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(57) **CLAIM**

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(**) Term: **14 Years**

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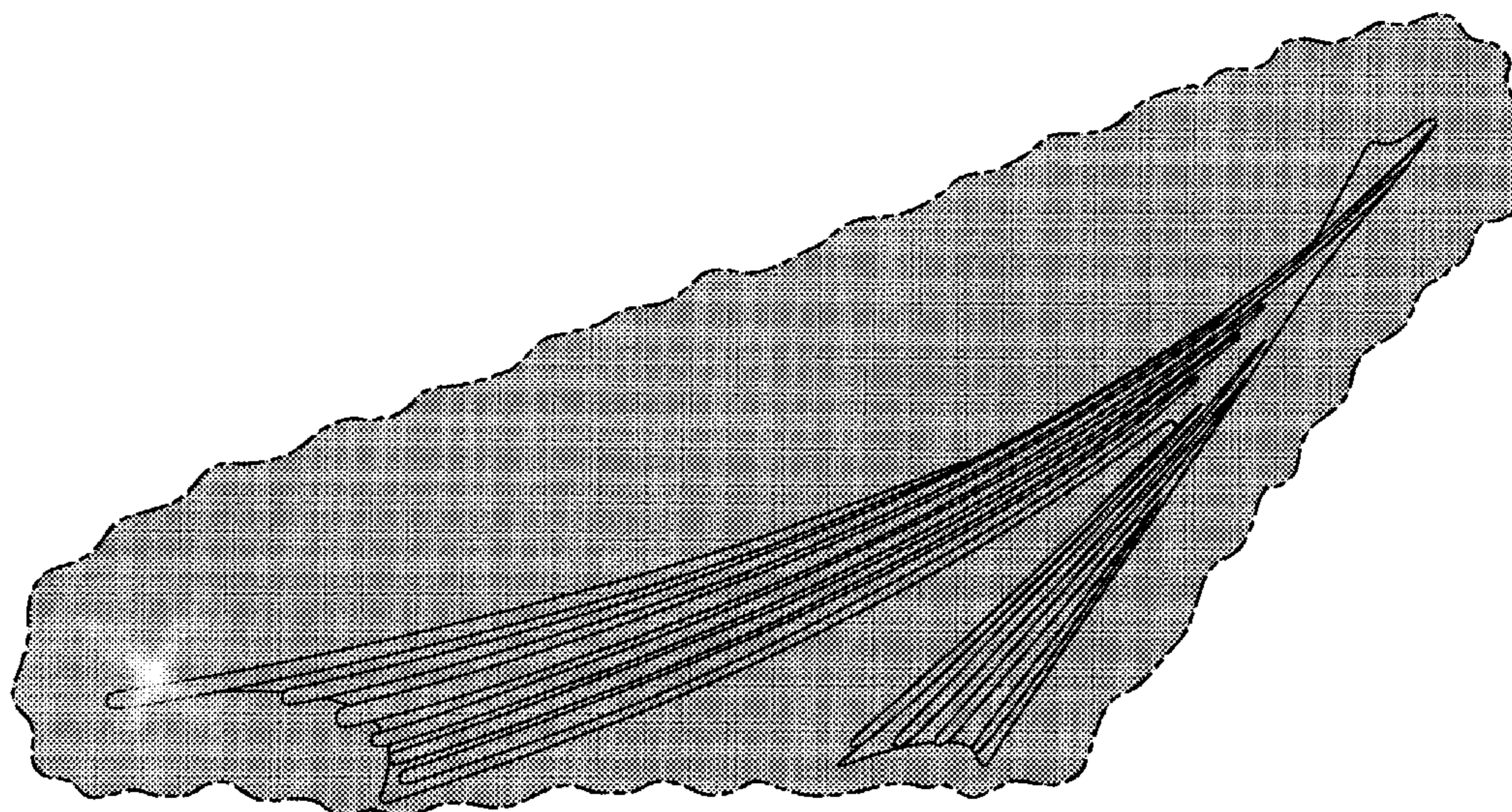
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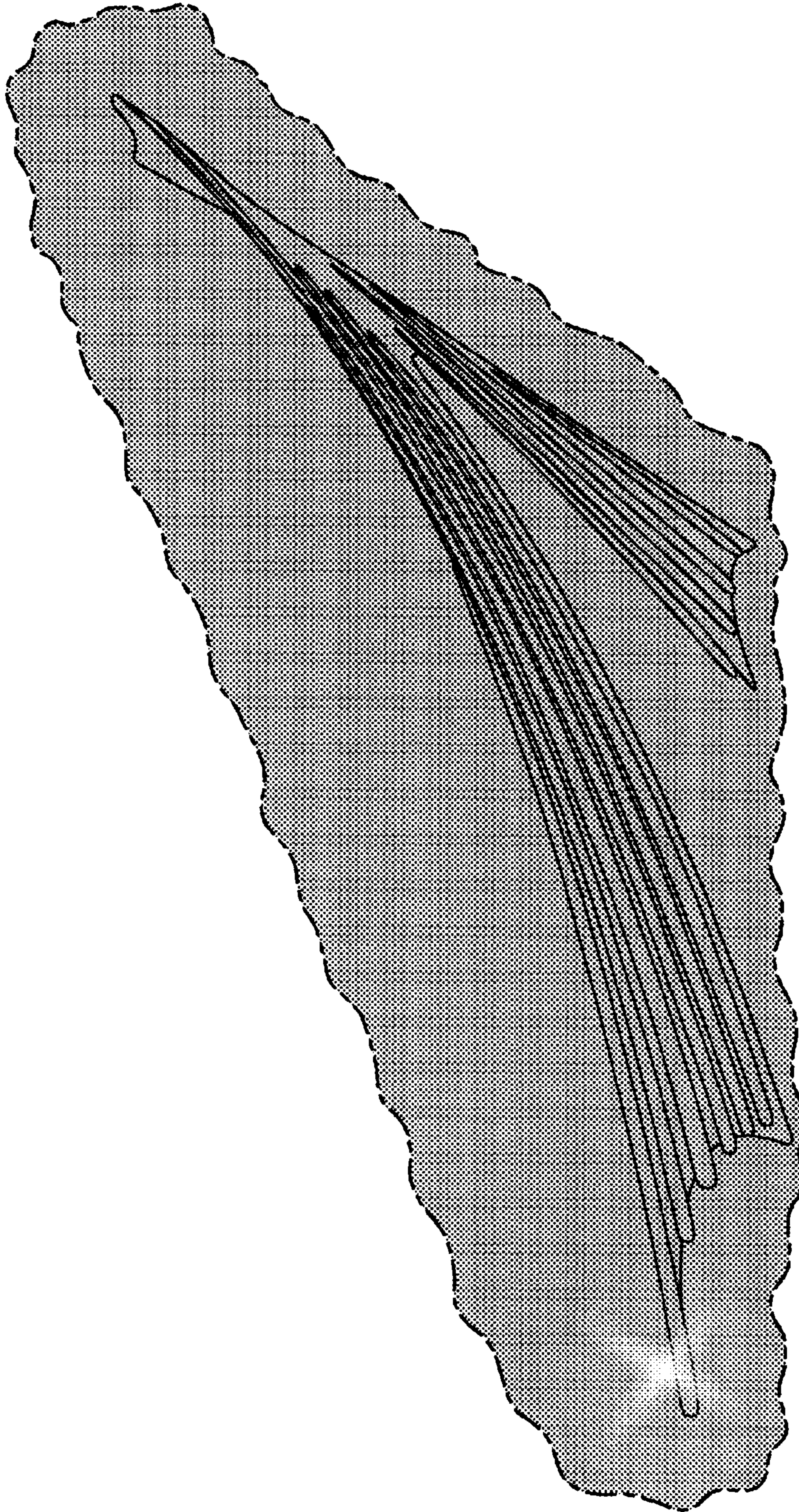


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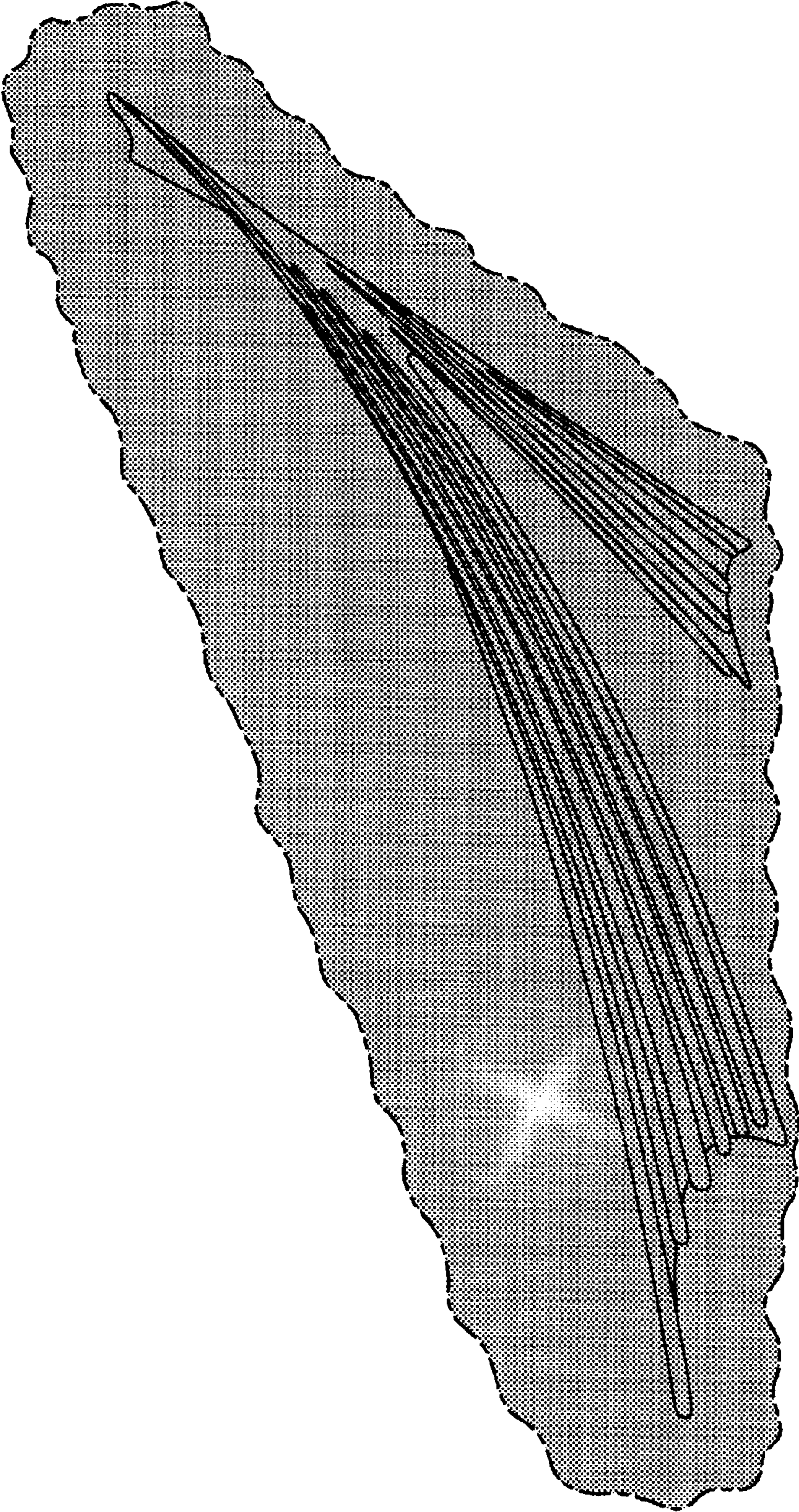


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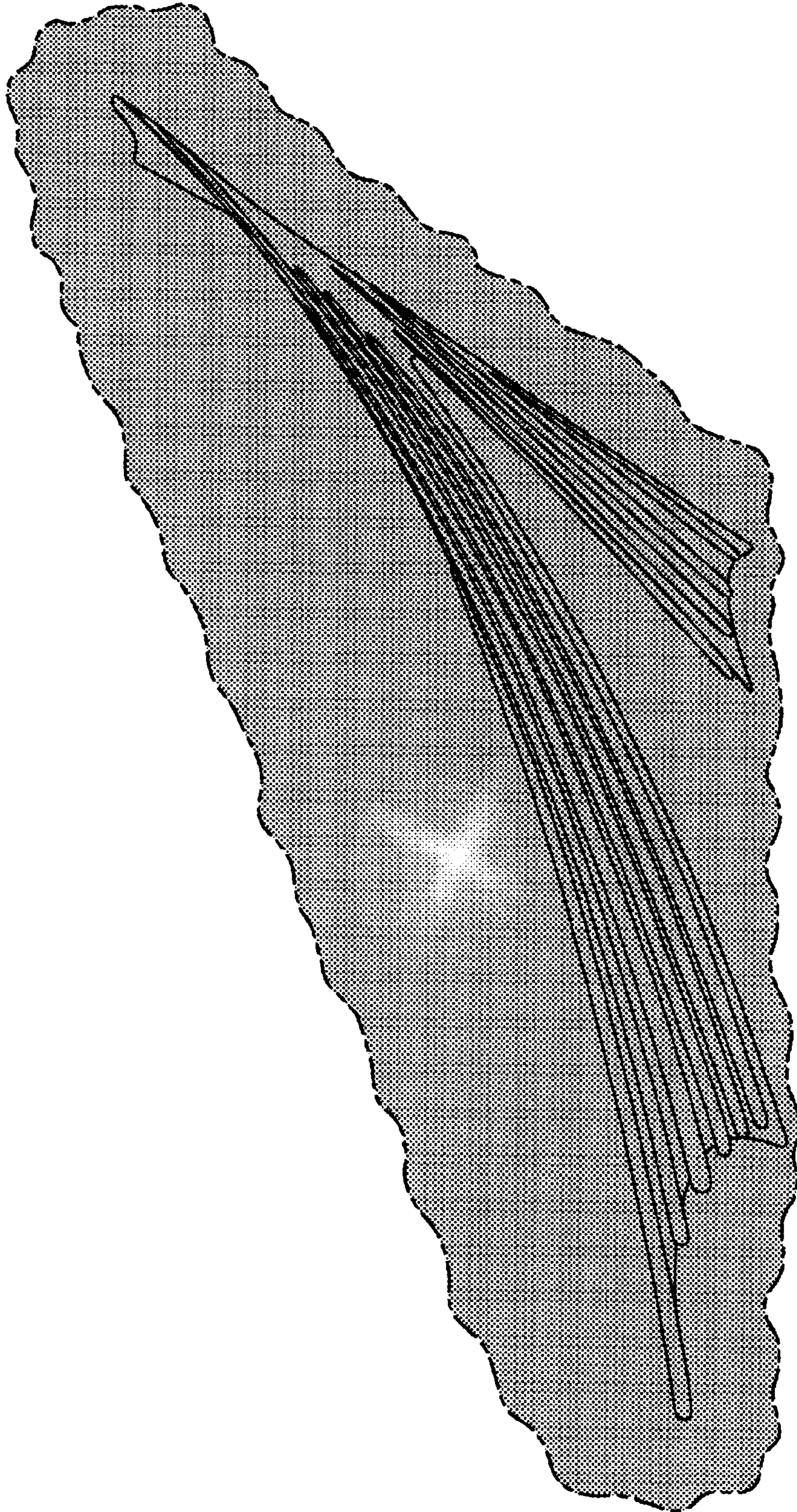


