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(54) **NOVELTY CONTAINER WITH PUPPET**

(57) **CLAIM**

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The ornamental design for a novelty container with puppet, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a front view of the novelty container with puppet in the open position;

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FIG. 2 is a right side view of the novelty container in the open position, the left side view (omitted) being symmetrical to the right side view;

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FIG. 3 is a top view of the novelty container in the open position;

FIG. 4 is a bottom view of the novelty container in the open position;

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FIG. 5 is a front view of the novelty container in the closed position;

FIG. 6 is a right side view of the novelty container in the closed position, the left side view (omitted) being symmetrical to the right side view;

FIG. 7 is a top view of the novelty container in the closed position;

FIG. 8 is a bottom view of the novelty container in the closed position.

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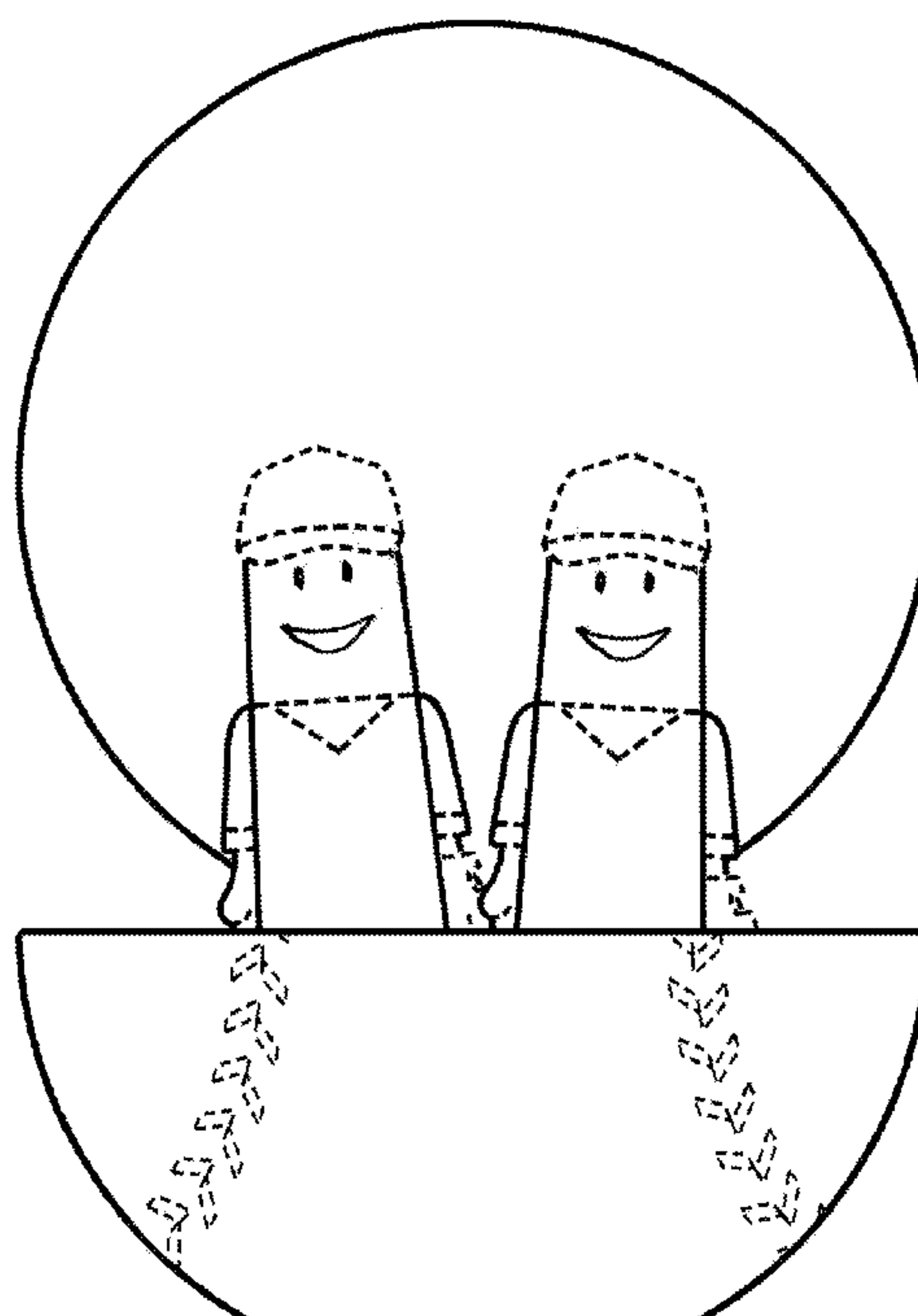
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FIG. 9 is a front view of a second embodiment of the novelty container in the open position; and,

FIG. 10 is a front view of a third embodiment of the novelty container in the open position.

