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(54) **TEA KETTLE**

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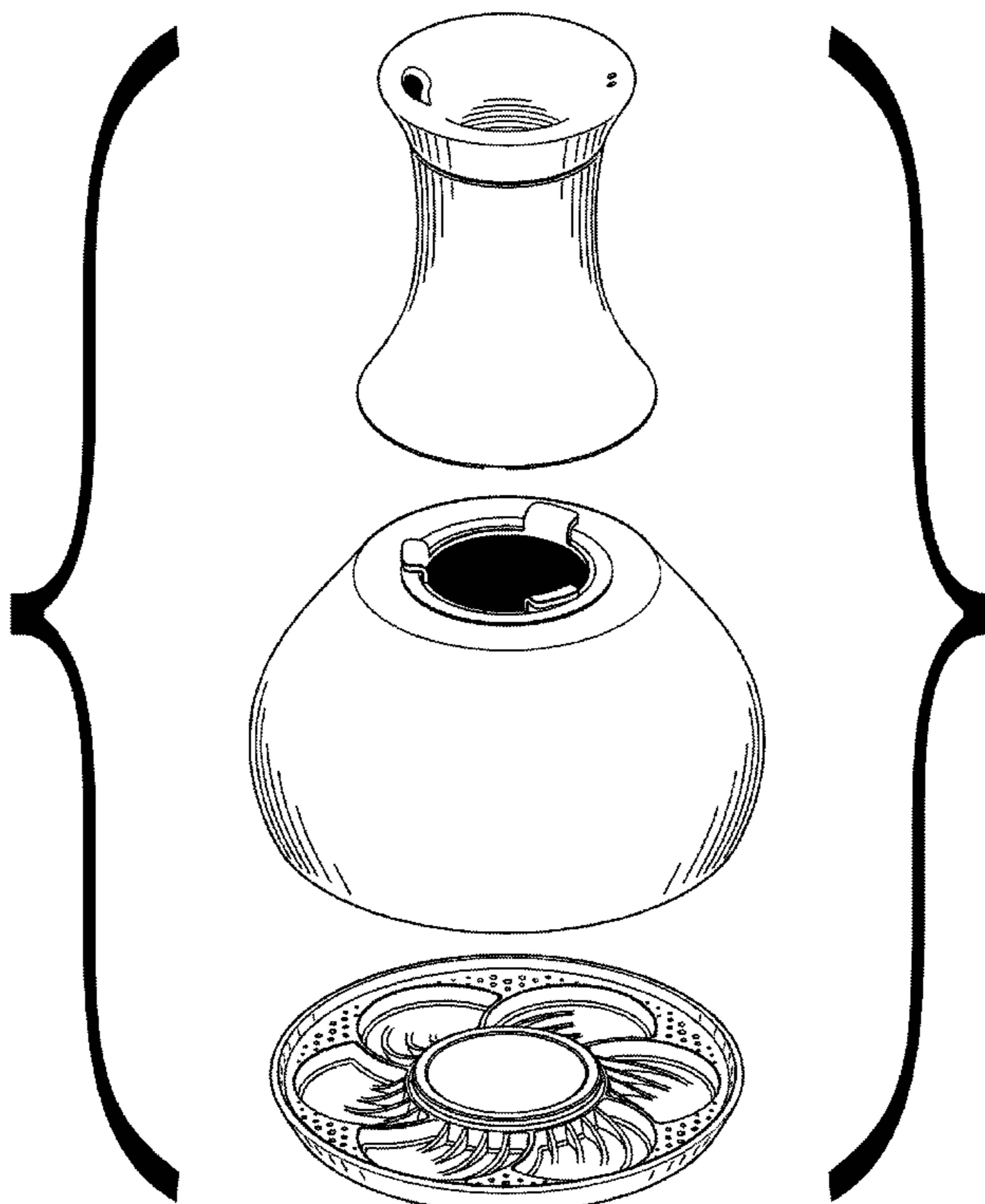
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a tea kettle, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a tea kettle showing our new design;
 FIG. 2 is a side view thereof;
 FIG. 3 is a top plan view thereof;
 FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view thereof;
 FIG. 5 is a side view of the tea kettle showing the bottom piece only with the upper pieces removed for ease of illustration;
 FIG. 6 is a top plan view thereof;
 FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view thereof;
 FIG. 8 is an exploded perspective view of the tea kettle;
 FIG. 9 is a top plan view of the tea kettle showing the middle piece with the rest of the pieces removed for ease of illustration;
 FIG. 10 is a side elevational view thereof;
 FIG. 11 is a bottom plan view thereof;
 FIG. 12 is a side view of the tea kettle showing the top piece with the lower pieces removed for ease of illustration;
 FIG. 13 is a top plan view thereof; and,
 FIG. 14 is a bottom plan view thereof.

