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(54) **APRON FOR A PALLET TRUCK**

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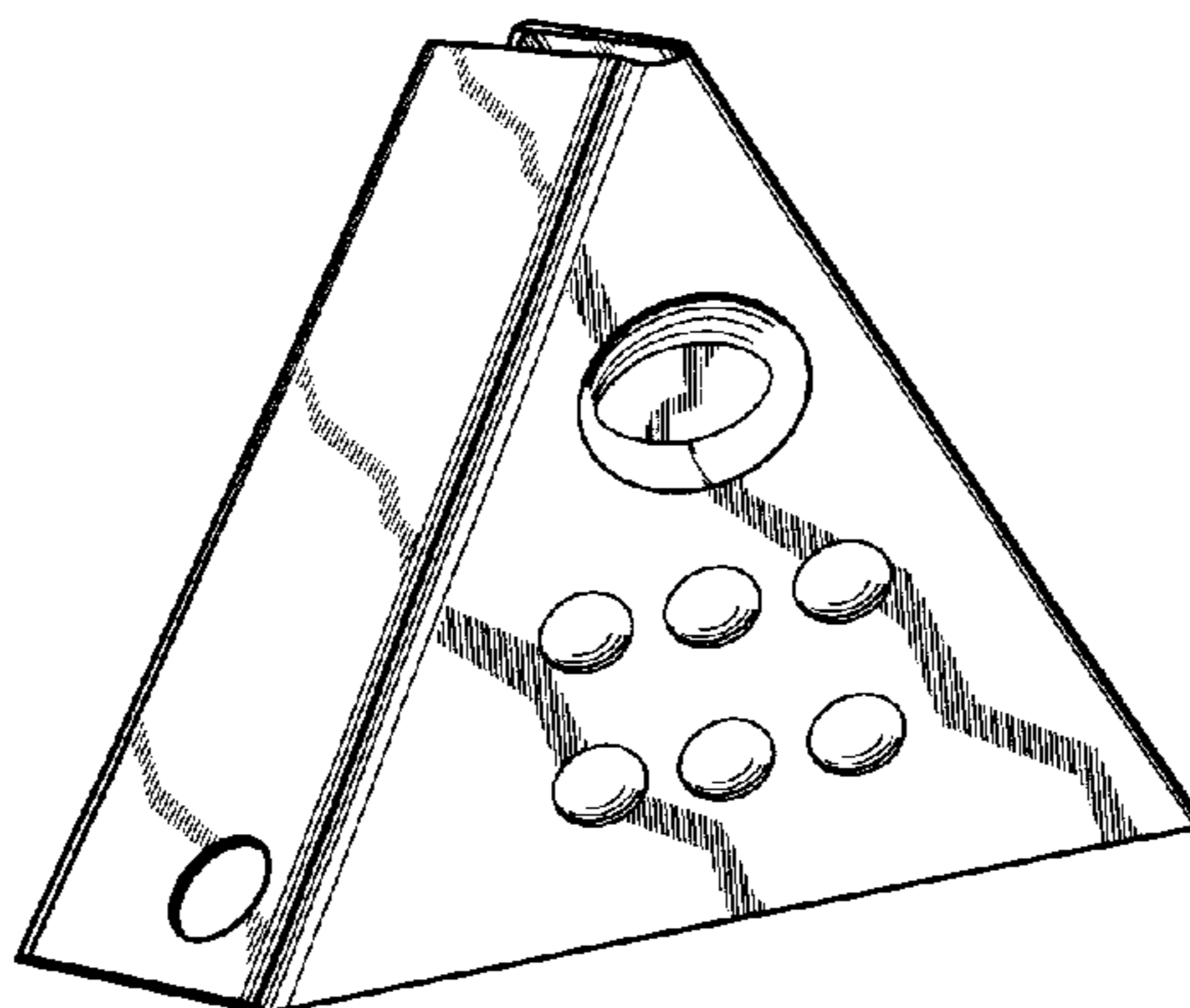
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for an apron for a pallet truck, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is an isometric view of an apron for a pallet truck taken from the right front showing my new design;
 FIG. 2 is another isometric view of the apron taken from the right front further showing my design;
 FIG. 3 is an isometric view of the apron taken from the left rear of the apron;
 FIG. 4 is a top view of the apron;
 FIG. 5 is an elevational view of the right side of the apron;
 FIG. 6 is an elevational view of the front of the apron;
 FIG. 7 is an elevational view of the left side of the apron;
 FIG. 8 is a plan view of the bottom of the apron;
 FIG. 9 is an elevational view of the back of the apron;
 FIG. 10 is an isometric view of the apron taken from the left rear of a pallet truck on which the apron is installed to illustrate the use environment of the apron; and,
 FIG. 11 is an isometric view of the apron taken from the left front of a pallet truck on which the apron is installed to illustrate the use environment of the apron.