The broken lines in the figures showing portions of the novelty container with puppet in FIGS. 1-10 are for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 10 Drawing Sheets



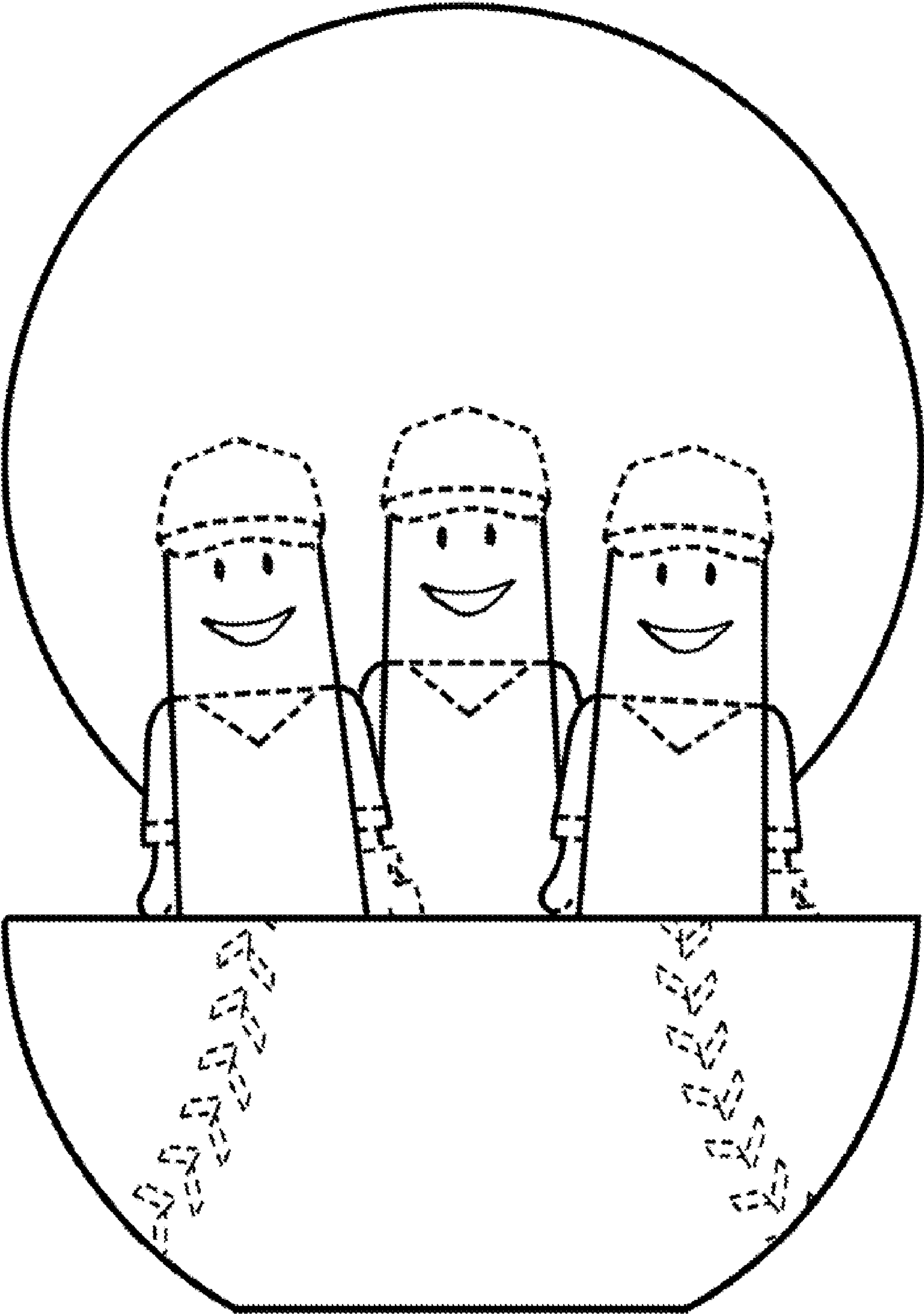


FIG. 1

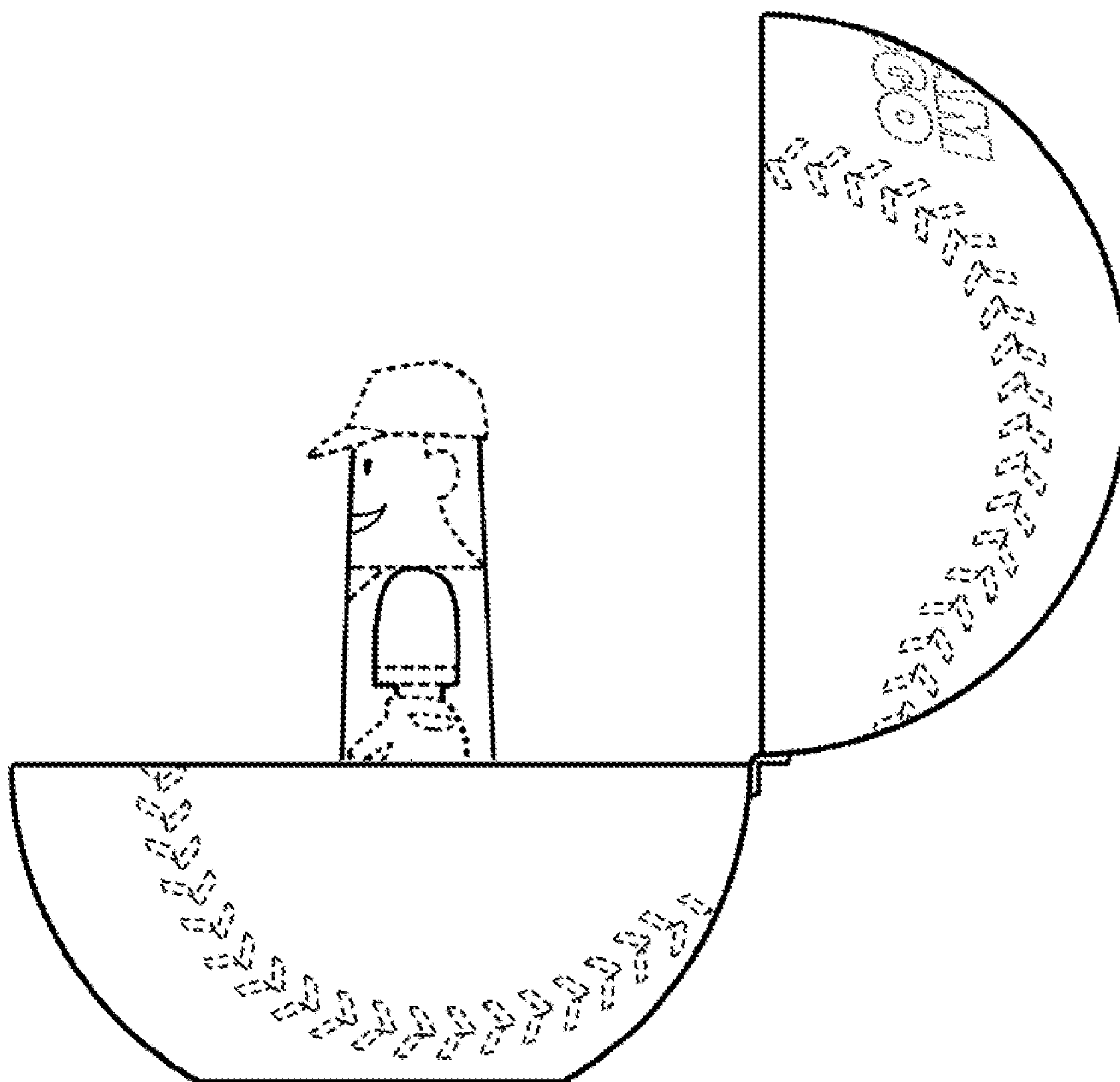


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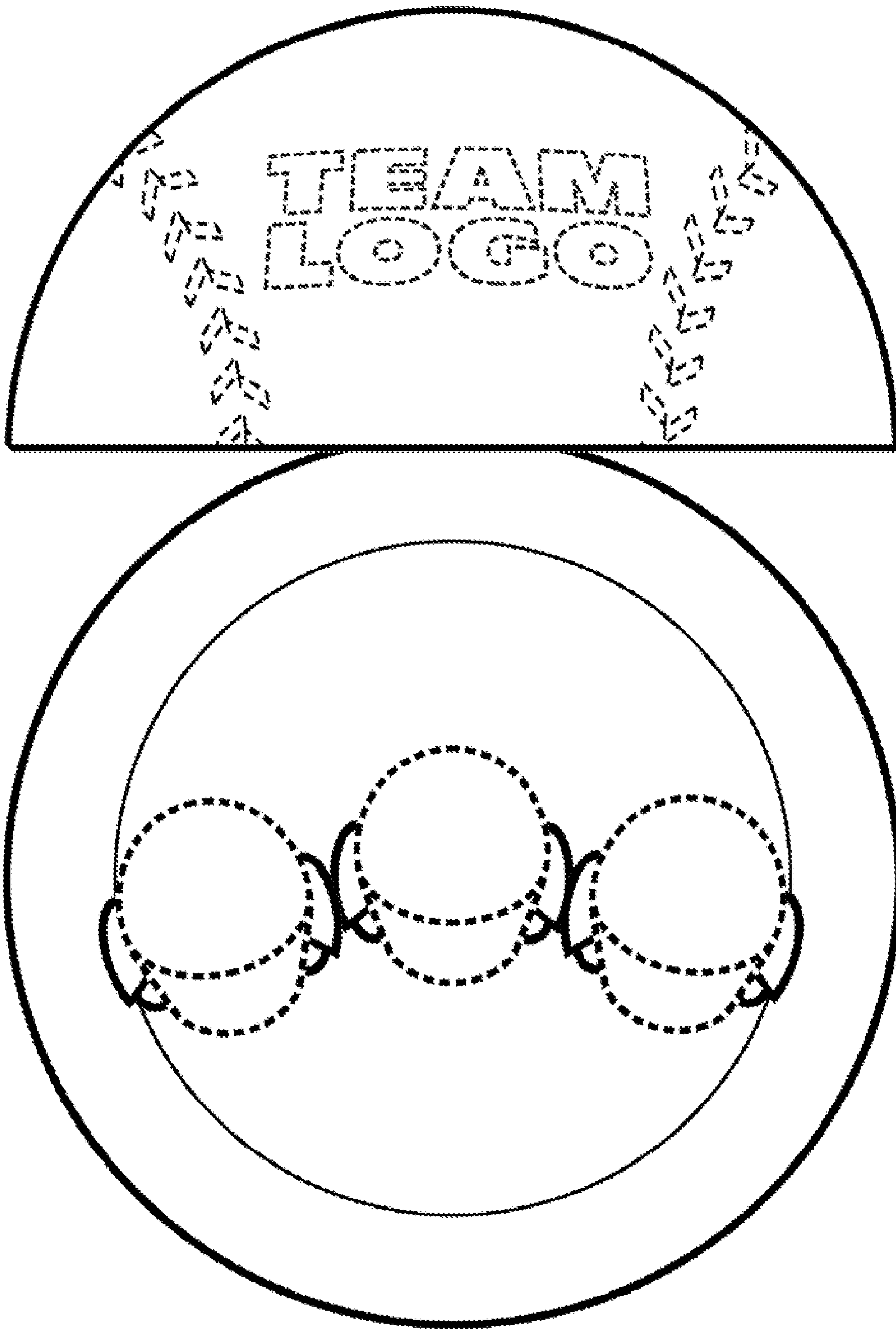


