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(54) **TIRE TREAD**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a tire tread, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

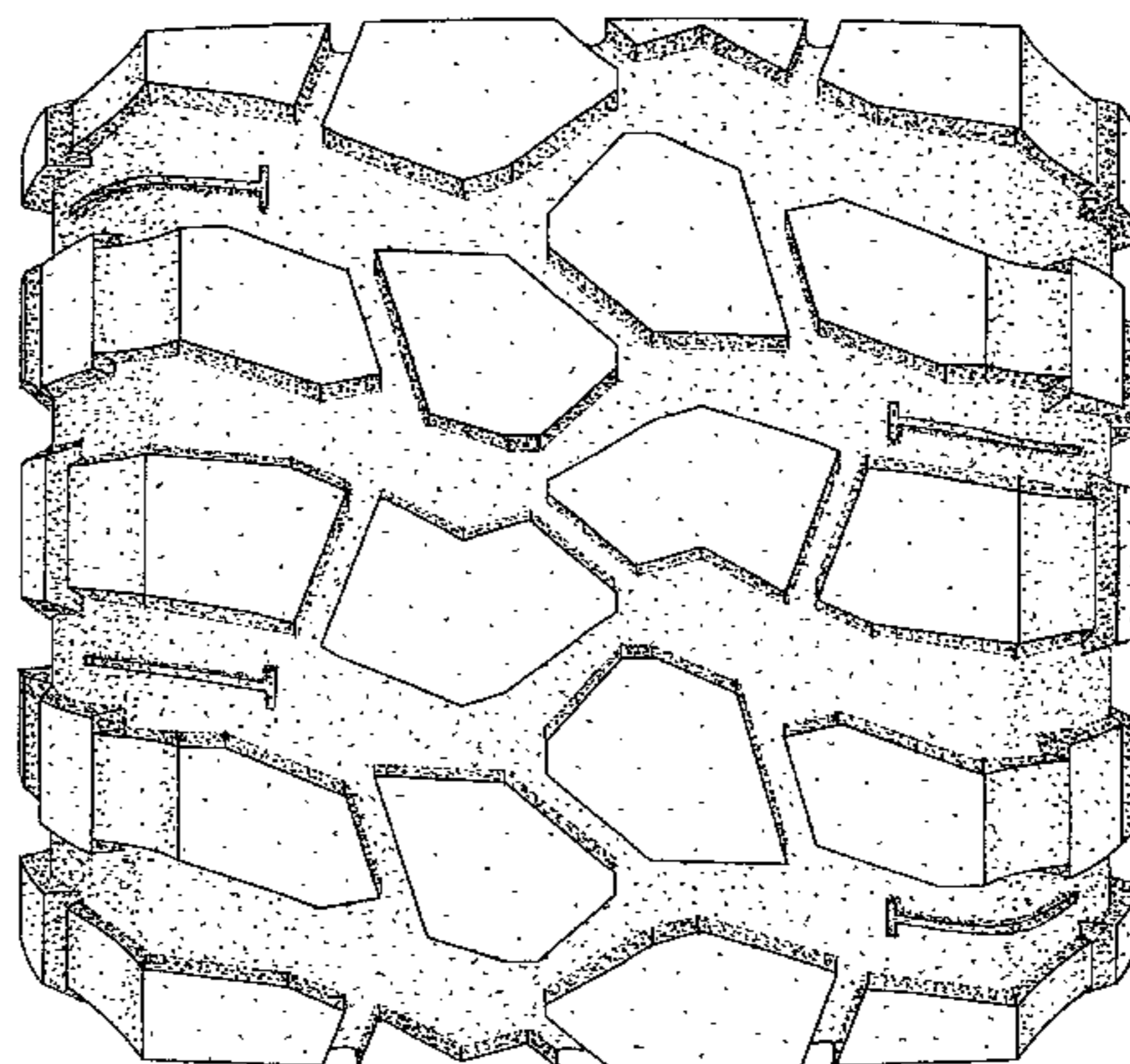