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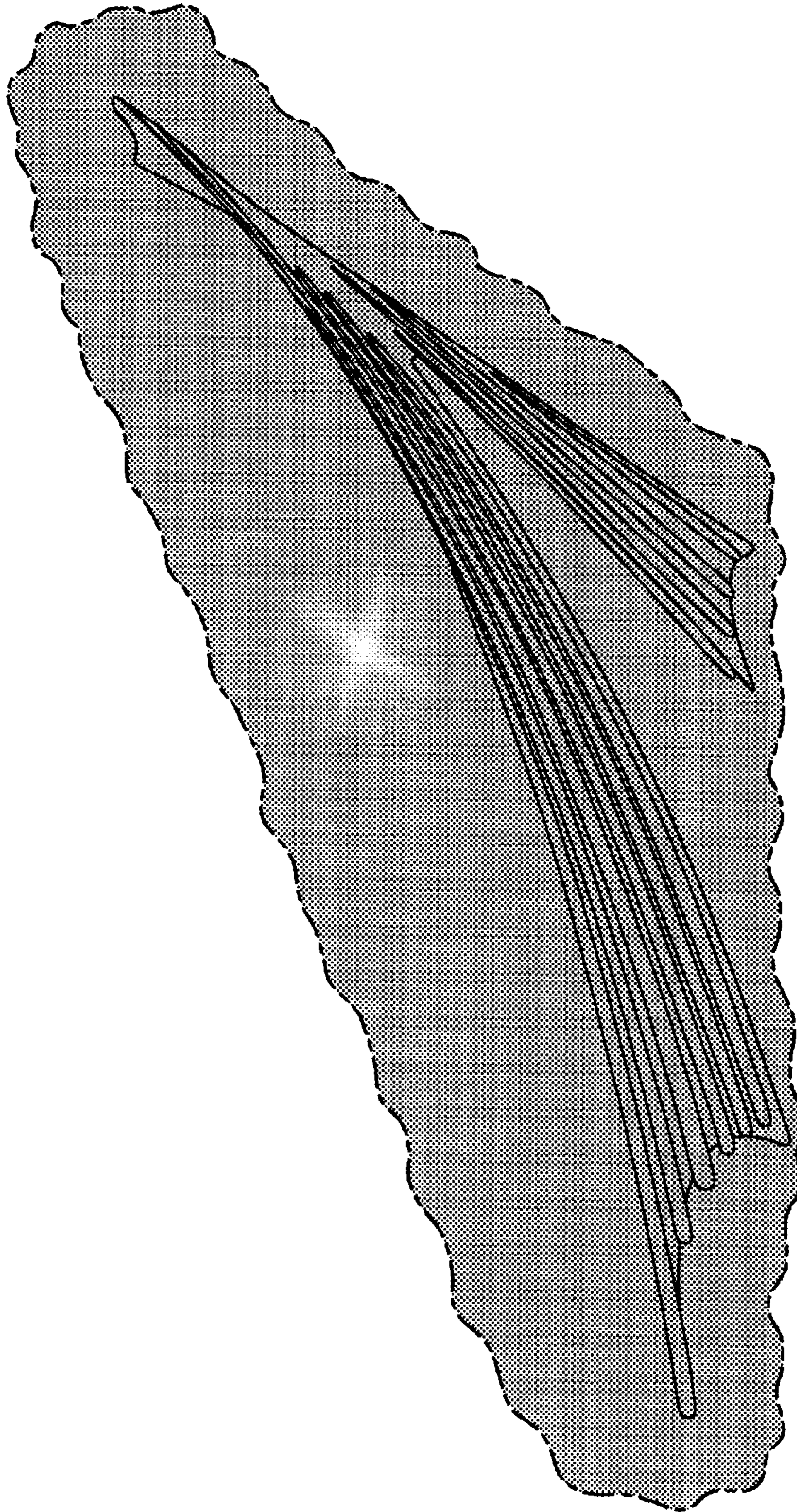


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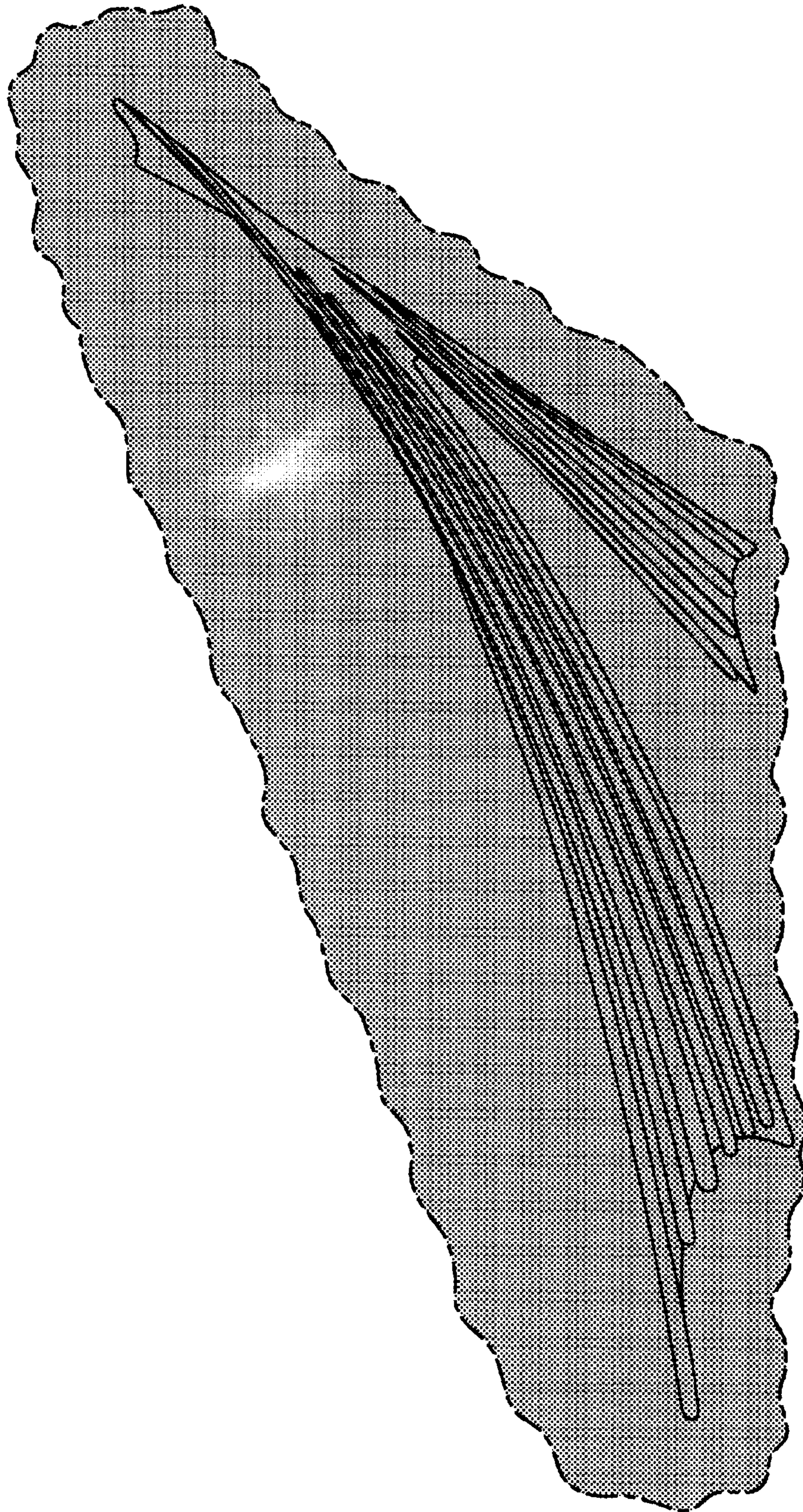


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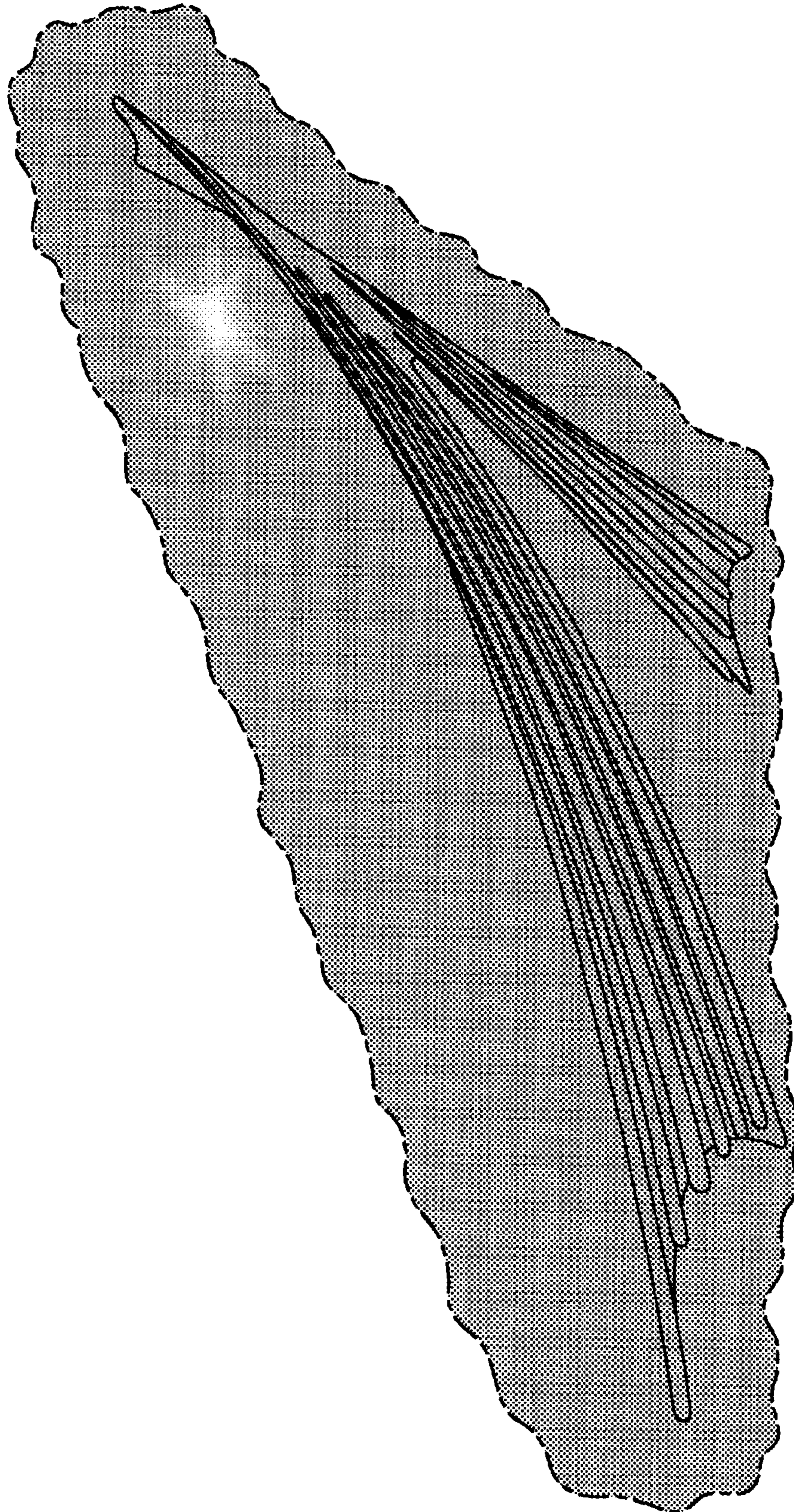


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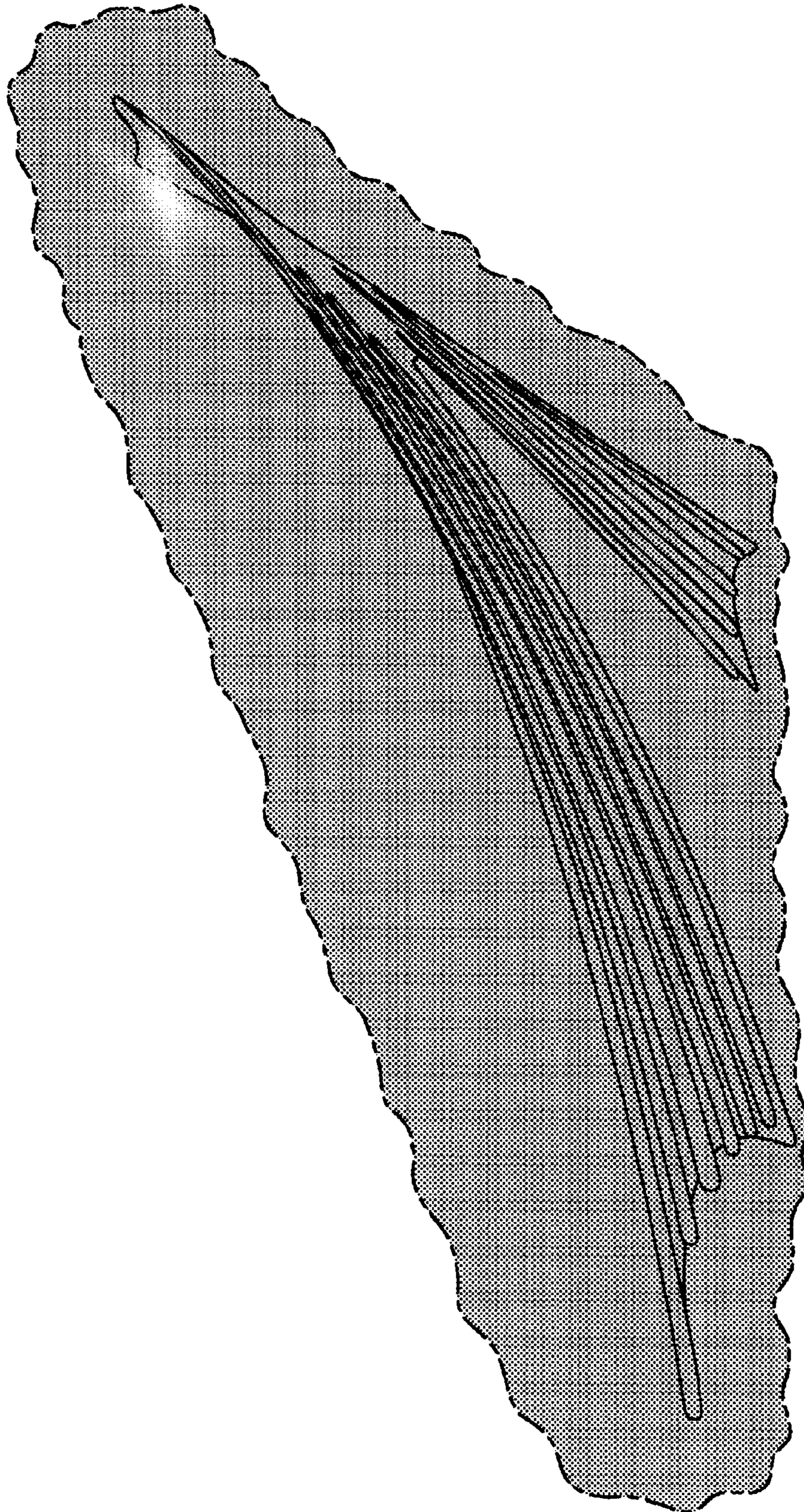


