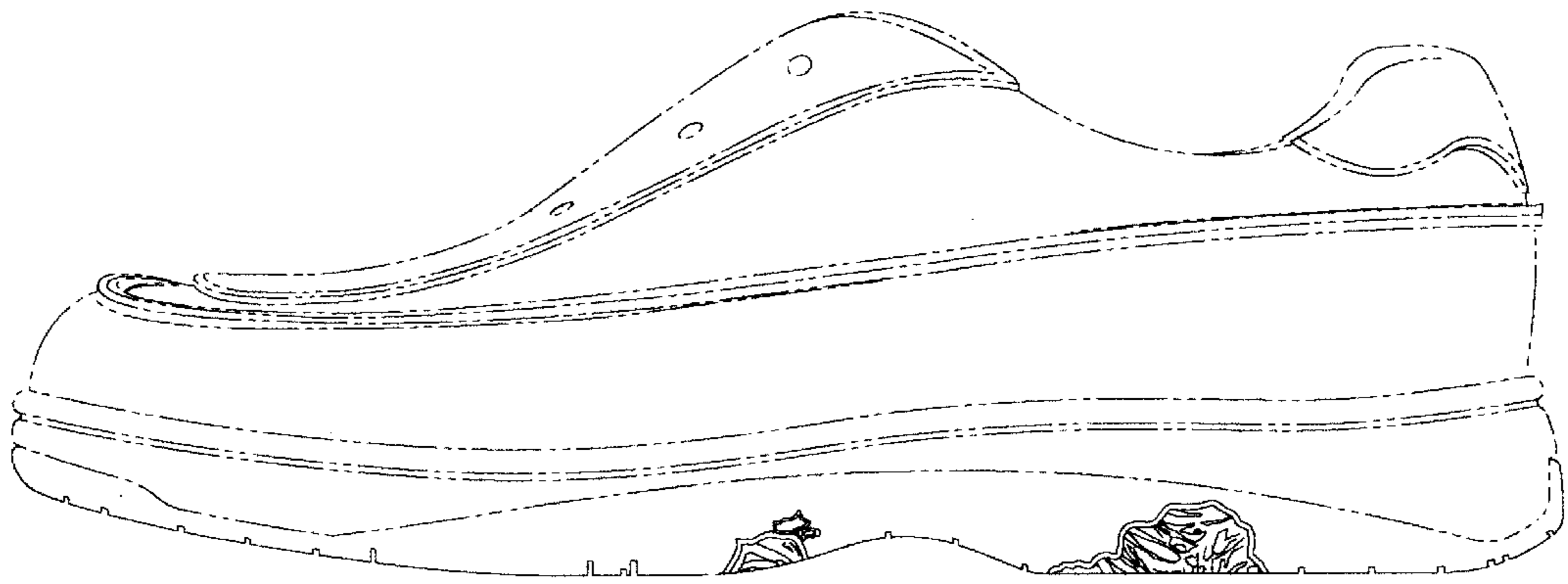


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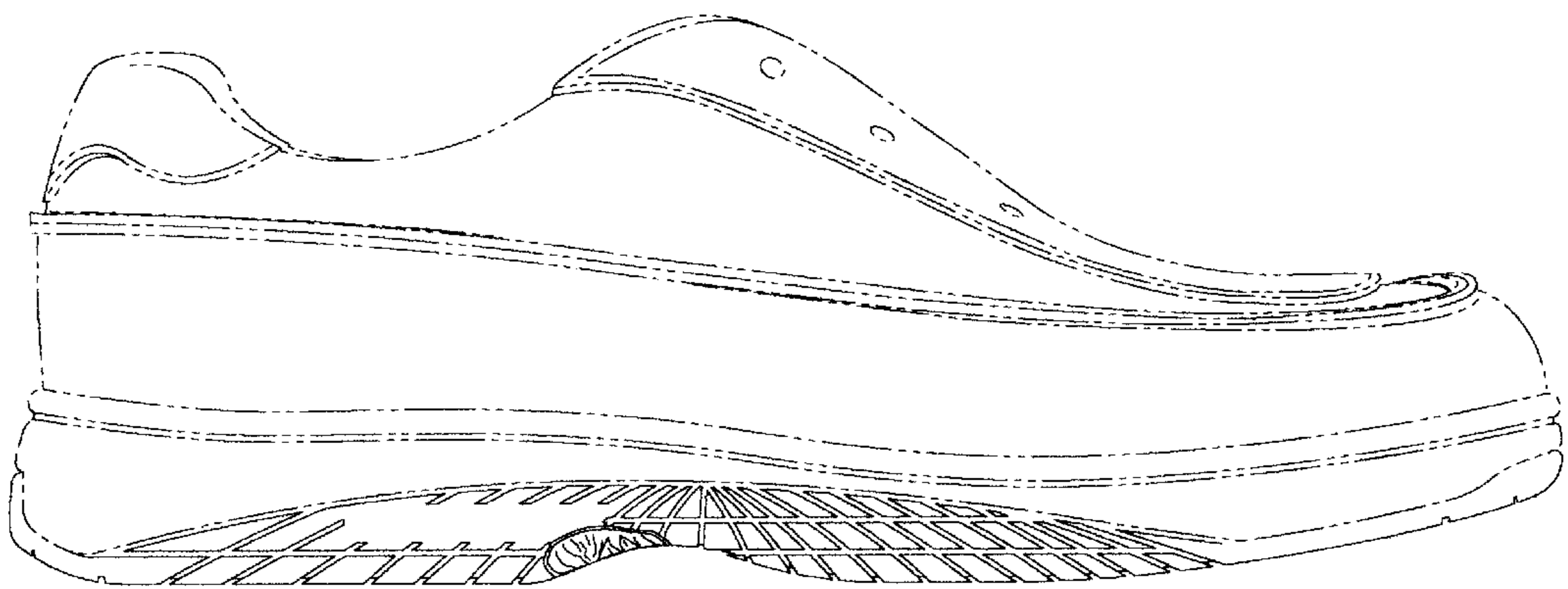