1 Claim, 14 Drawing Sheets



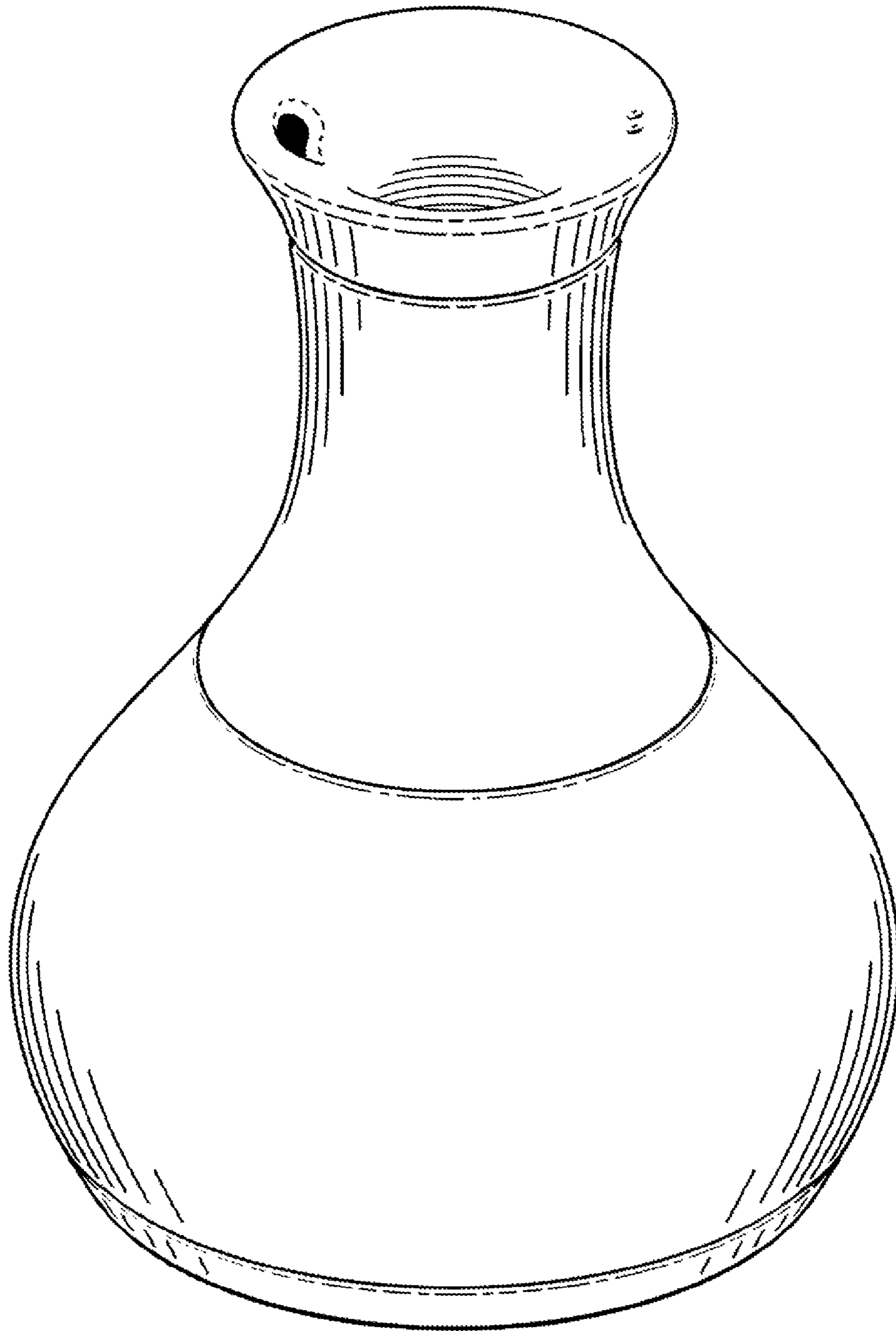


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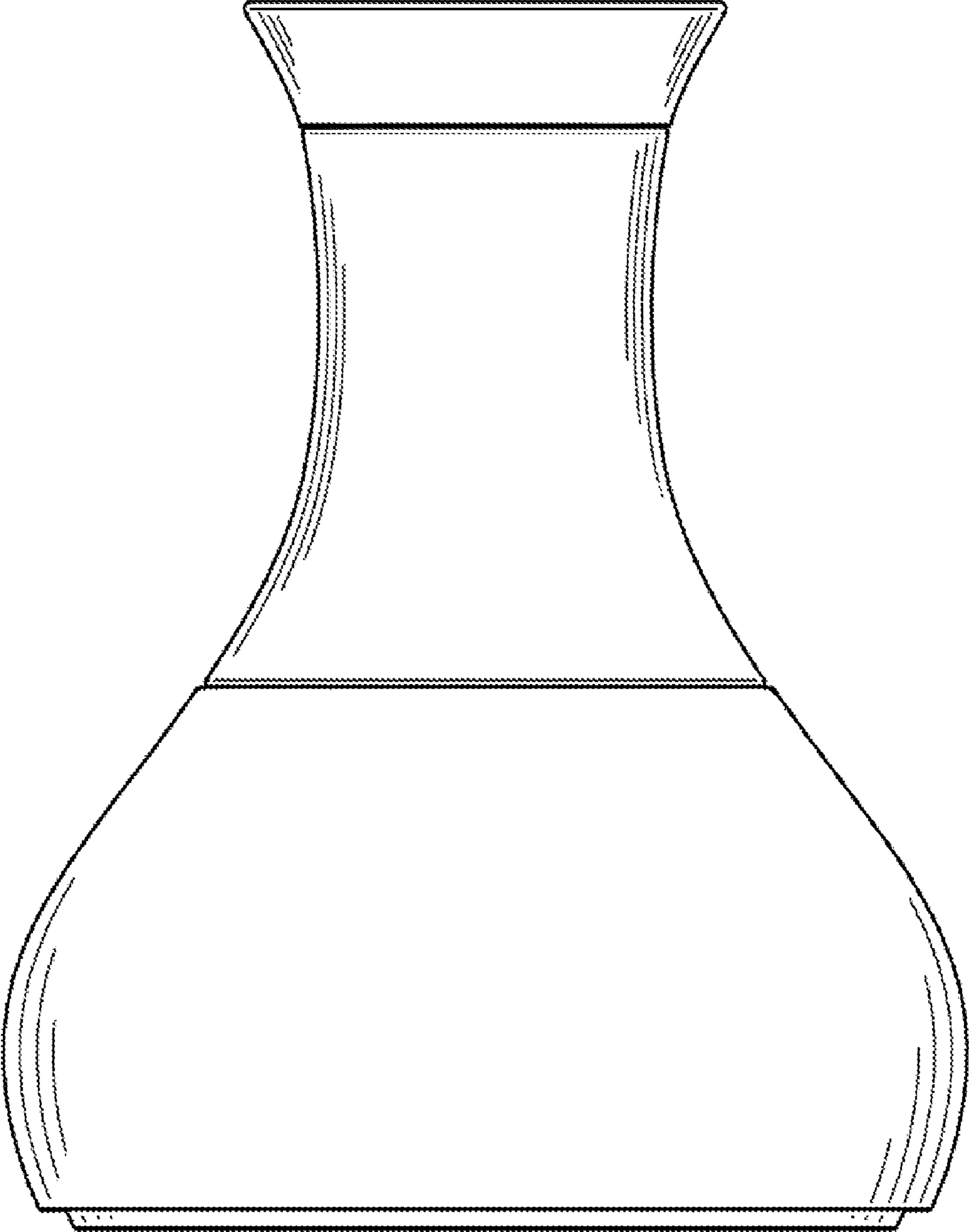