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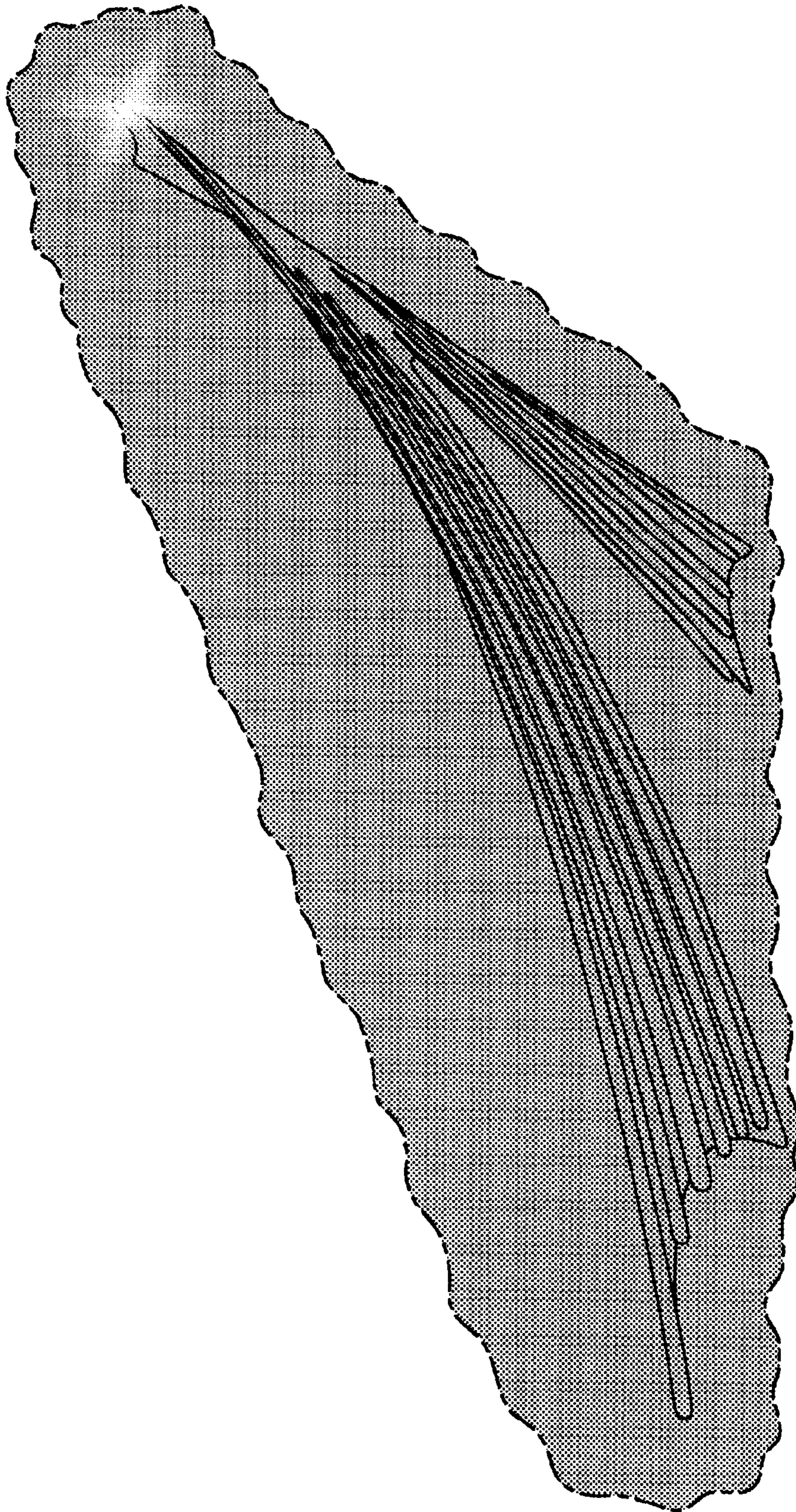


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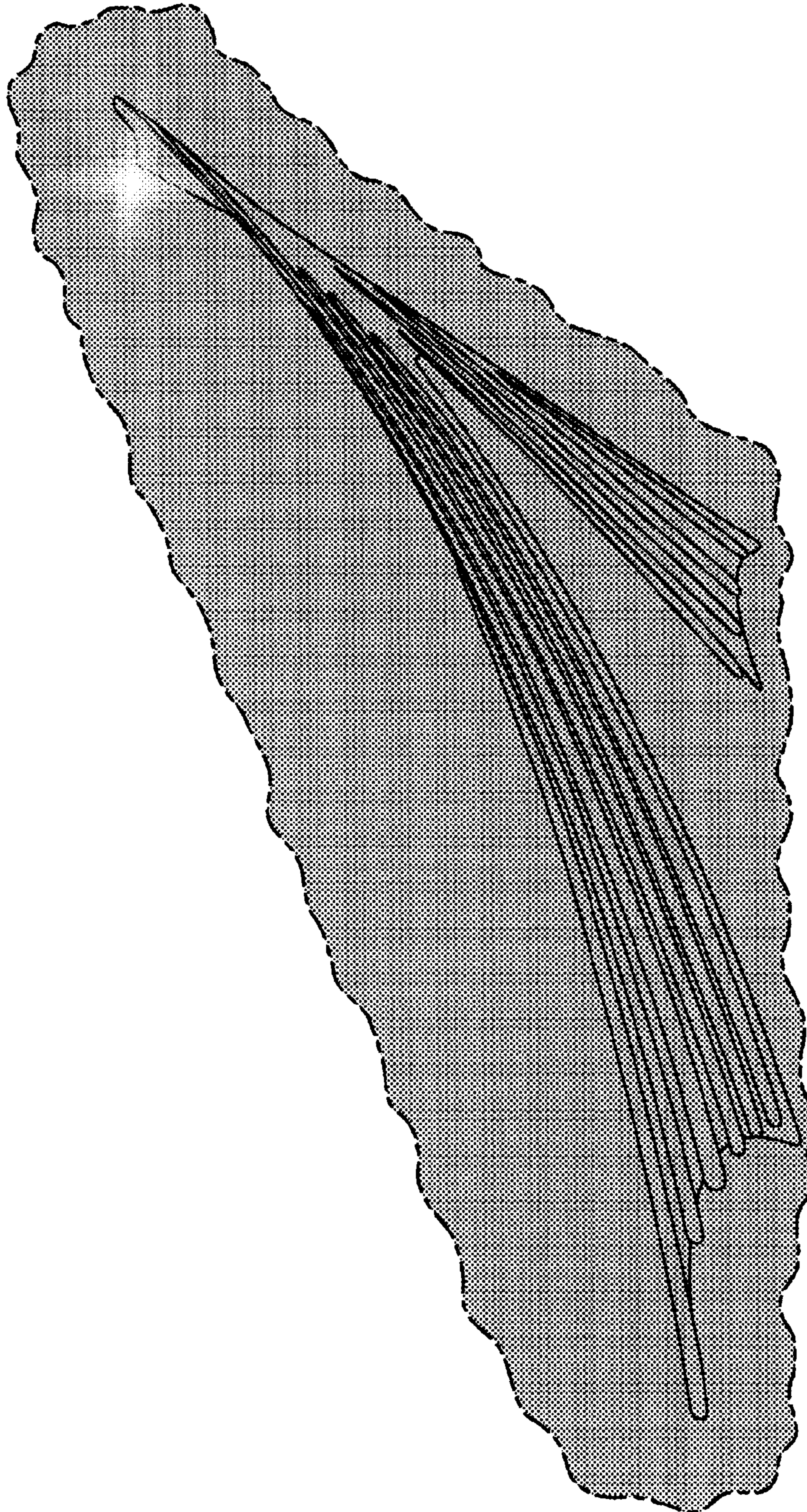


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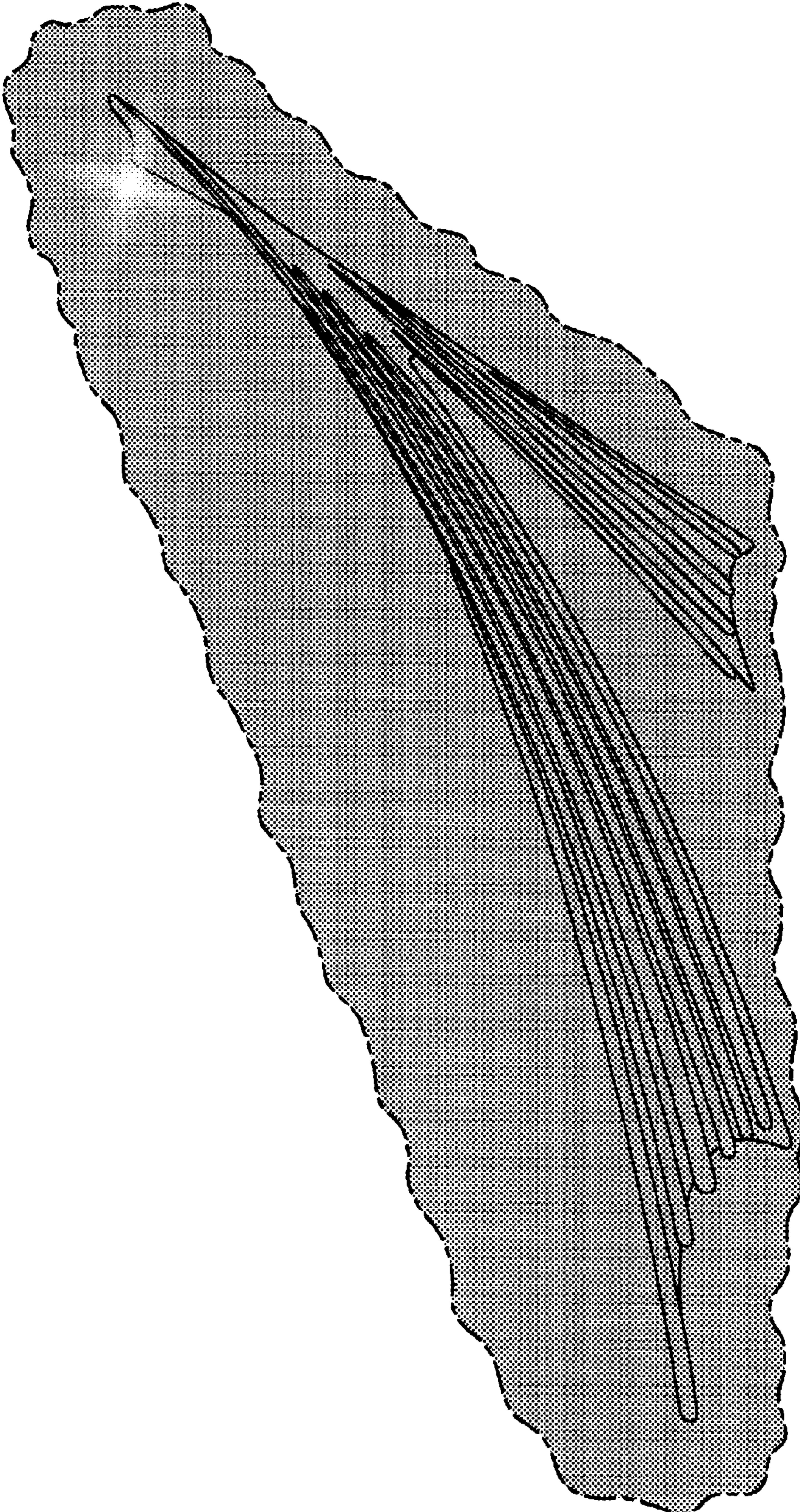


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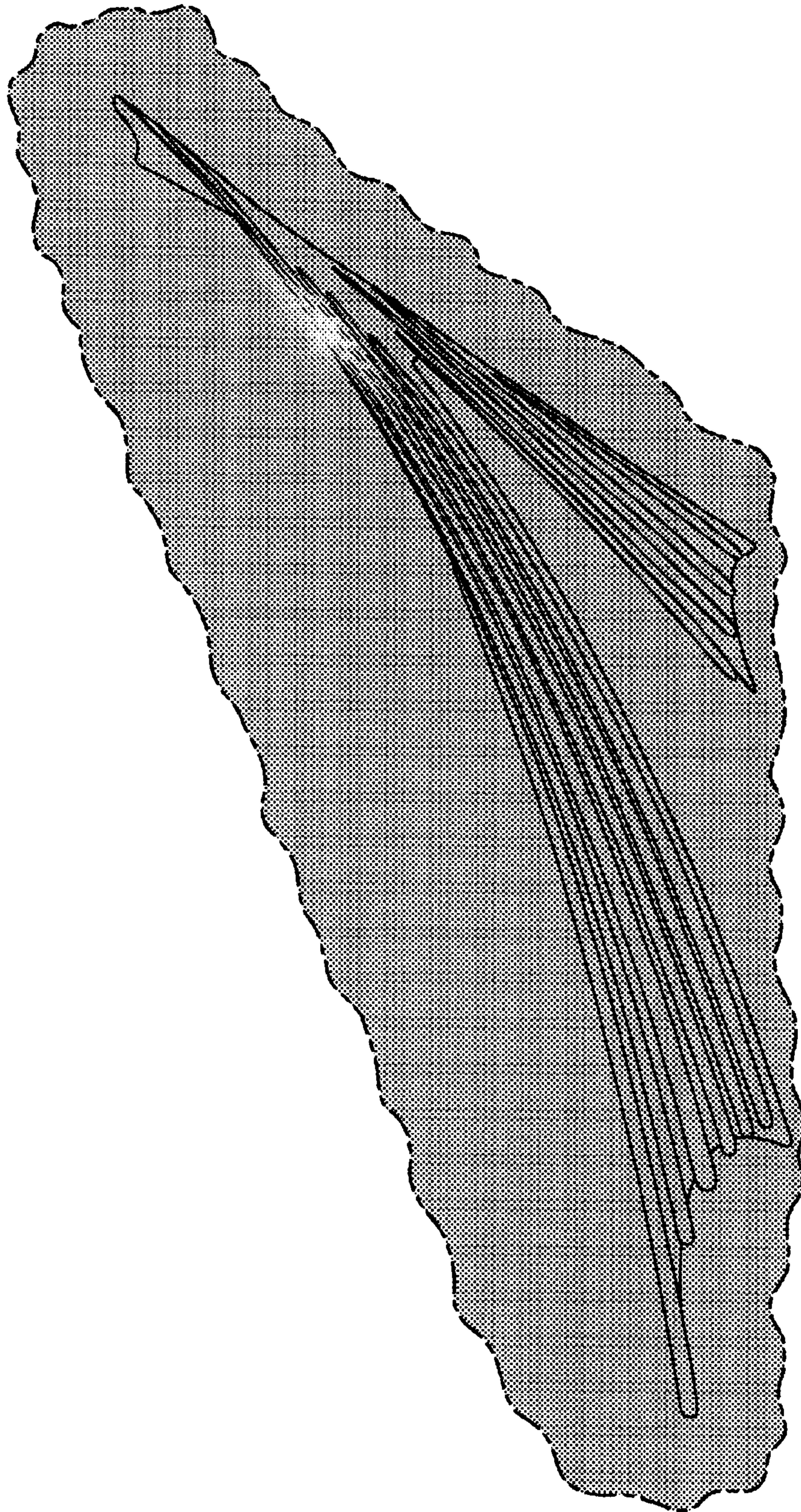