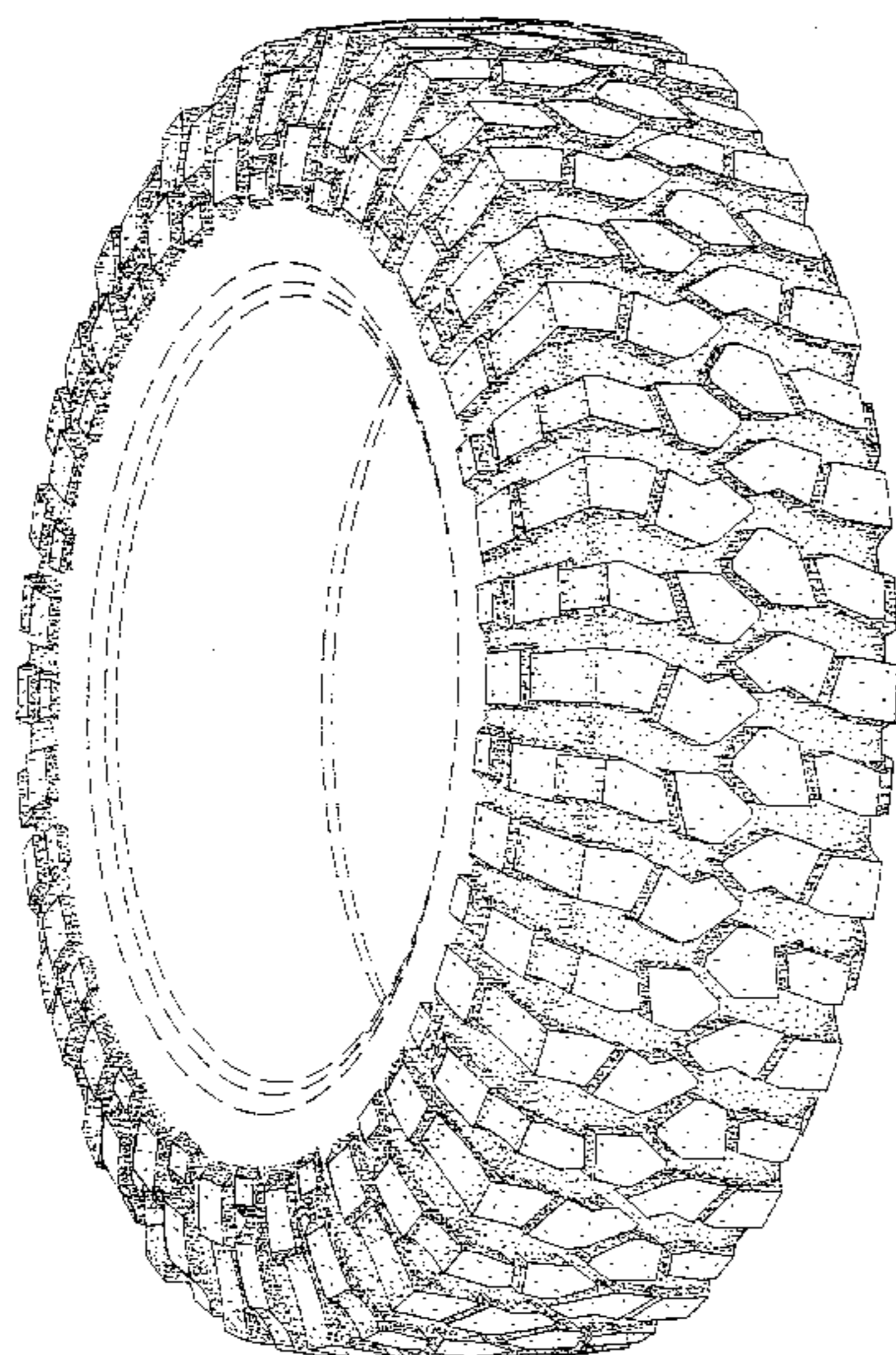
FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a tire tread showing our new design, it being understood that a tread pattern is repeated over the outer circumference of the tread width and the adjacent