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(54) **TIRE TREAD**

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

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DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a tire tread showing our new design, it being understood that the tread pattern is repeated throughout the circumference of the tire, and that the broken line illustrates the location of a sidewall and bead, but forms no part of the claimed design; and,

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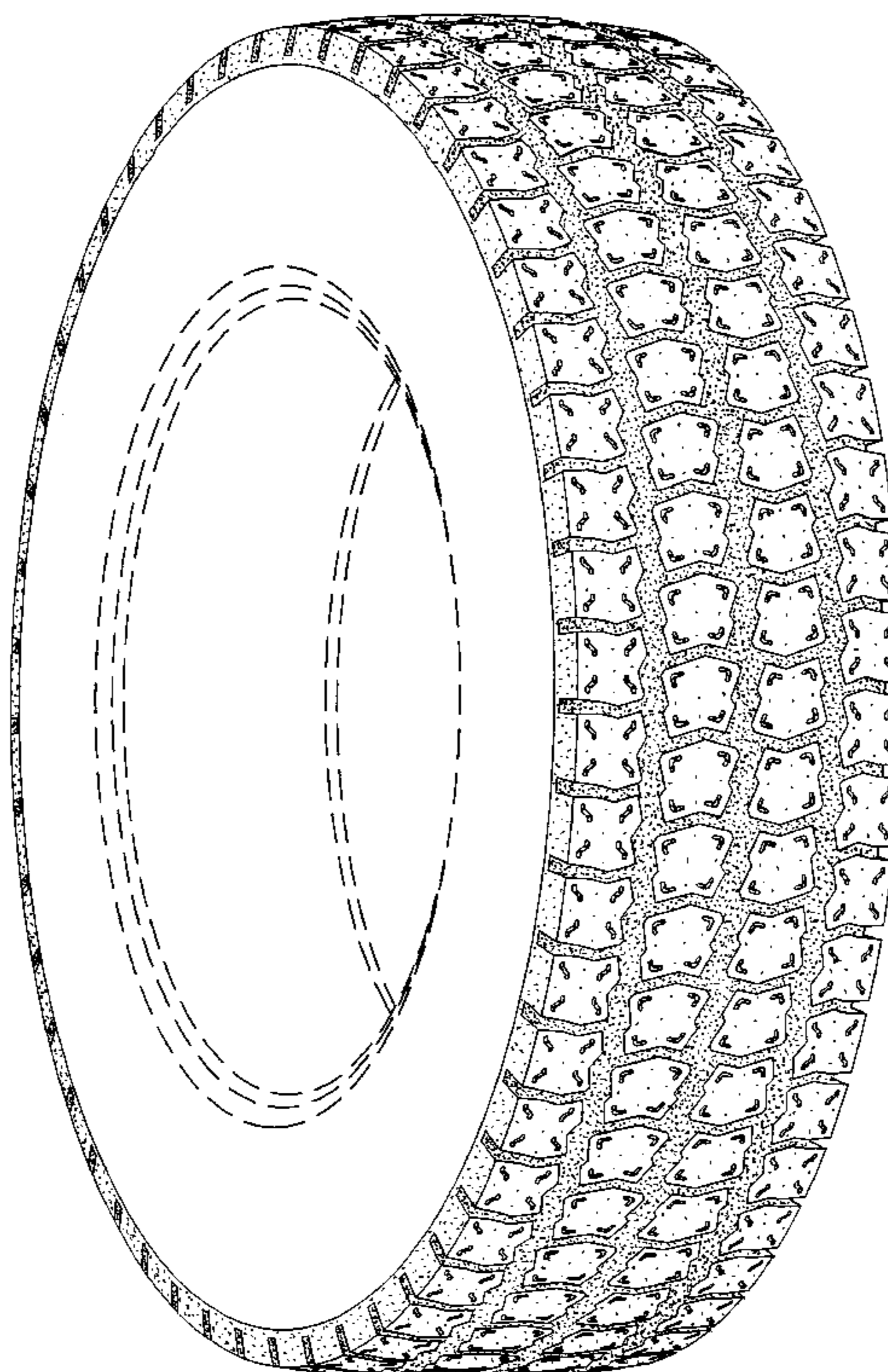
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FIG. 2 is an enlarged fragmentary plan view of the tire tread illustrated in FIG. 1.