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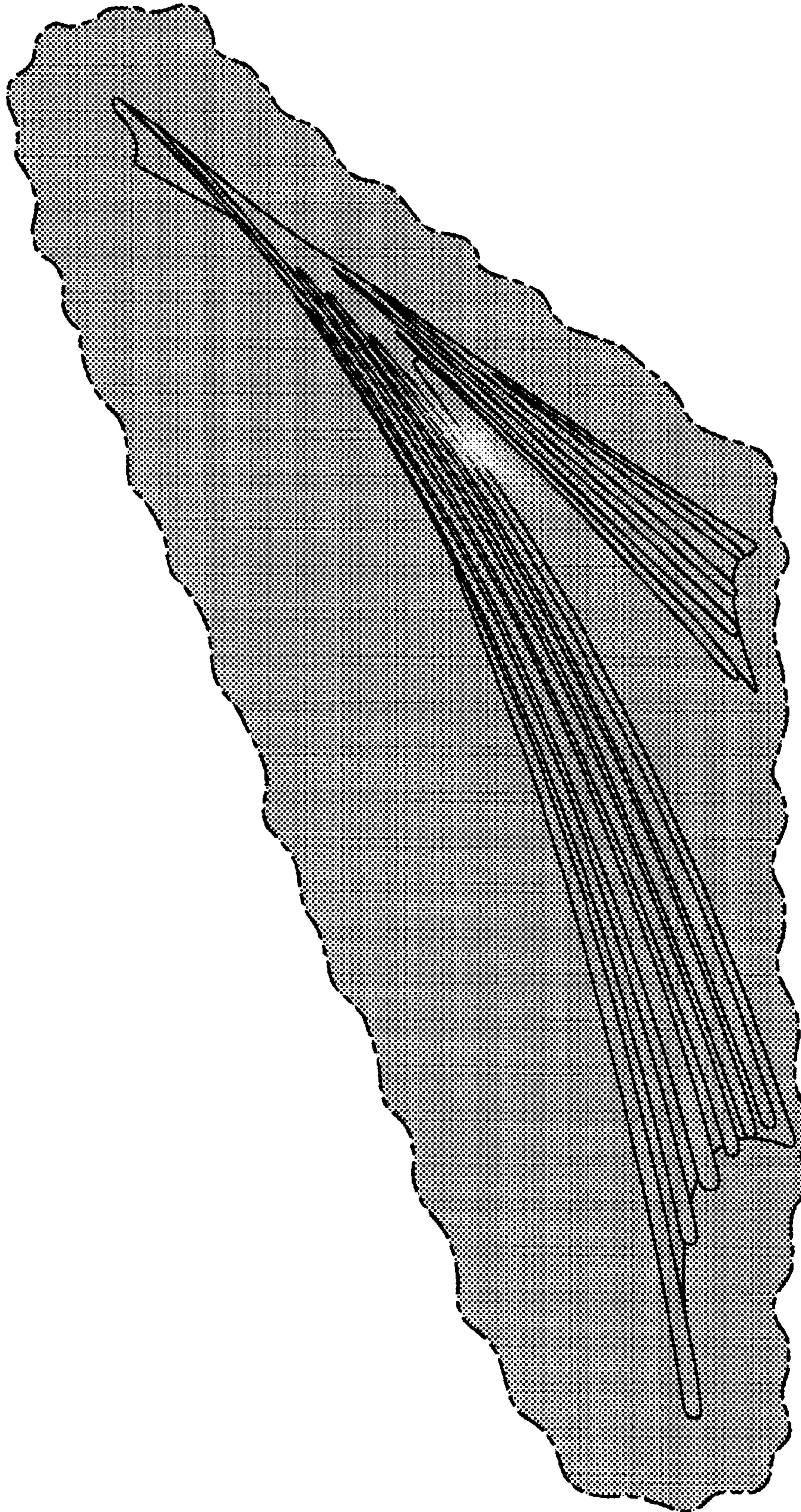


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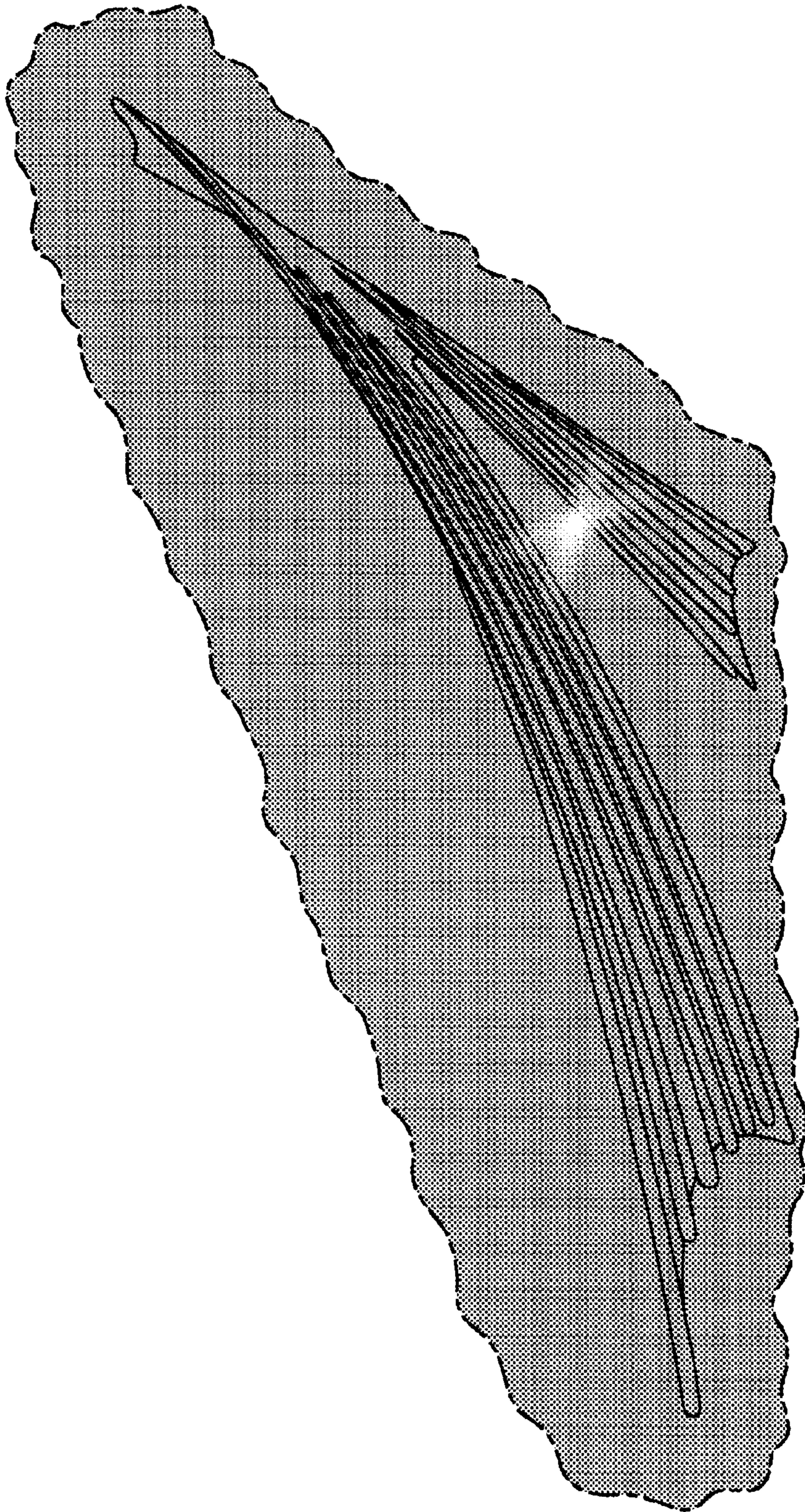


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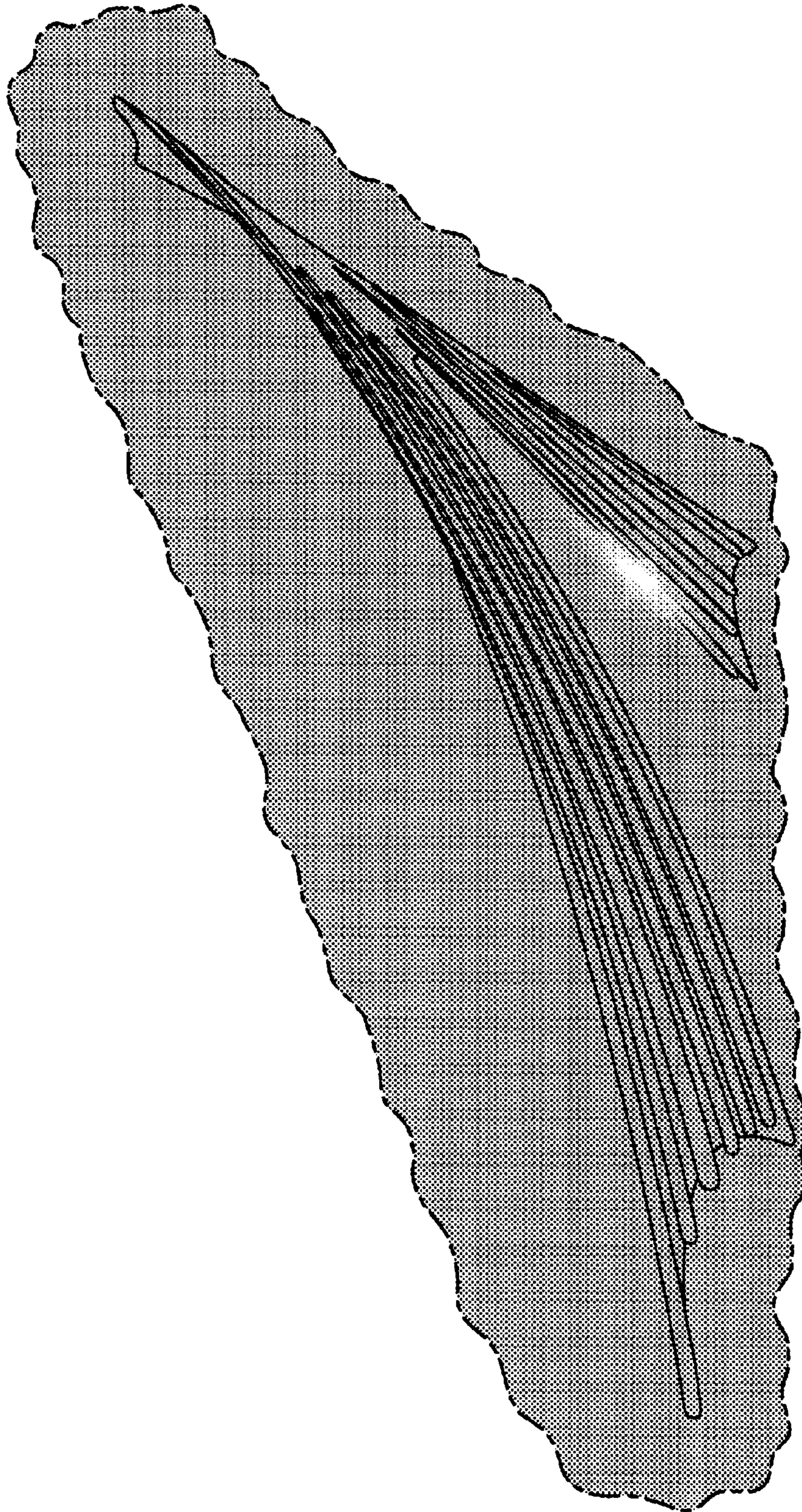


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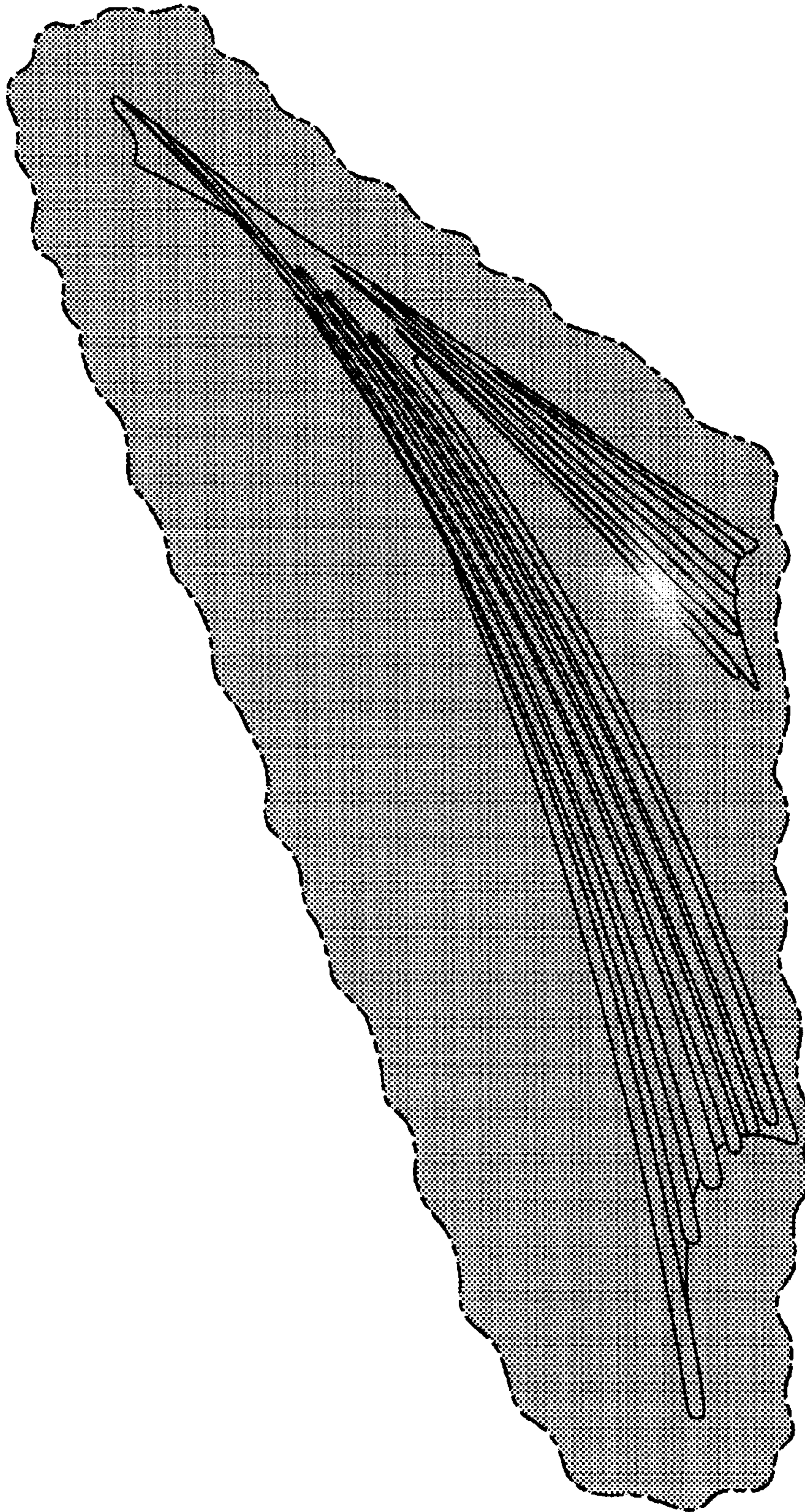