shoulders of the tire, the opposite side perspective view being identical thereto;

FIG. 2 is an enlarged fragmentary front elevation view of the tread pattern of FIG. 1;

FIG. 3 is an enlarged fragmentary front elevation view of another embodiment of the tread pattern of our new design, the only difference being the addition of T-shaped embossments within the shoulder grooves of the tread; and,

FIG. 4 is a side elevation view of the tread pattern of FIG. 1, the opposite side elevation view being identical thereto. In the drawings, broken line disclosure of a tire sidewall portion and inner bead are for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets



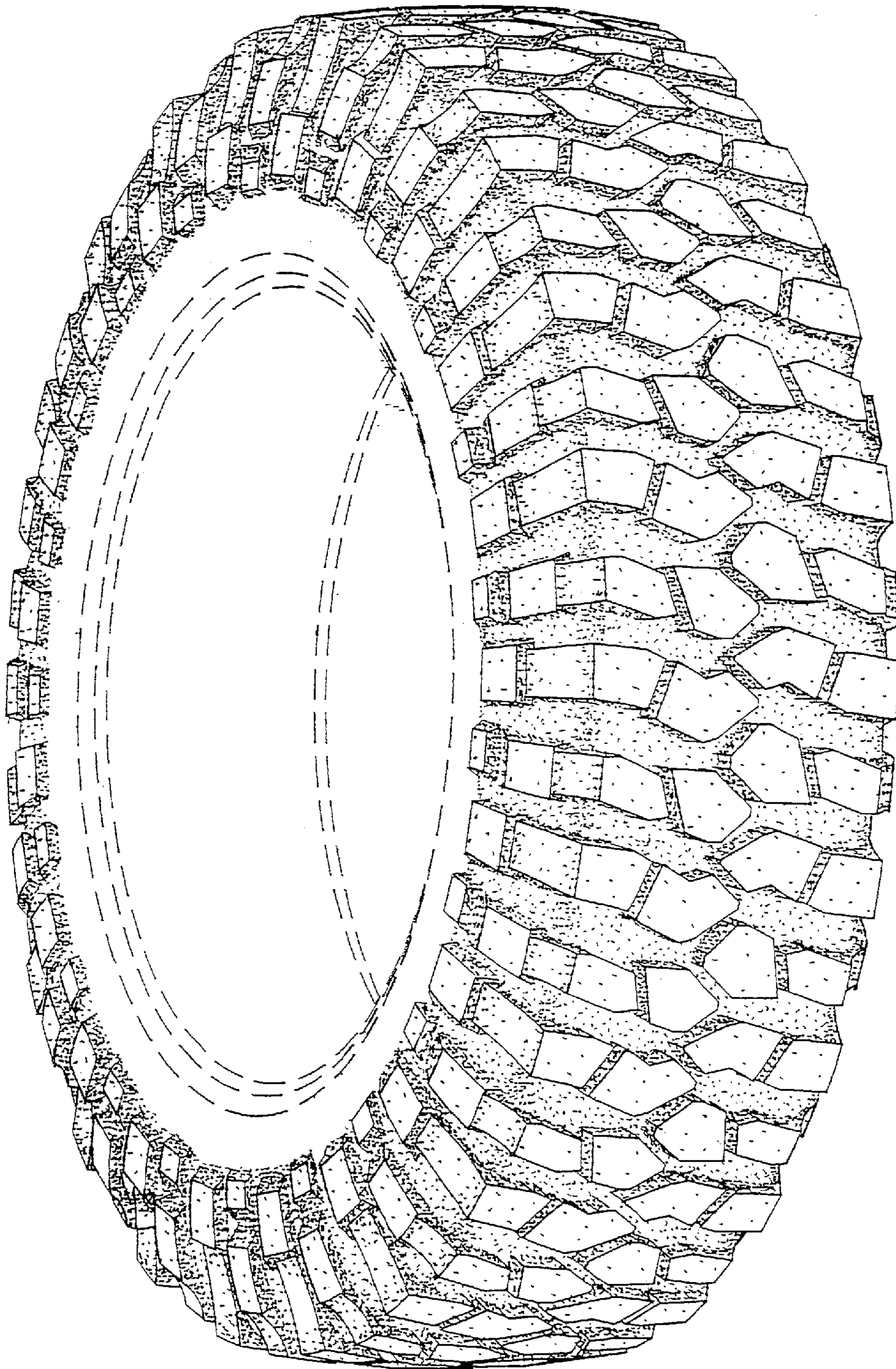


Fig. 1

