



US00D578218S

(12) **United States Design Patent**
Purga et al.

(10) **Patent No.:** **US D578,218 S**

(45) **Date of Patent:** **** Oct. 7, 2008**

(54) **SCREW FOR A DENTAL IMPLANT**

(75) Inventors: **Johnny Purga**, Laufen (CH); **Ulrich Mundwiler**, Tenniken (CH); **Andreas Utz**, Freiburg (DE)

(73) Assignee: **Straumann Holding AG**, Basel (CH)

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

(21) Appl. No.: **29/286,603**

(22) Filed: **May 14, 2007**

(30) **Foreign Application Priority Data**

Nov. 16, 2006 (EM) 000623749

(51) **LOC (8) Cl.** **24-03**

(52) **U.S. Cl.** **D24/156**

(58) **Field of Classification Search** D24/155,
D24/156, 107; 433/173, 176

See application file for complete search history.

(56) **References Cited**

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

D330,767 S *	11/1992	Jorneus	.....	D24/156
D427,684 S *	7/2000	Hansson	.....	D24/156
6,217,331 B1 *	4/2001	Rogers et al.	.....	433/173
6,325,627 B1 *	12/2001	Ashman	.....	433/173
D503,802 S *	4/2005	Bjarnason	.....	D24/155
D524,941 S *	7/2006	Dixon et al.	.....	D24/155
7,097,453 B1 *	8/2006	Schroering, Jr.	.....	433/173
2002/0142266 A1 *	10/2002	Rogers et al.	.....	433/173
2003/0082499 A1 *	5/2003	Halldin et al.	.....	433/173
2003/0224329 A1 *	12/2003	Carlton	.....	433/173

* cited by examiner

Primary Examiner—Charles A Rademaker

(74) *Attorney, Agent, or Firm*—Scully, Scott, Murphy & Presser, P.C.

(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a screw for a dental implant, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a side elevation of a screw for a dental implant showing our new design;

FIG. 2 is another side elevation slightly rotated with respect to FIG. 1;

FIG. 3 is a another side elevation slightly rotated with respect to FIG. 2;

FIG. 4 is a top perspective view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 6 is another top perspective view thereof

FIG. 7 is side perspective view thereof;

FIG. 8 is a side elevation of a modified embodiment of the design shown in FIGS. 1 through 7;

FIG. 9 is another side elevation slightly rotated with respect to FIG. 8;

FIG. 10 is a another side elevation slightly rotated with respect to FIG. 9;

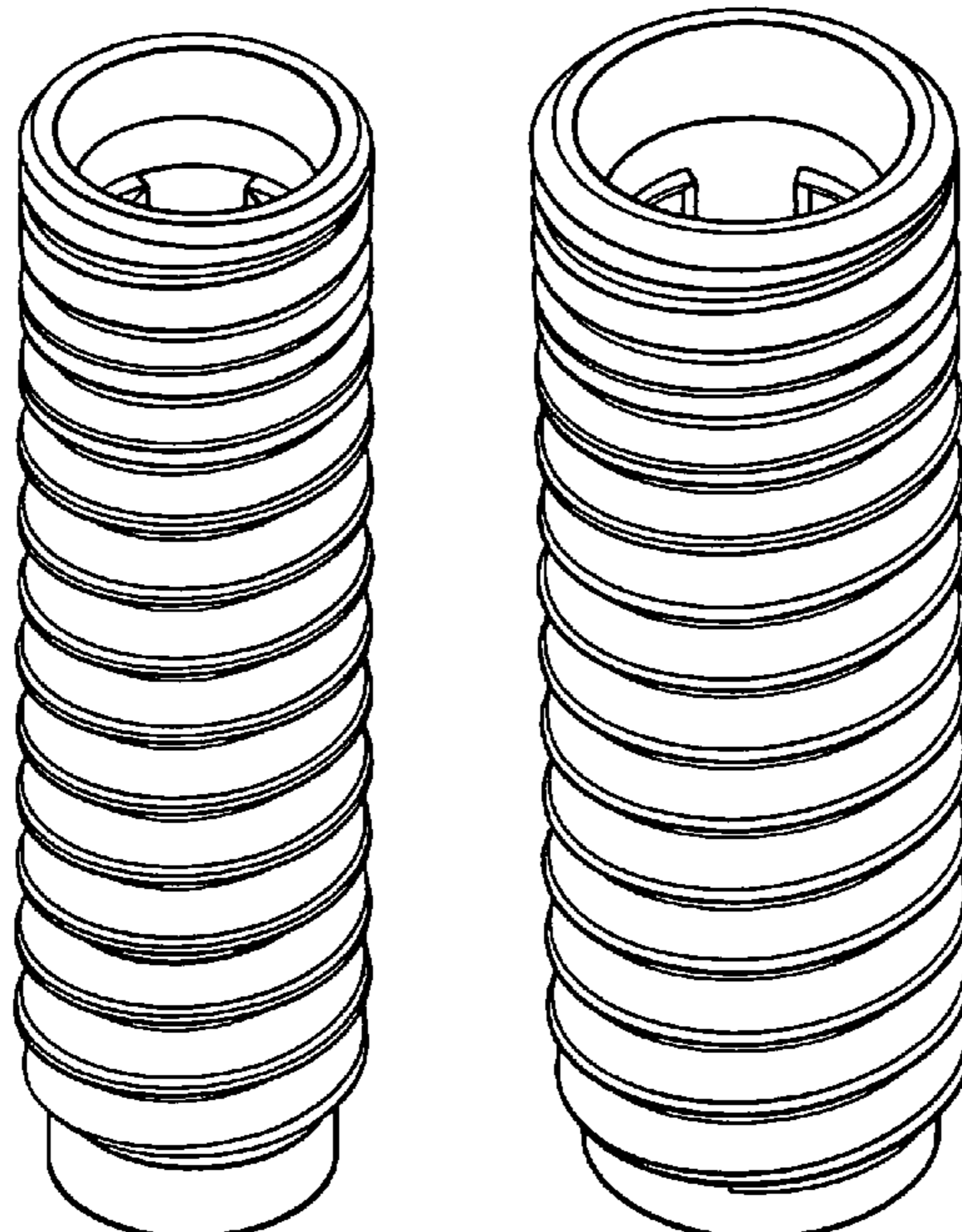
FIG. 11 is a top perspective view thereof;

FIG. 12 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 13 is another top perspective view thereof; and,

FIG. 14 is side perspective view thereof.

