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(54) **KNIFE EDGE TAPERING BLUNT CANNULA PROXIMAL PORTION**

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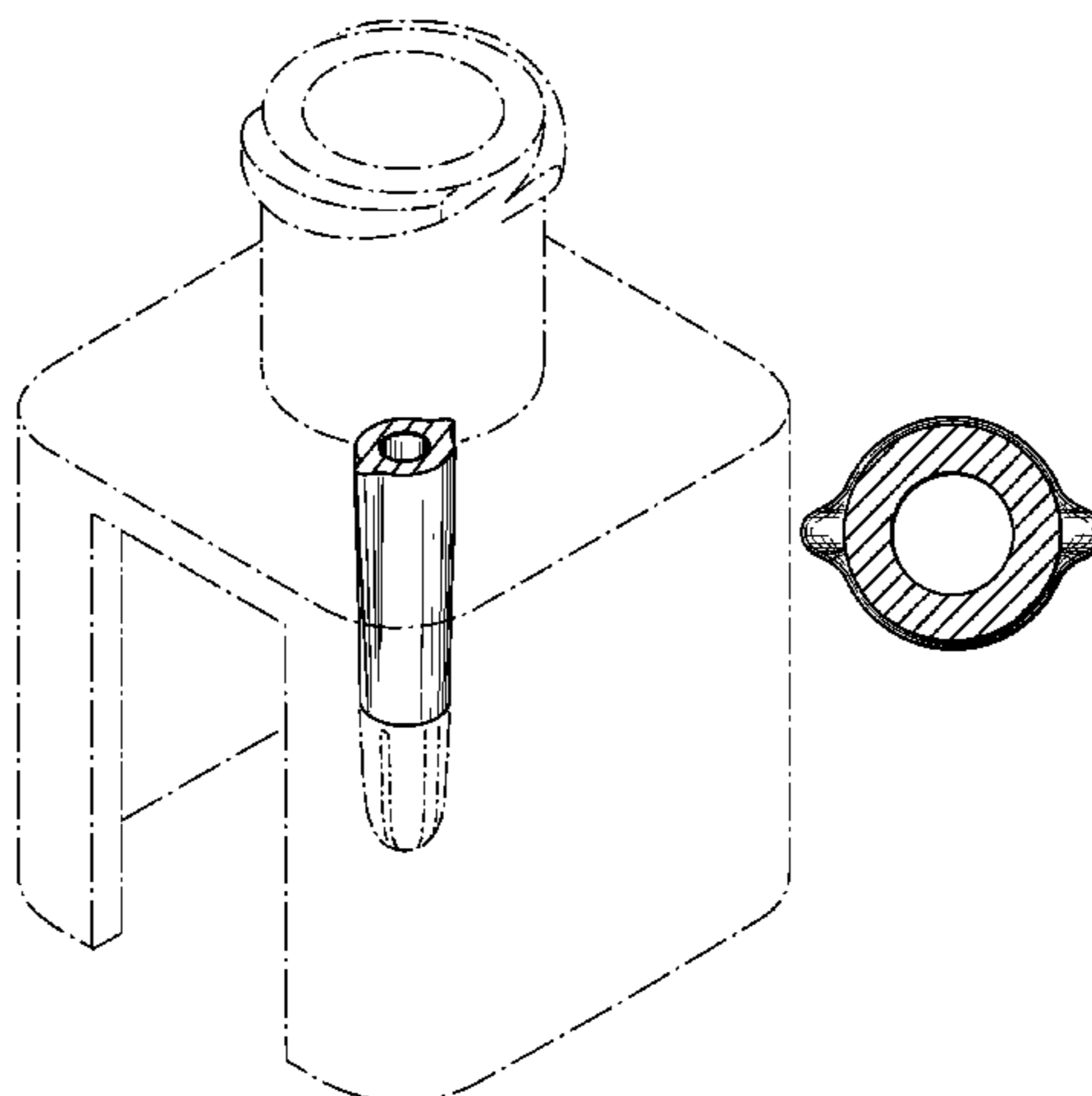
The ornamental design for a knife edge tapering blunt cannula proximal portion, as shown and described.

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**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of an embodiment of our new, original and ornamental design;  
FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof, the rear elevational view being a mirror image thereof;  
FIG. 3 is a right side elevational view thereof, the left side elevational view being a mirror image thereof;  
FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view thereof; and,  
FIG. 5 is a top plan view thereof.  
The structure shown in phantom is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.