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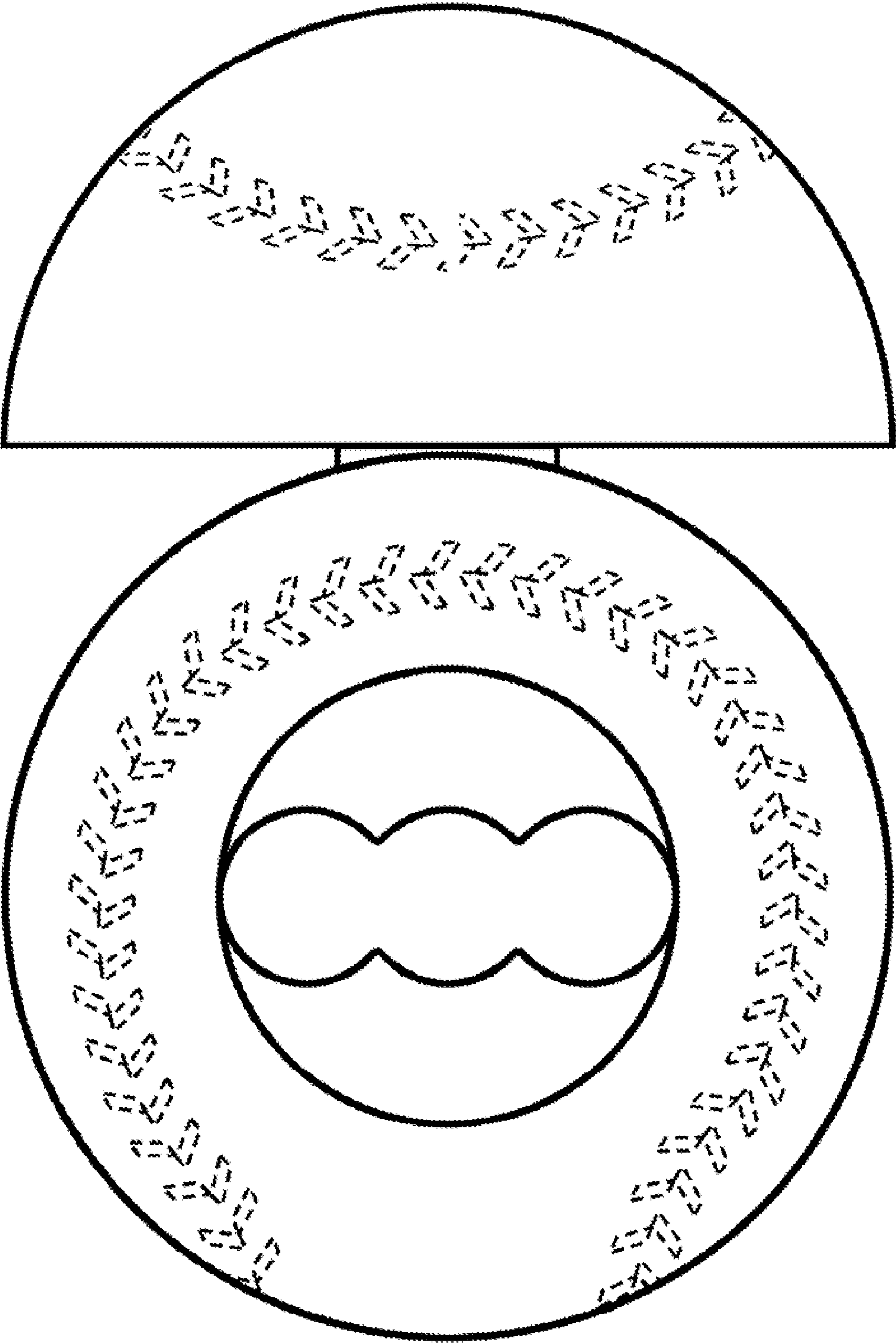