1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets



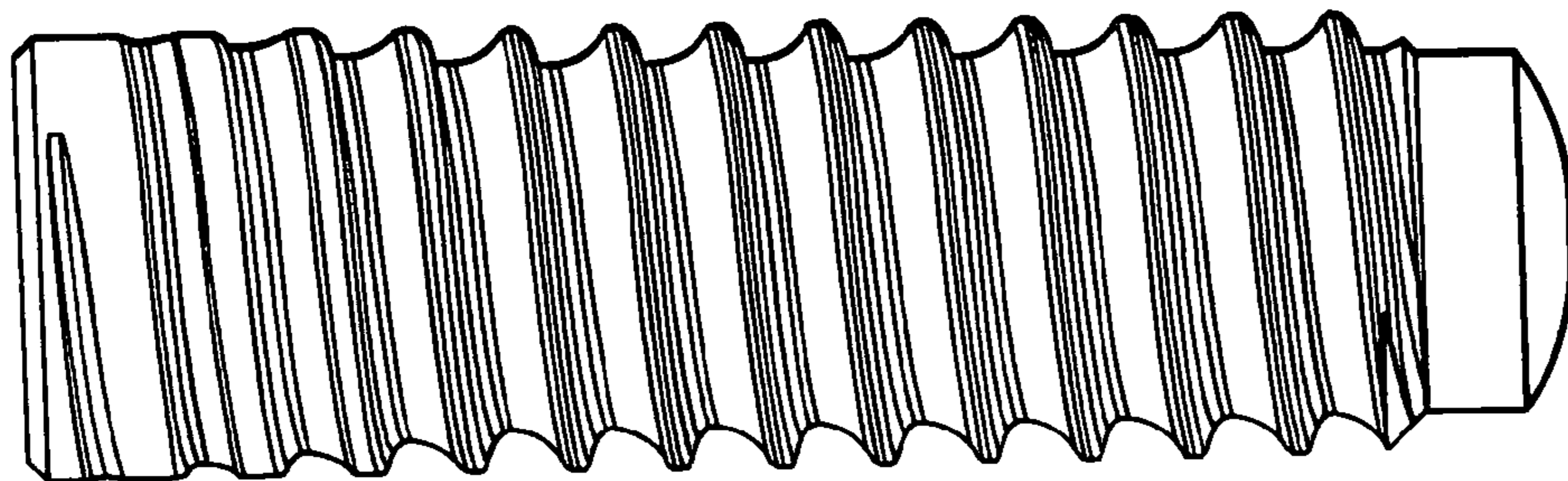


FIG. 3