Fig. 4

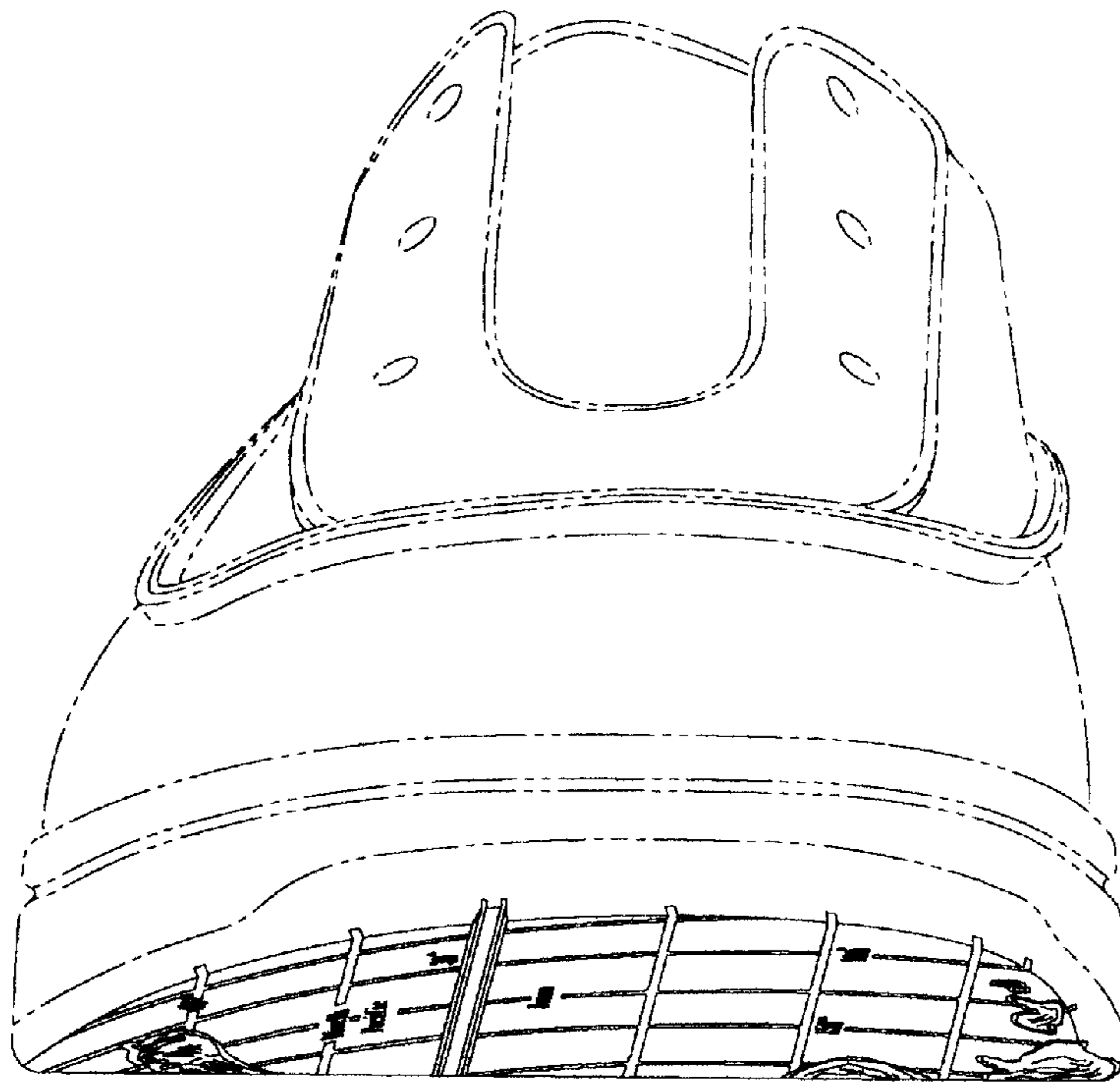


