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(54) **AUTOMOBILE TIRE**

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The ornamental design for an automobile tire, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front view of an automobile tire showing my new design;

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FIG. 2 is a rear view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a left side view thereof;

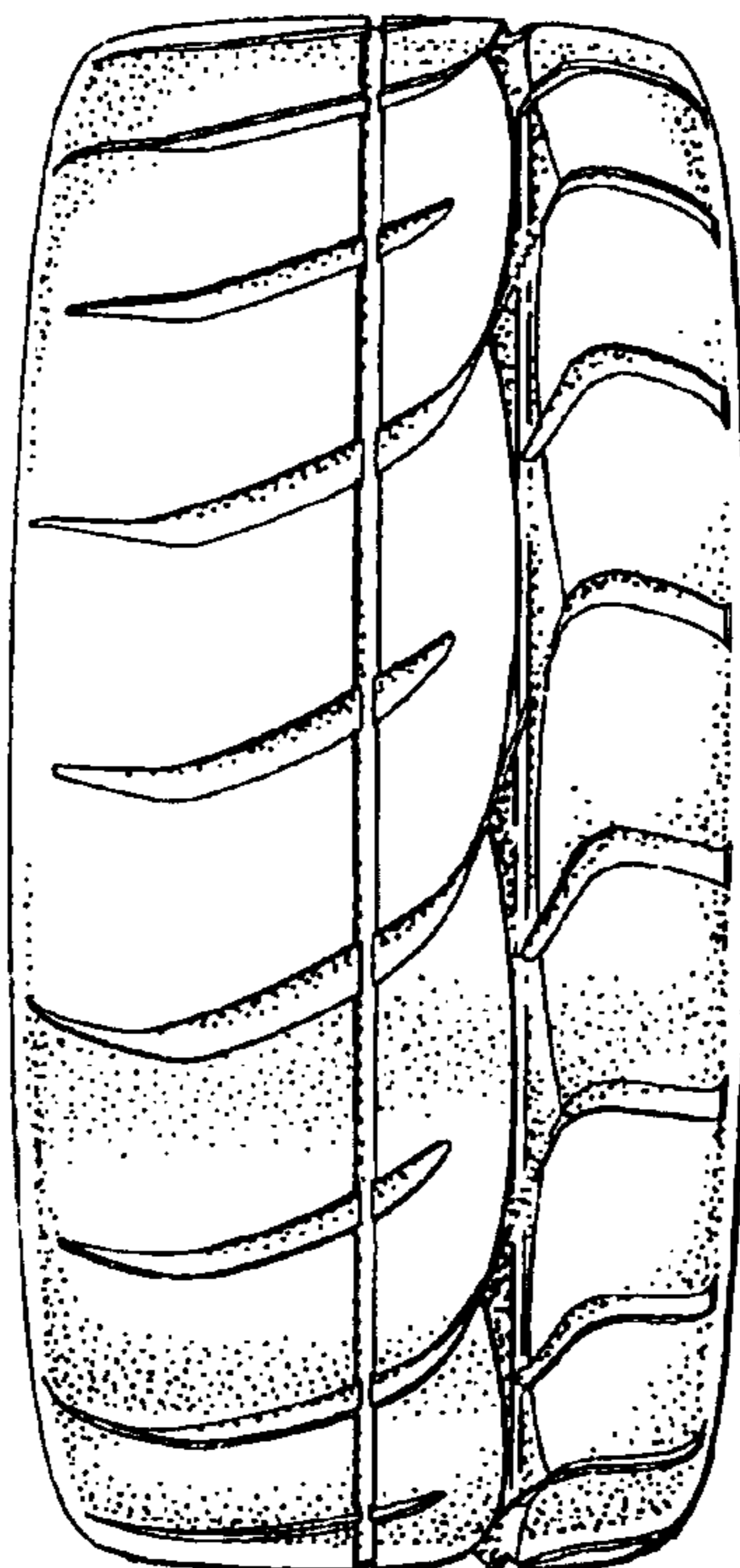
FIG. 4 is a right side view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a perspective view thereof; and,

FIG. 6 is an enlargement of a portion of the front view.