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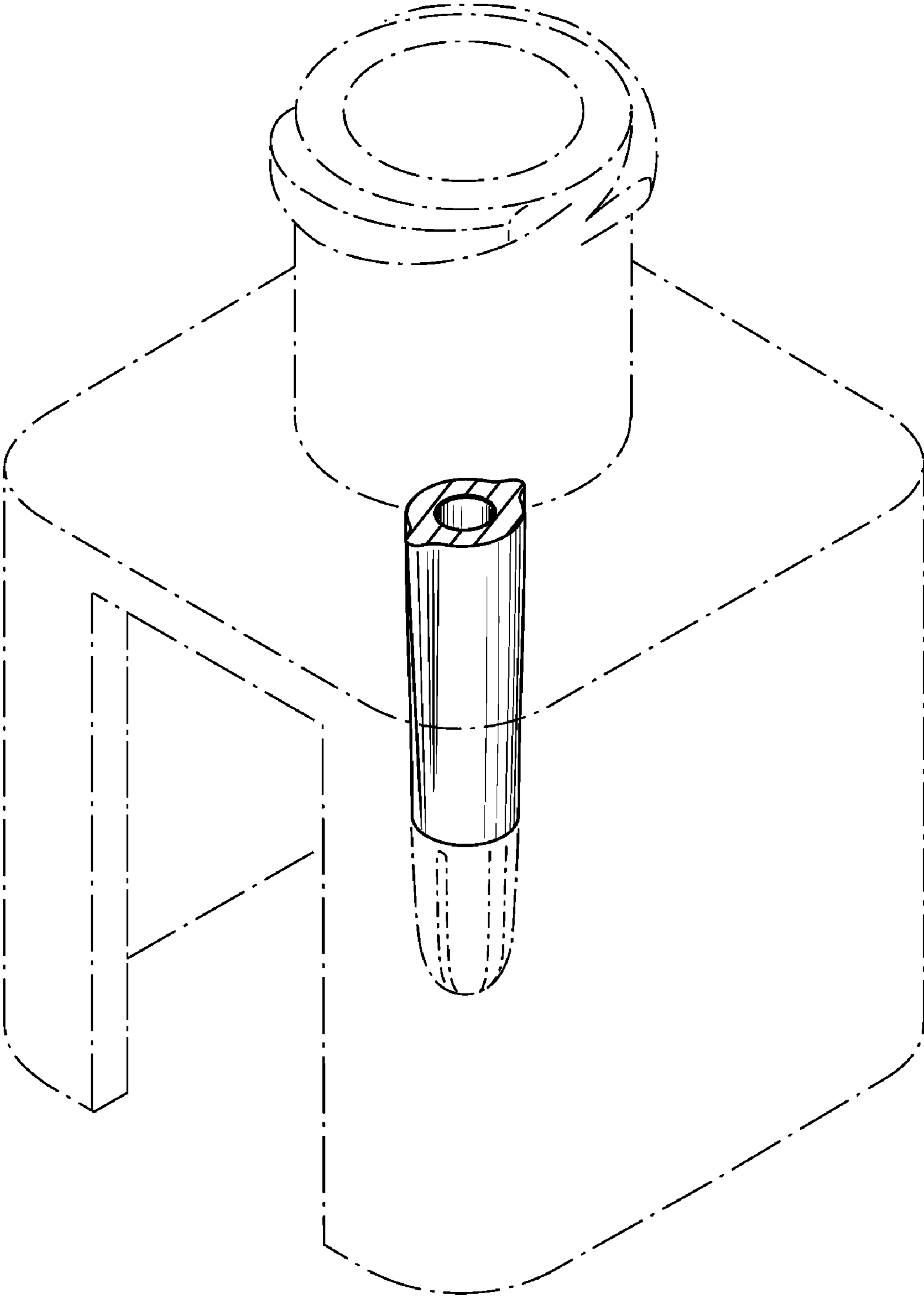