Fig. 5

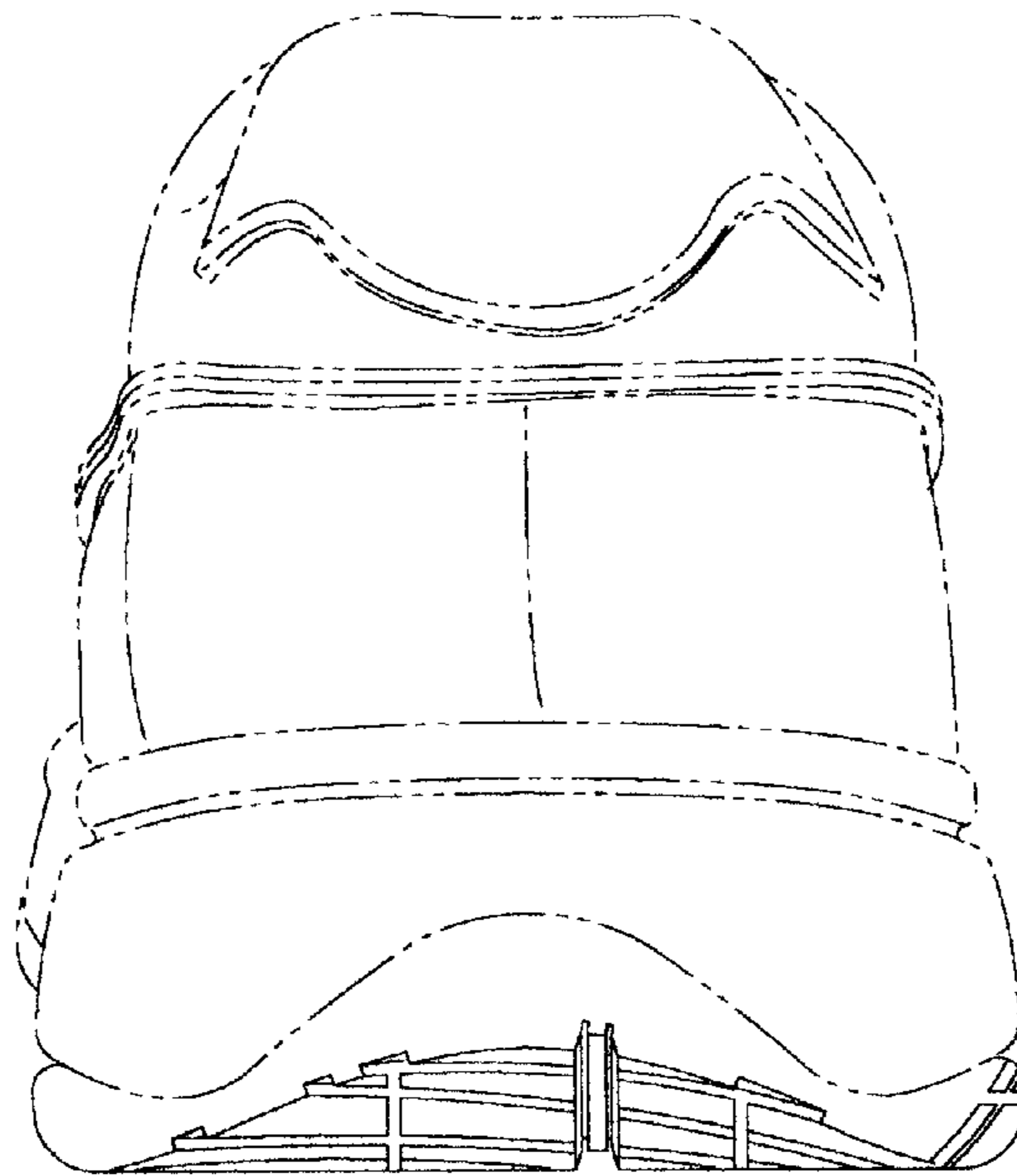


Fig. 6