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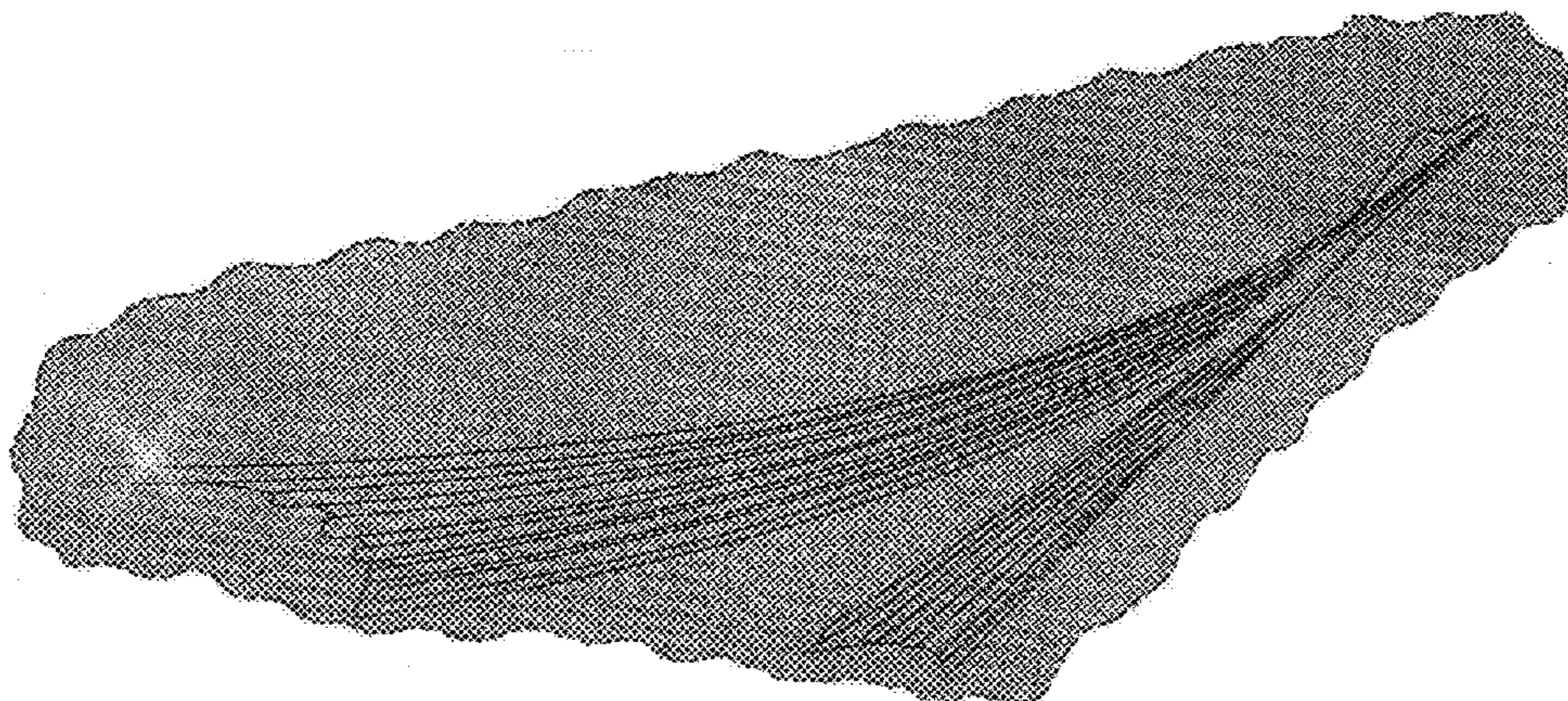
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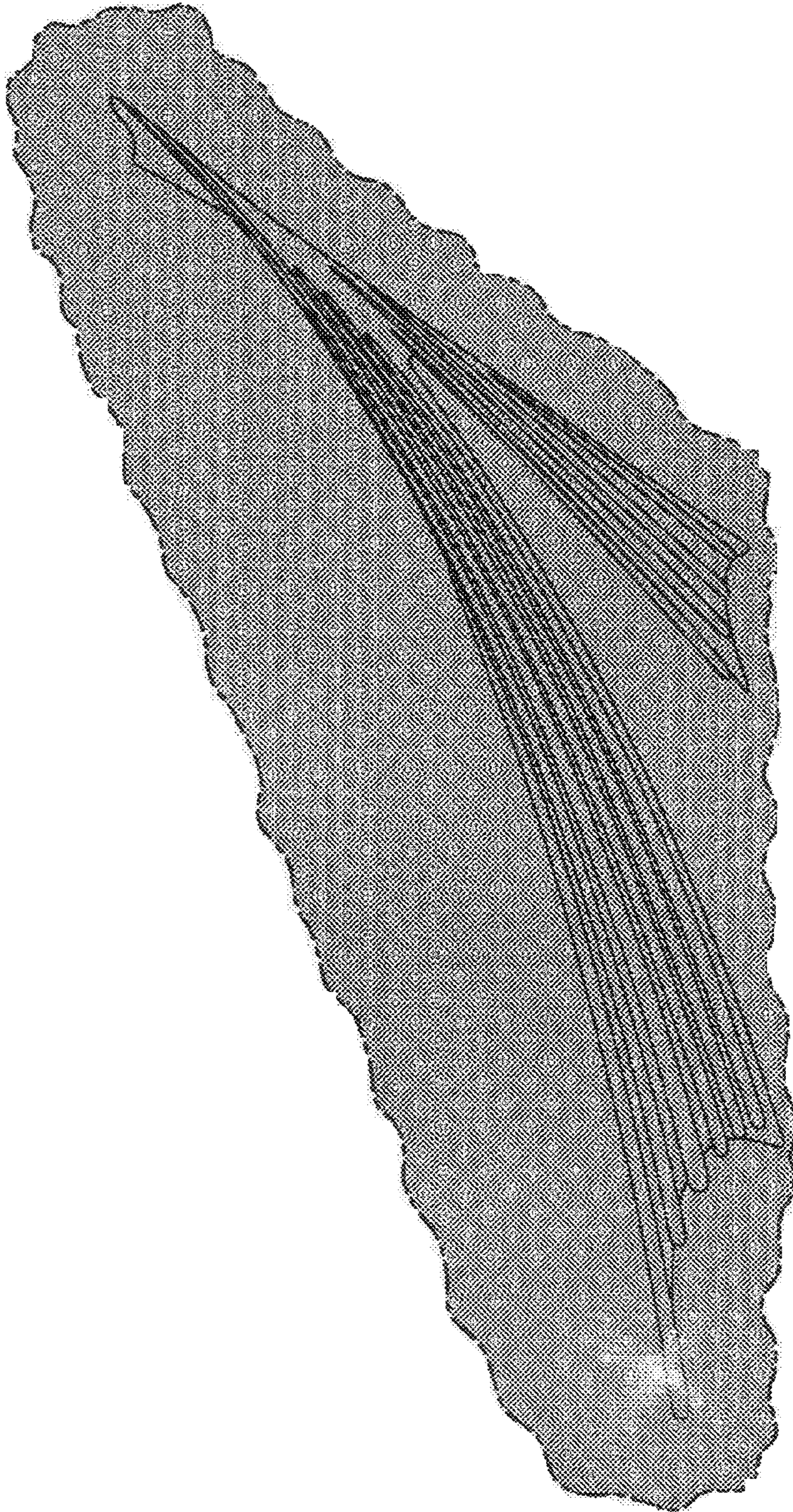


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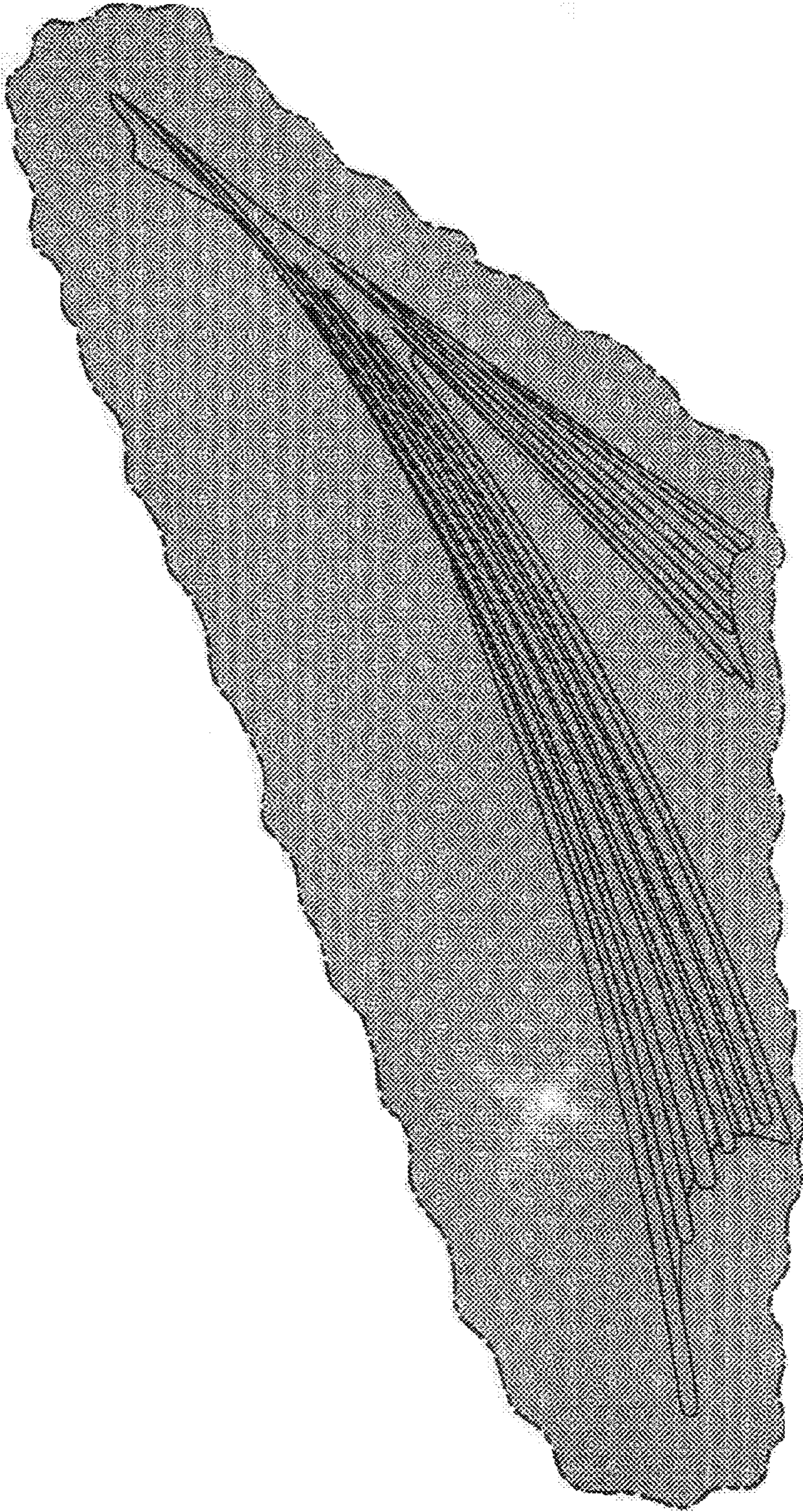


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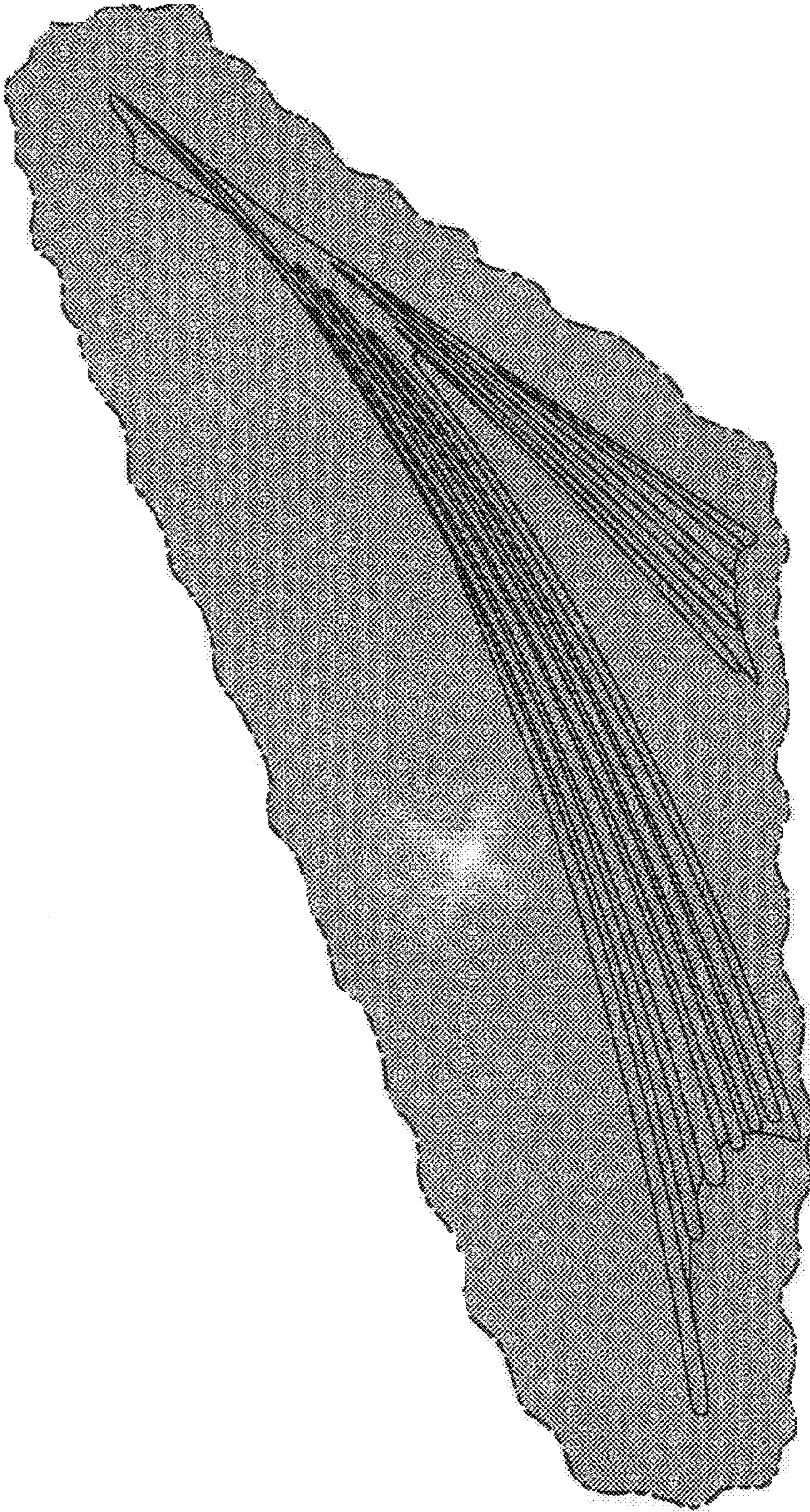