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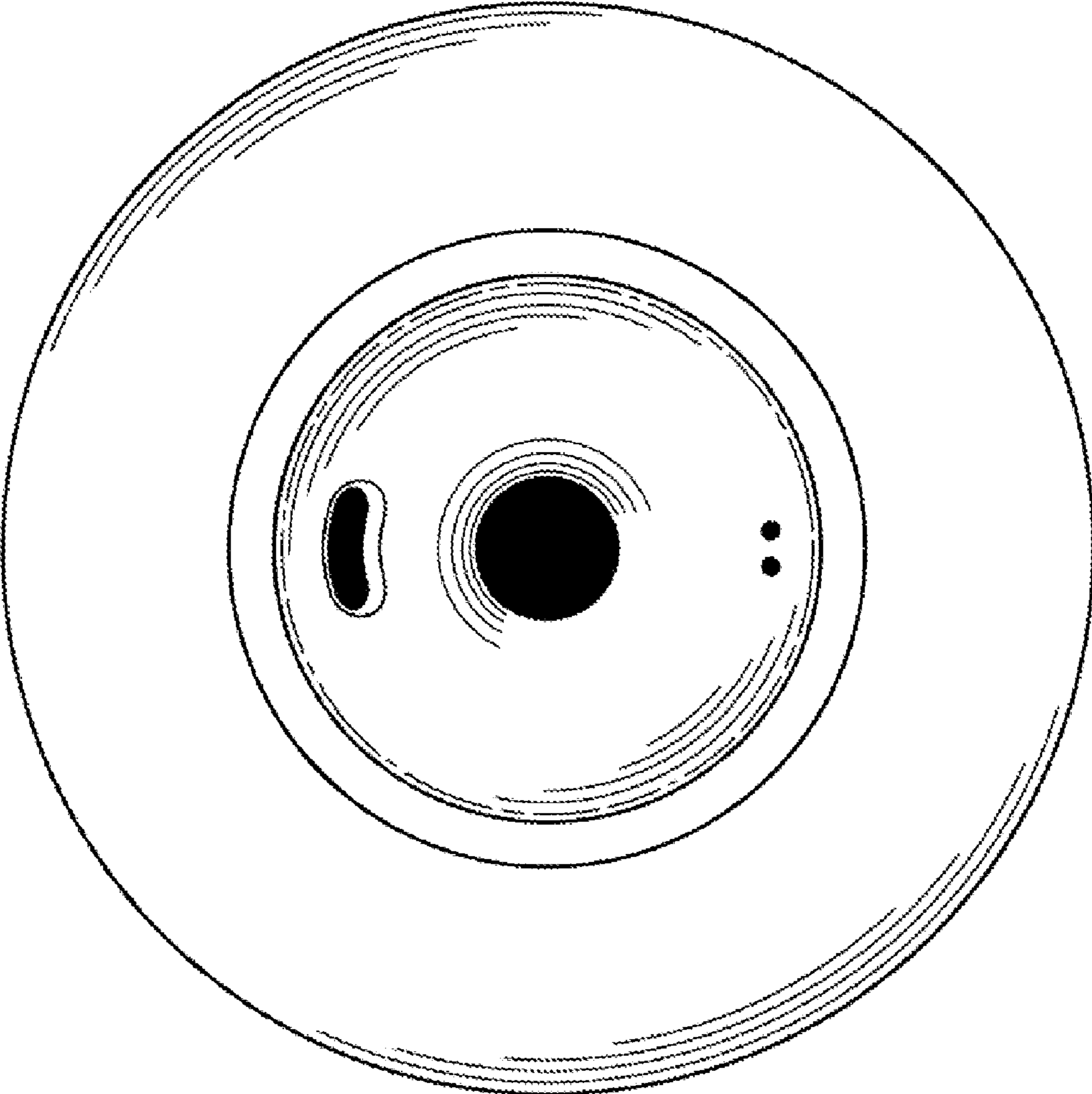


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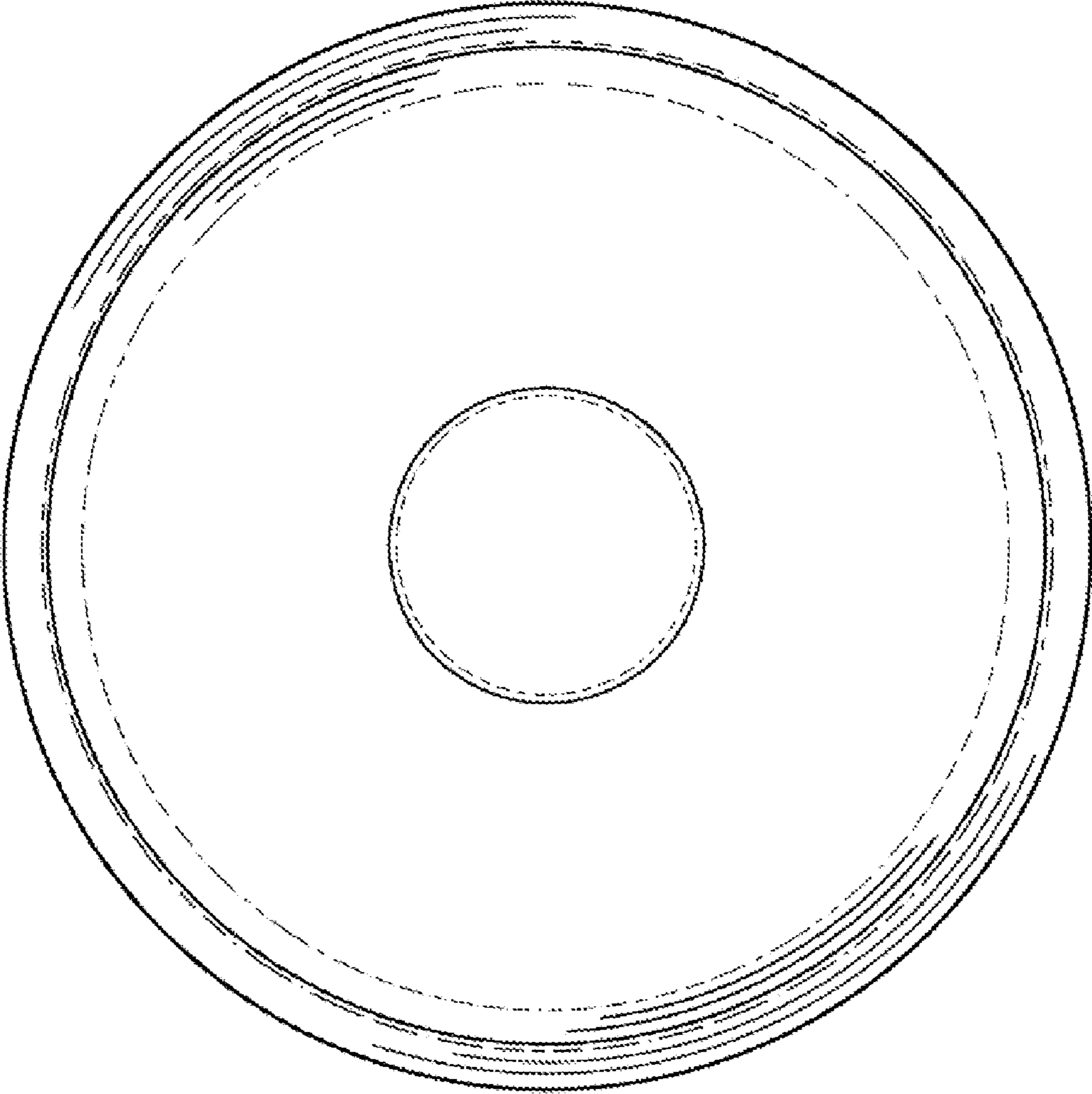