The broken lines in FIGS. 3 and 4 showing a rim edge as an environmental feature are for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 6 Drawing Sheets



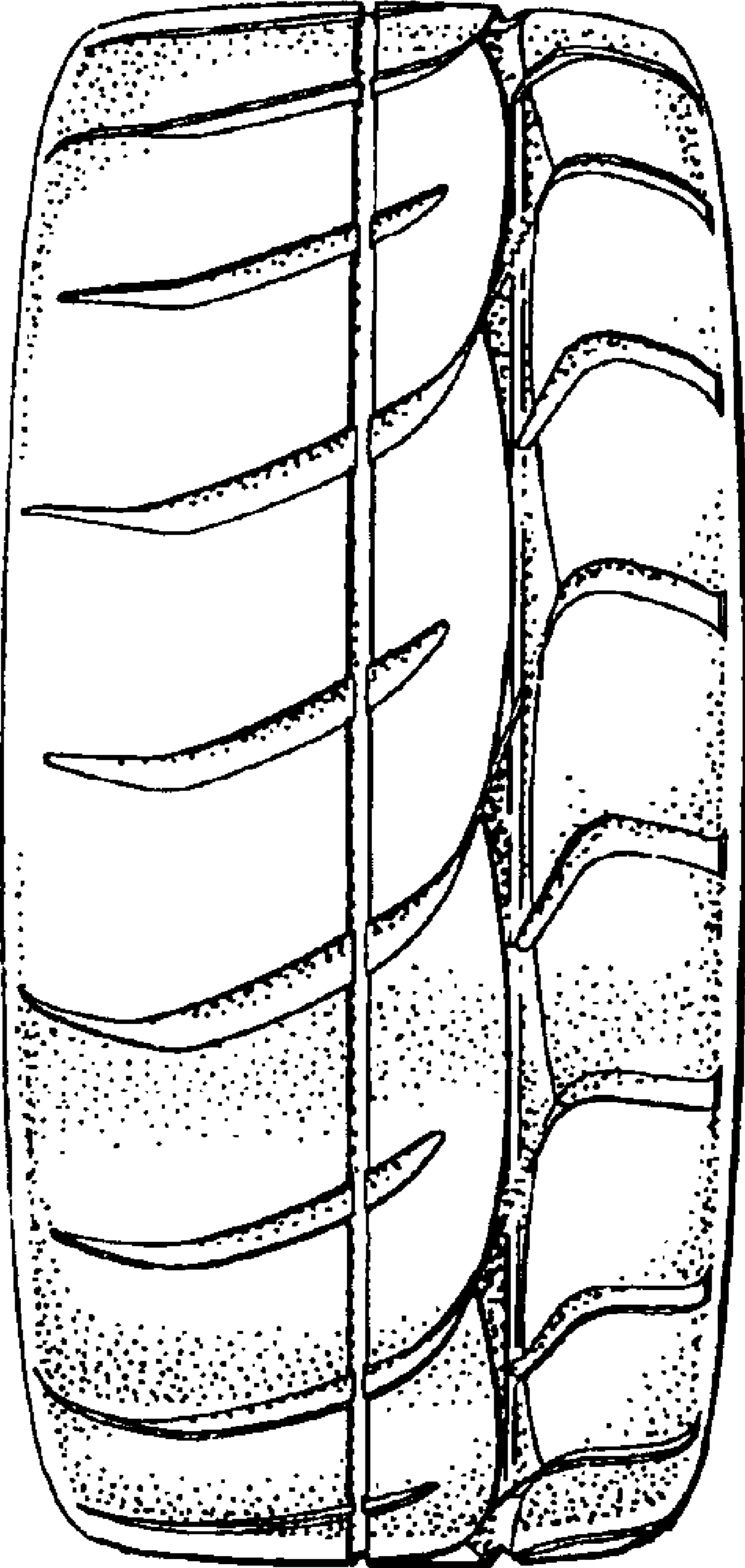


FIG. 1

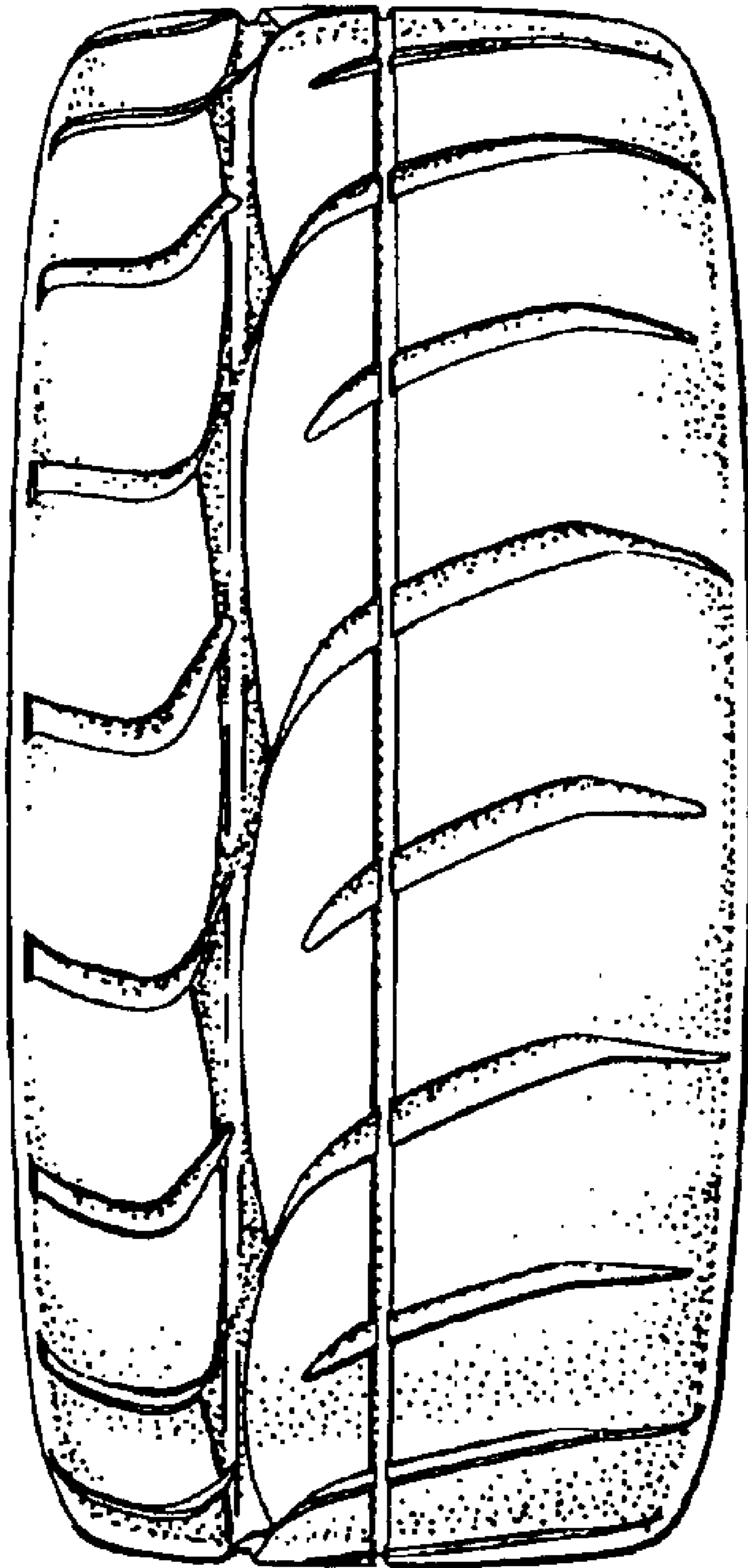