FIG. 1

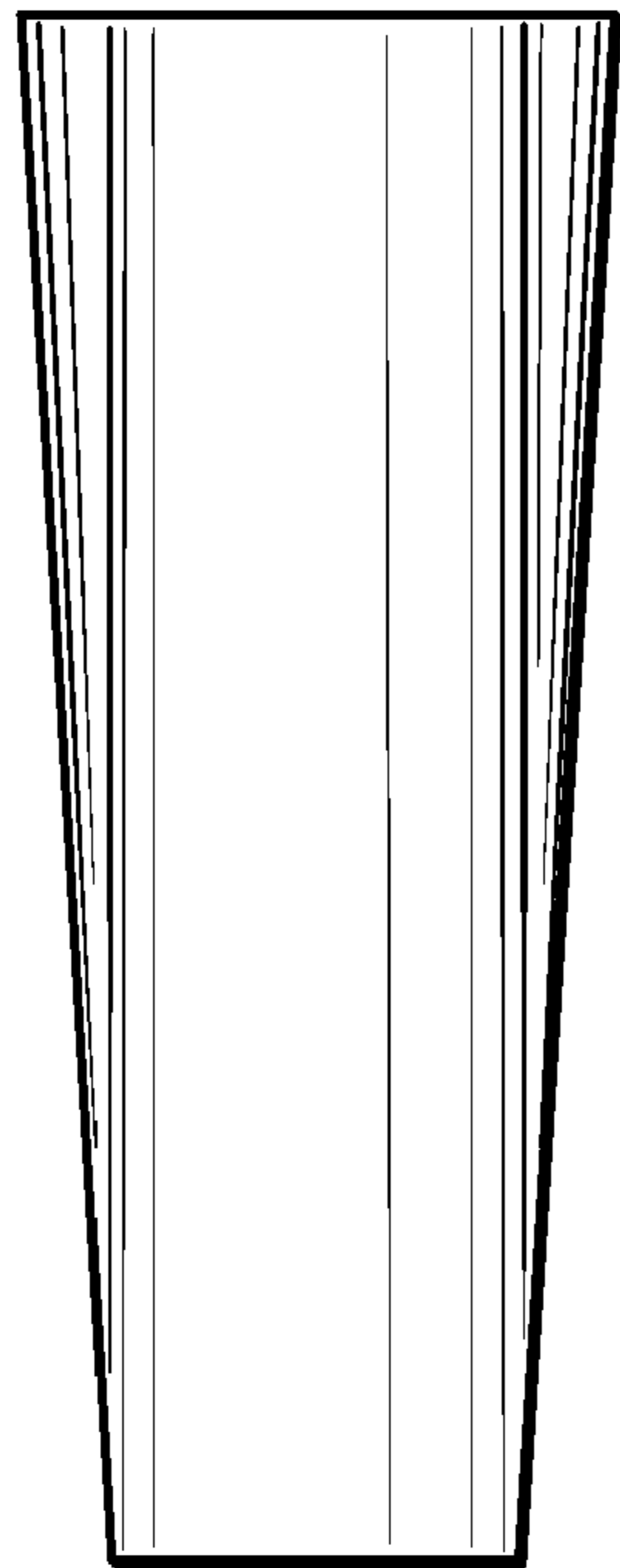


FIG. 2

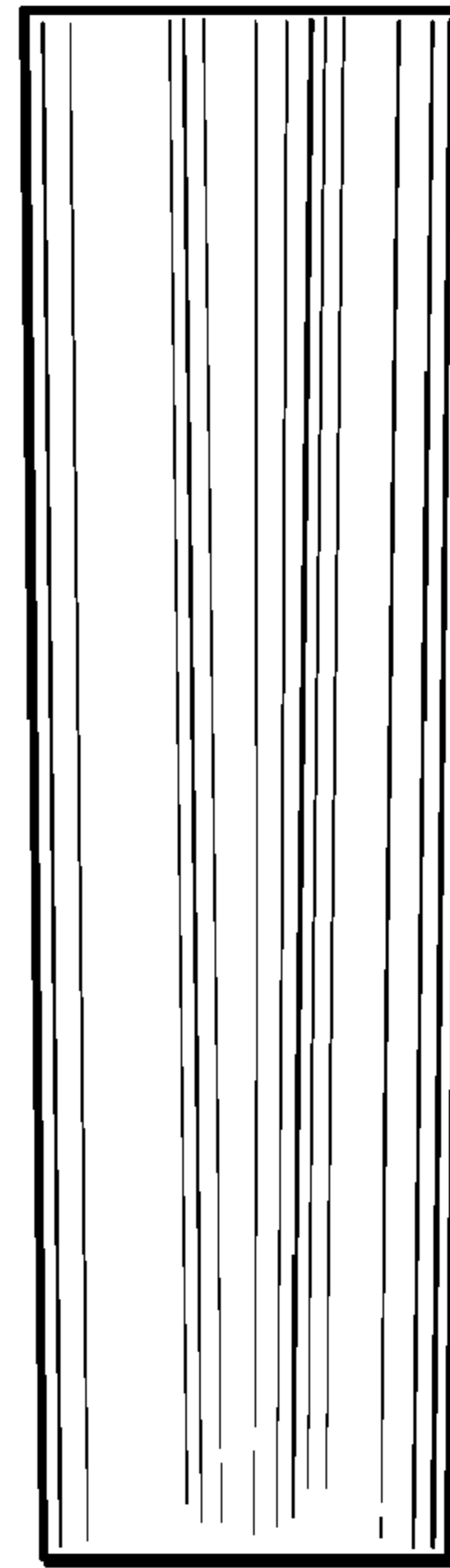