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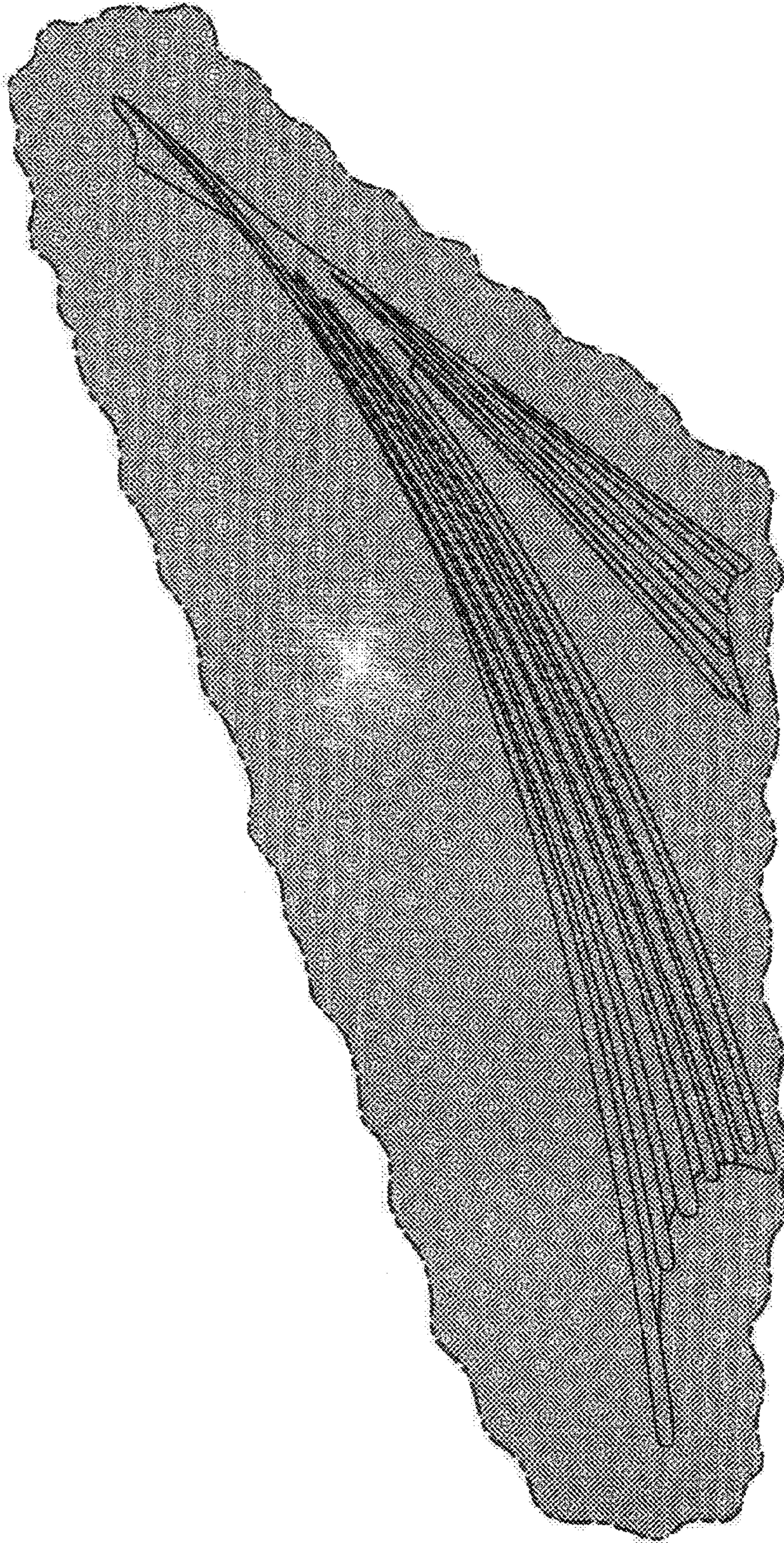


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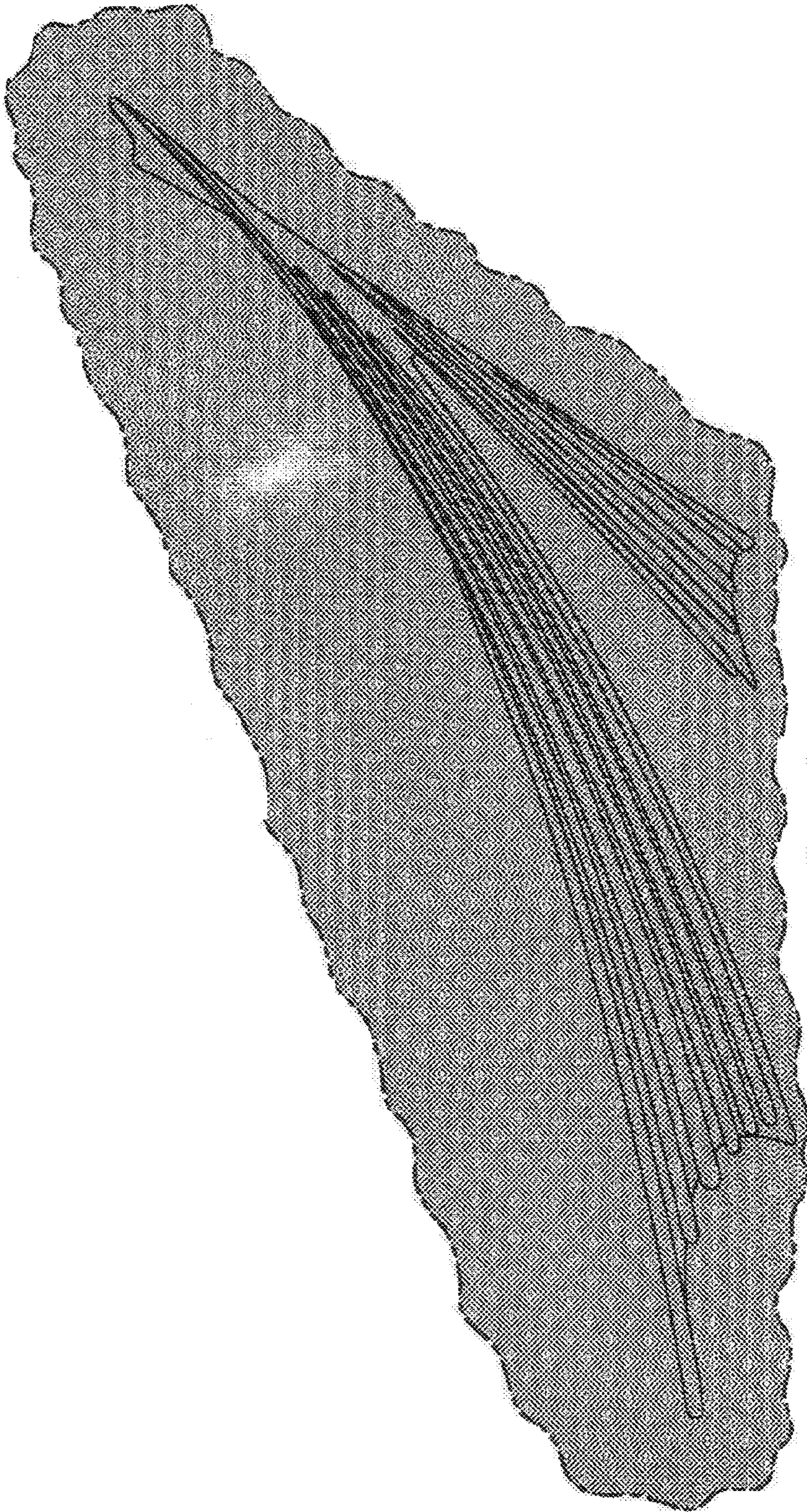


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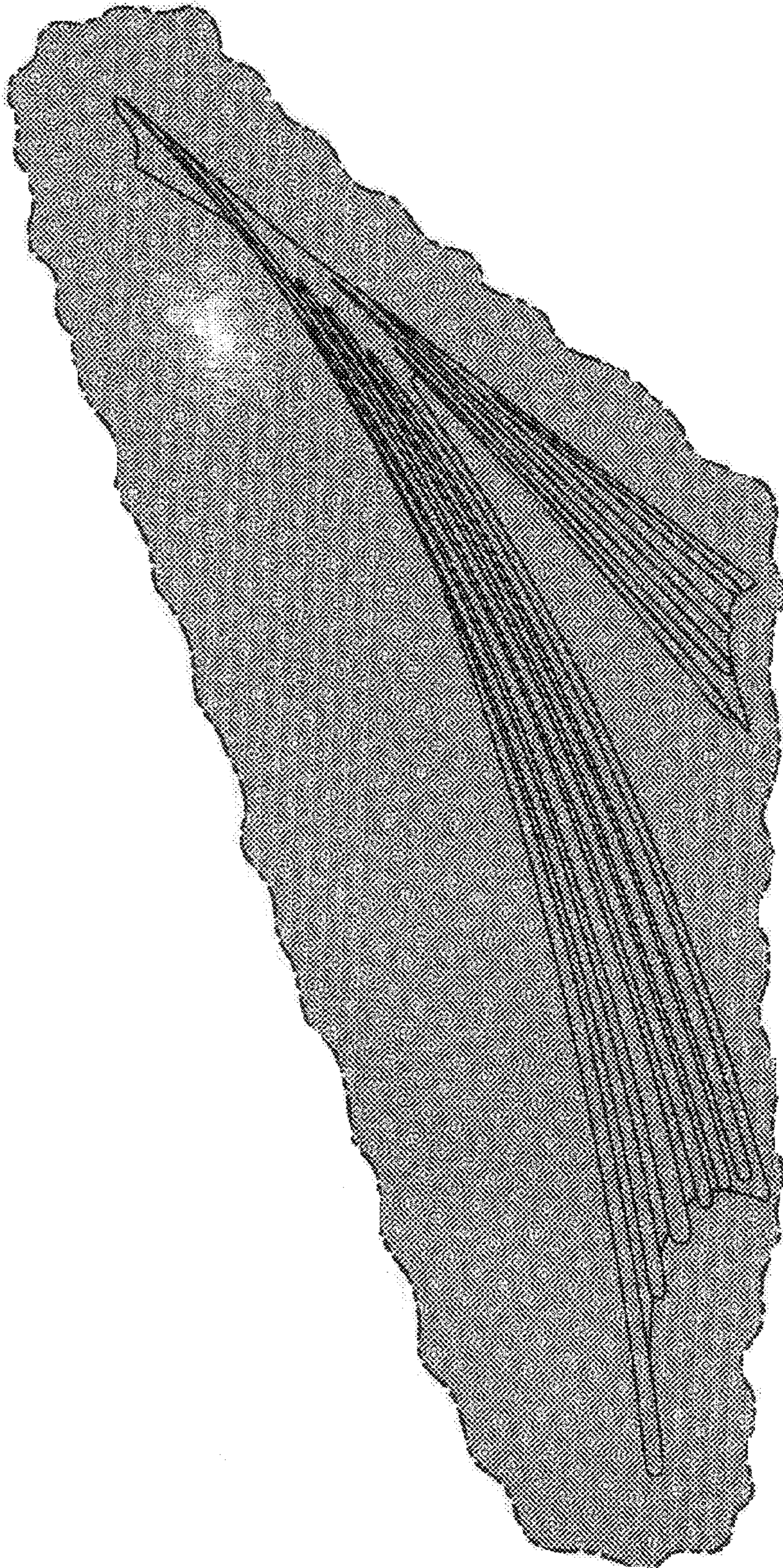


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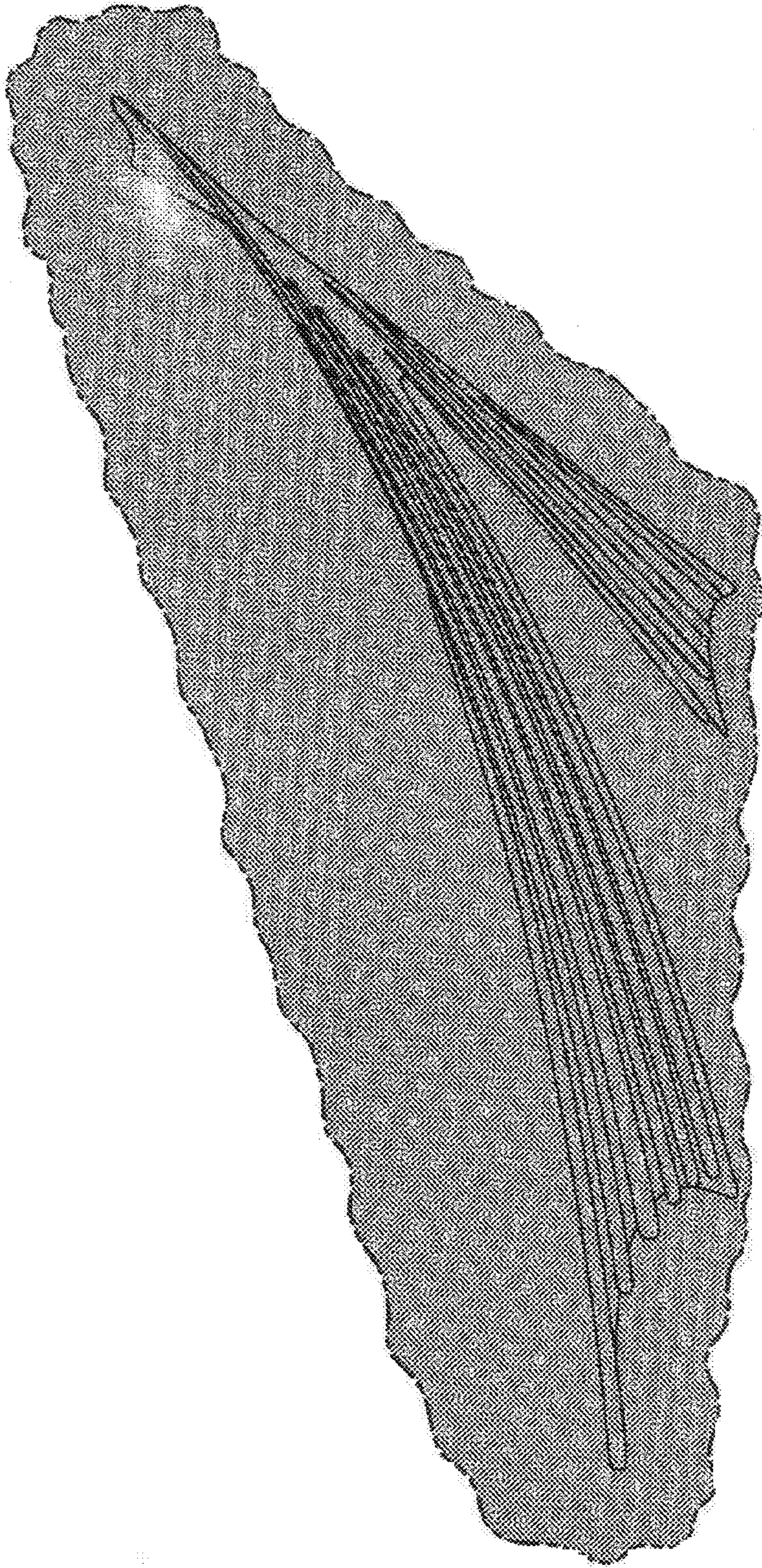