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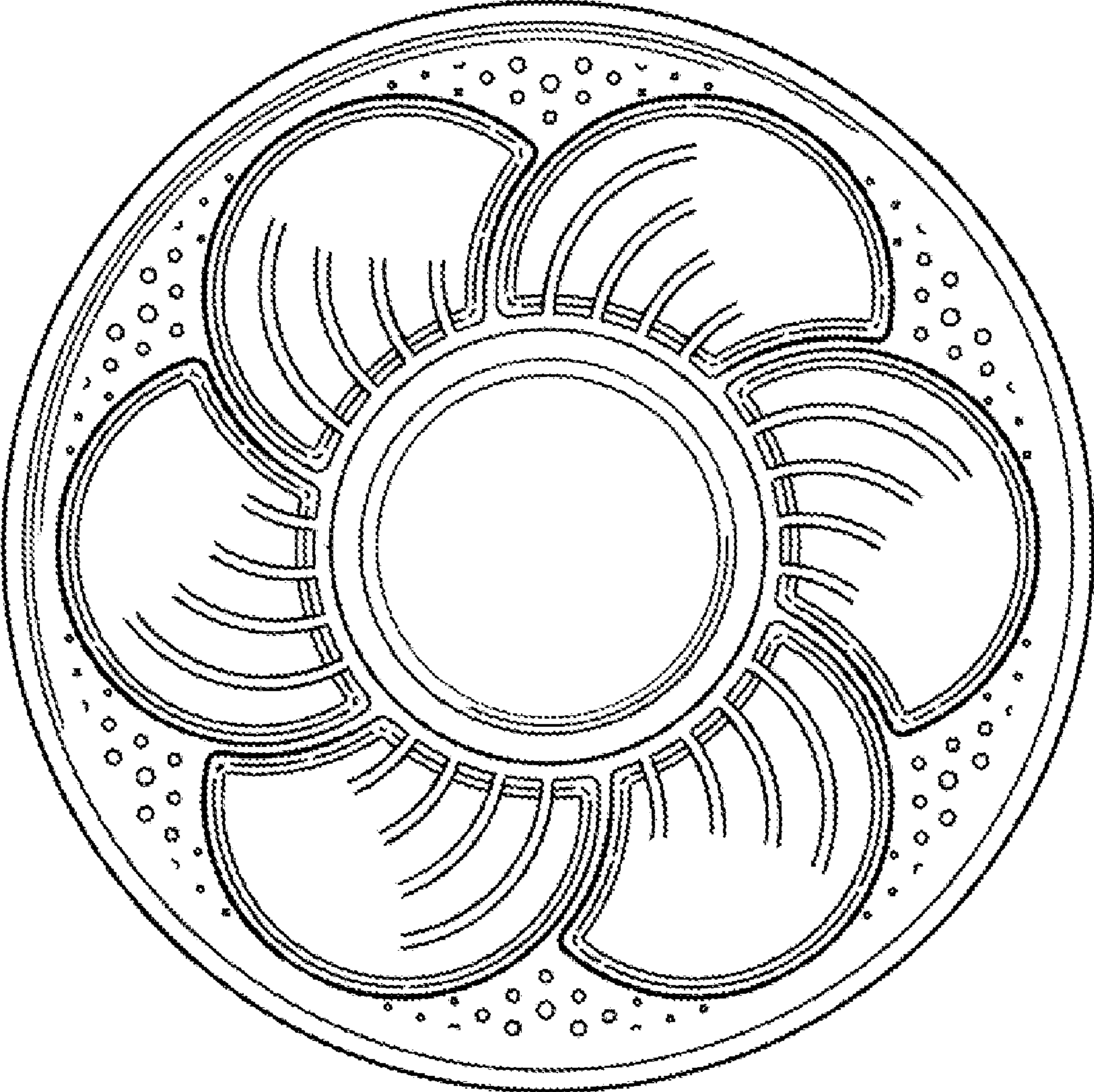


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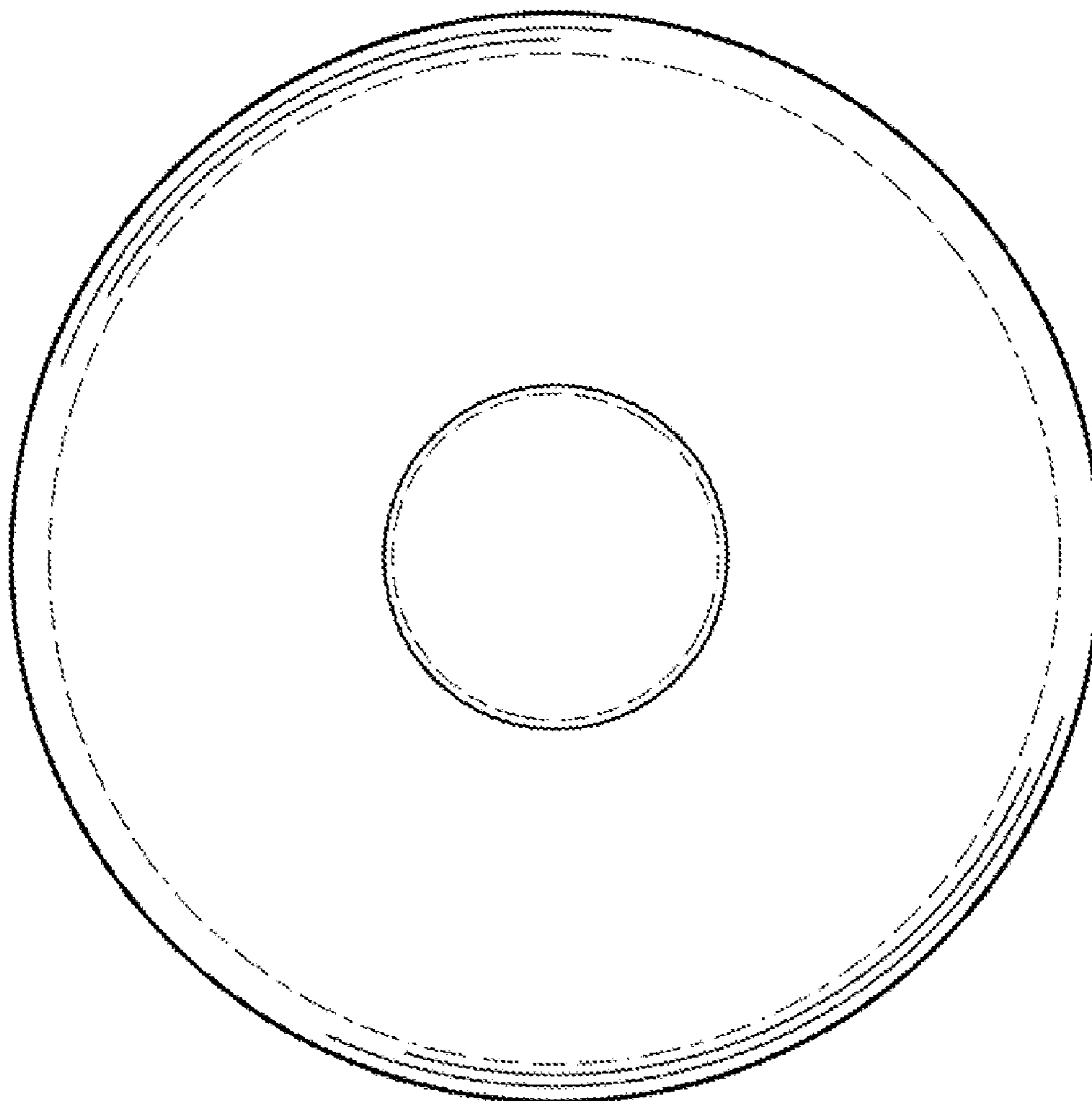