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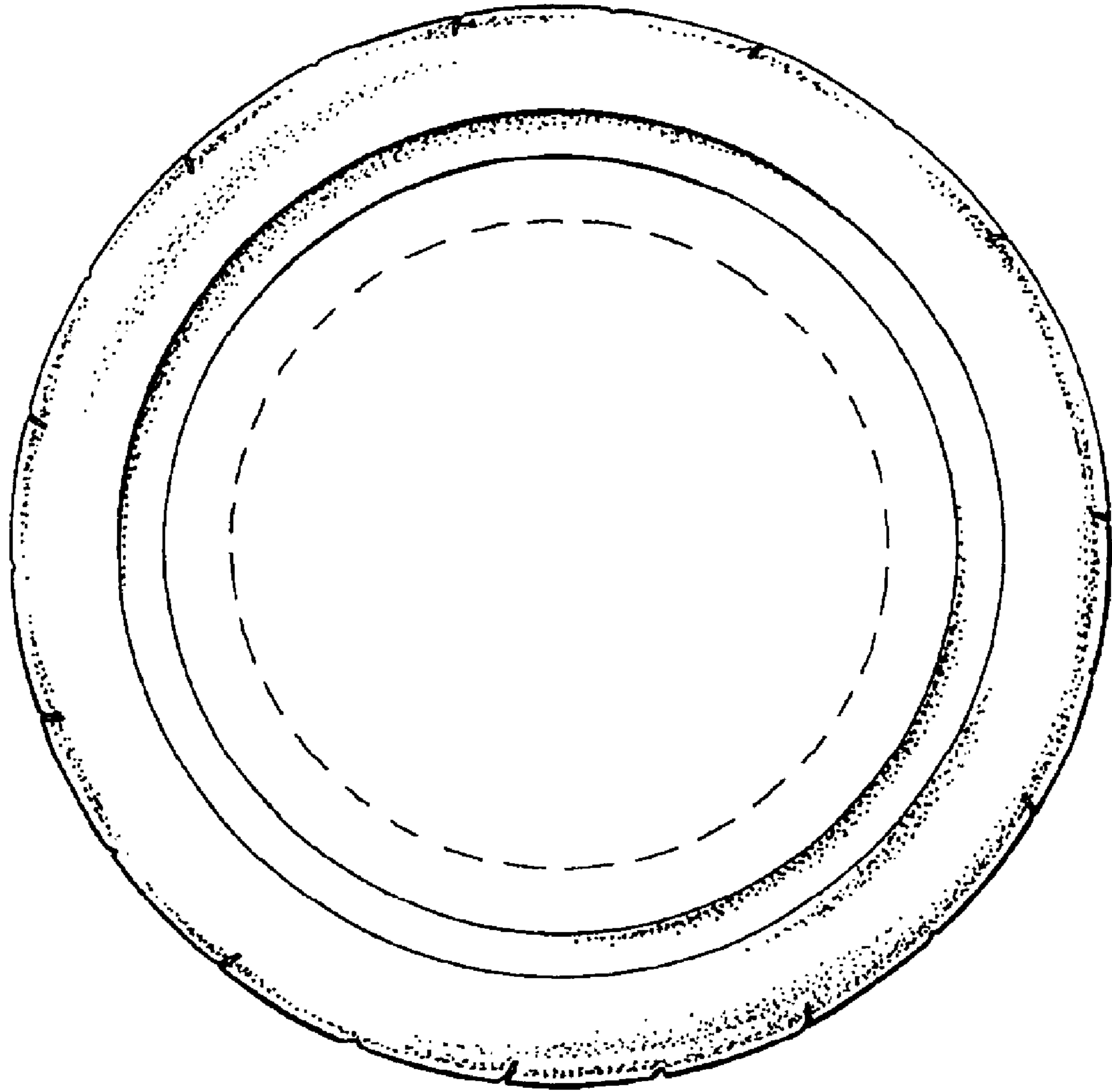


