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(54) **GRIPPING TOOL**

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The ornamental design for a gripping tool, as shown and
described.

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DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a rear perspective view of a gripping tool embody-
ing our new design;

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FIG. 2 is a front perspective view thereof;

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FIG. 3 is a left side elevational perspective view thereof the
right side elevational view being a mirror image of the right
side; and,

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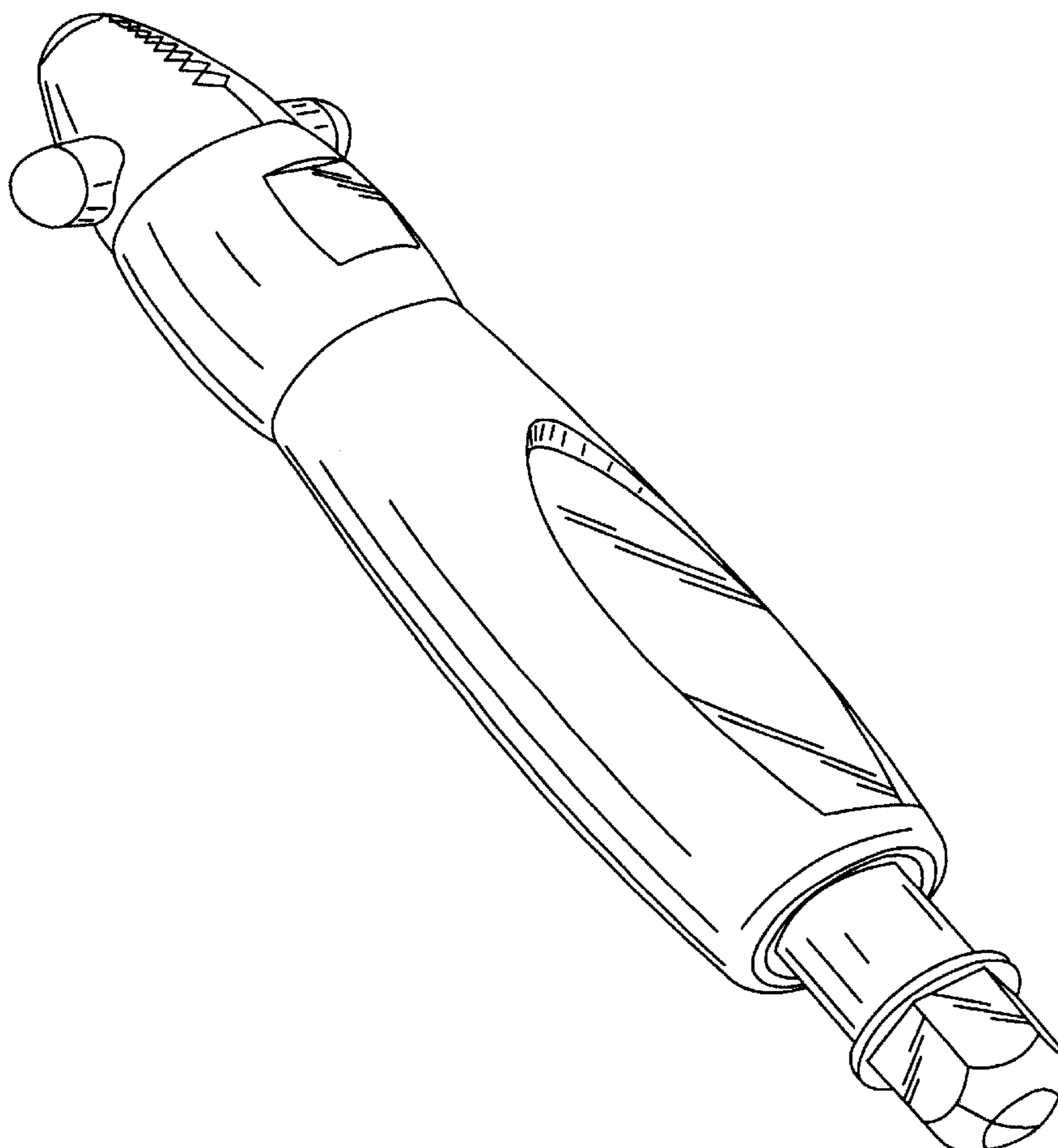
FIG. 4 is a top plan view thereof, the bottom plan view being
a mirror image of the top plan view.