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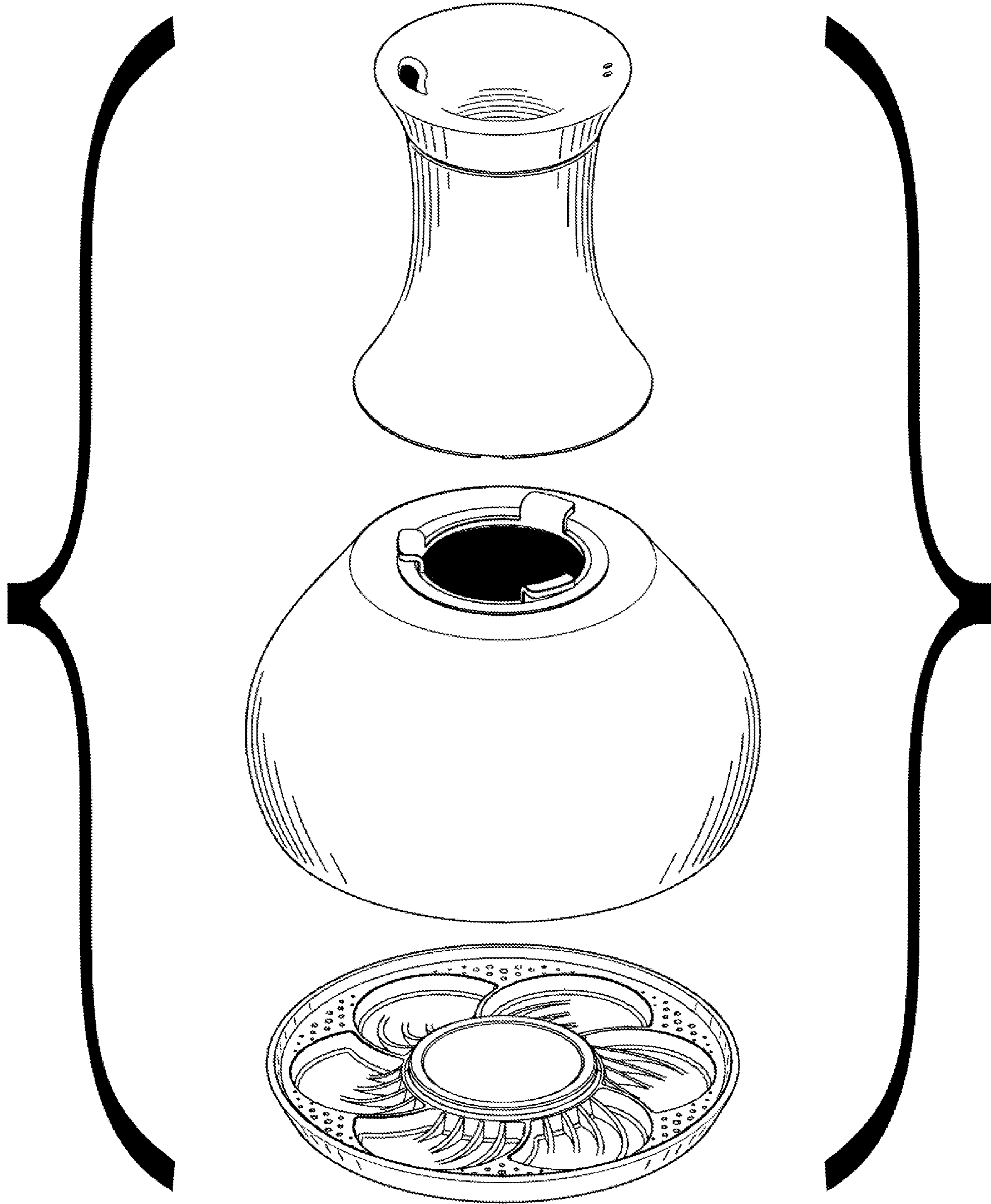


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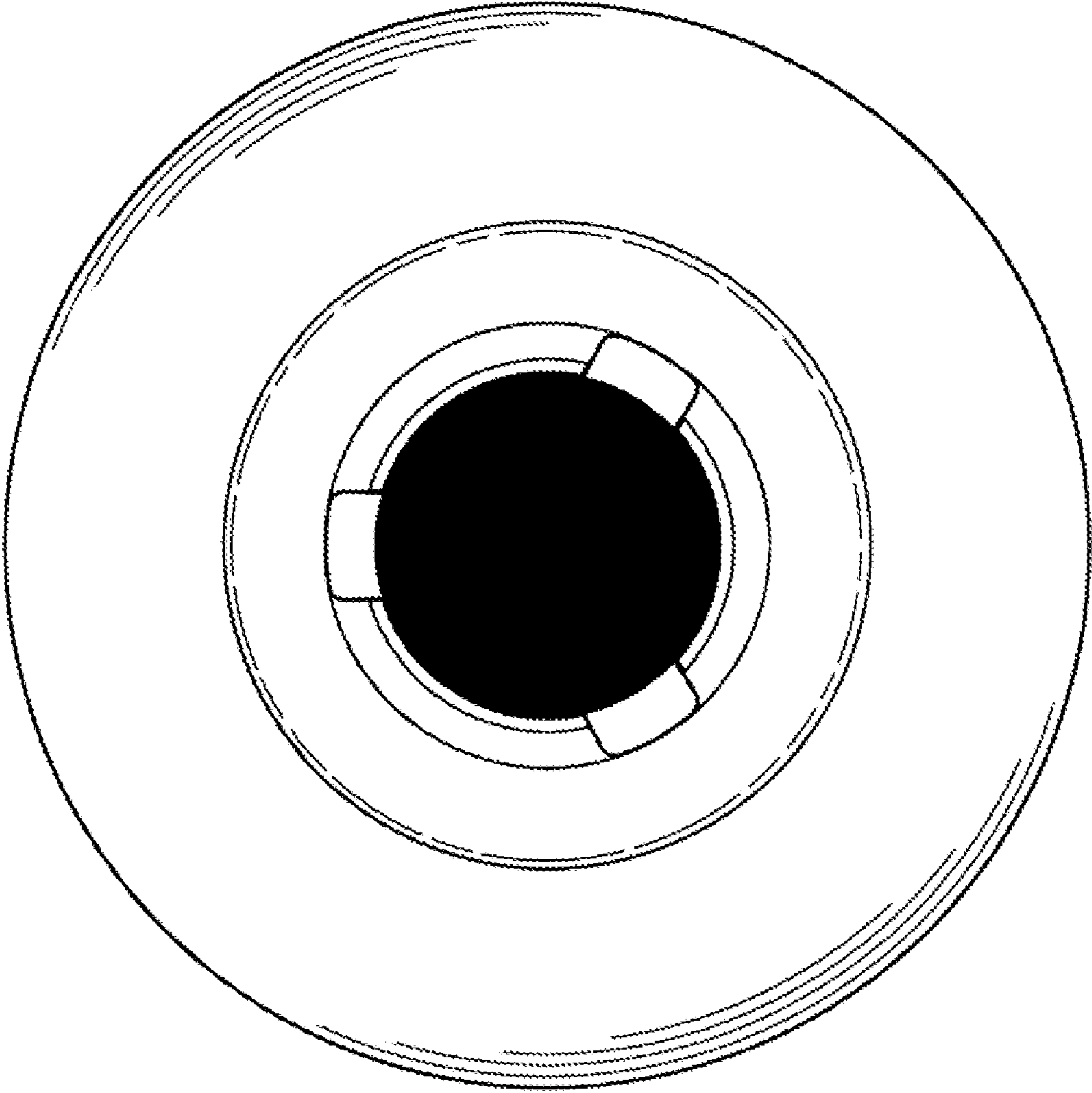