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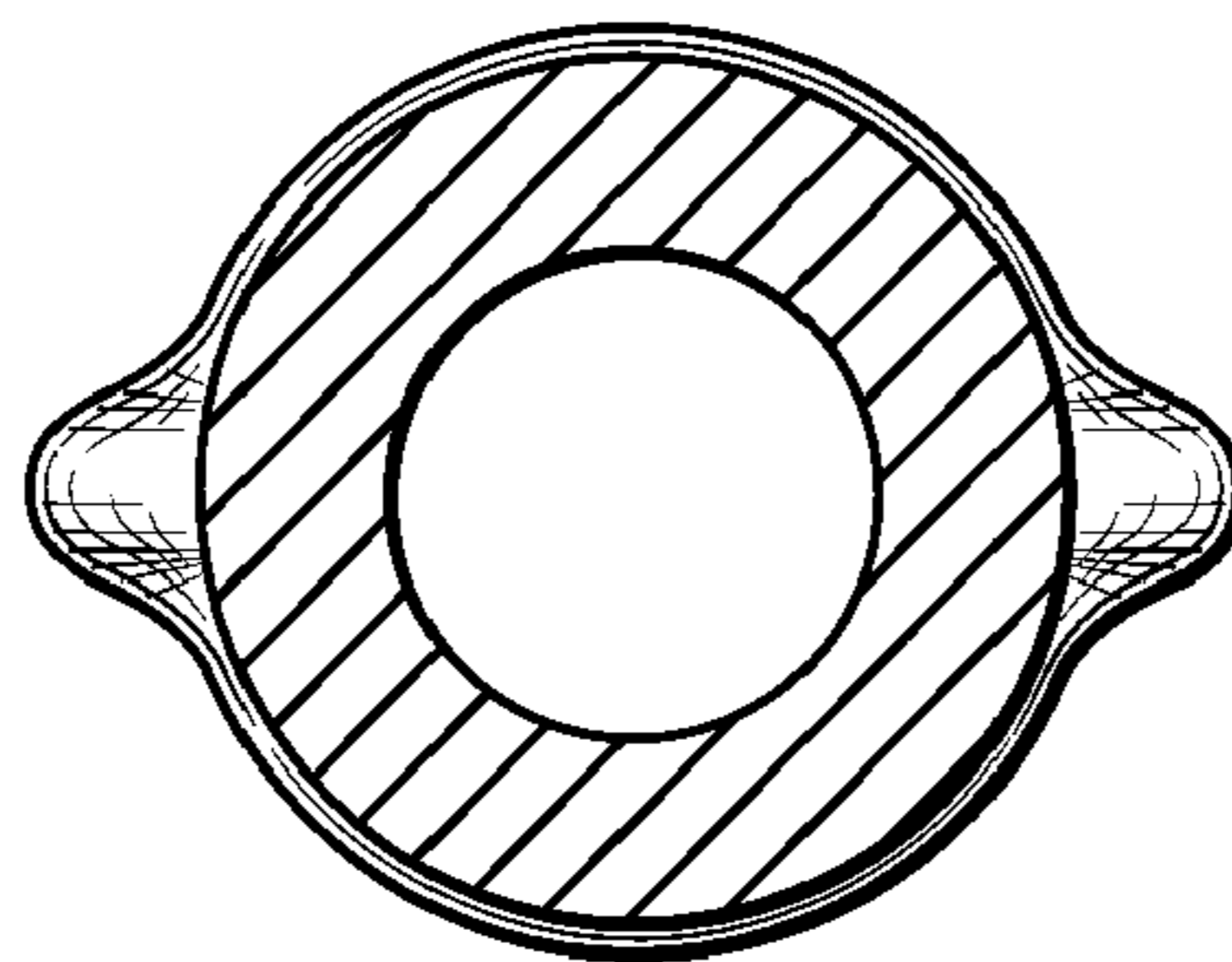