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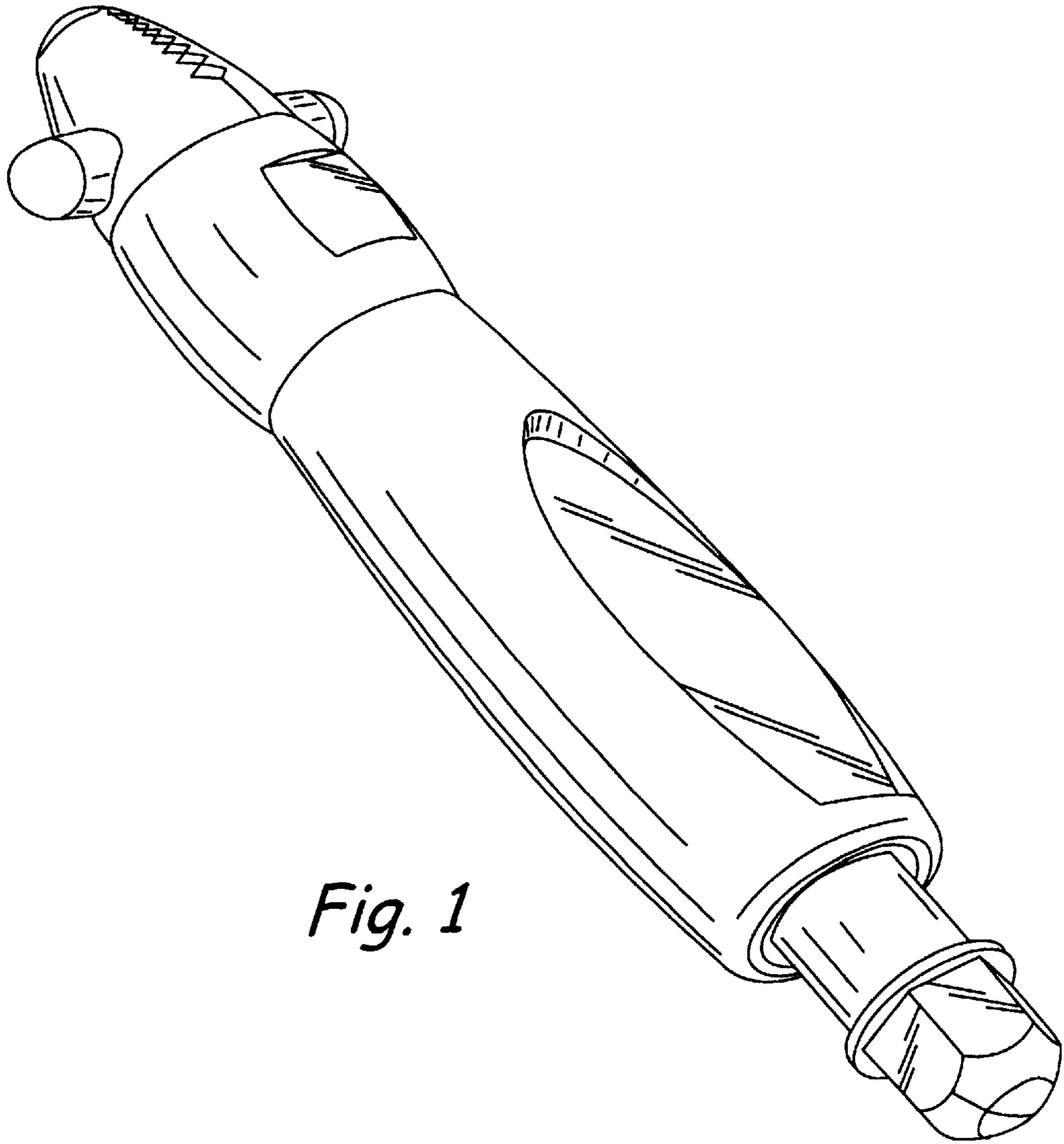


