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The ornamental design for a writing instrument, as shown and described.

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**DESCRIPTION**

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FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of a writing instrument according to the present invention;  
FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 3 is a back elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 4 is a right side elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 5 is a left side elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 6 is a top plan view thereof; and,  
FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view thereof.

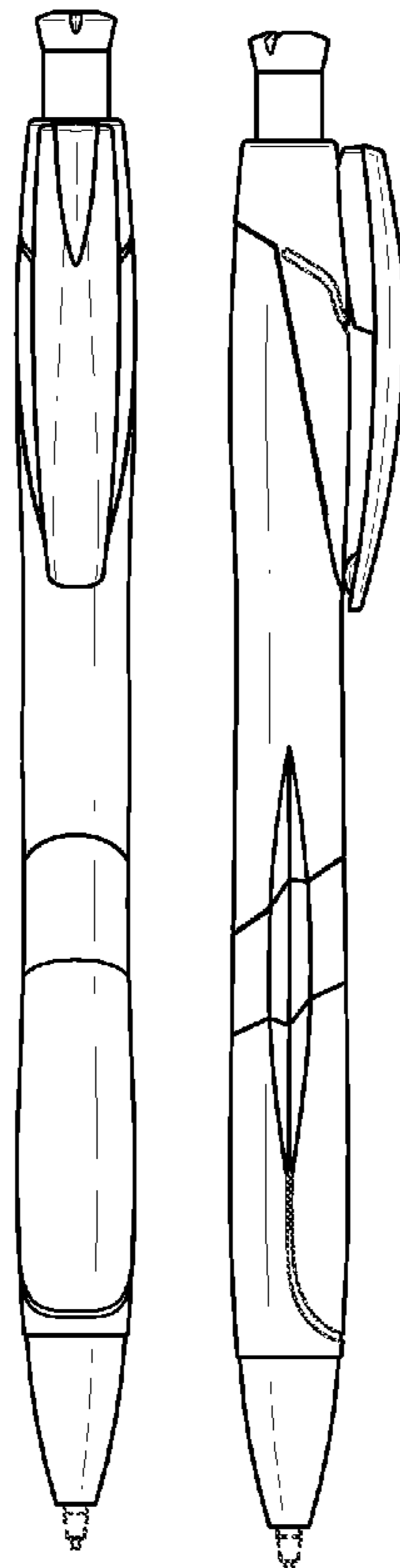
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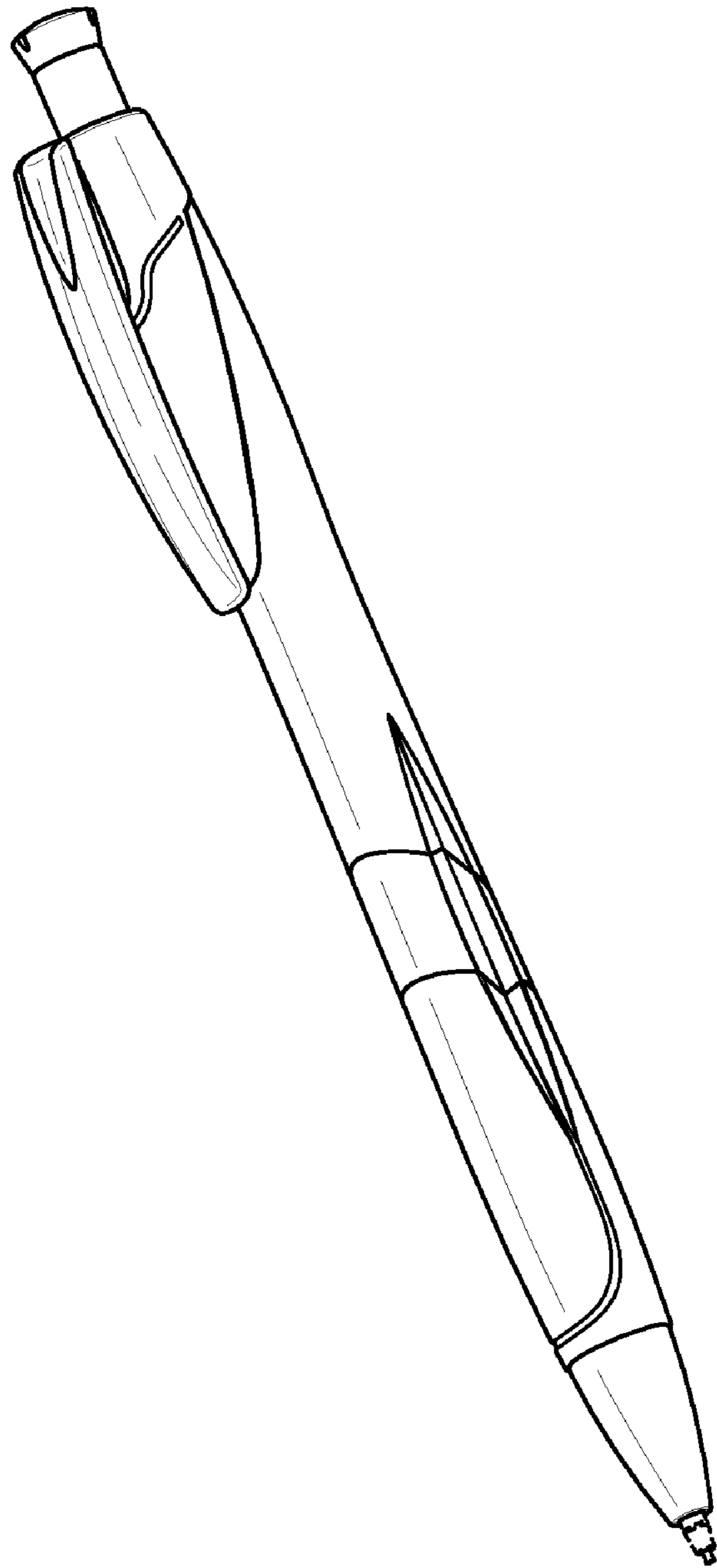
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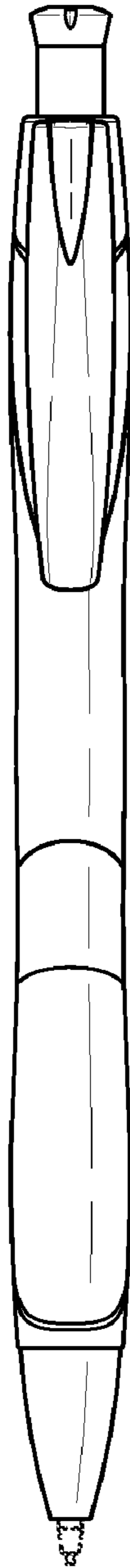
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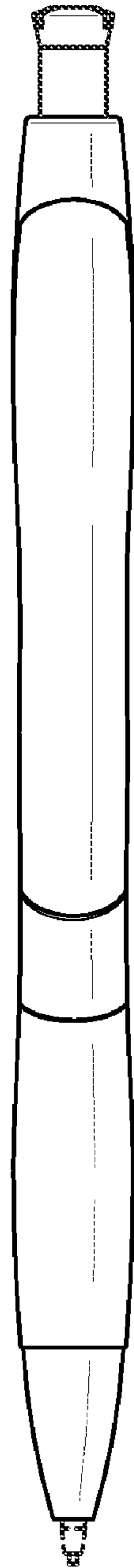