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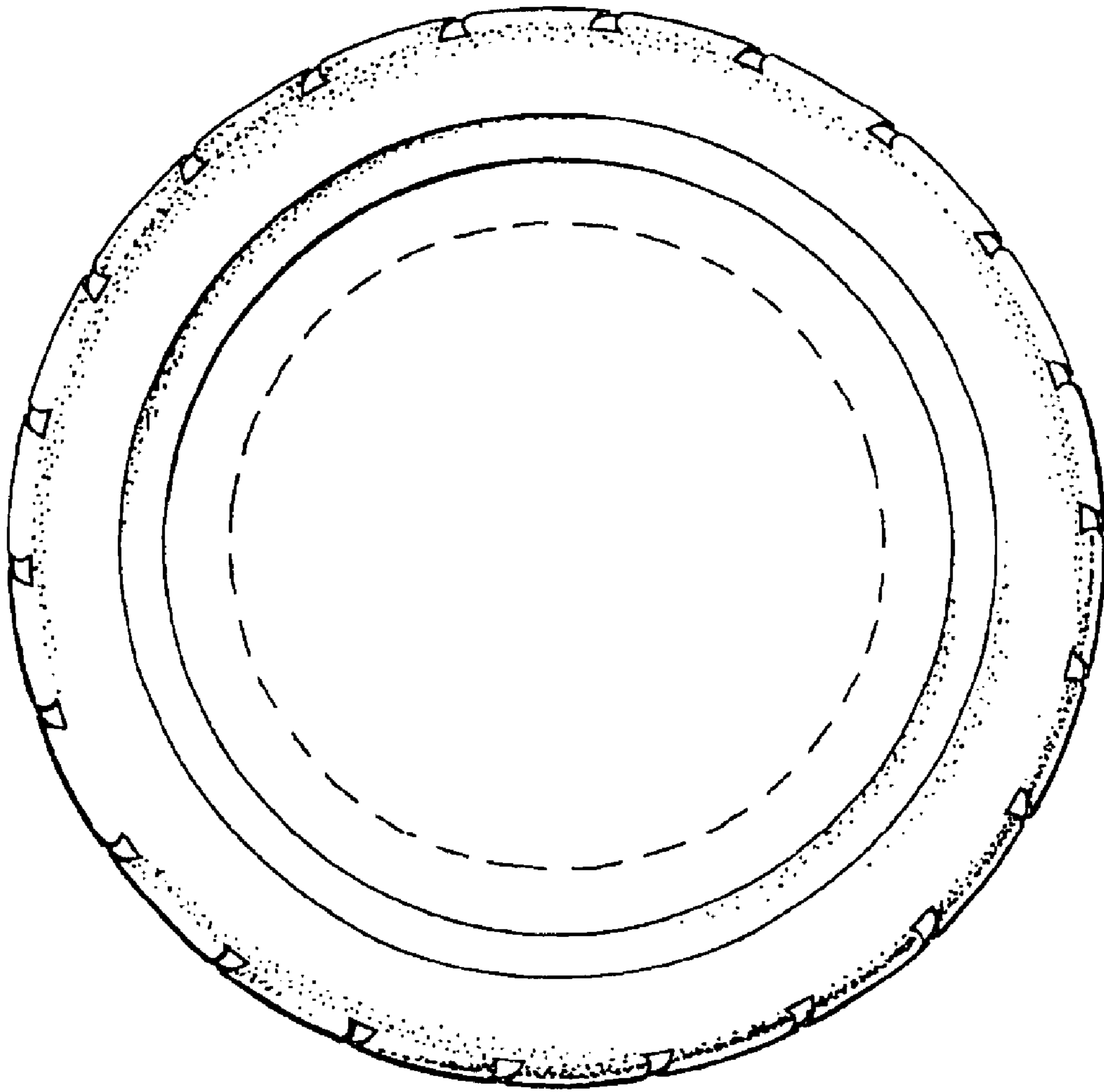