 The broken line showing of a pallet truck in FIGS. 10 and 11 is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets



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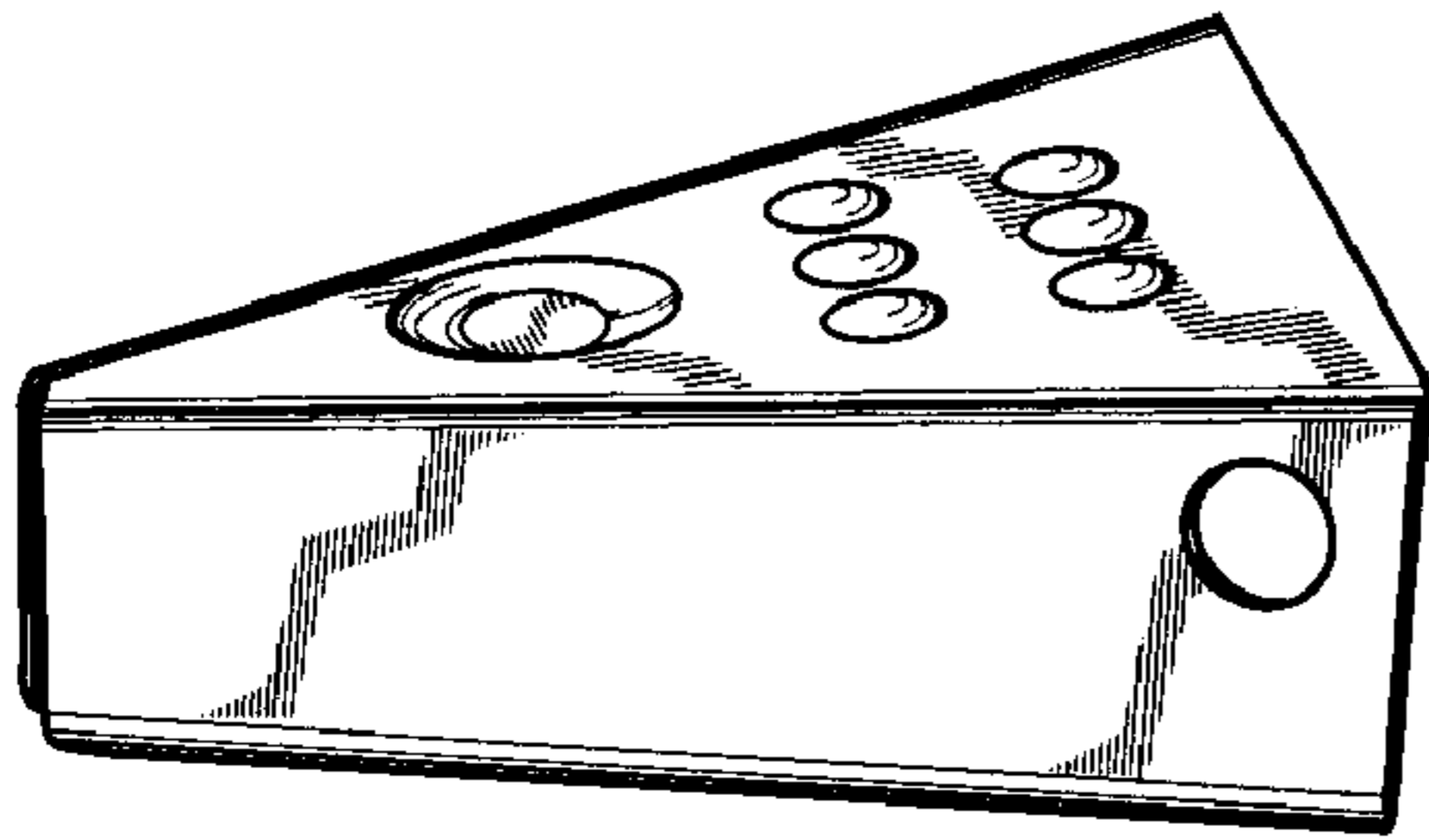


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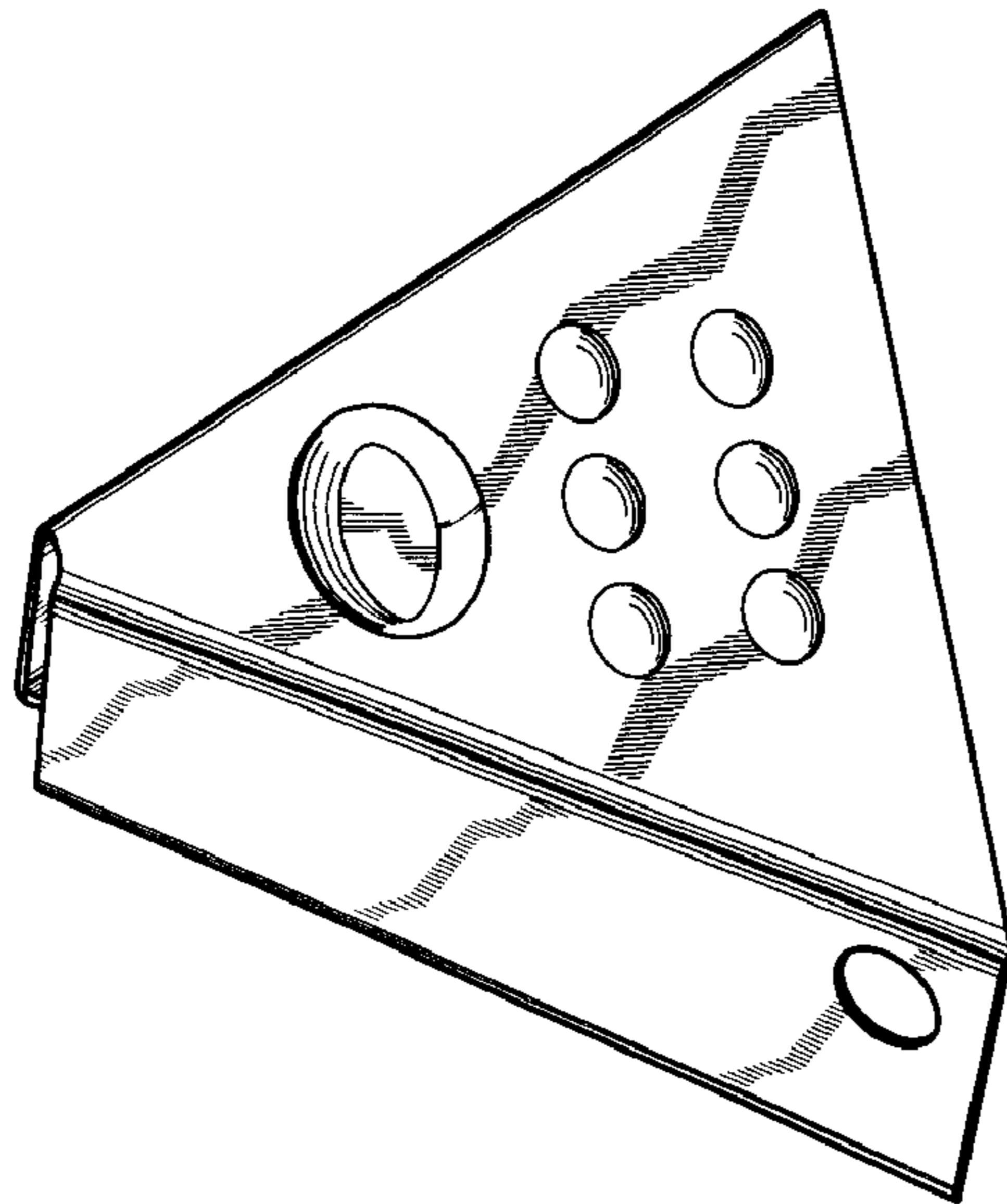