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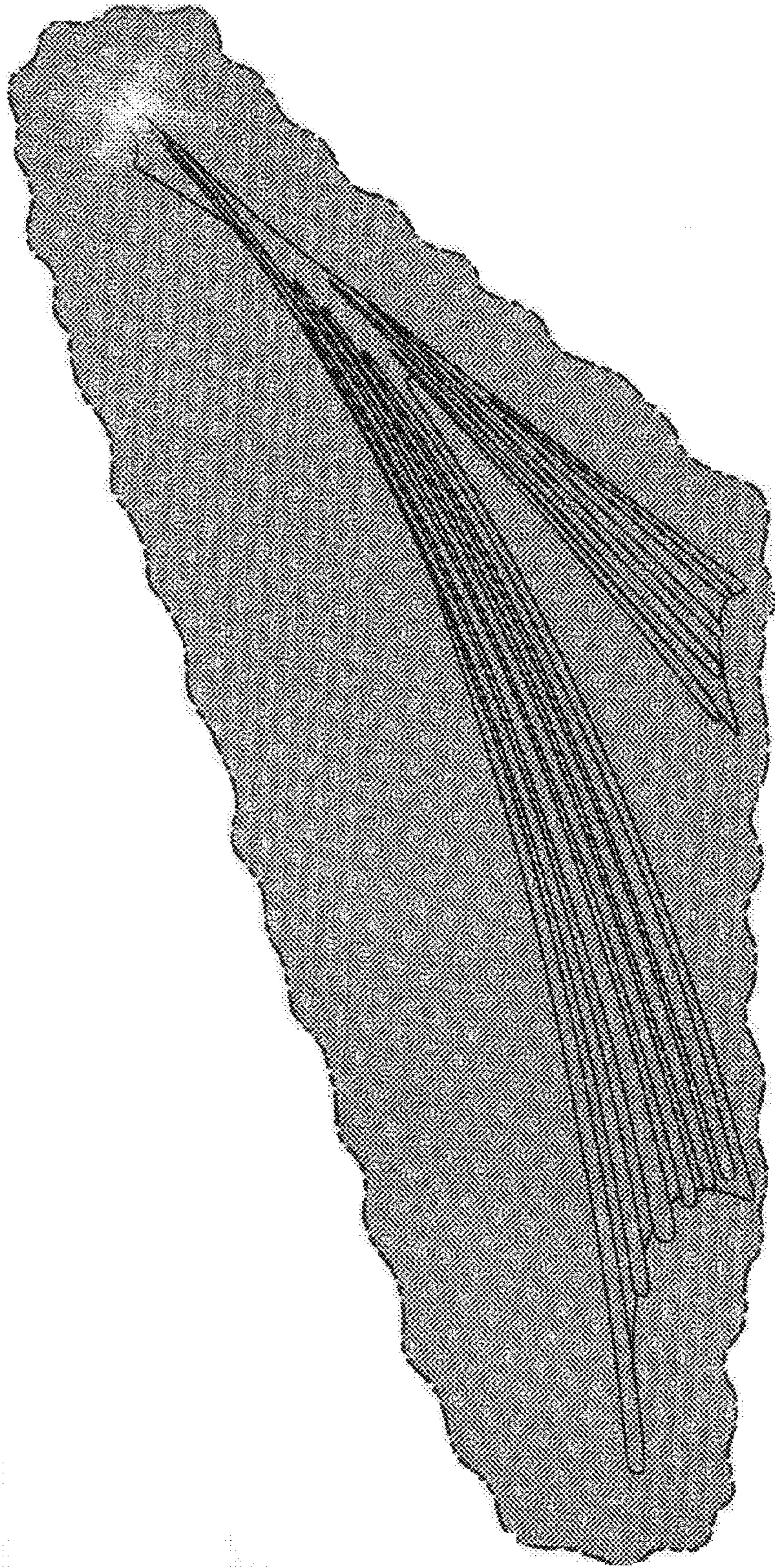


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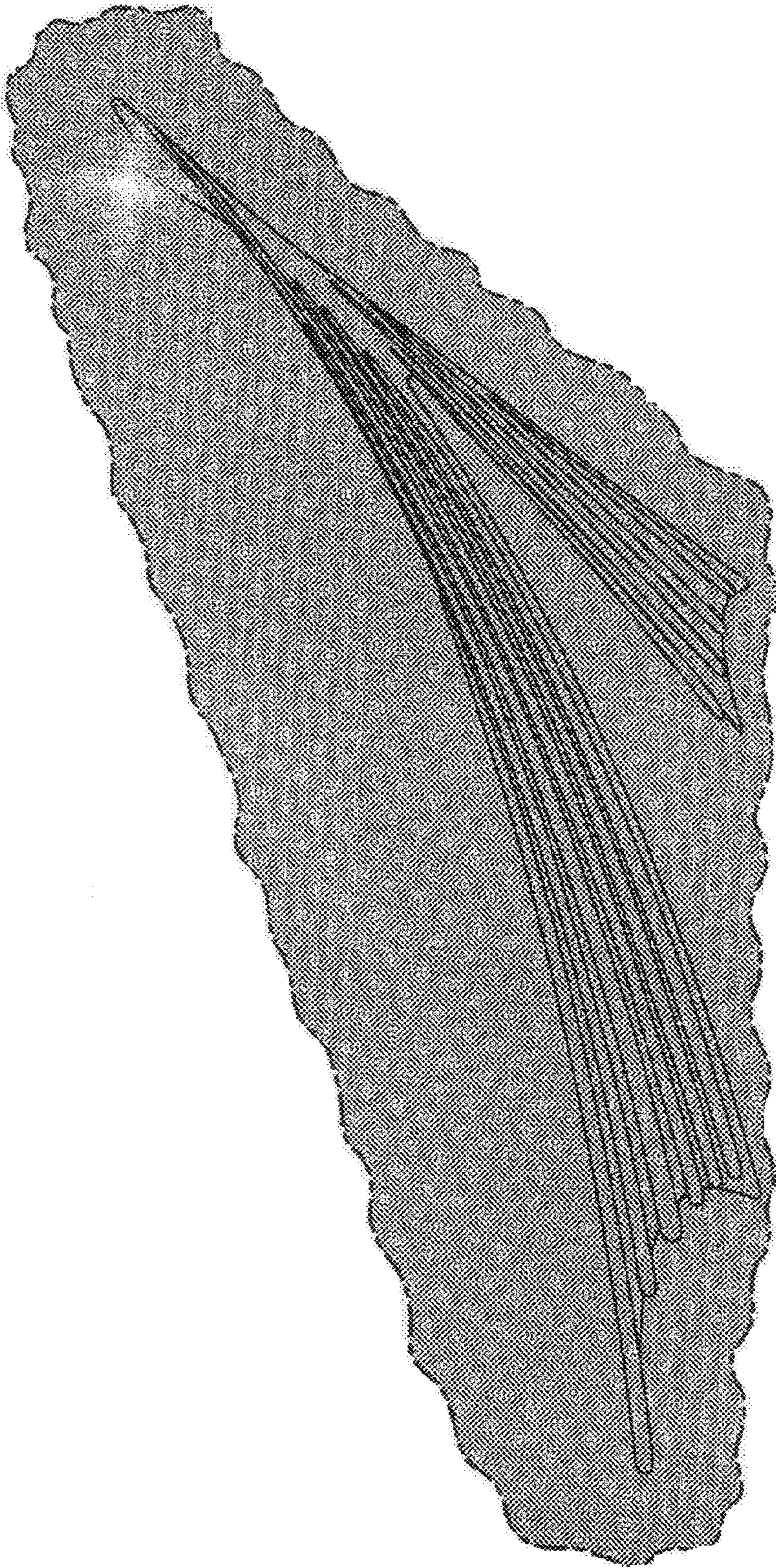


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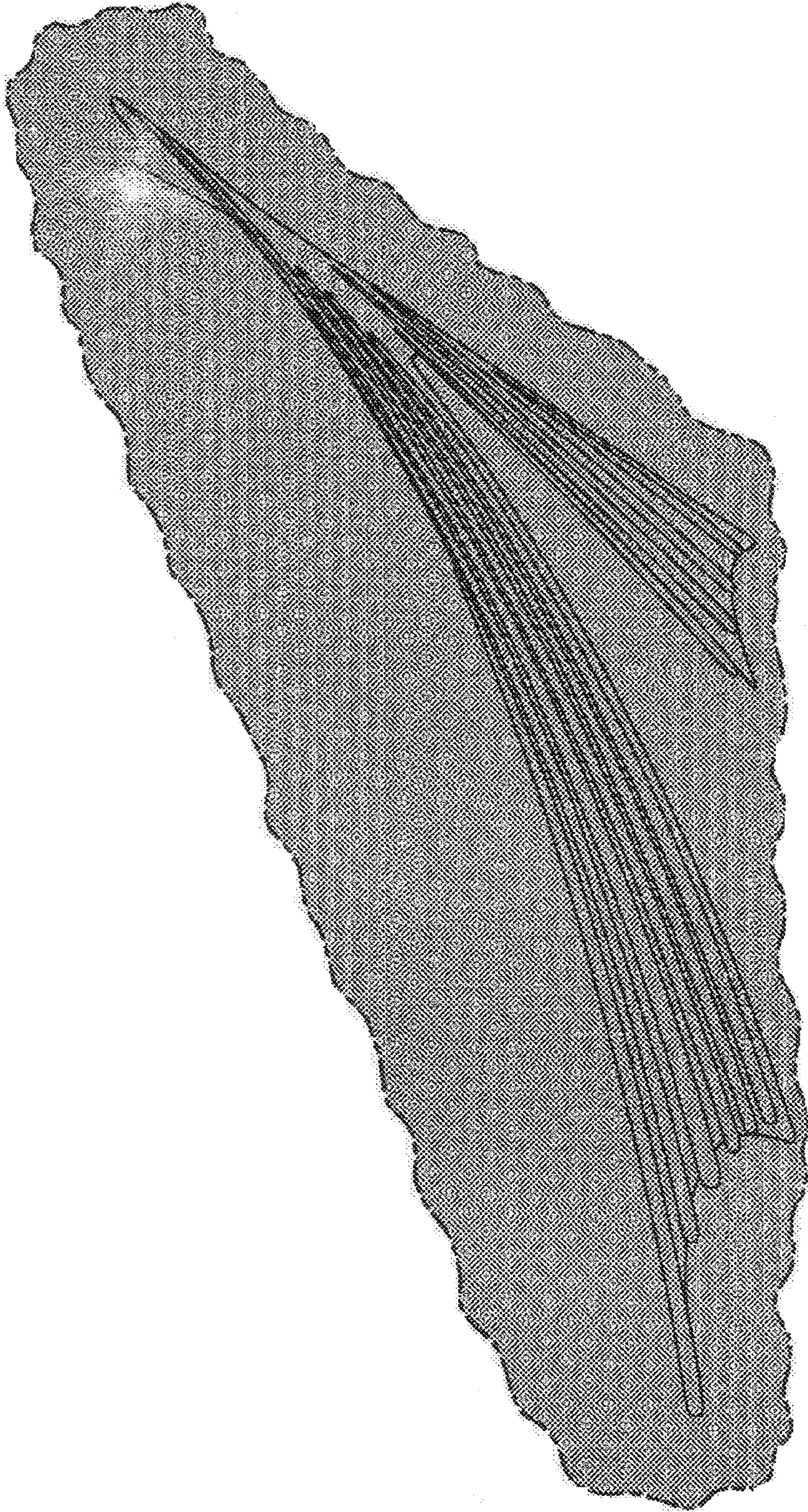


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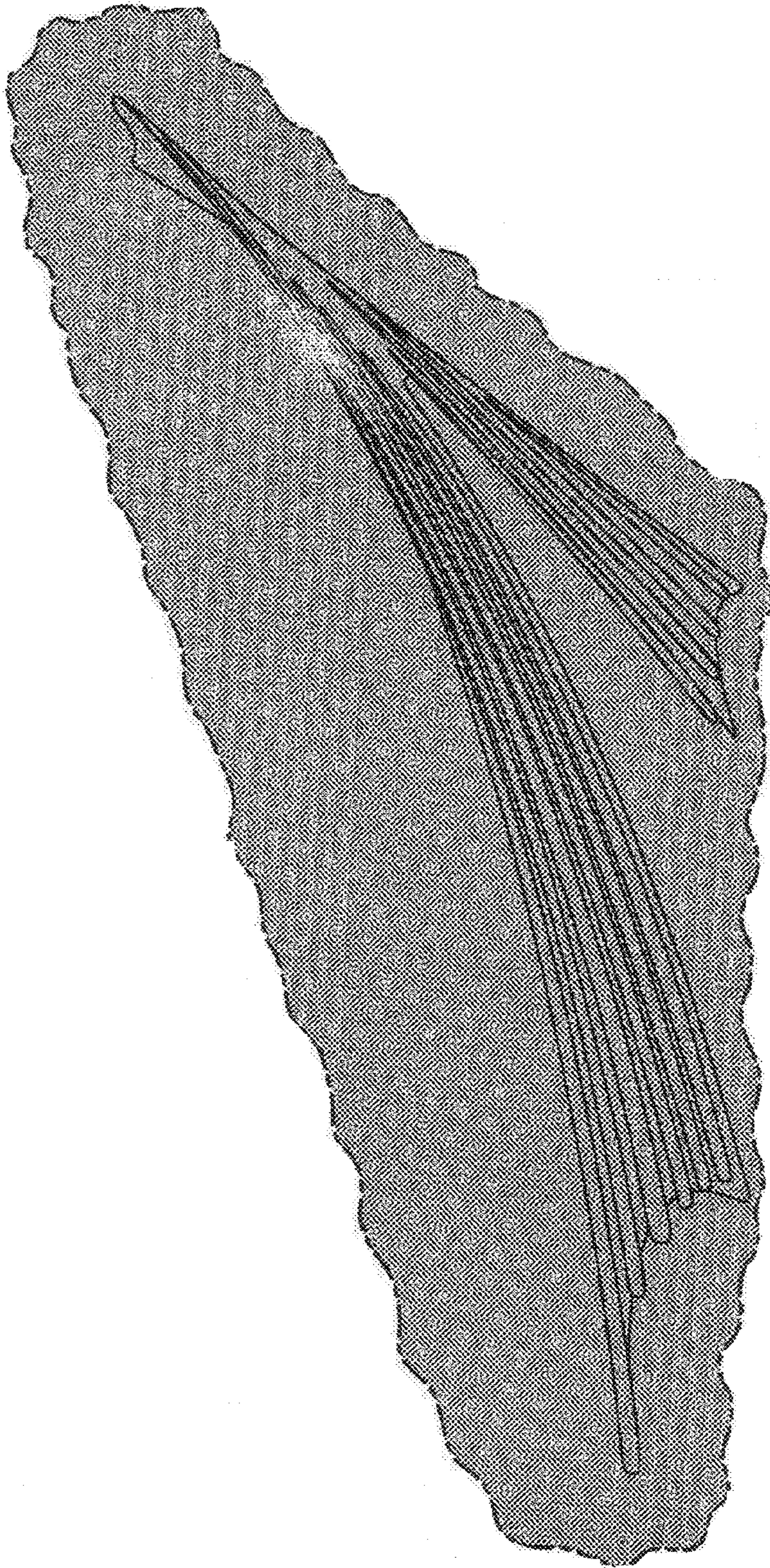