**Fig. 1**



*Fig. 2*



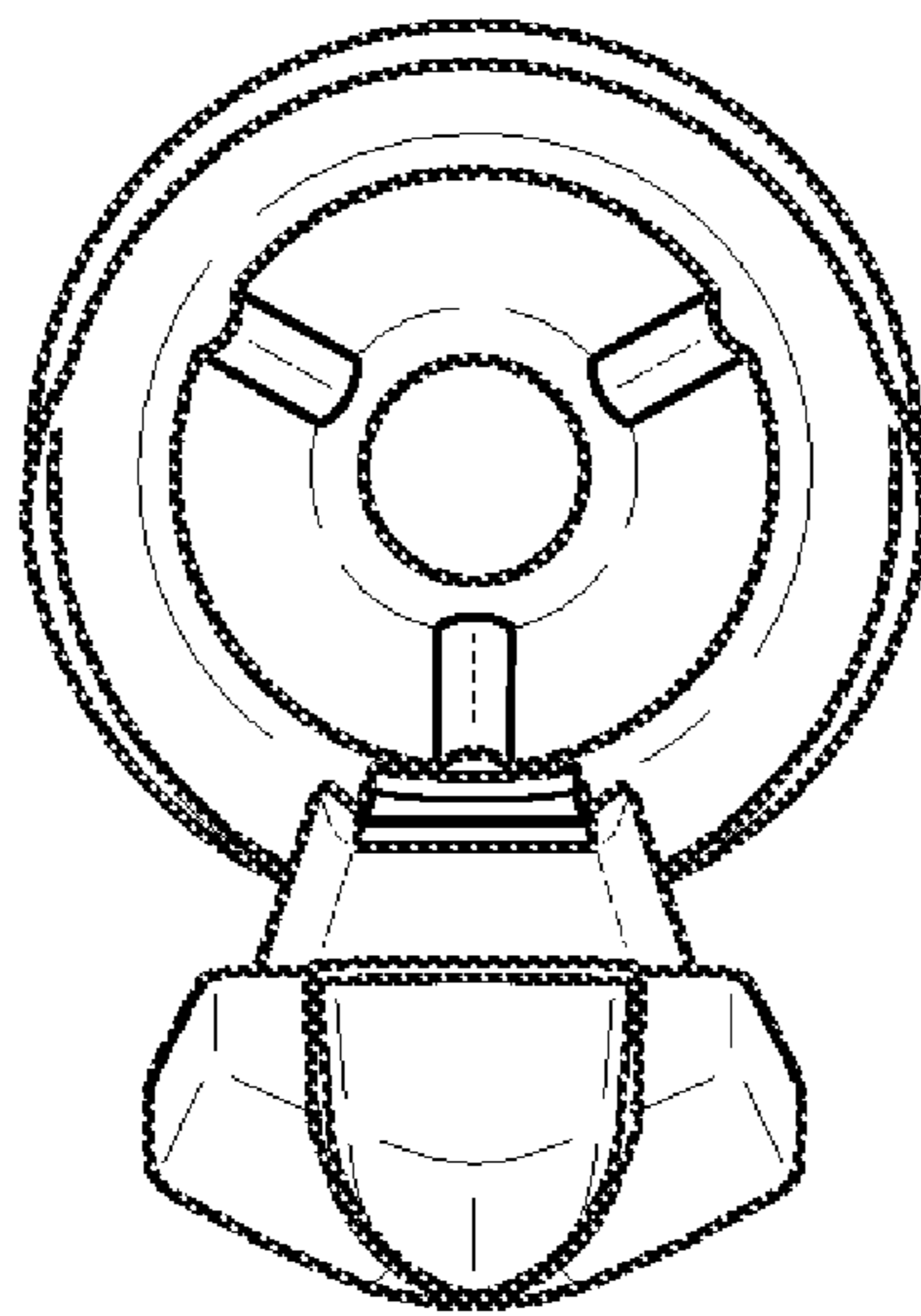
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