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(54) **TREAD OF A TIRE**

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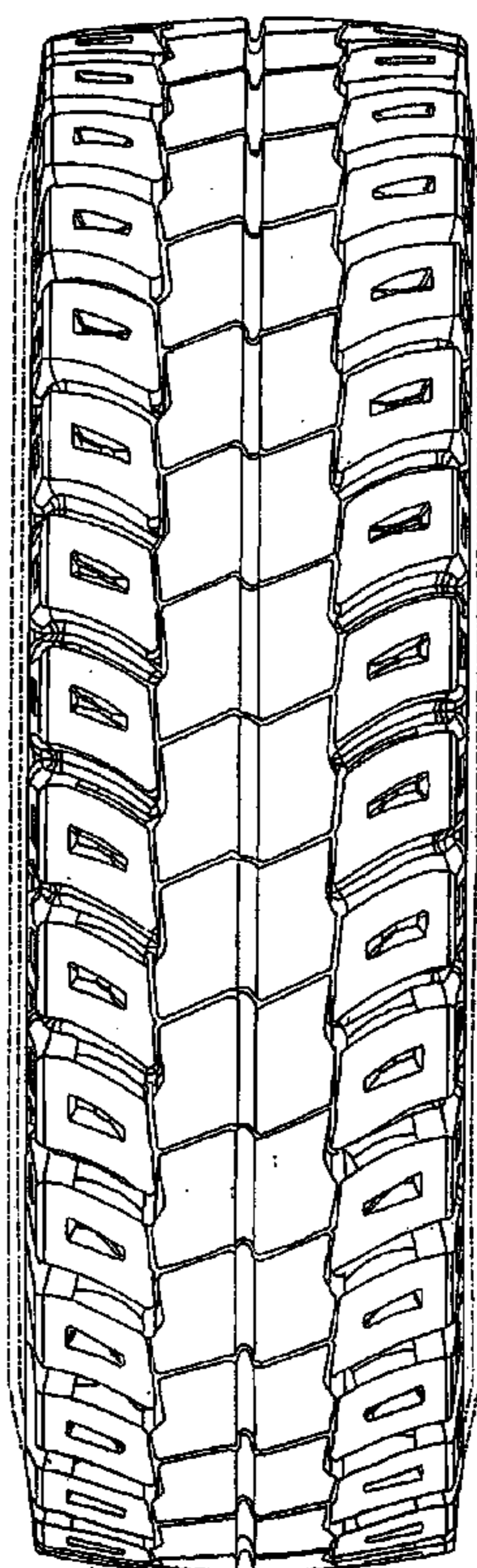
(57) **CLAIM**

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

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a tread of a tire of the present invention, it being understood that the pattern is repeated uniformly throughout the circumference of the tread; FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof; and, FIG. 3 is a side elevational view thereof. In the drawings, the broken lines defining the sidewall and inner bead, and the peripheral boundary between the tire tread and sidewall are for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets