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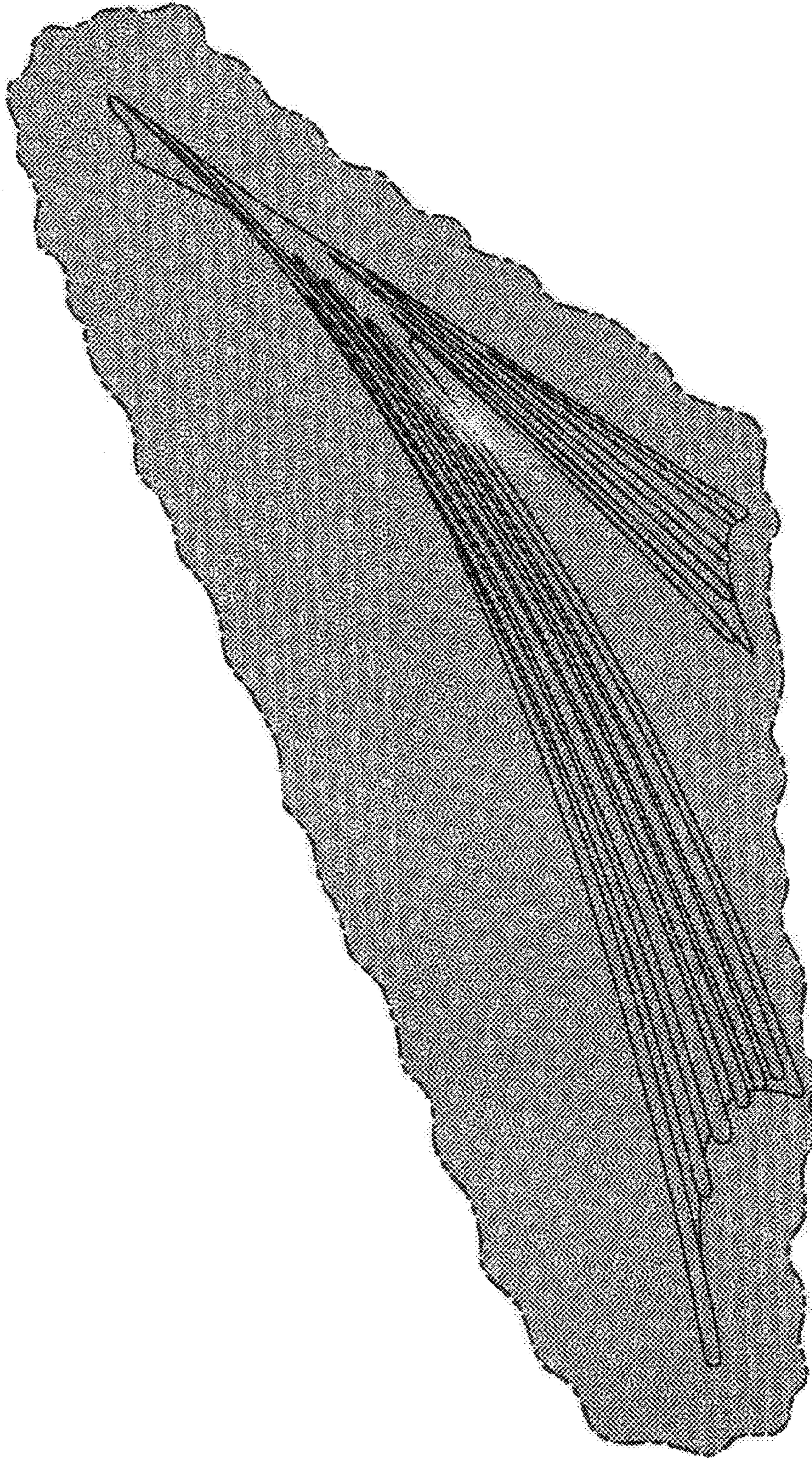


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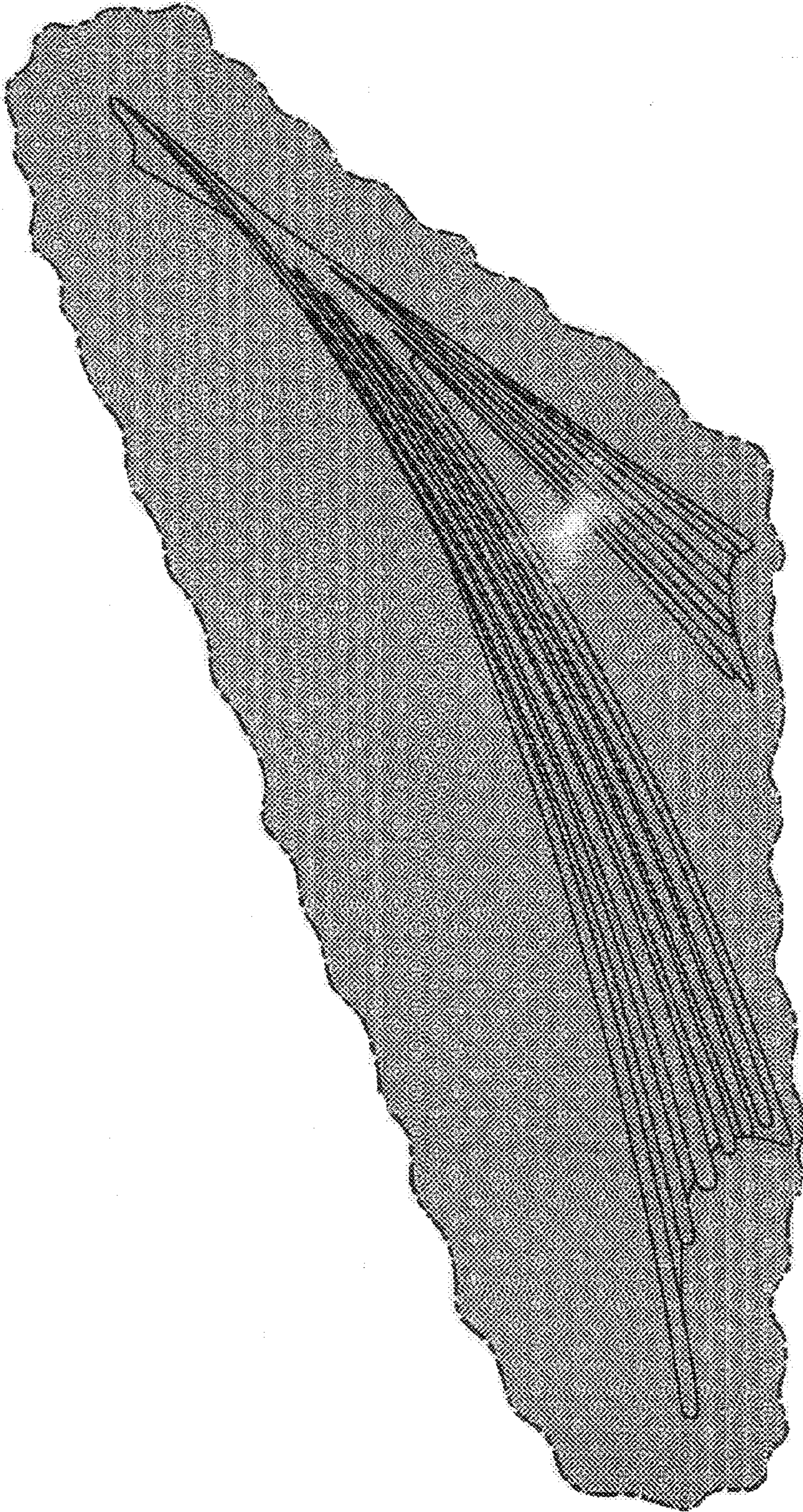


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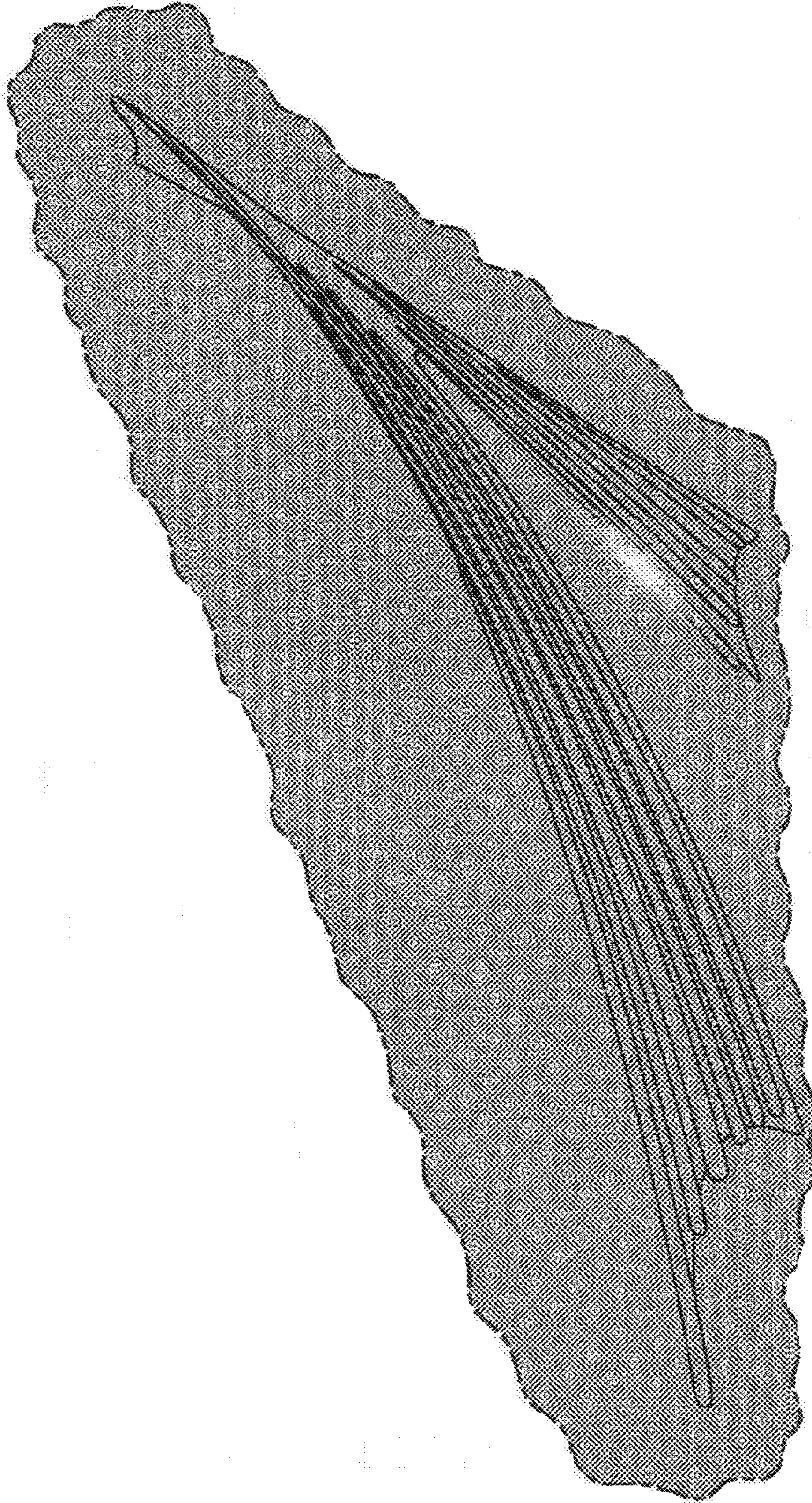


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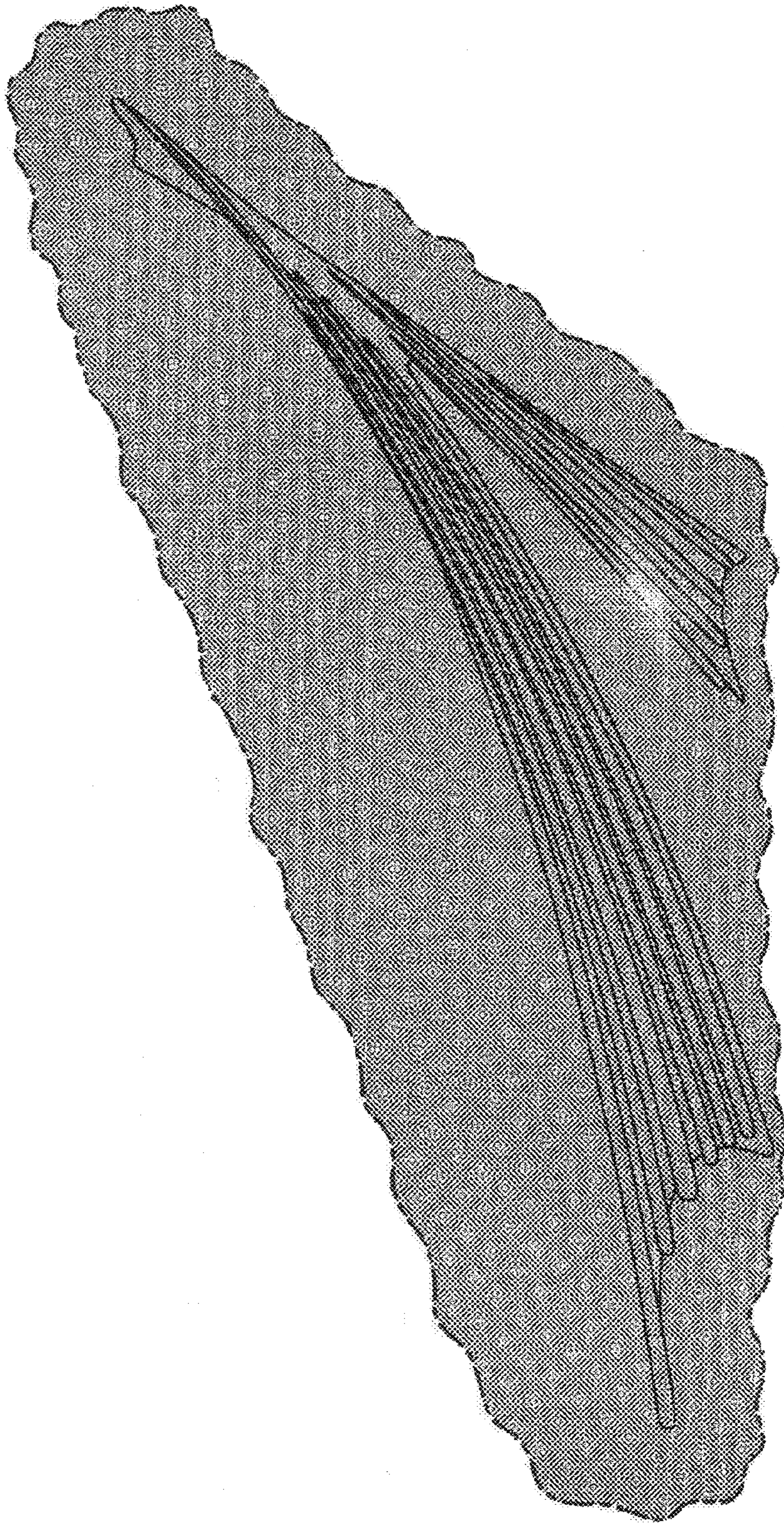


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