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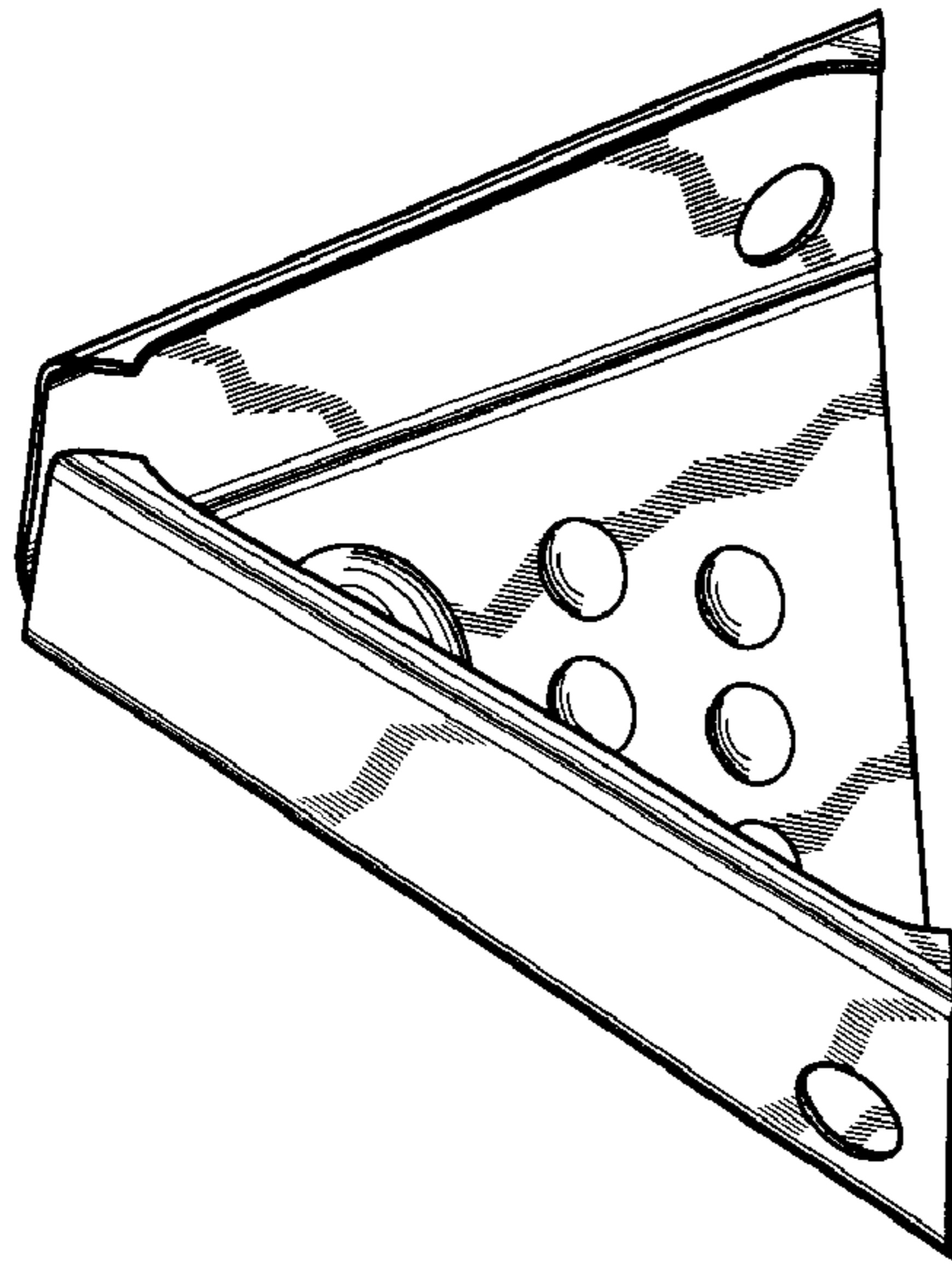


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