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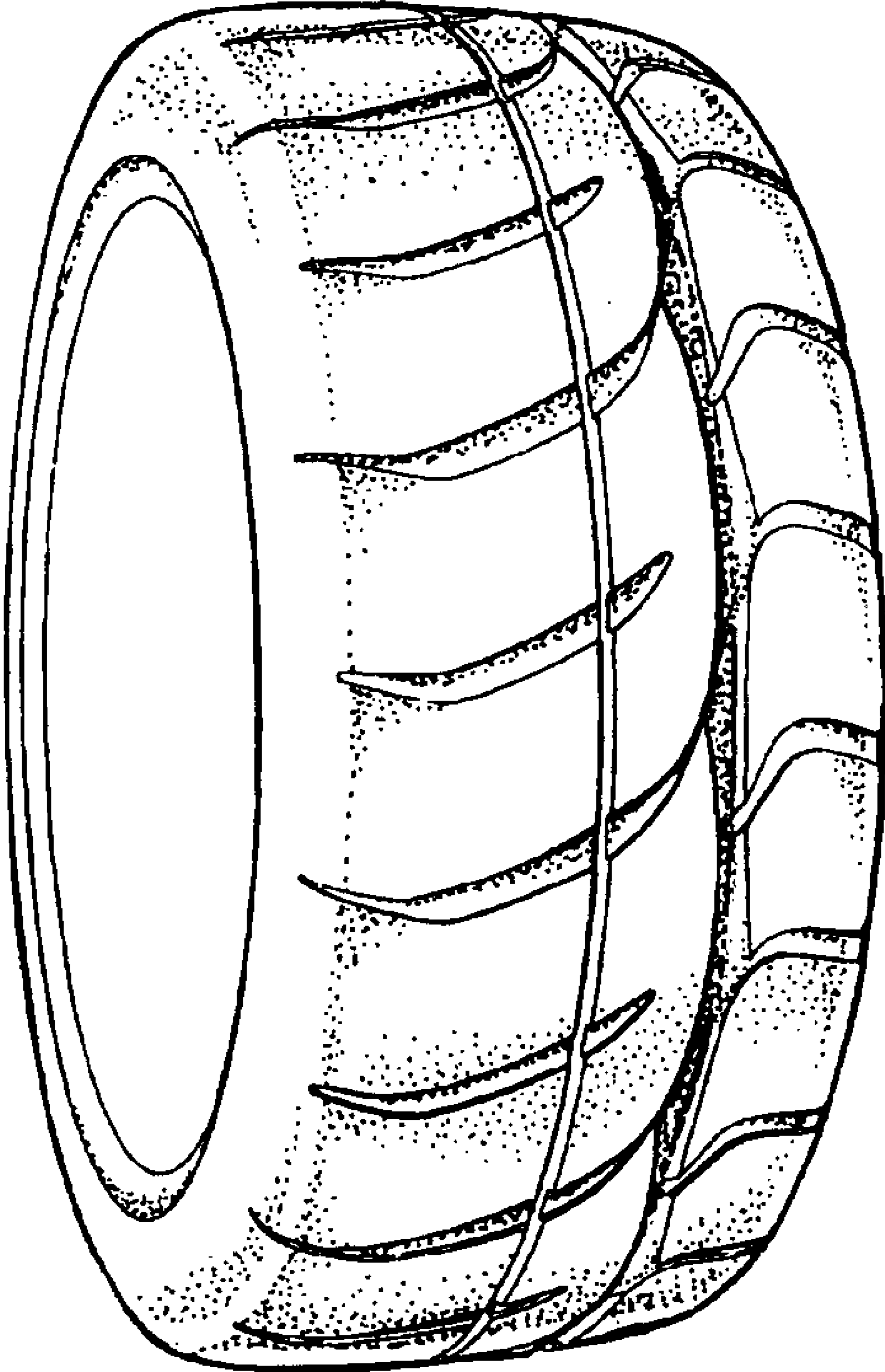