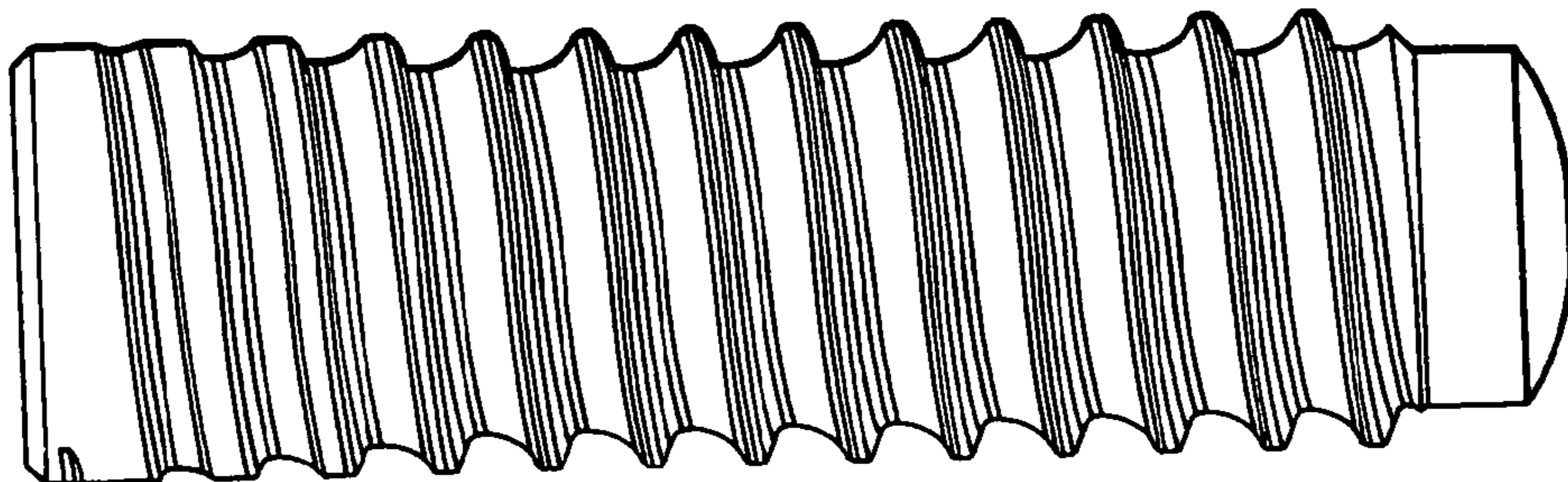


FIG. 2

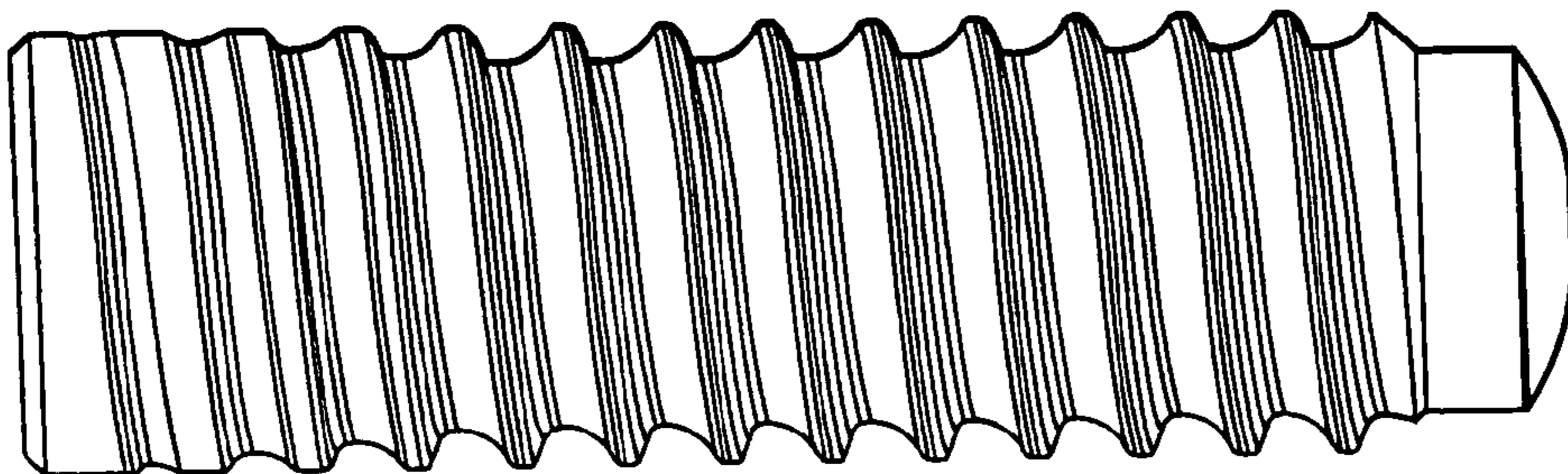


FIG. 1