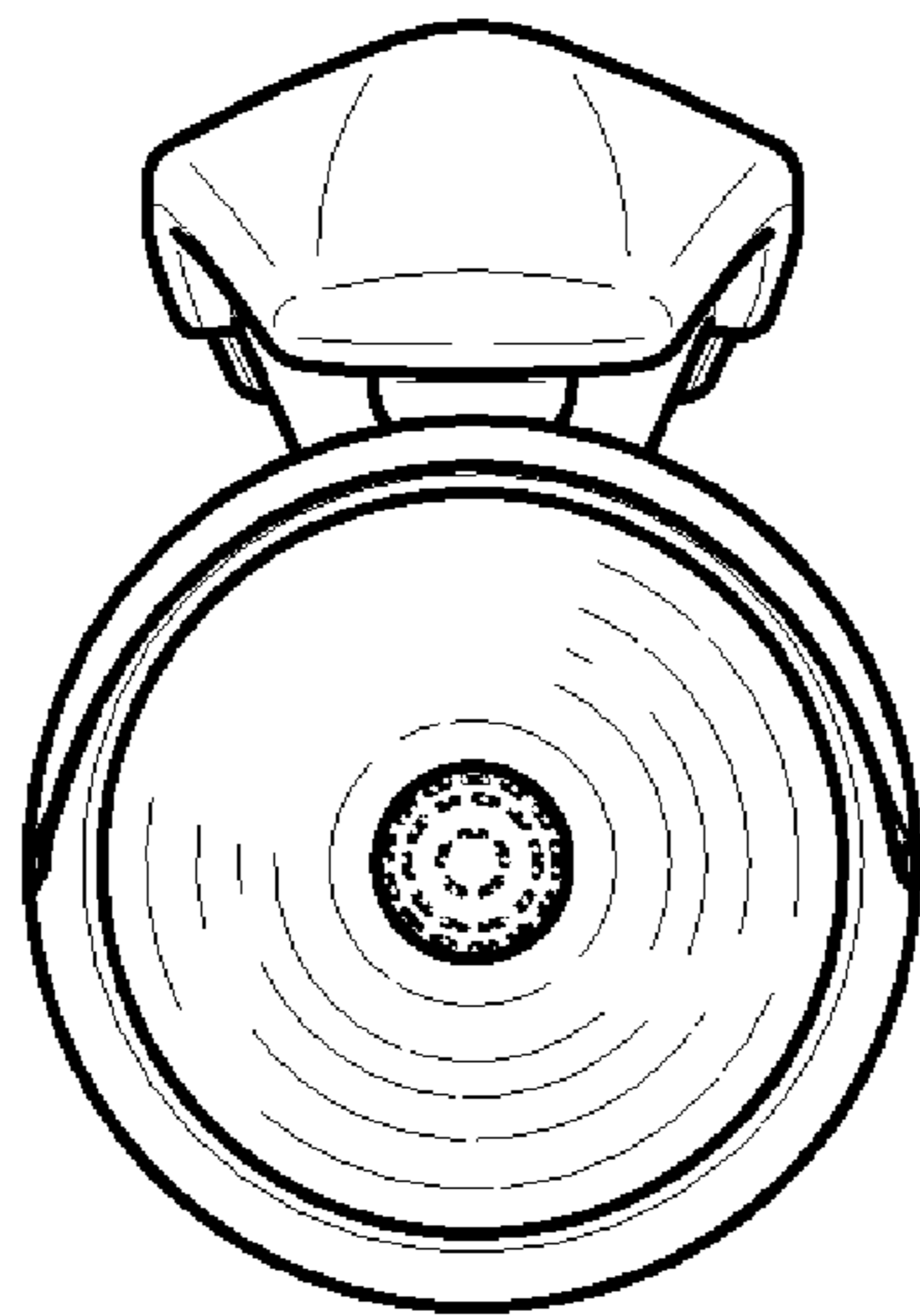
*Fig. 4*



**Fig. 5**



*Fig. 6*



*Fig. 7*