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(54) SURFACE PATTERN FOR AN ABSORBENT
ARTICLE

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The ornamental design for a surface pattern for an absorbent article, substantially as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

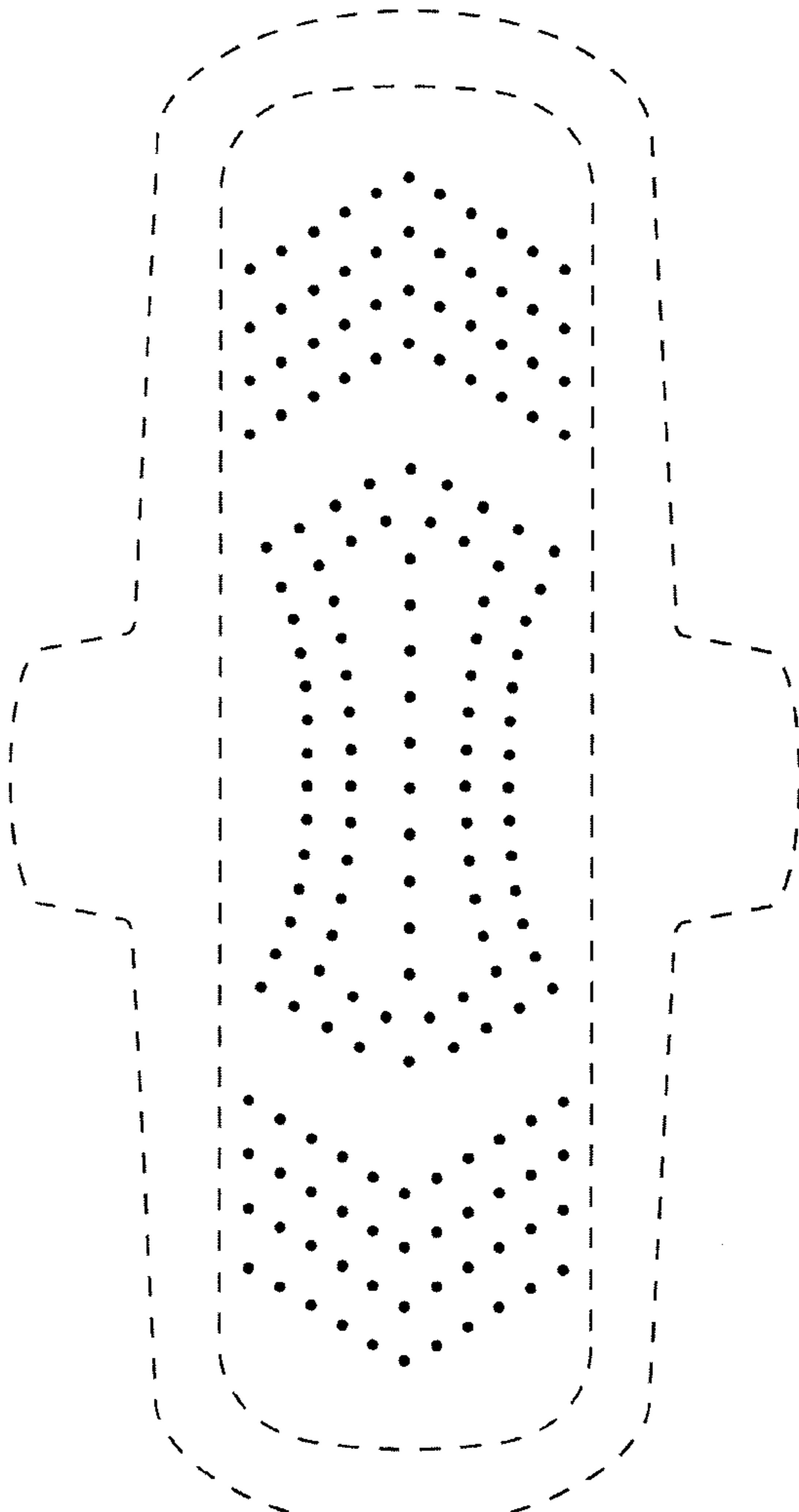
The FIGURE is a top plan view of a surface pattern for an absorbent article, the dotted line being for illustrative purposes only and forming no part of the claimed design.

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