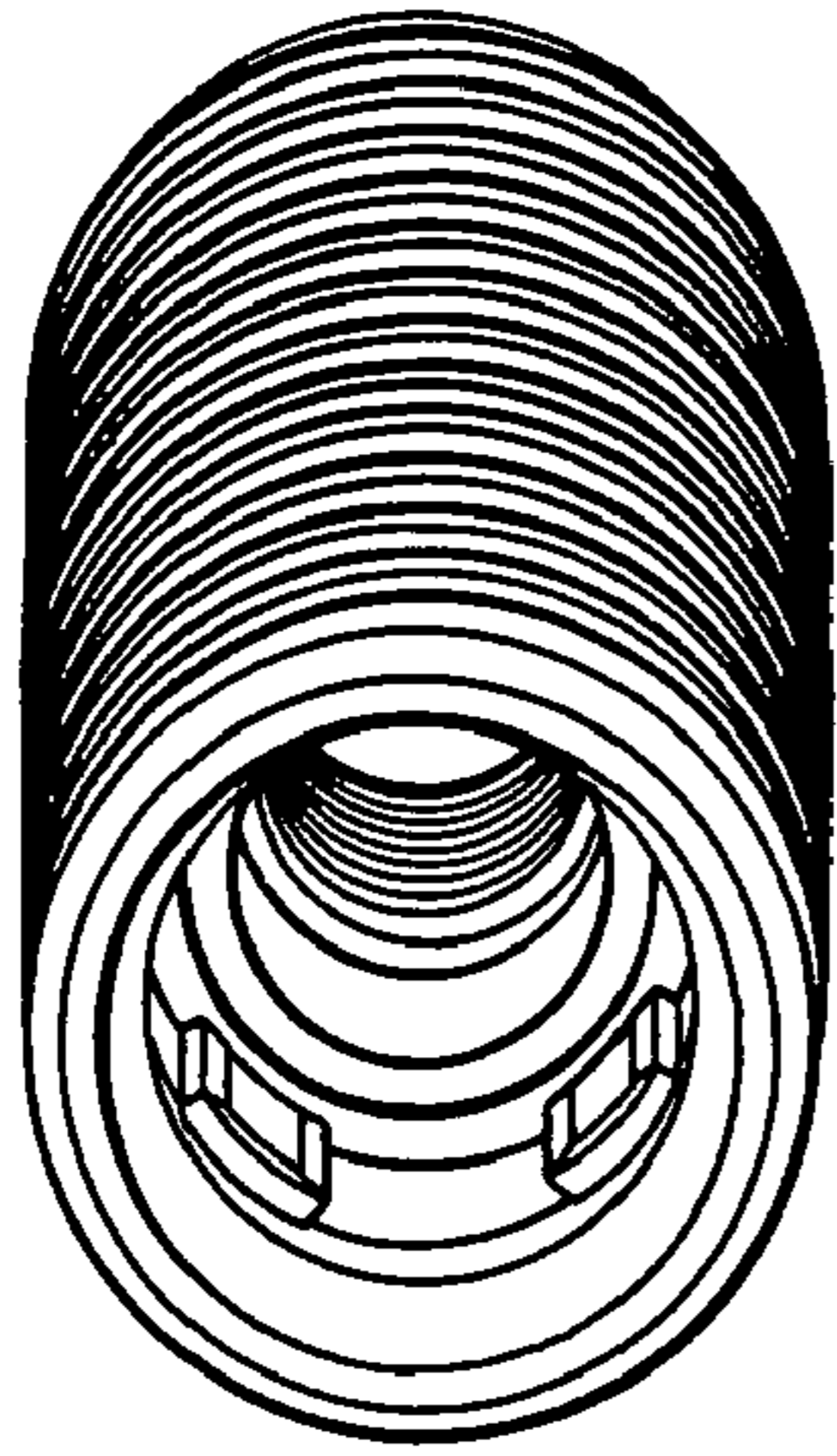


Fig. 4

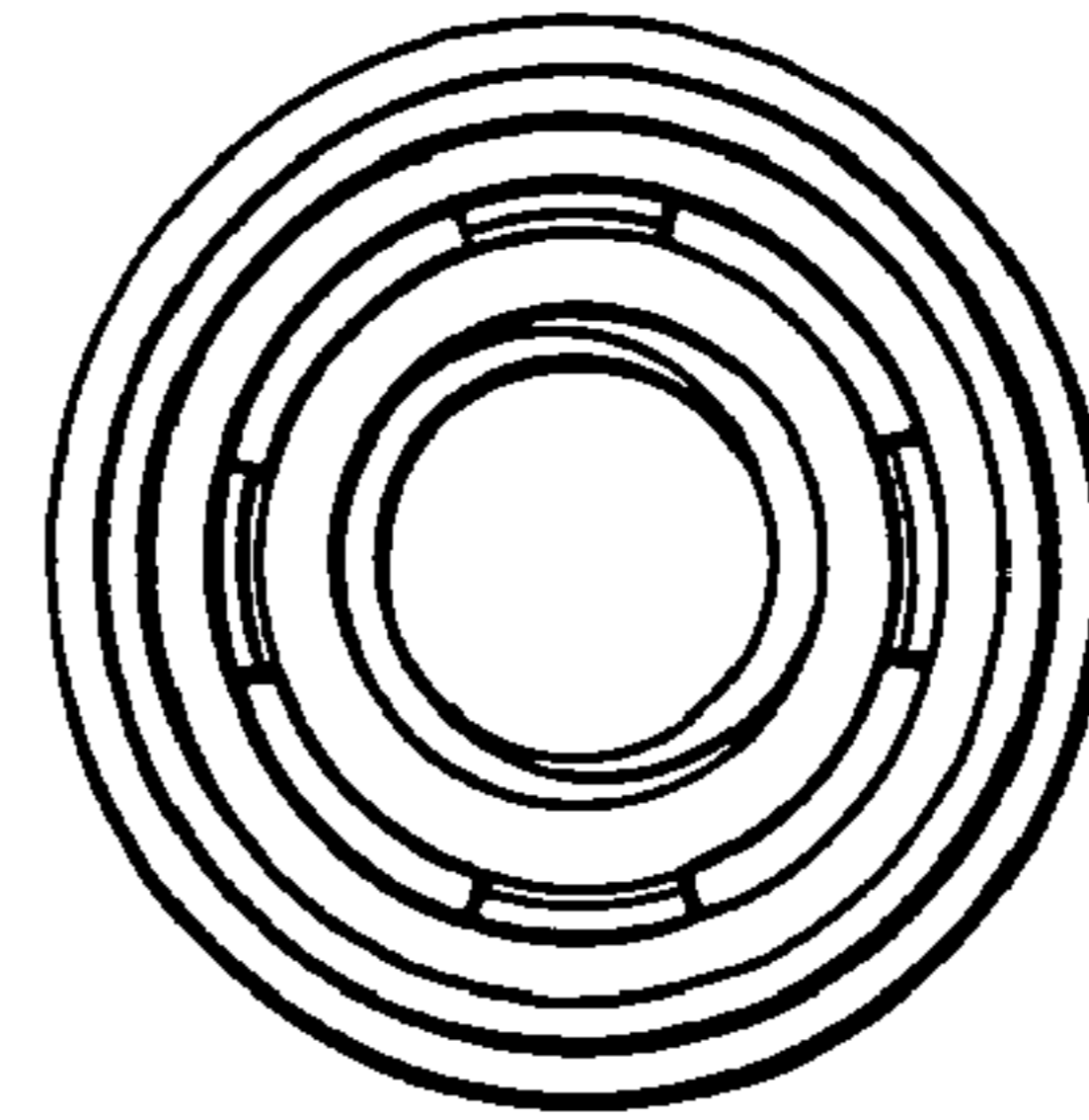


Fig. 5