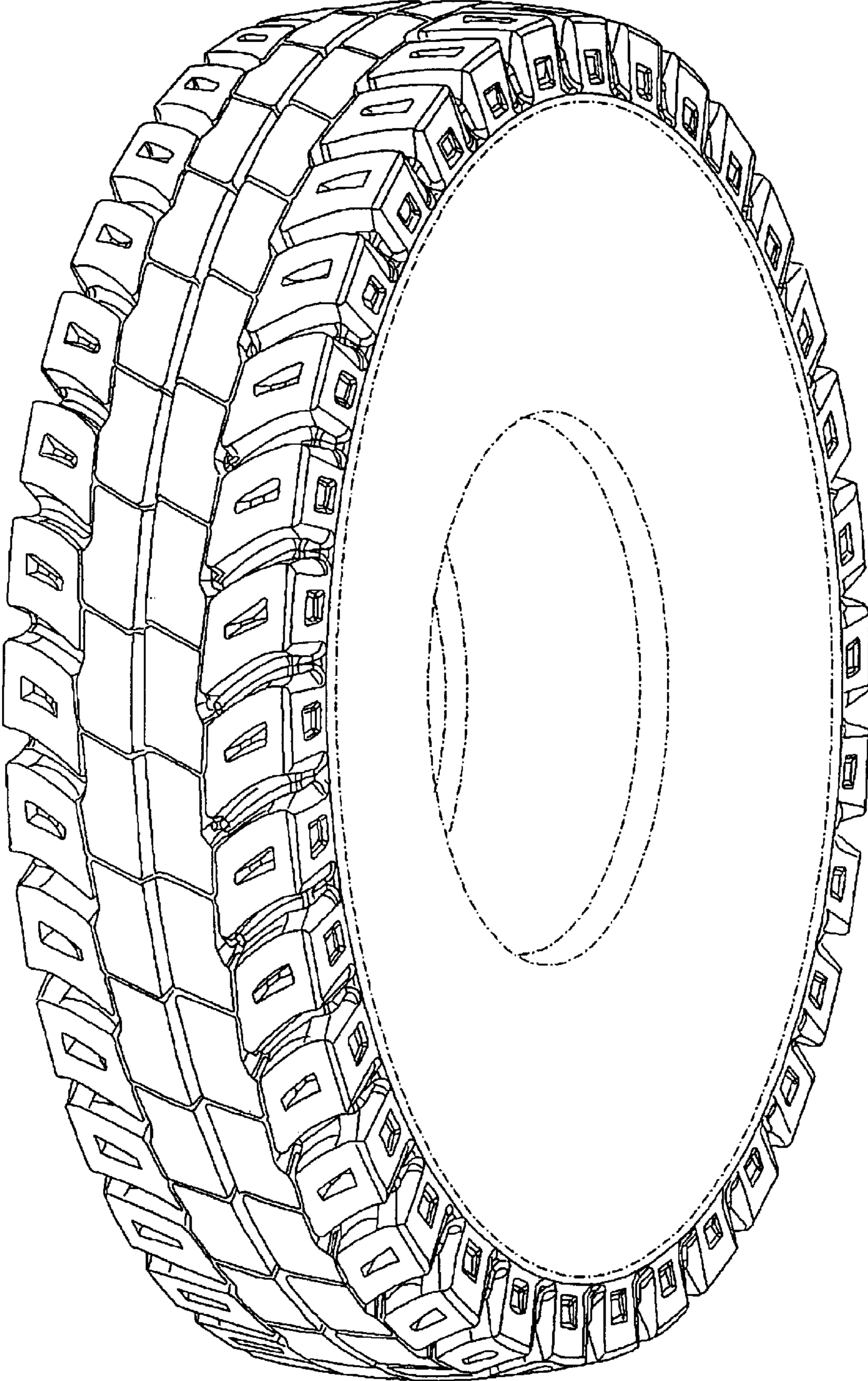


FIG. 1

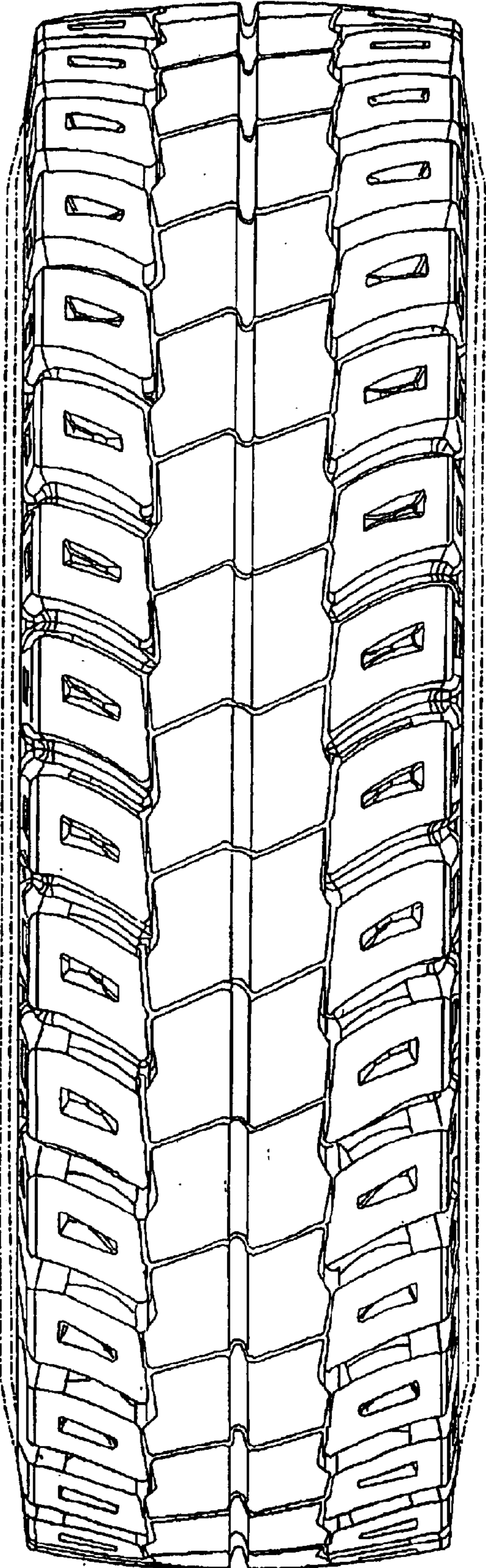