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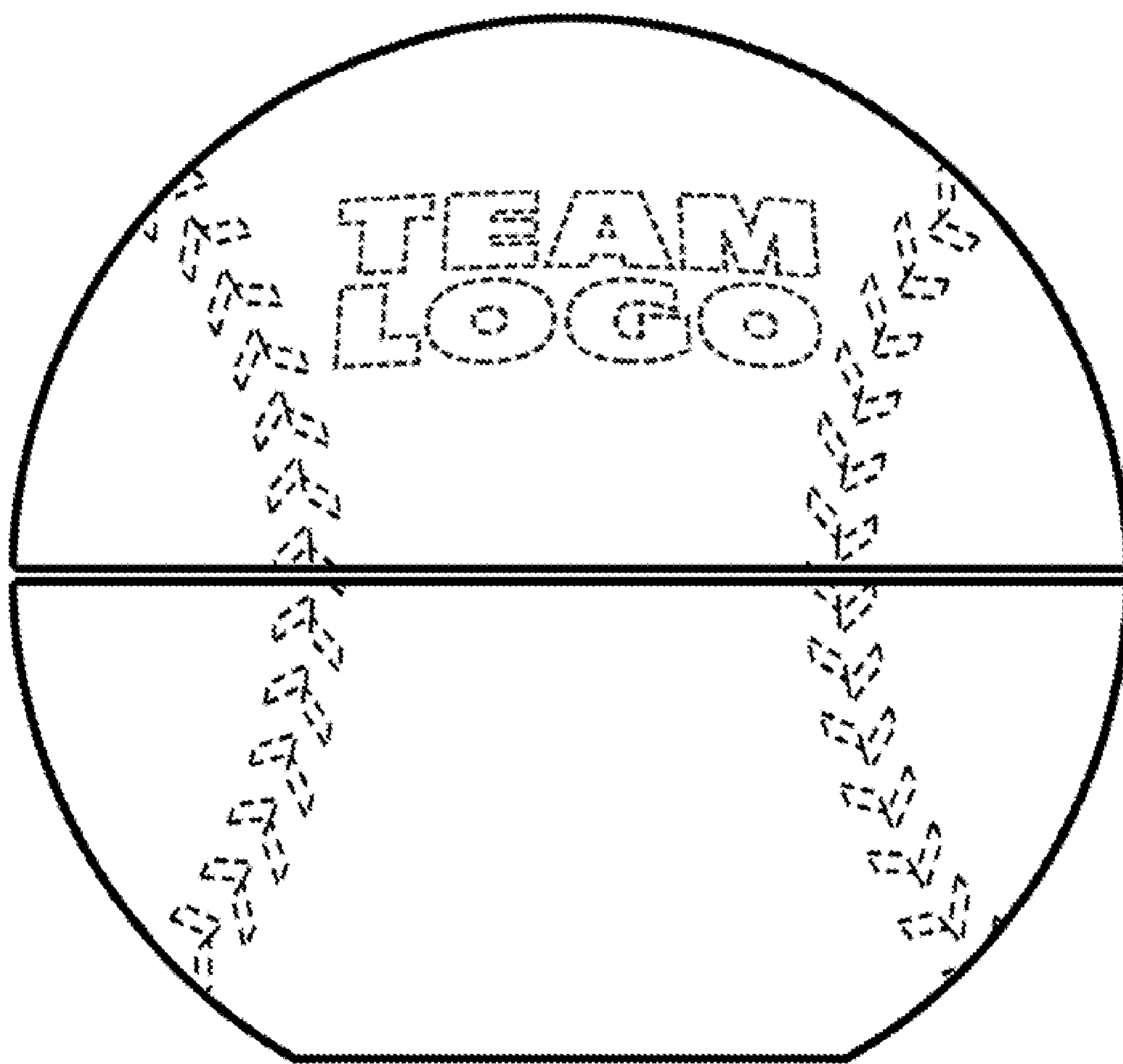


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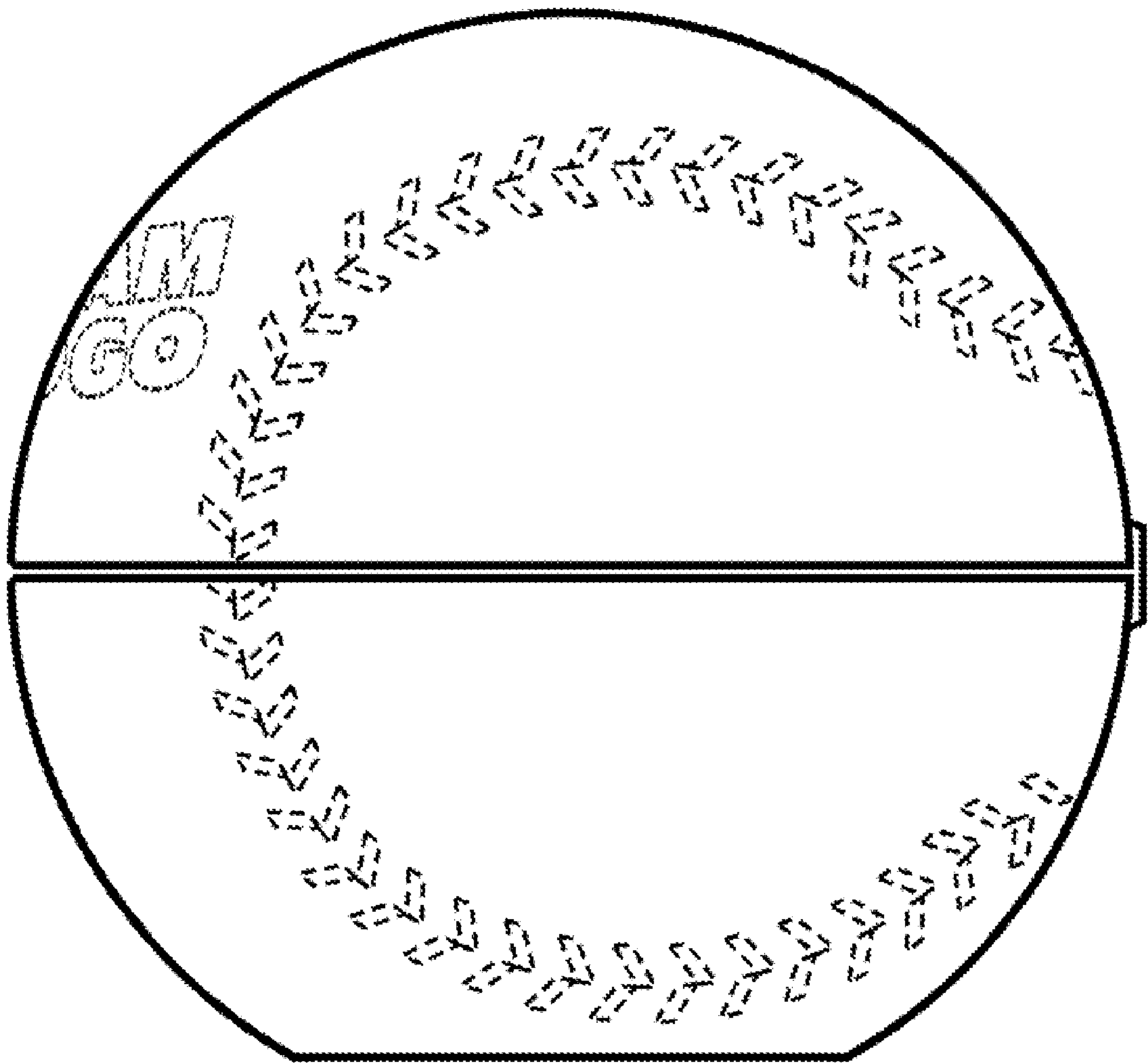