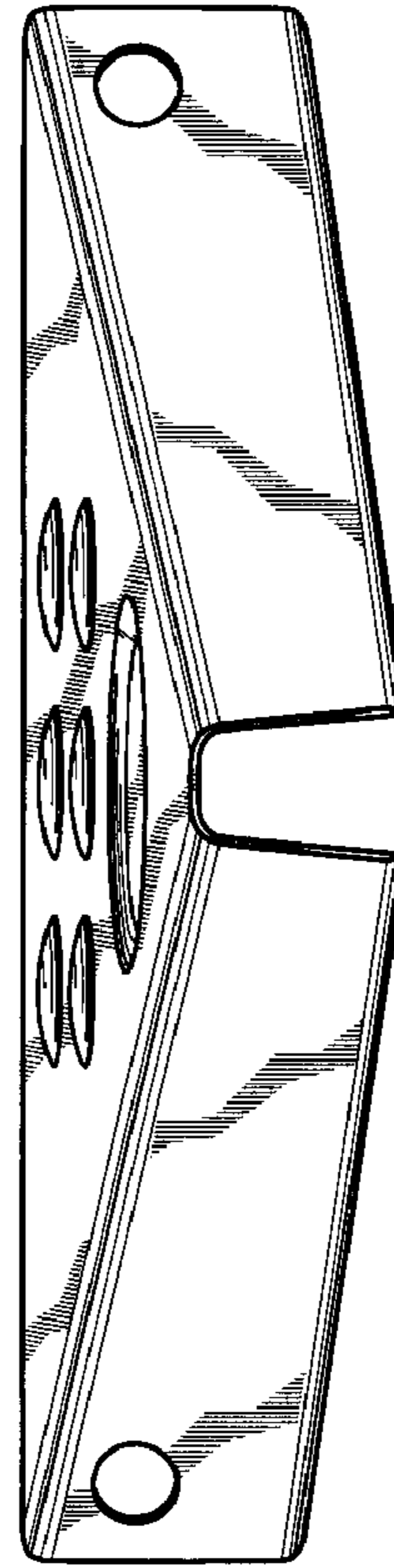


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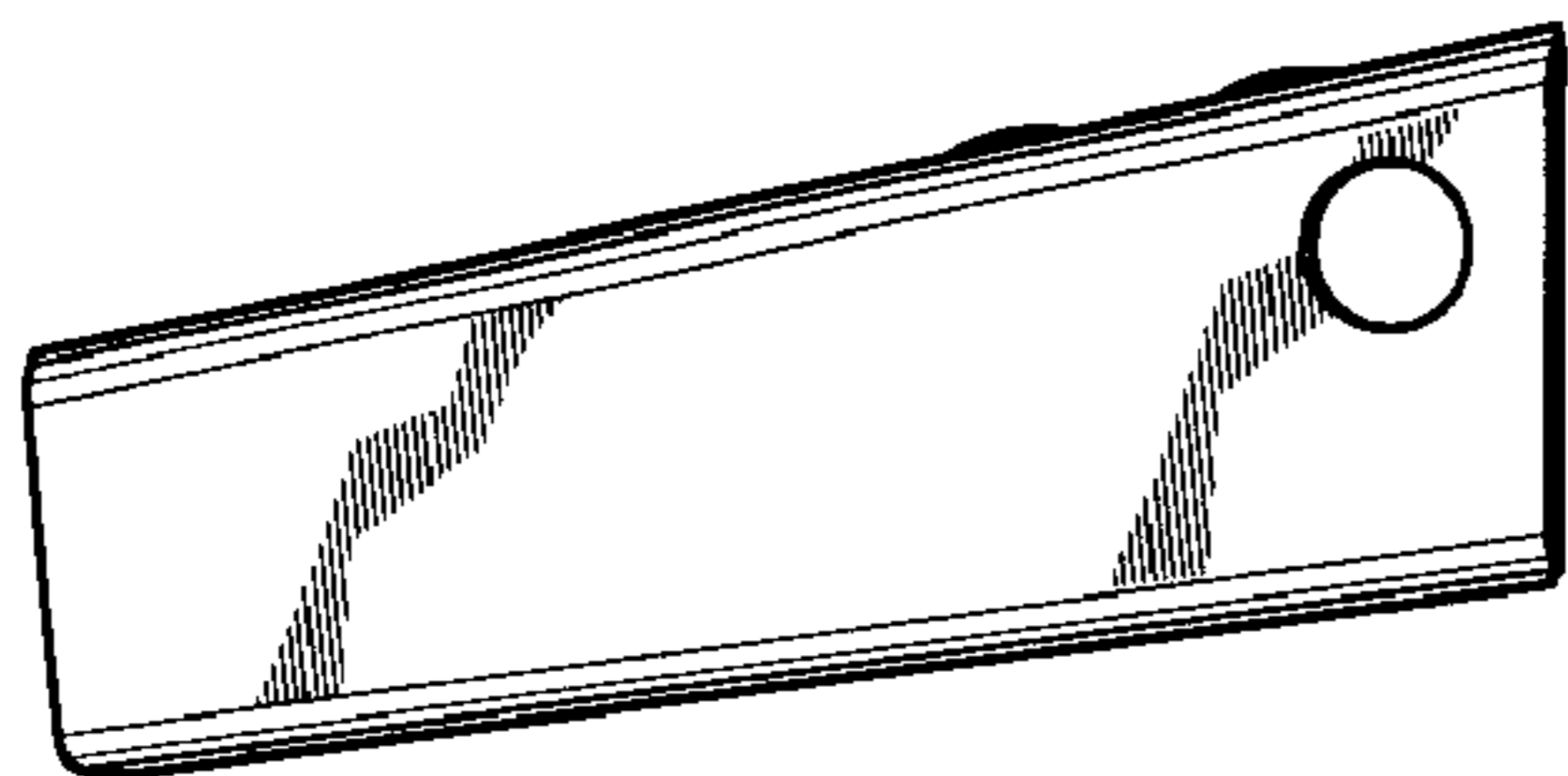