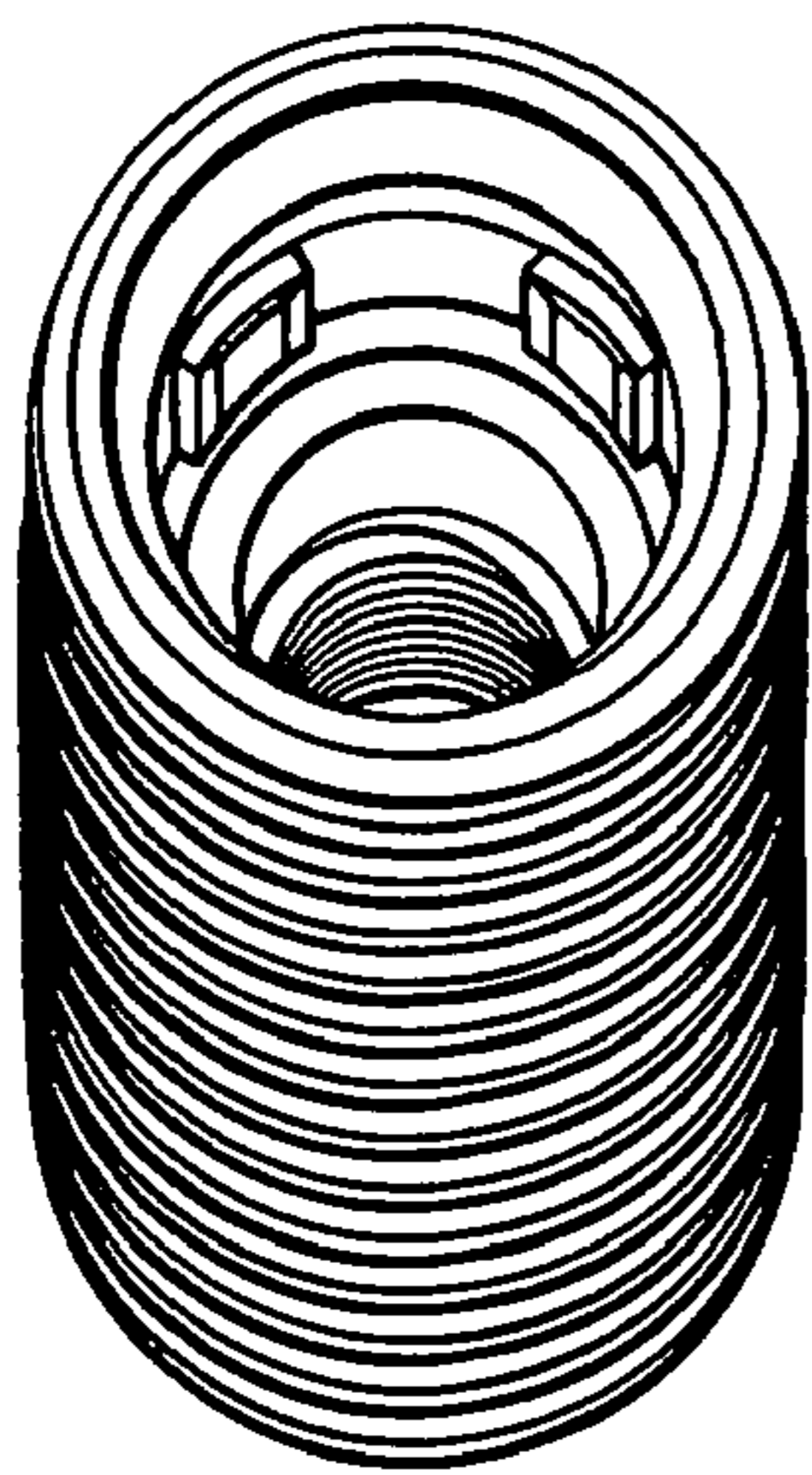


Fig. 6

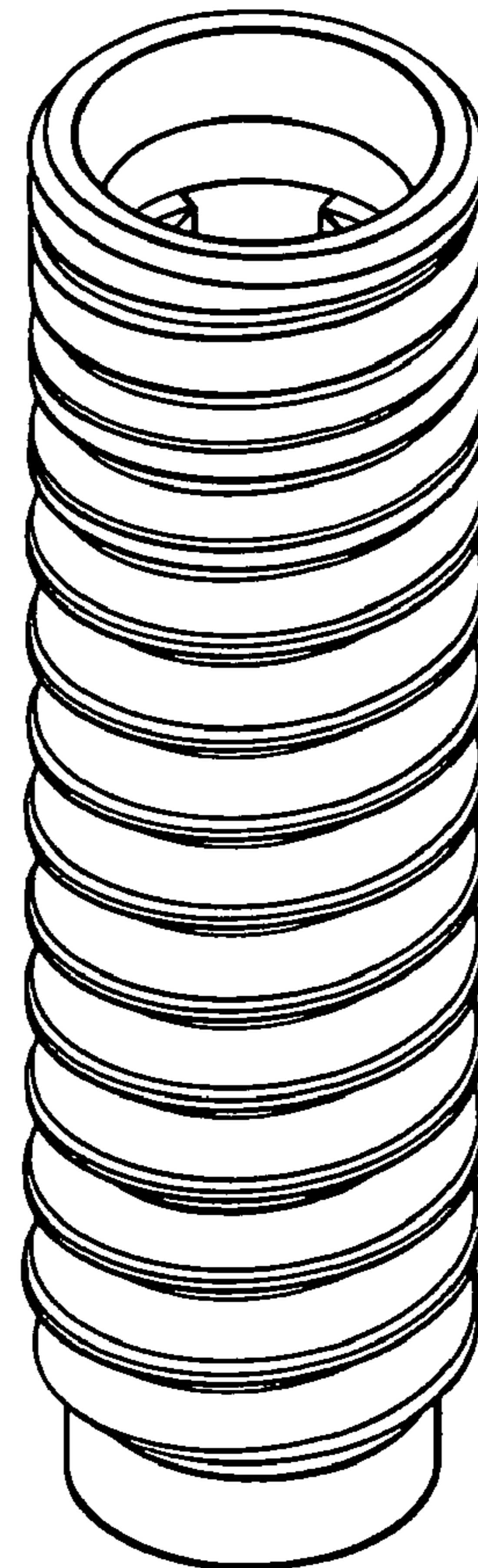


Fig. 7

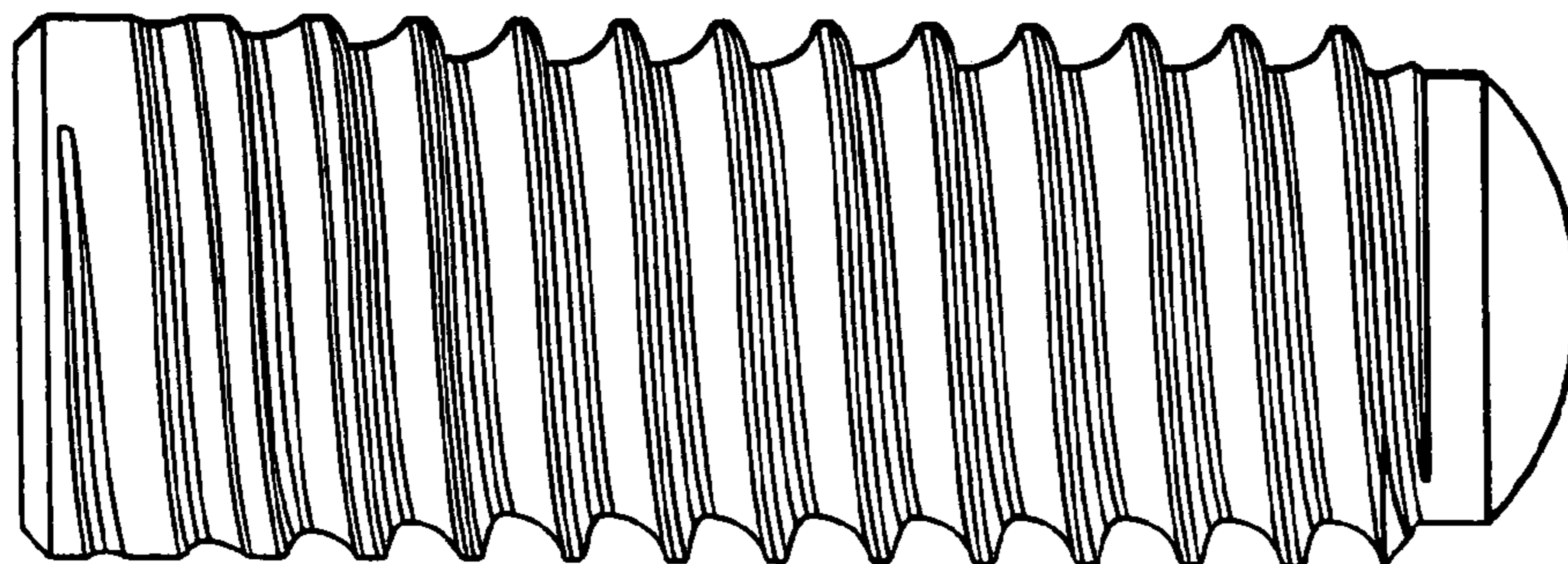