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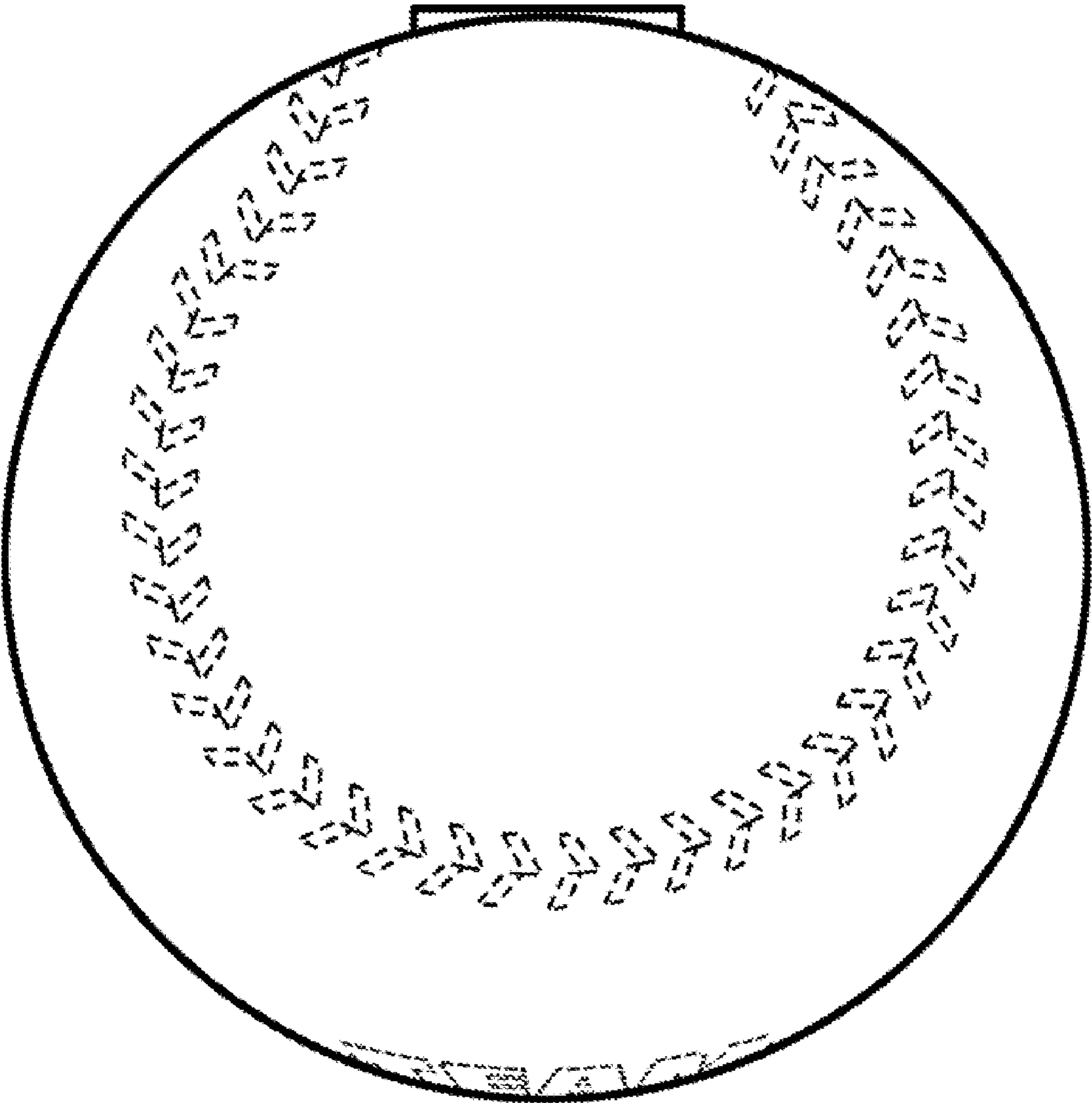