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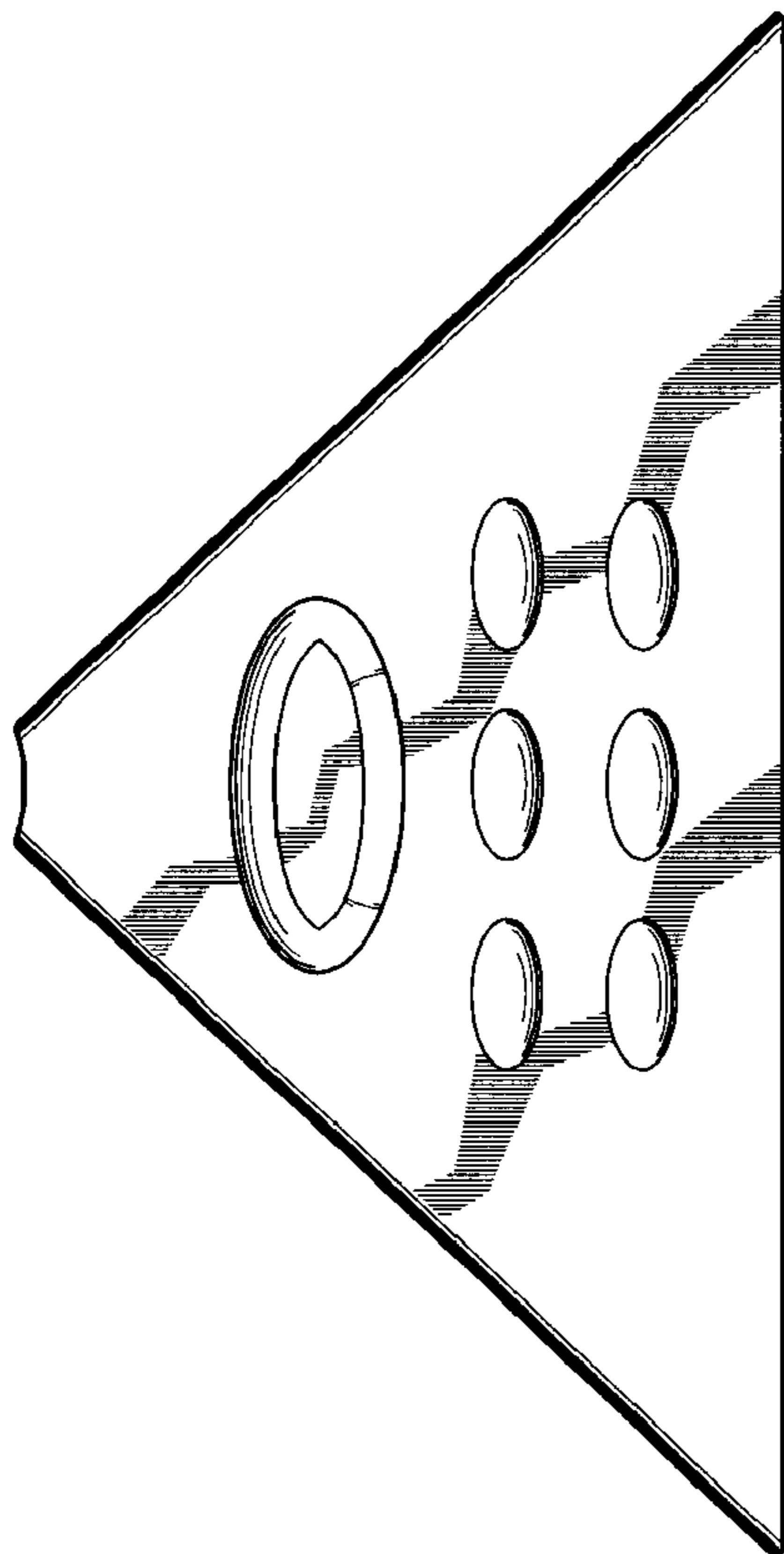


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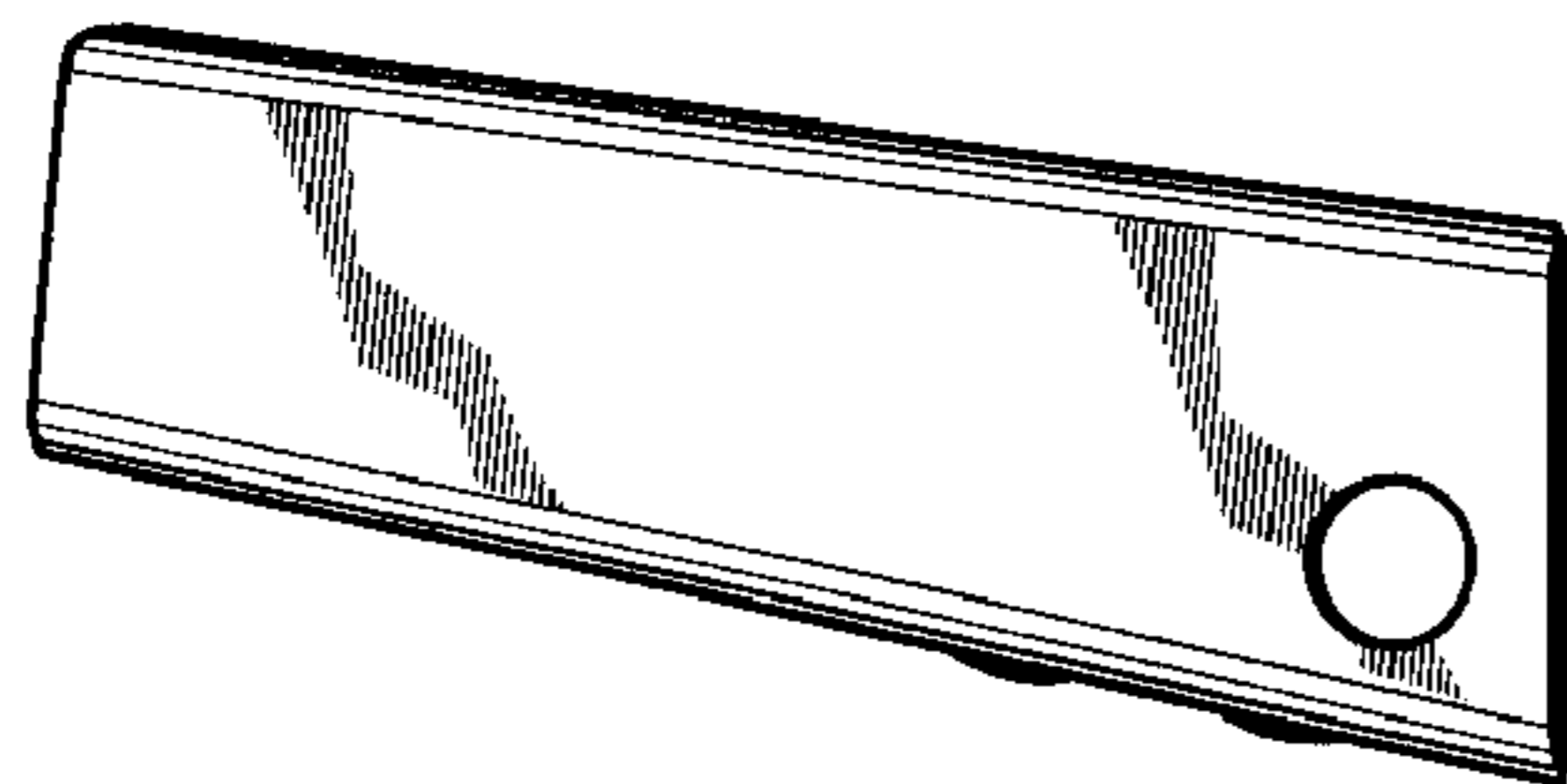