FIG. 10

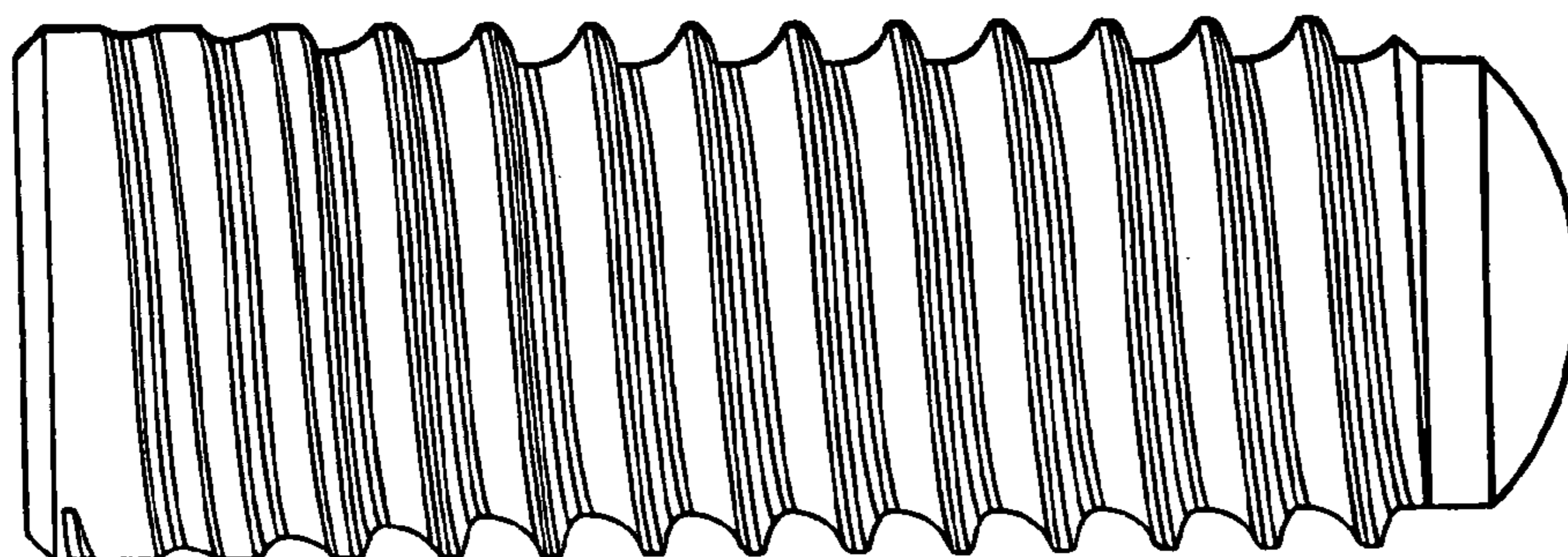


FIG. 9

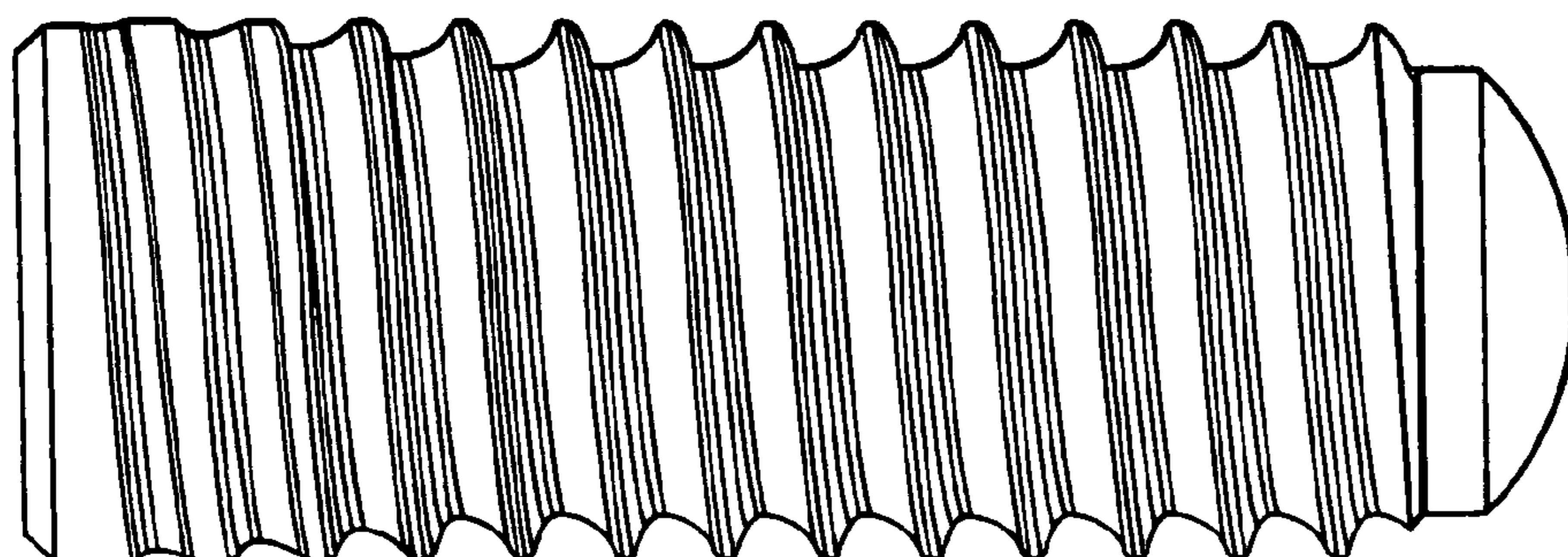