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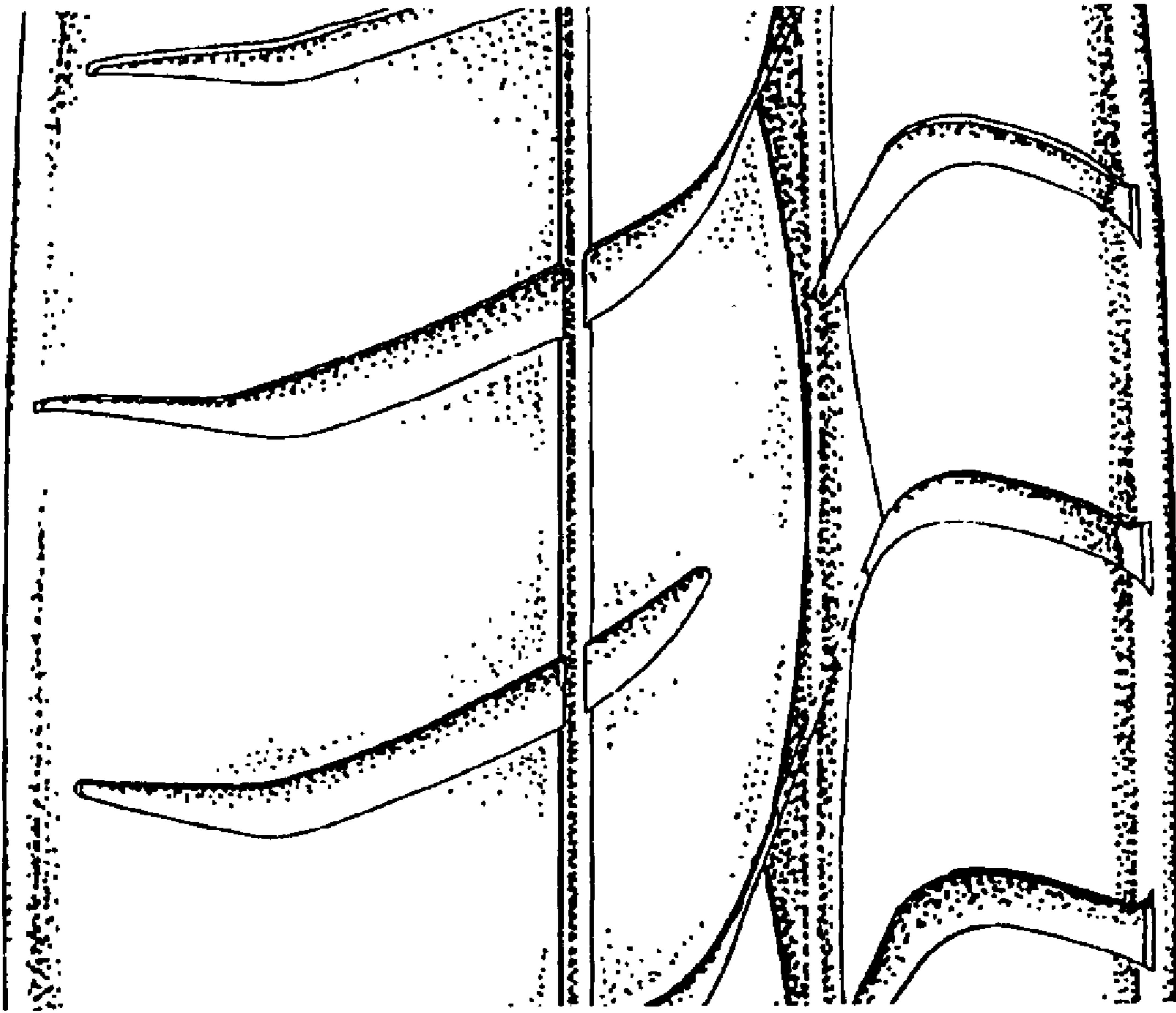


FIG. 6

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