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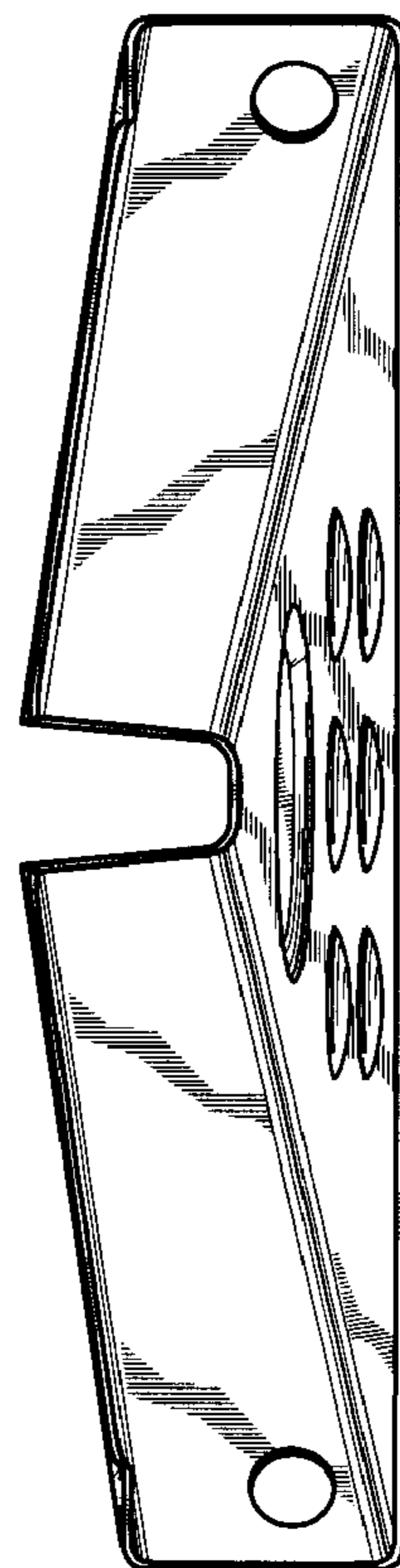


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