FIG. 8

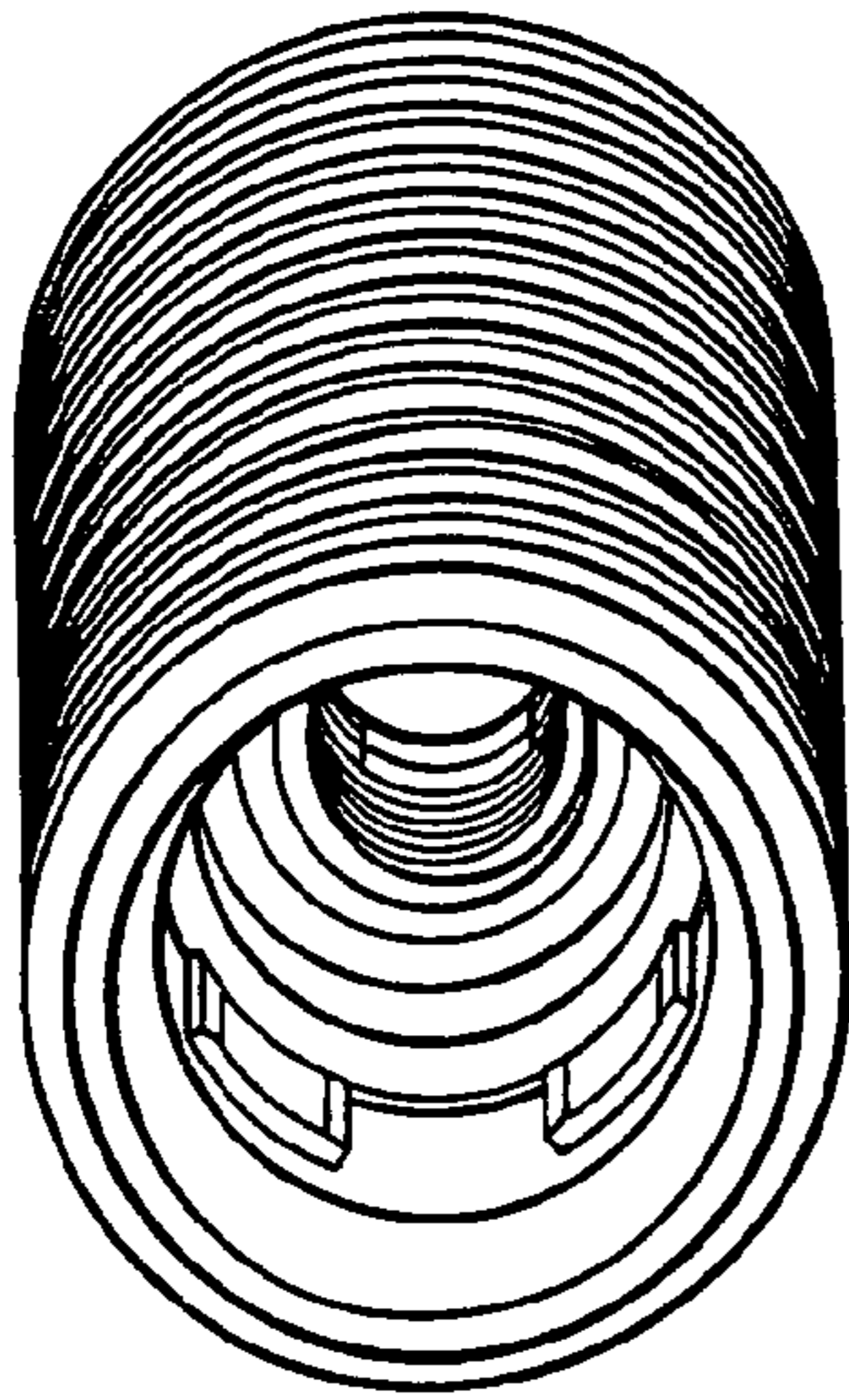


Fig. 11

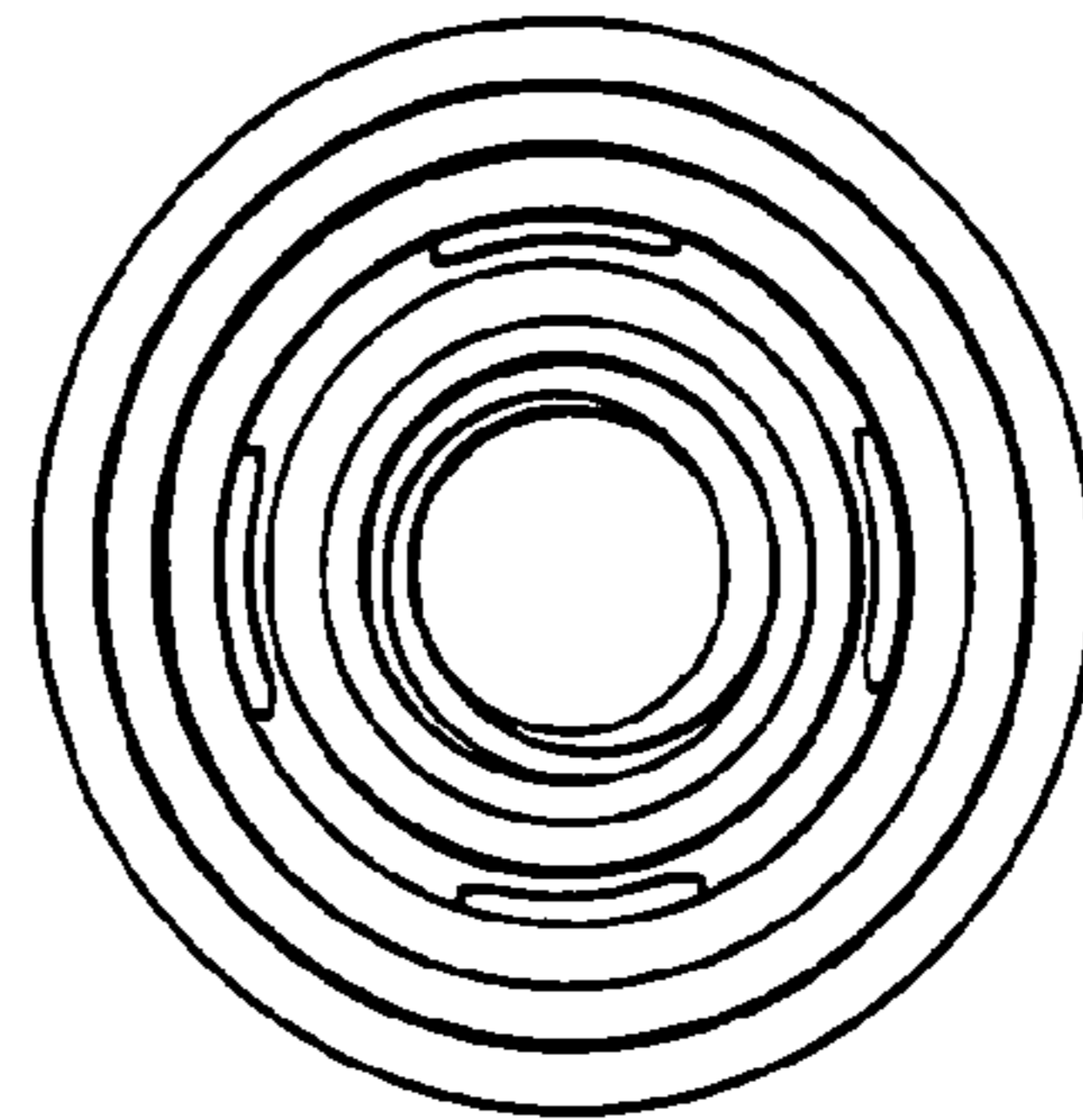