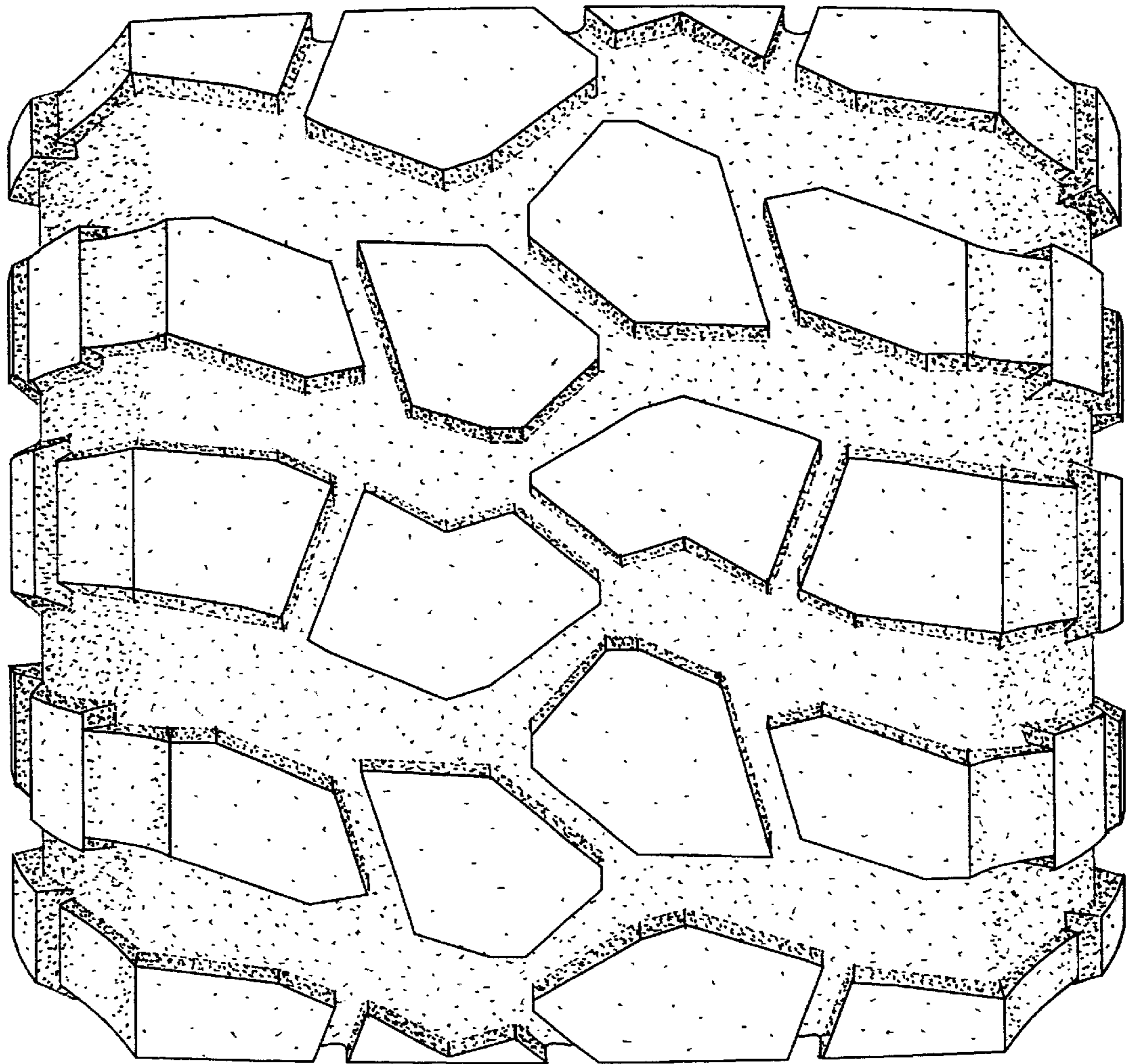


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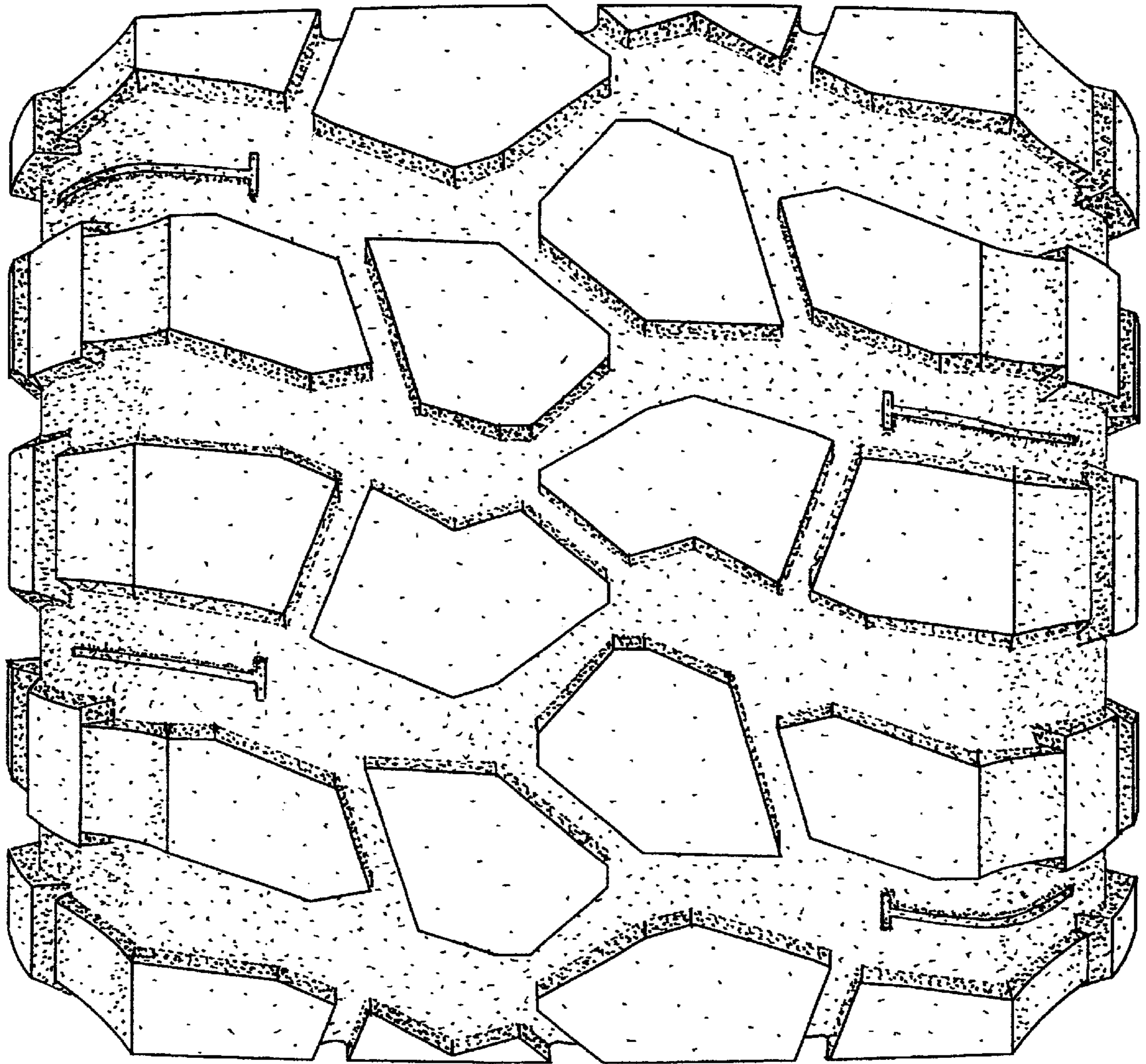


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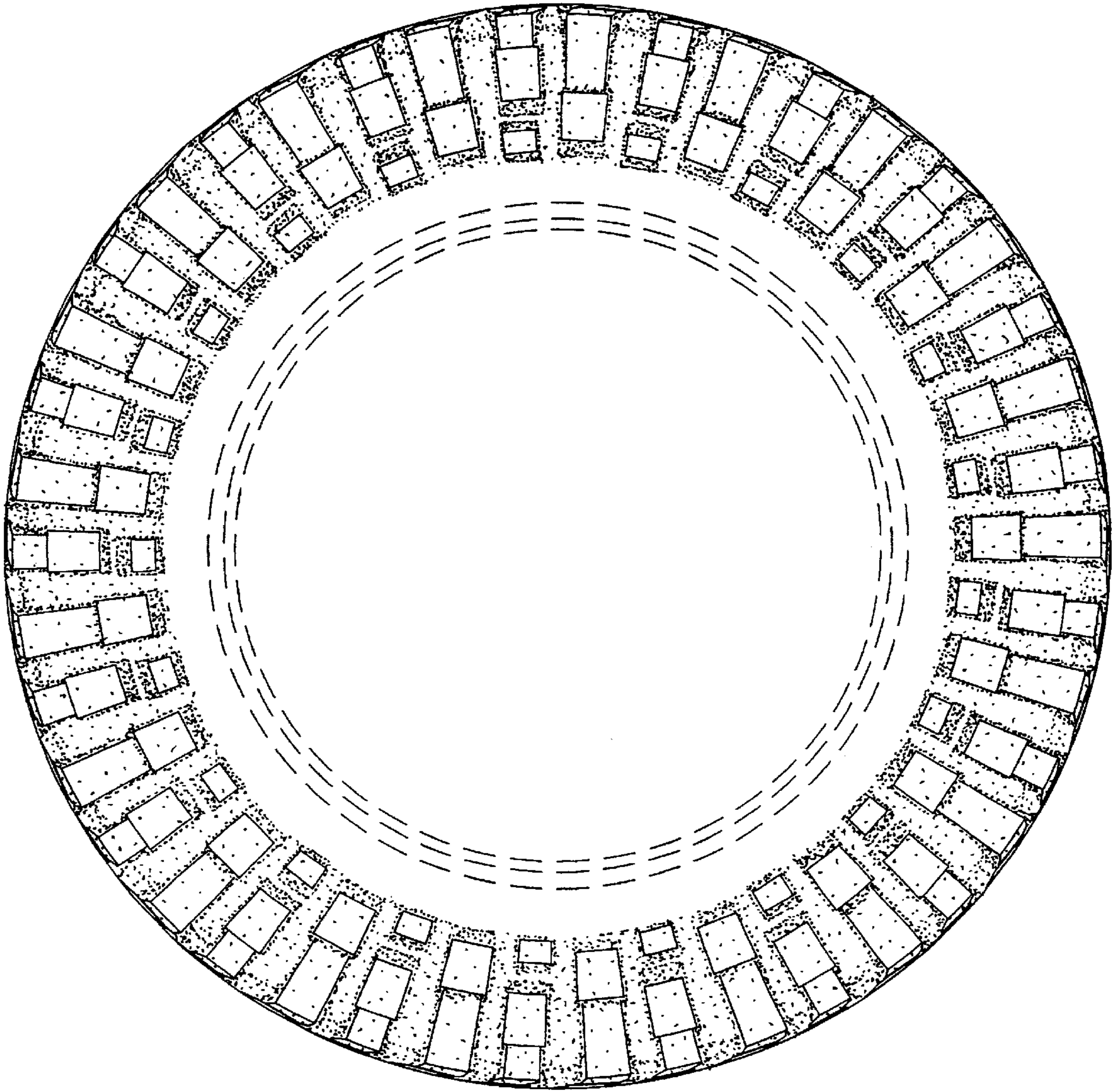


Fig. 4