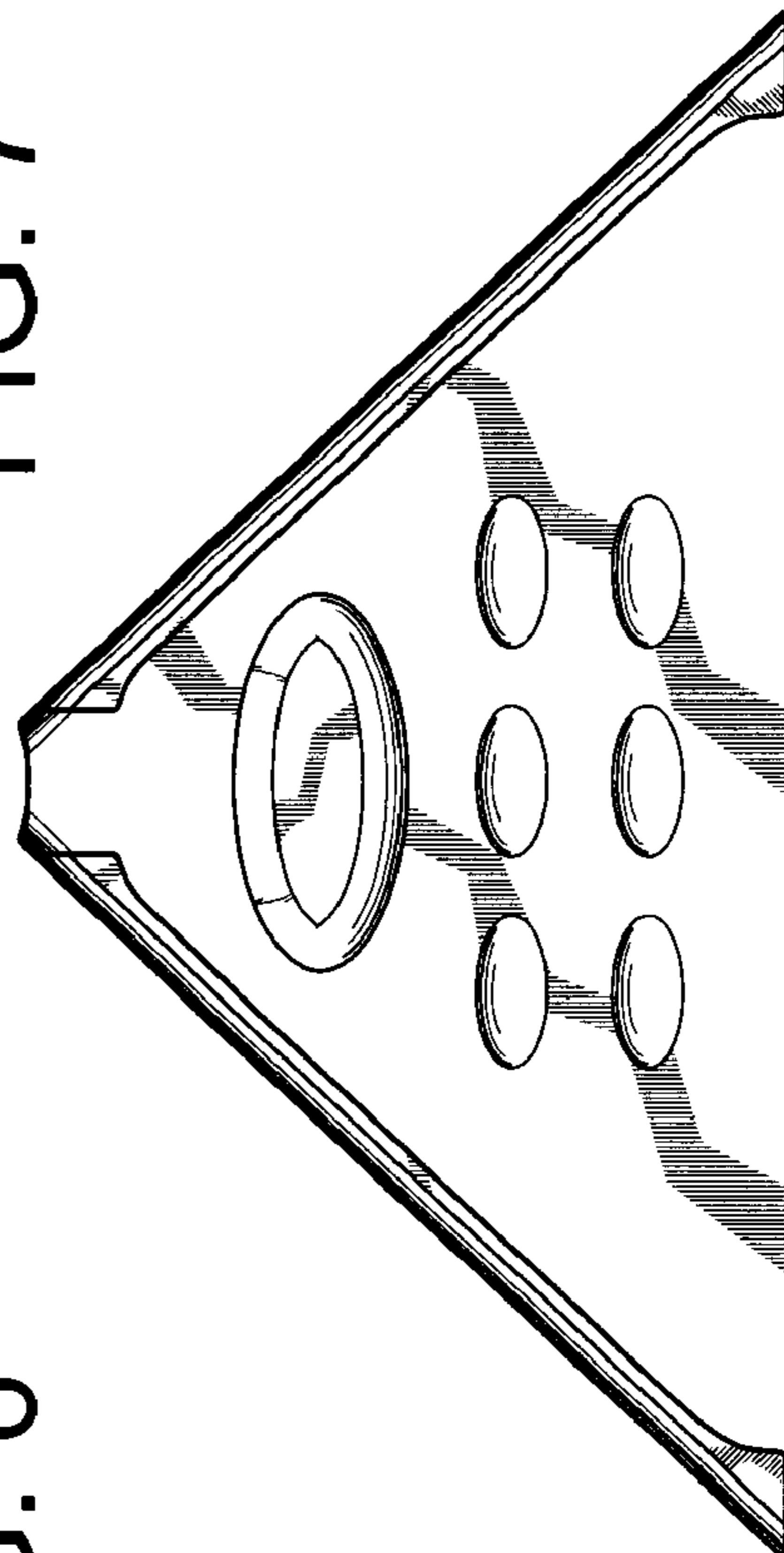


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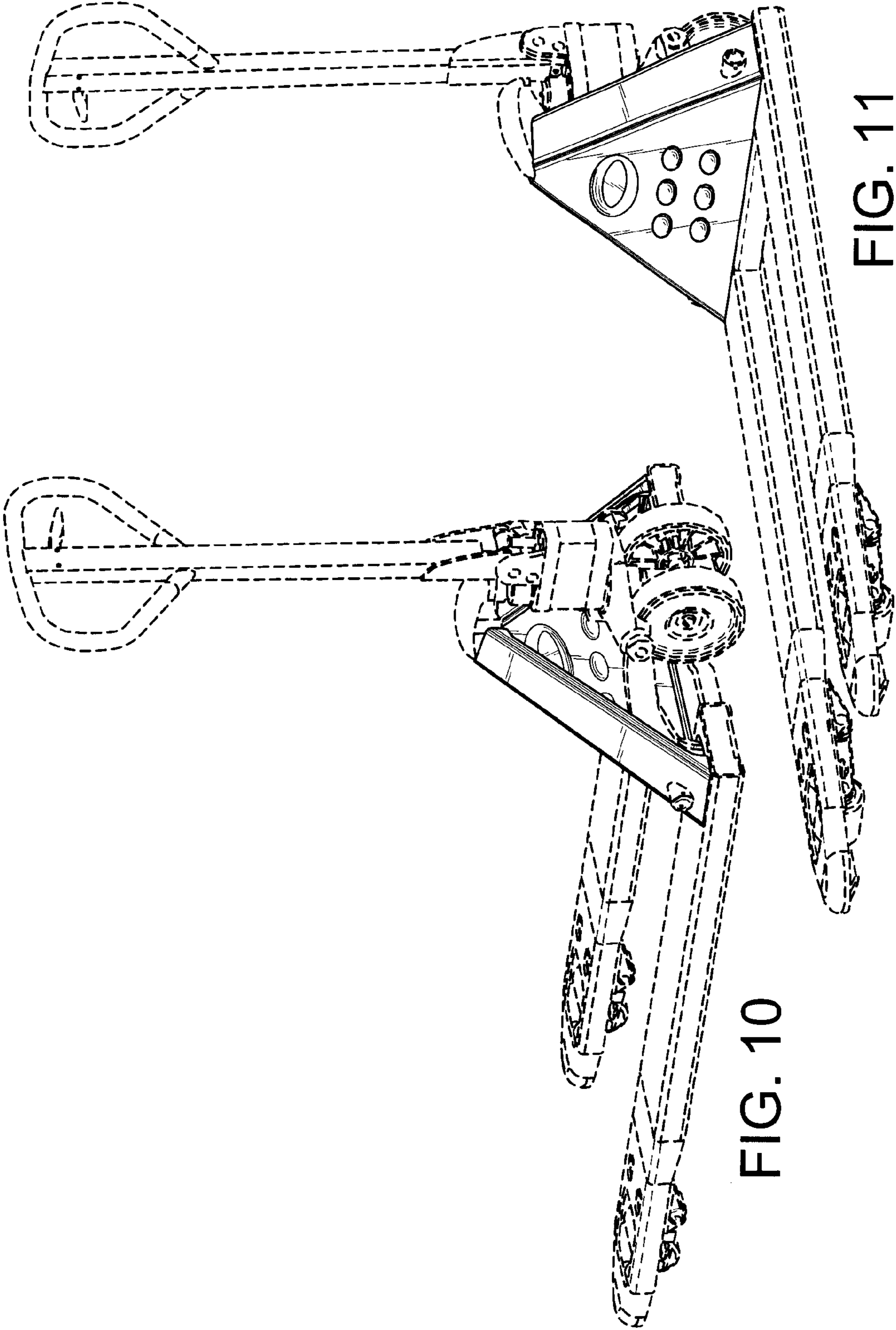


FIG. 10

FIG. 11