Fig. 12

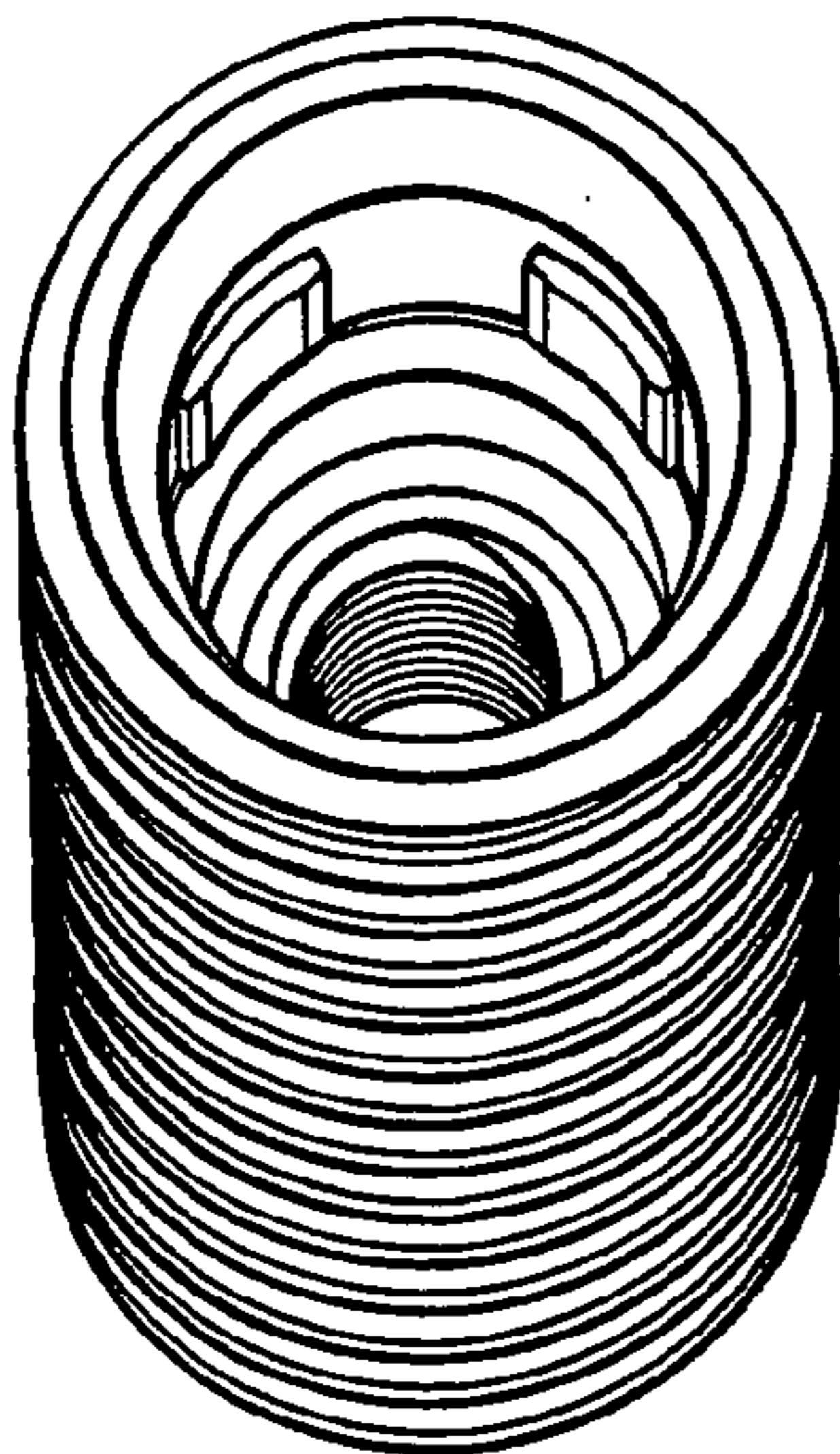


Fig. 13

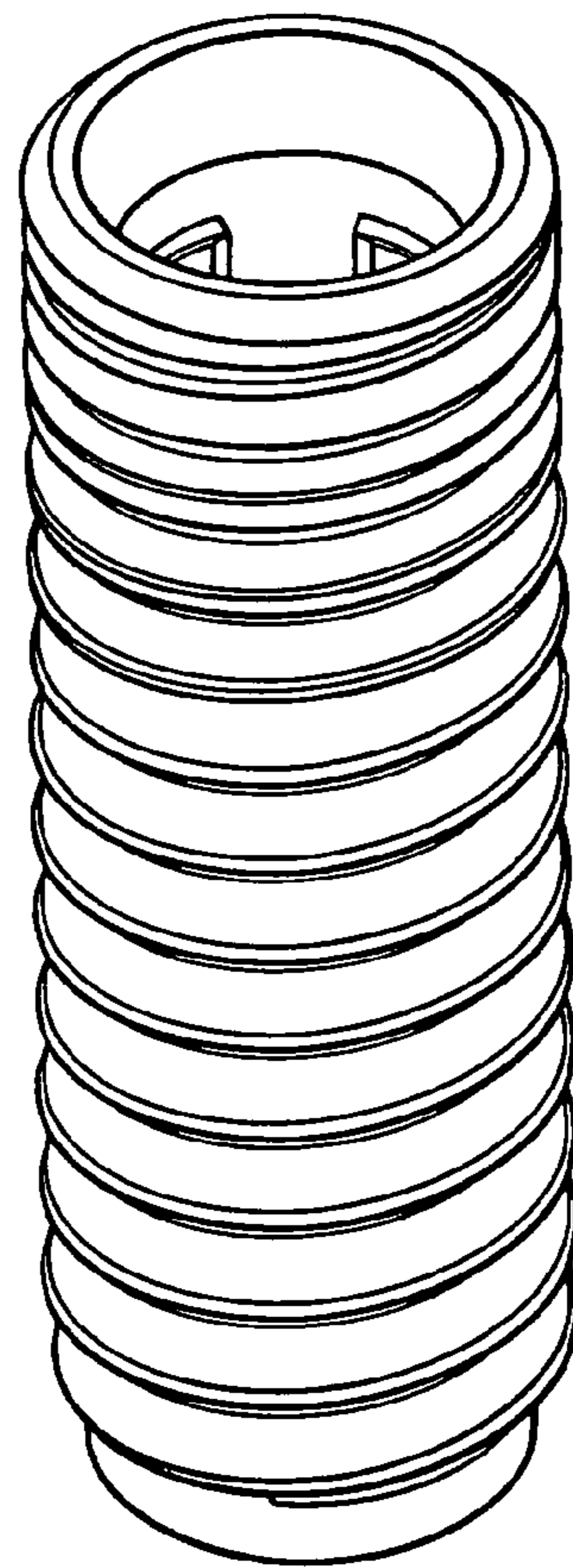


Fig. 14