Fig. 1

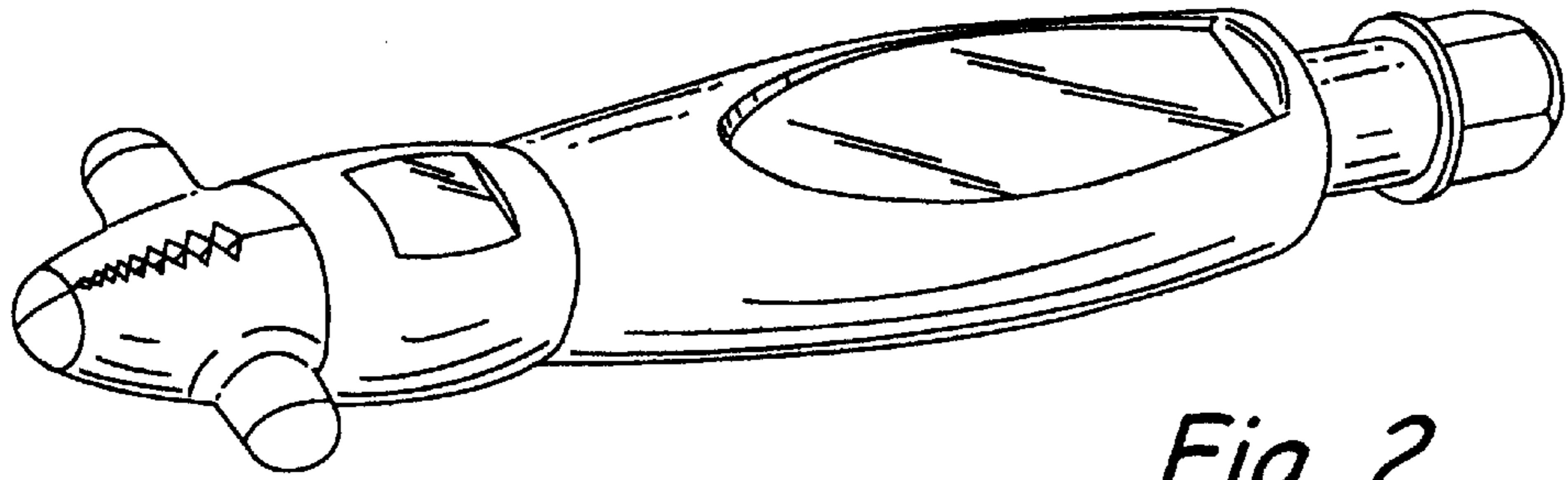


Fig. 2

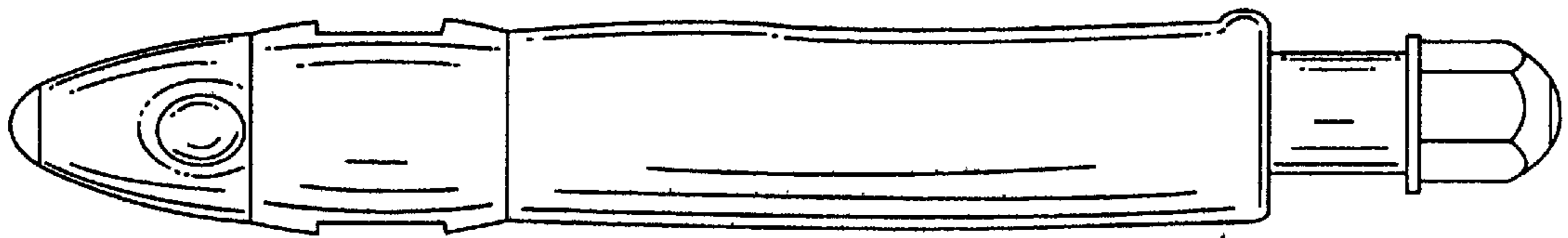


Fig. 3

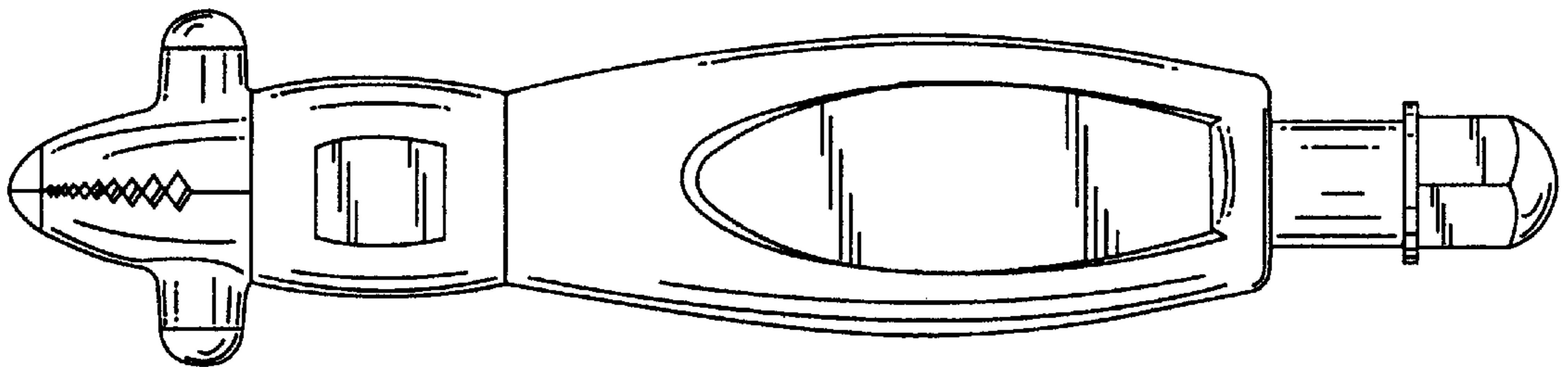


Fig. 4