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(54) **NONWOVEN FABRIC**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a nonwoven fabric, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

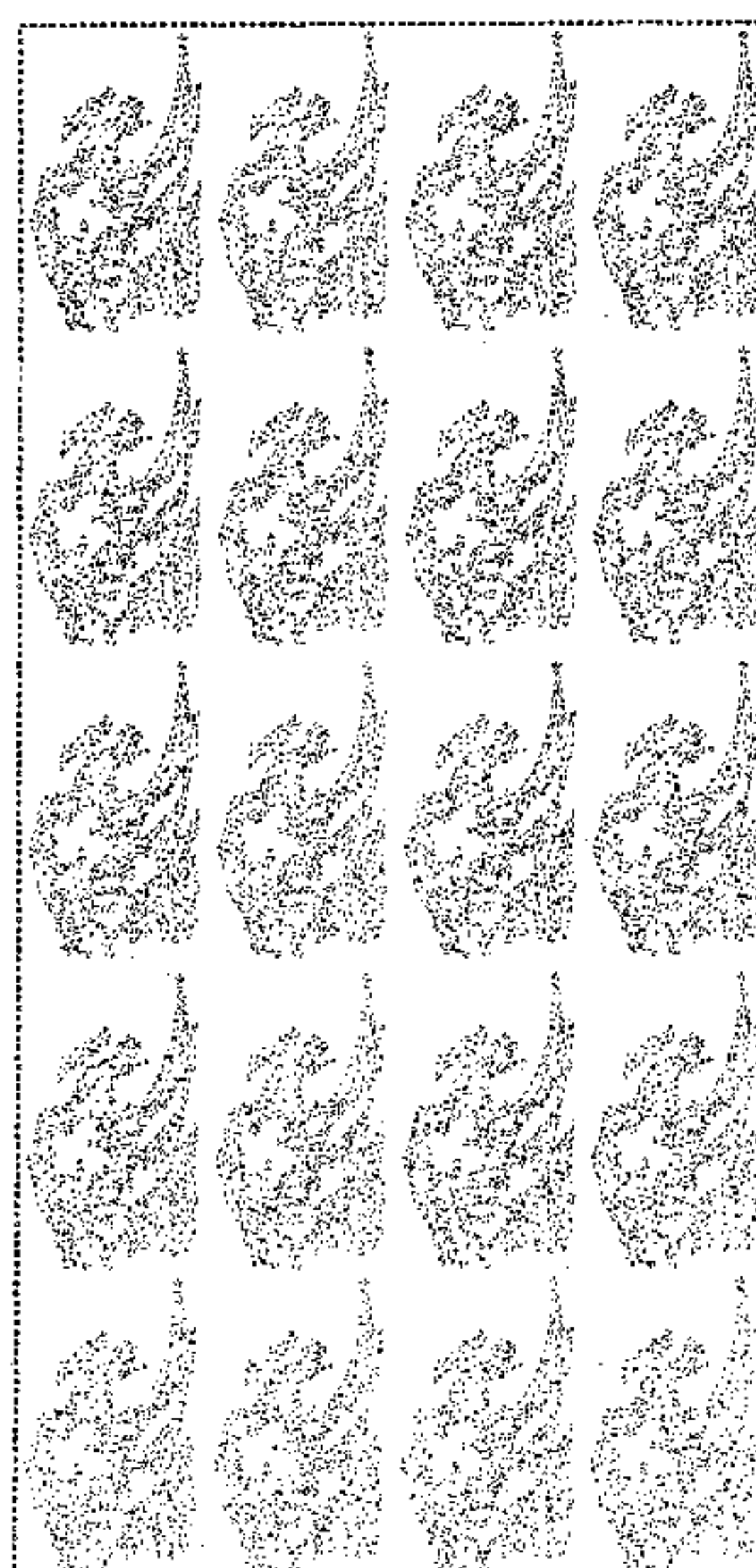
FIG. 1 is a top plan view of a nonwoven fabric showing our new design; and,

FIG. 2 is an isometric view thereof.

The outer broken line boundaries in FIGS. 1 and 2 depicting the boundaries of the claimed design indicate that a specific length and width form no part of the claimed design and are for illustrative purposes only, forming no part of the claimed design. The pattern repeats uniformly throughout the length and width of the fabric.

The bottom and side edge surfaces of the nonwoven fabric that are not shown in the drawings or described in the specification form no part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets**