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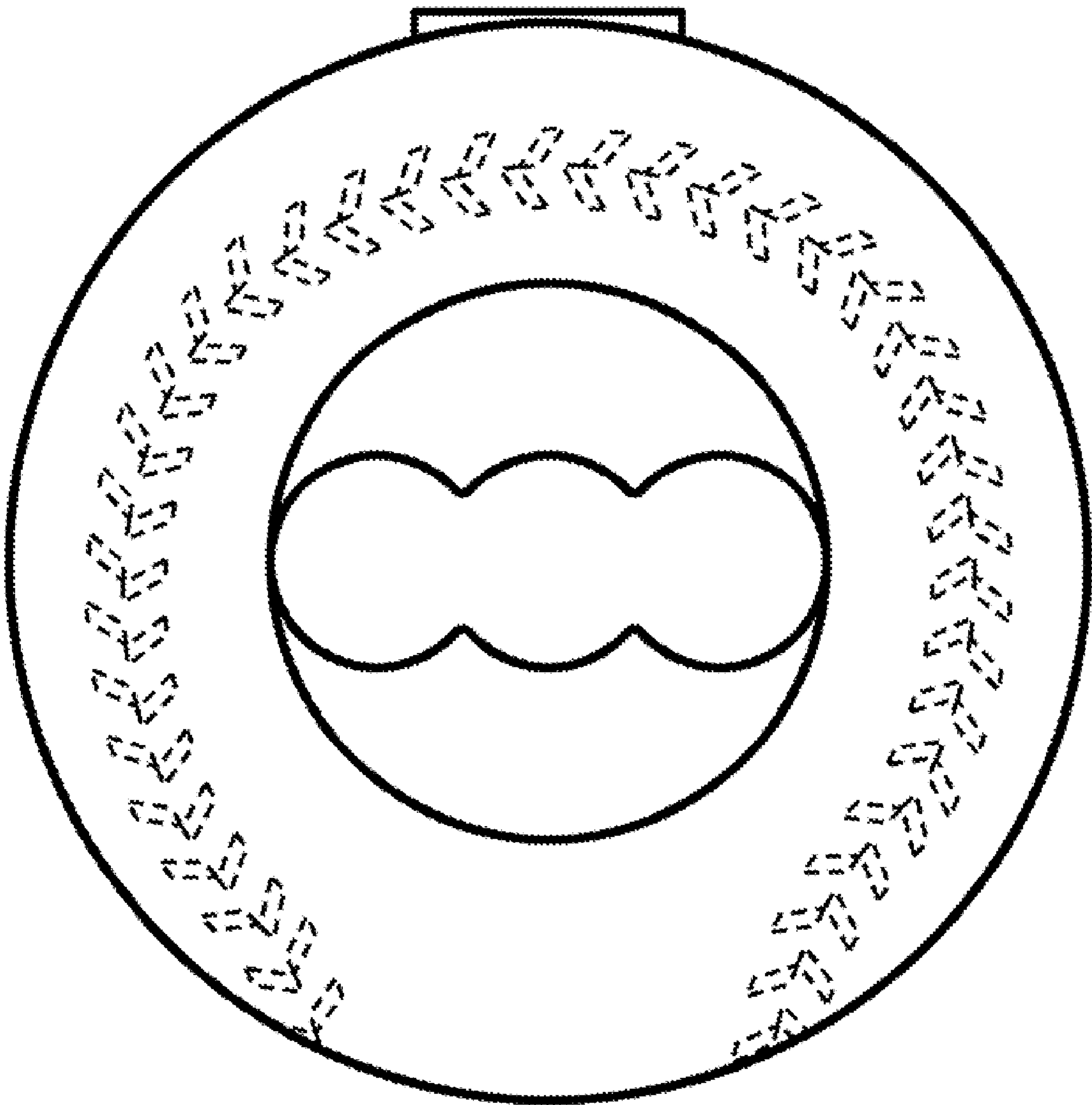


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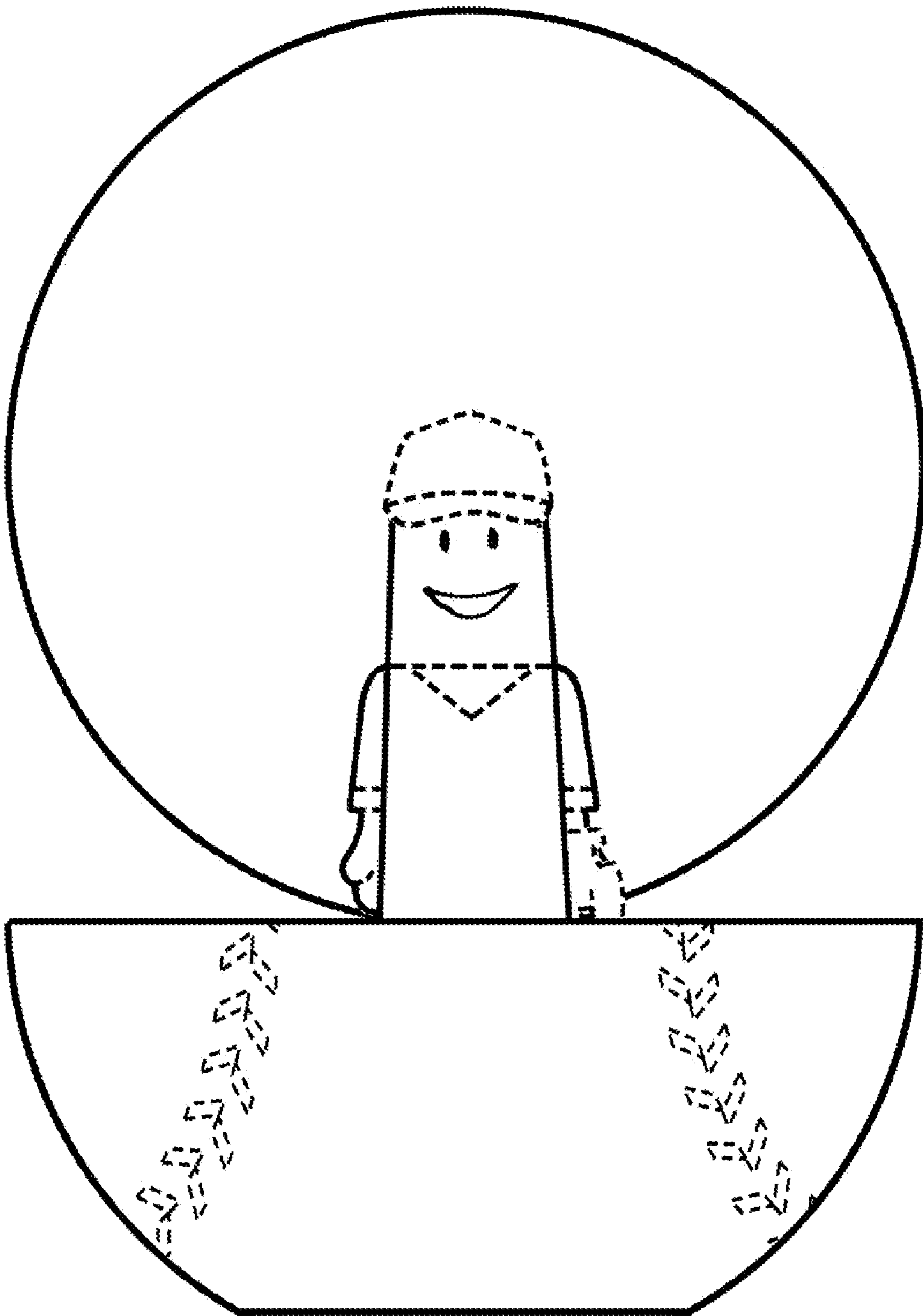