Marshal Power Guard MT 833 Tire, 2001 Tread Design Guide, Jan. 2001, p. 97. 4/5.*

In the drawings, the dark stippled surface shading represents the recessed portion of the tread grooves, having the depth shown along the right edge of FIG. 1.

1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets



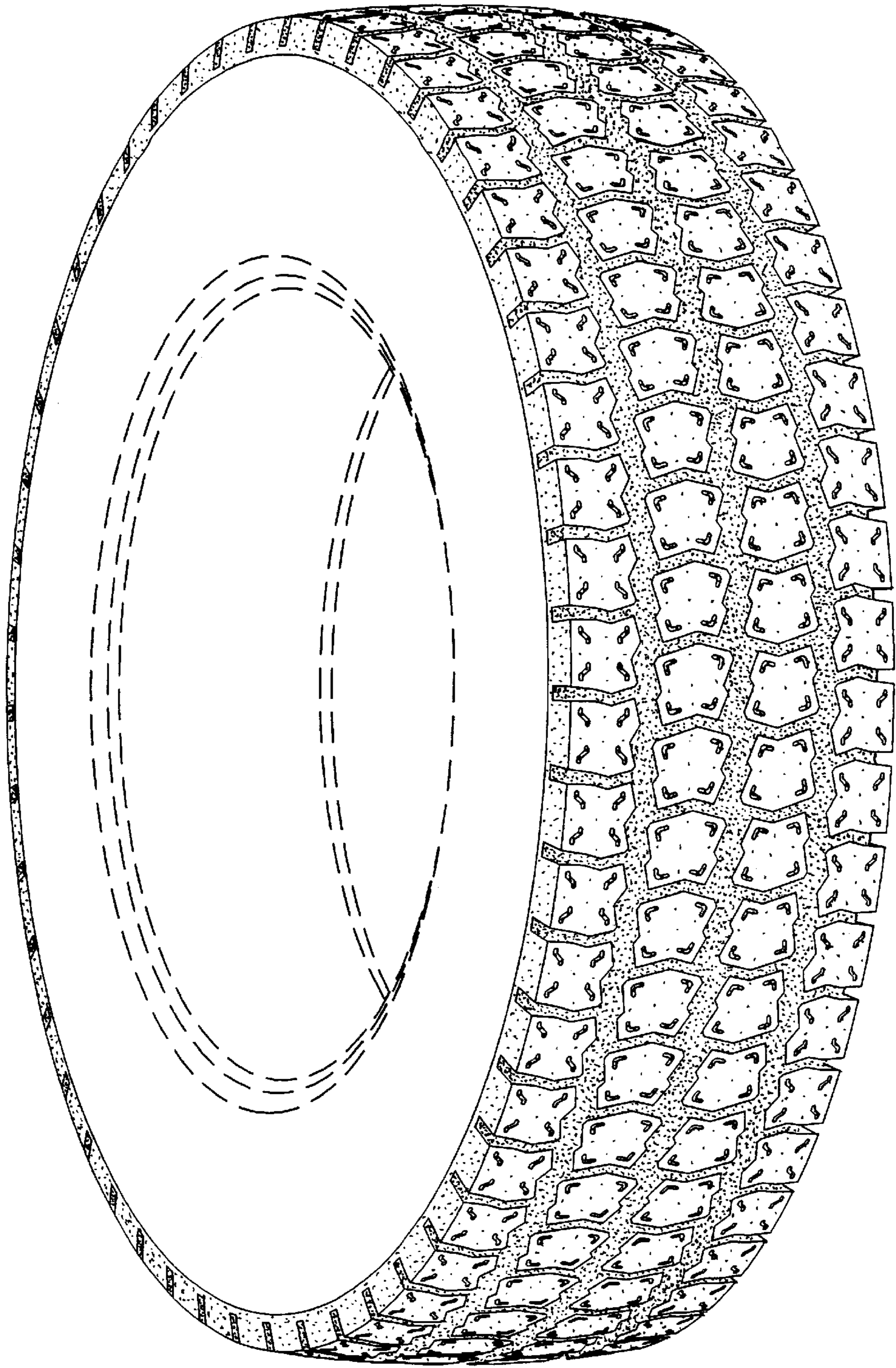


Fig. 1

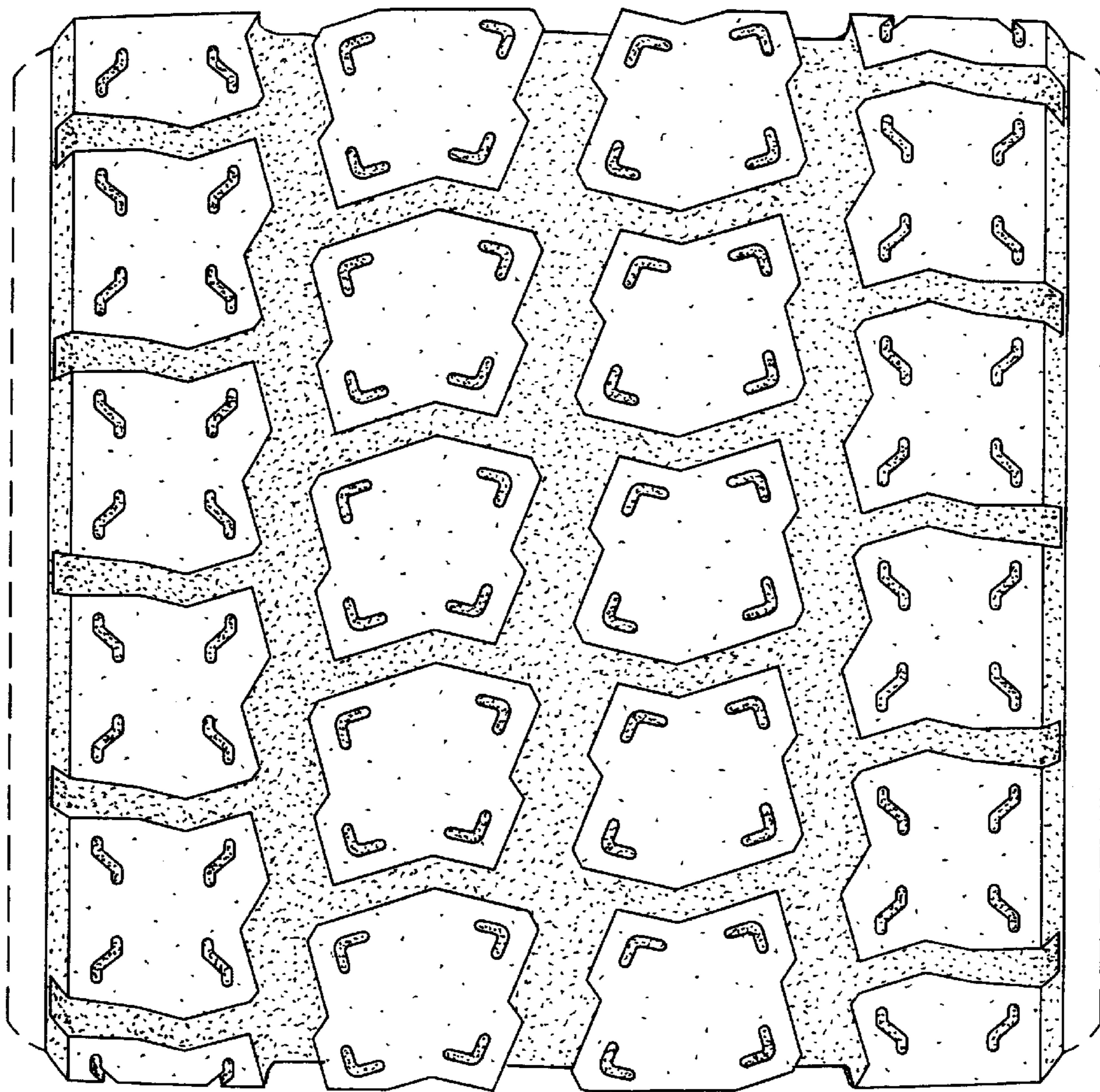


Fig. 2