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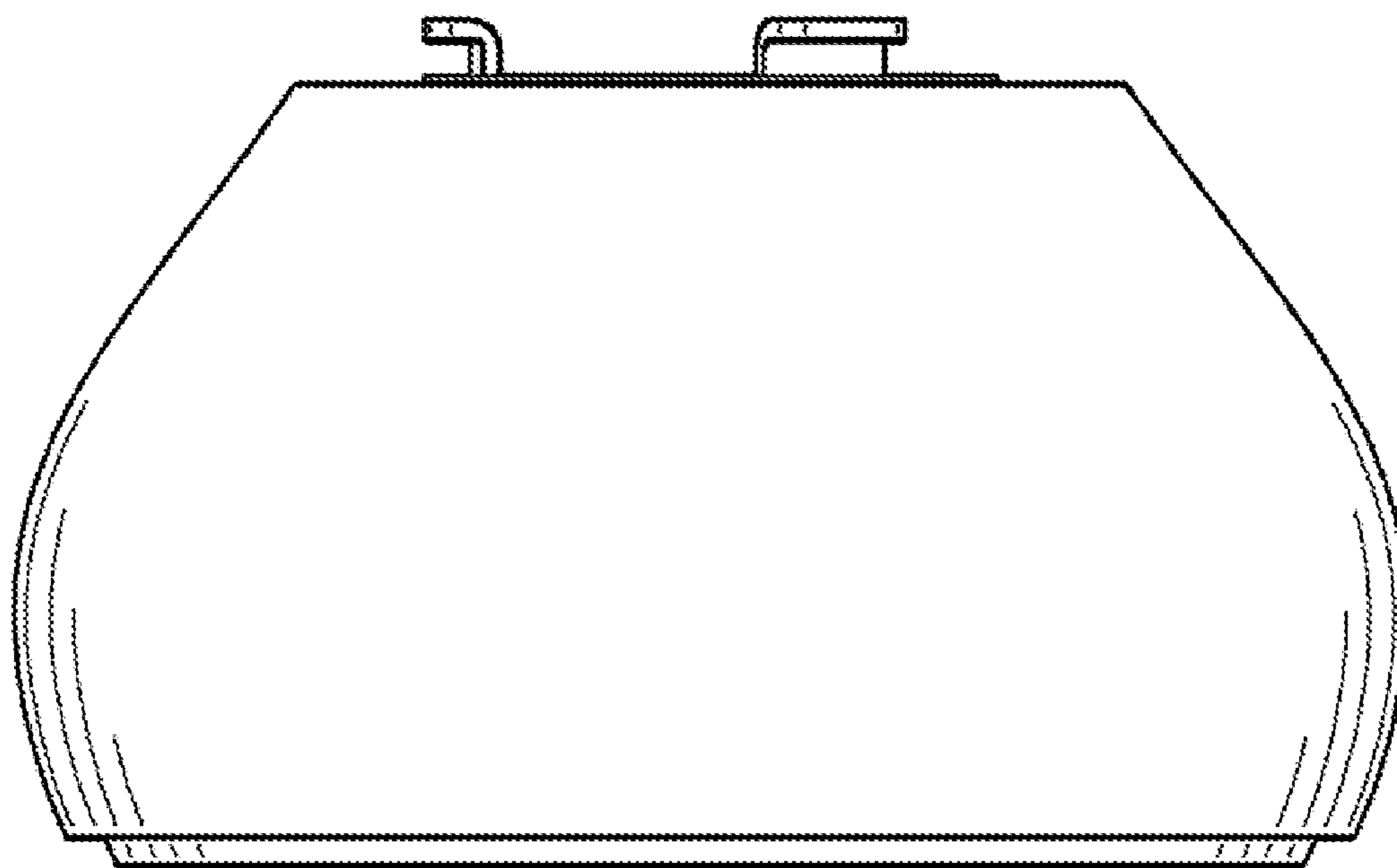