FIG. 9

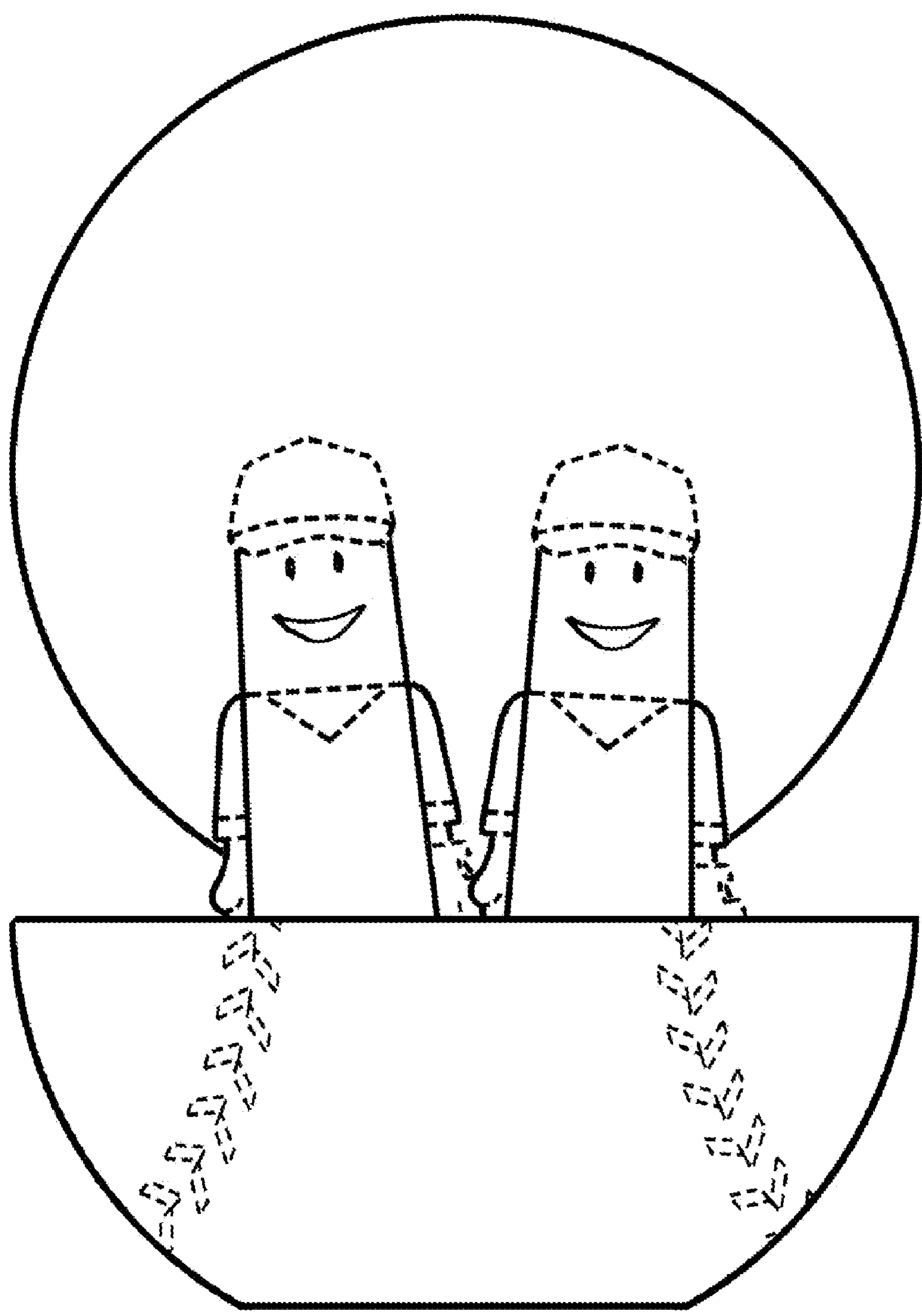


FIG. 10