FIG. 4

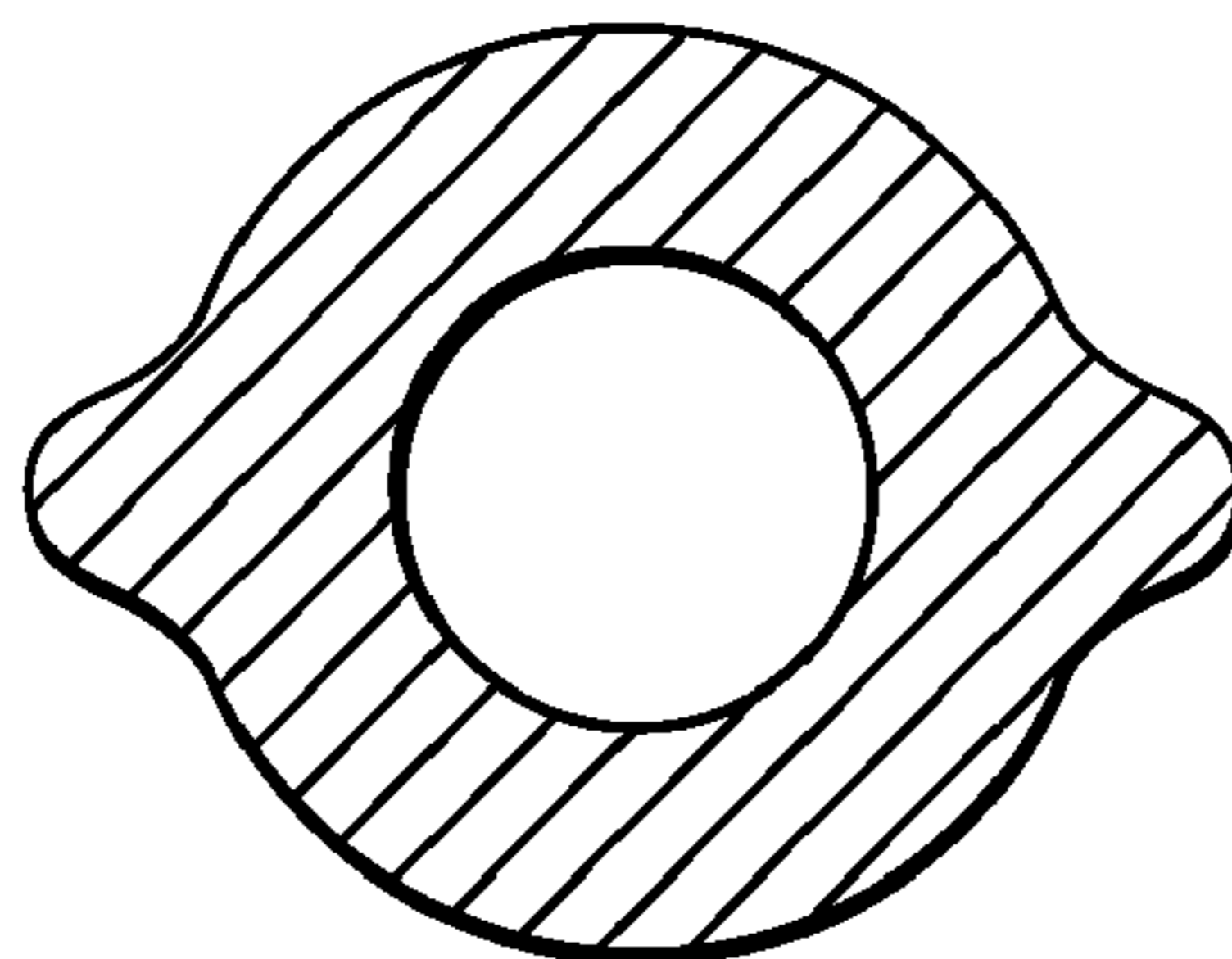


FIG. 5