FIG. 2

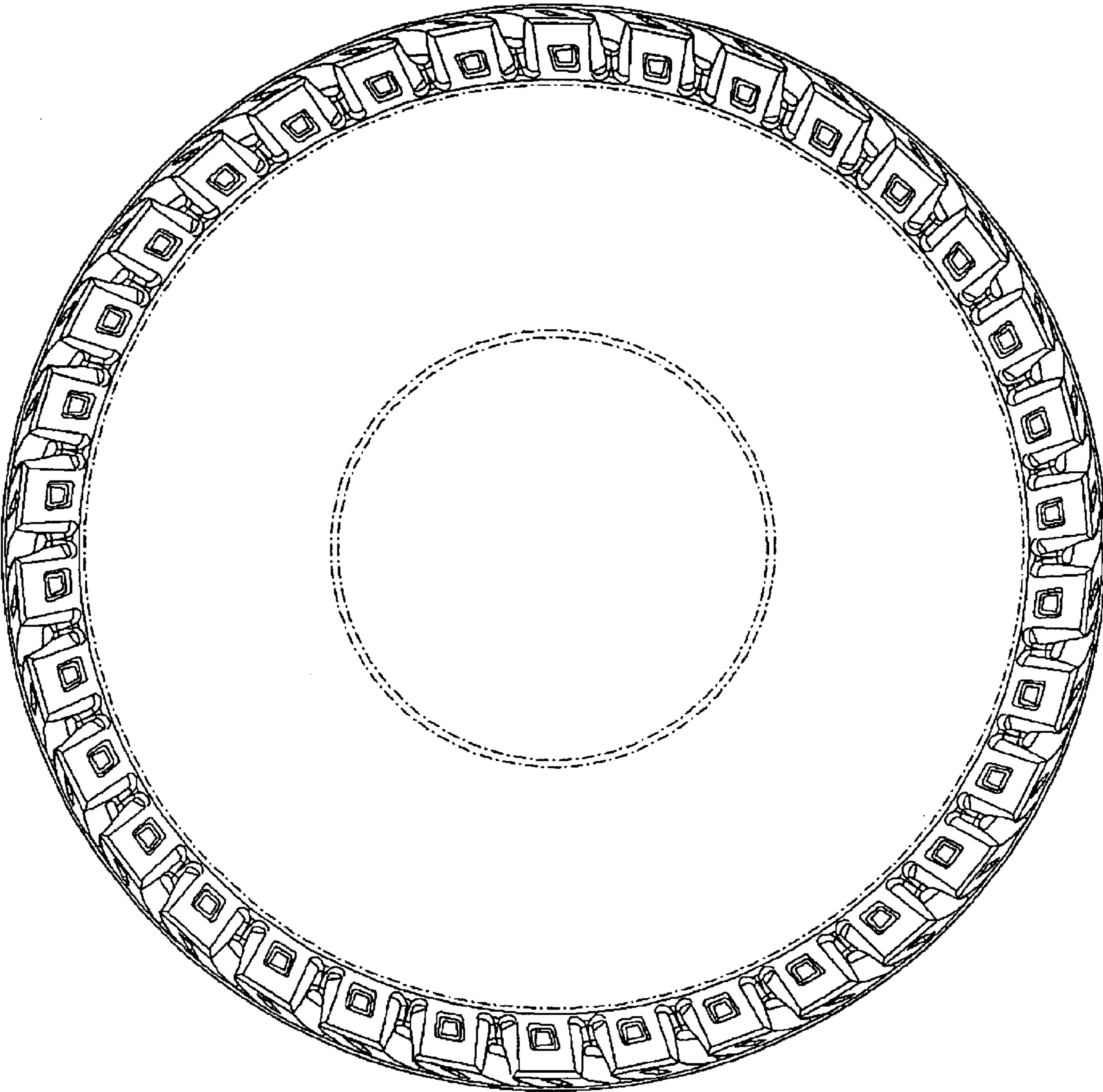


FIG. 3