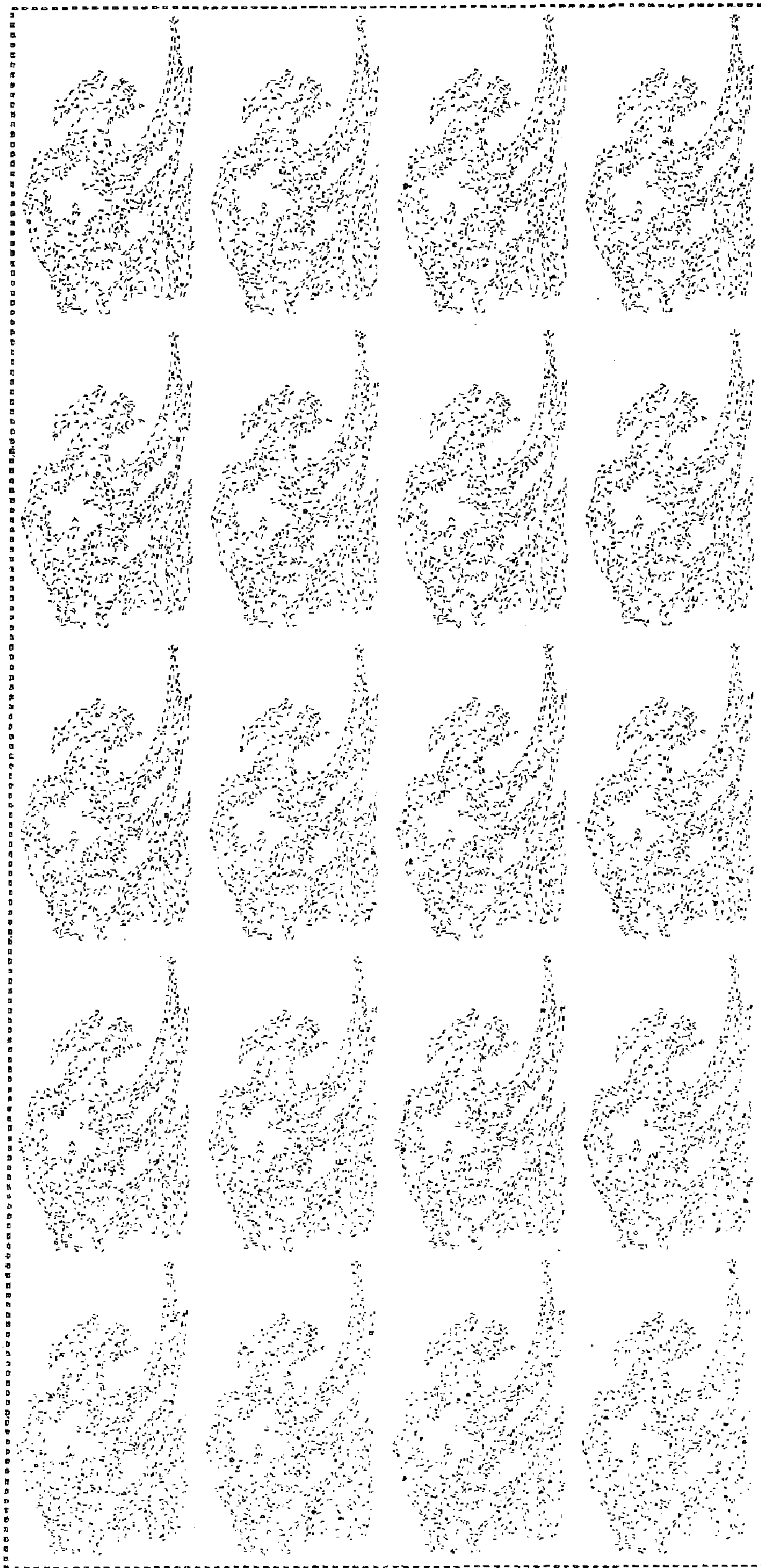


FIG. 1



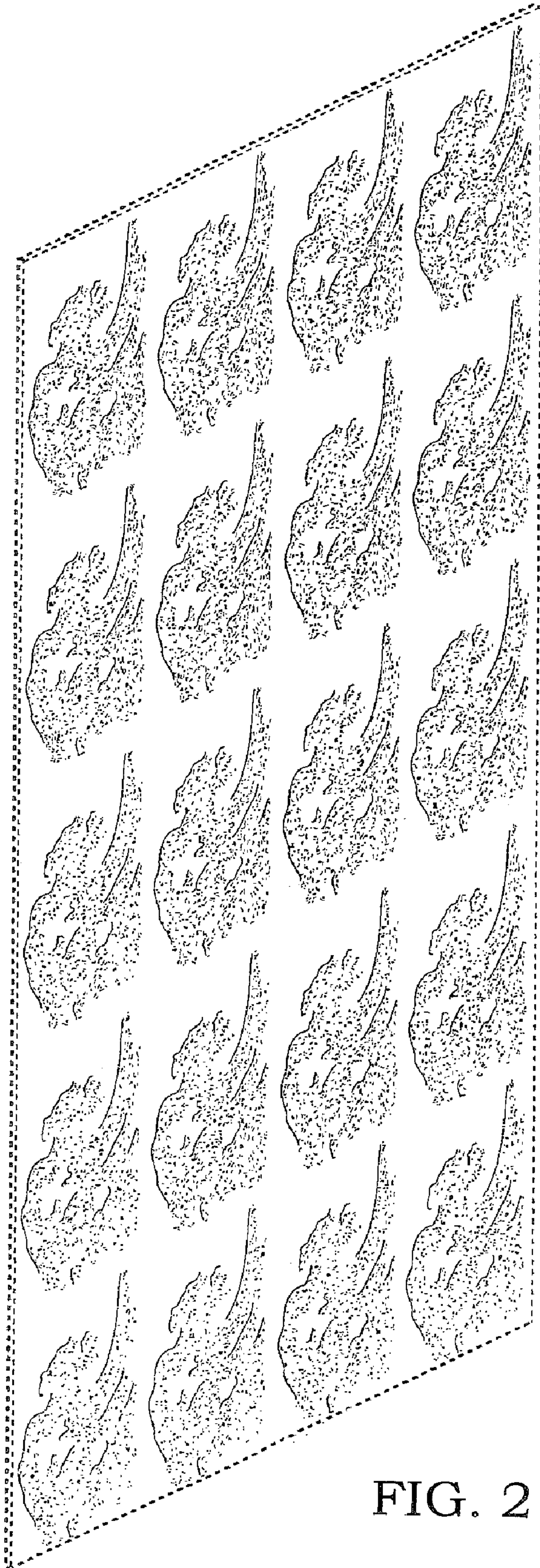


FIG. 2