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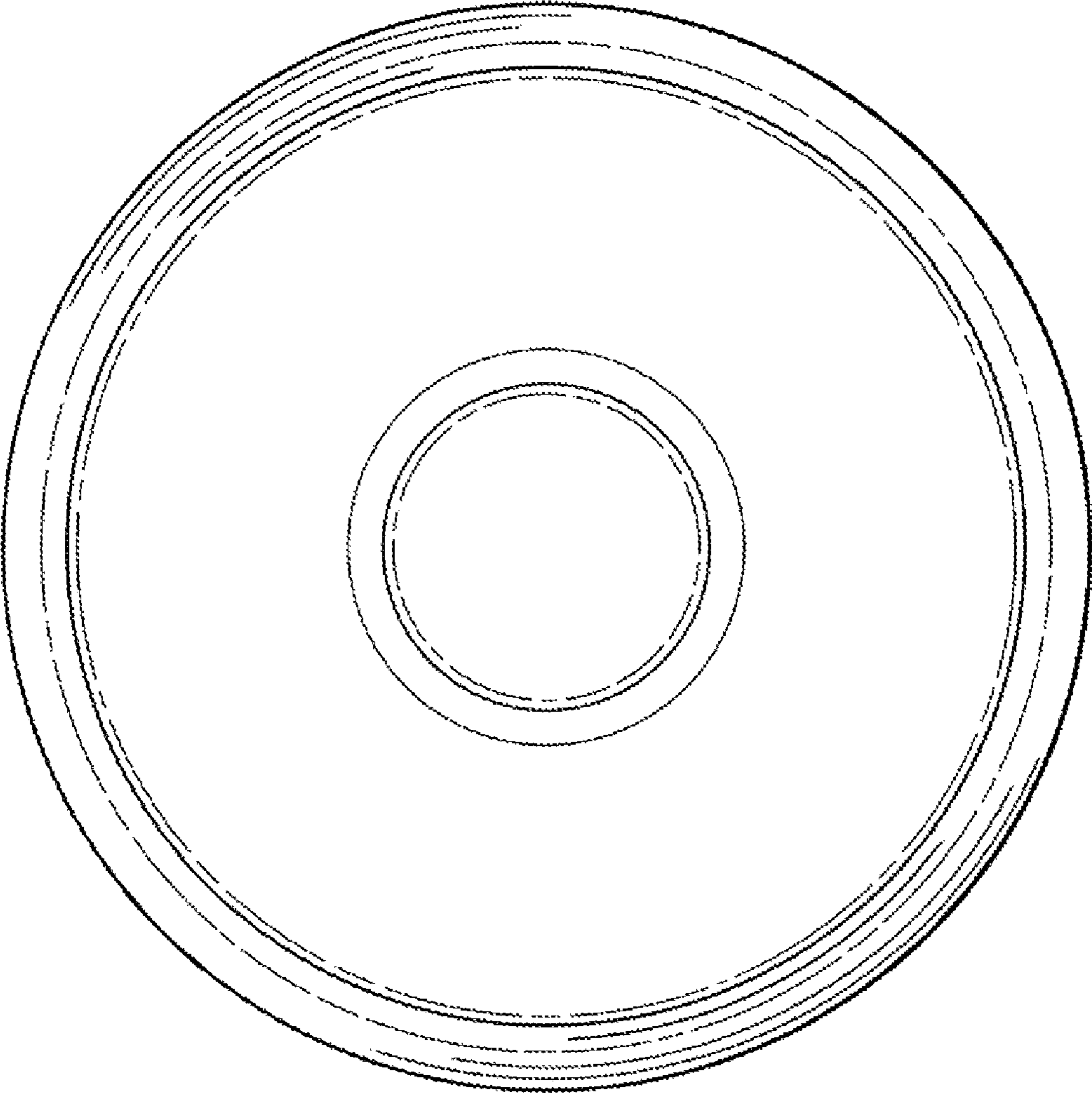


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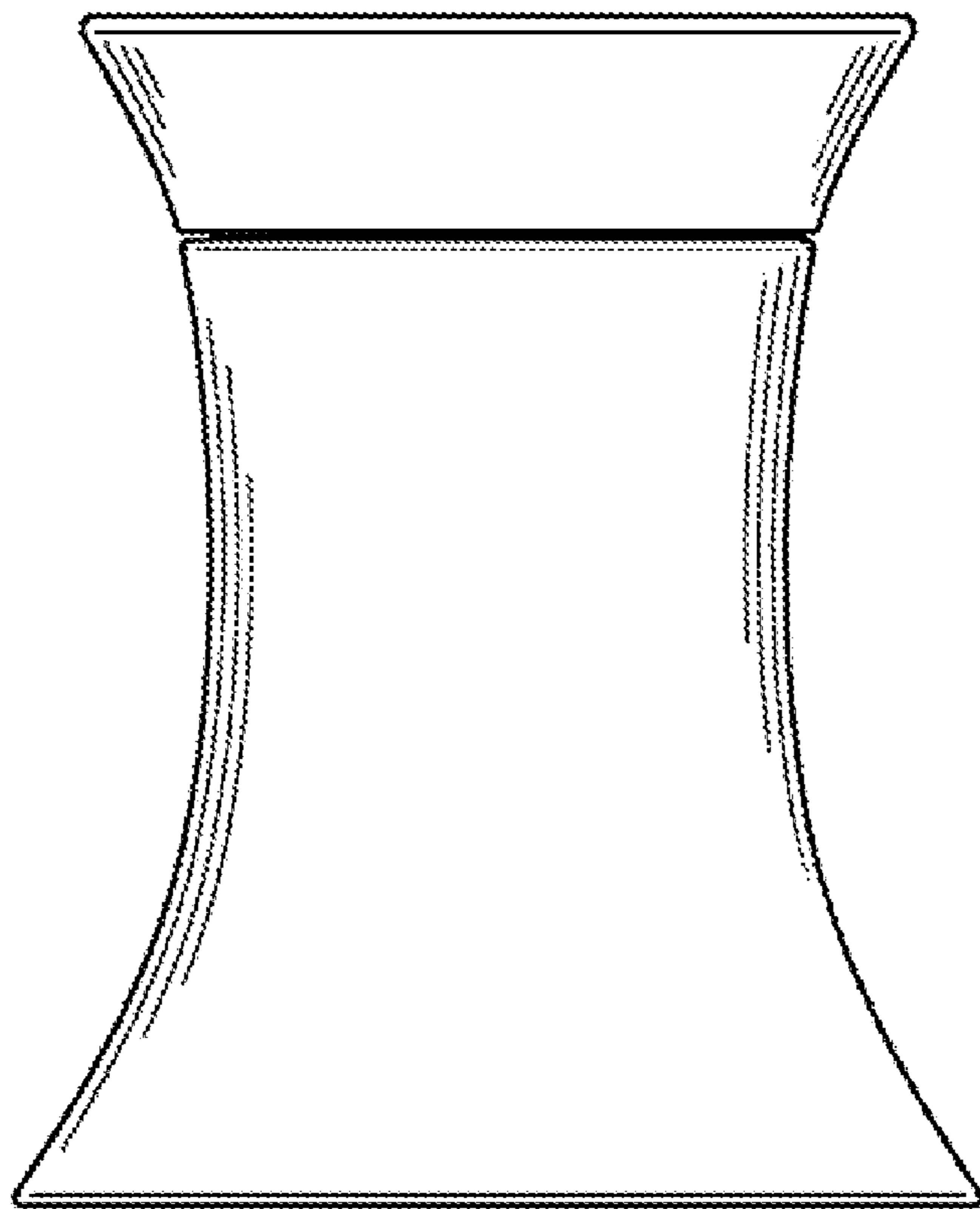


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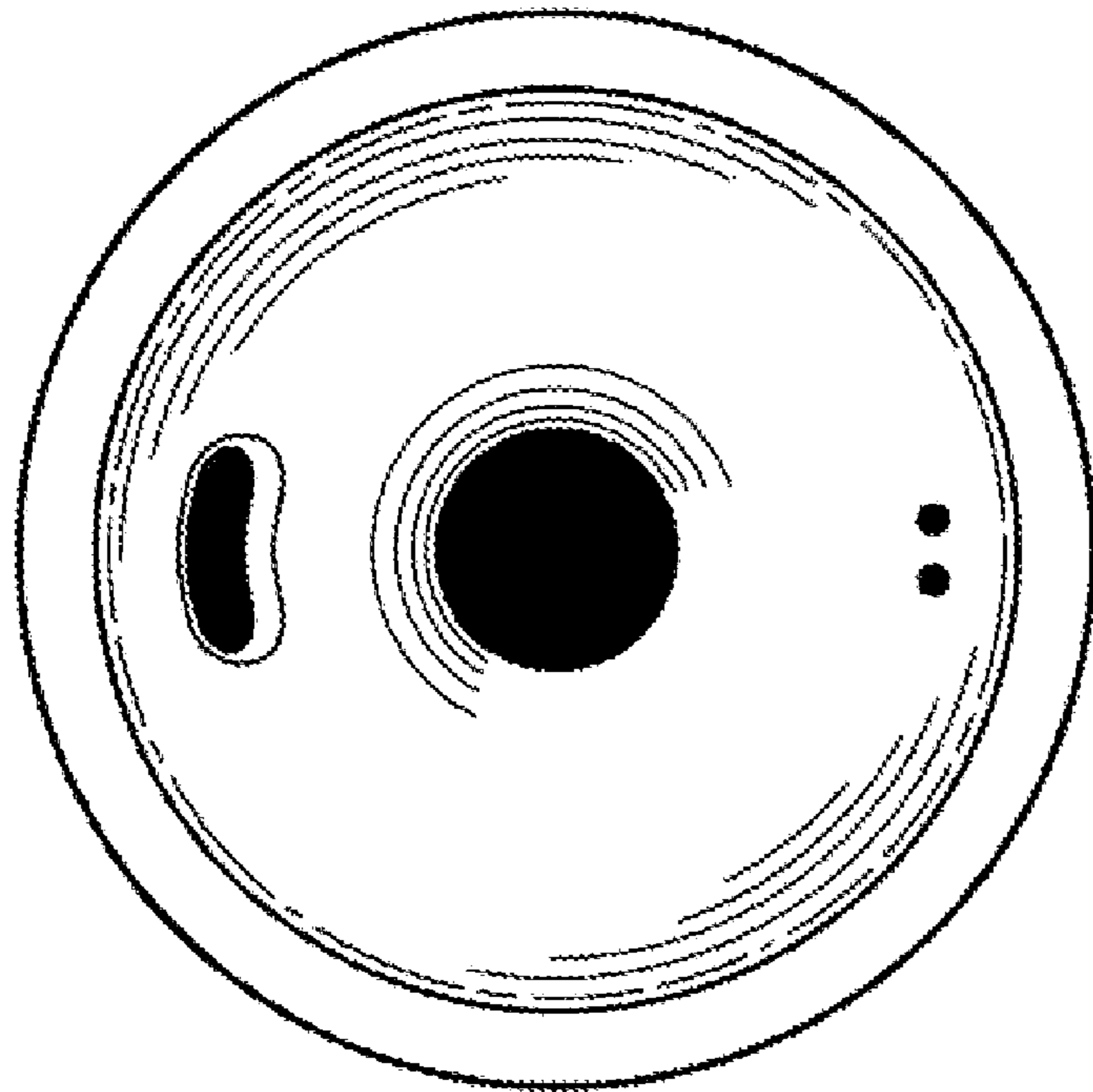


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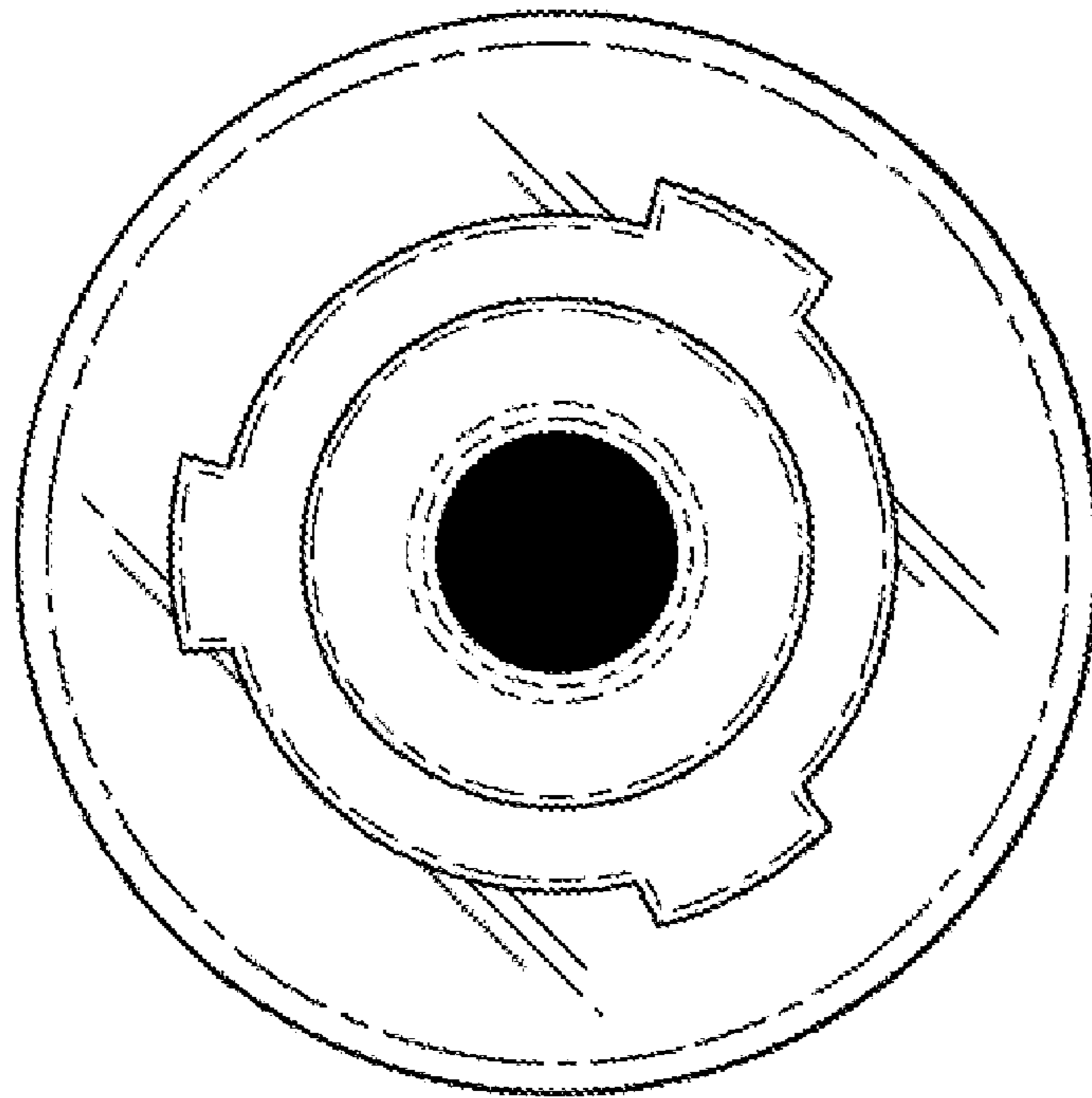


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