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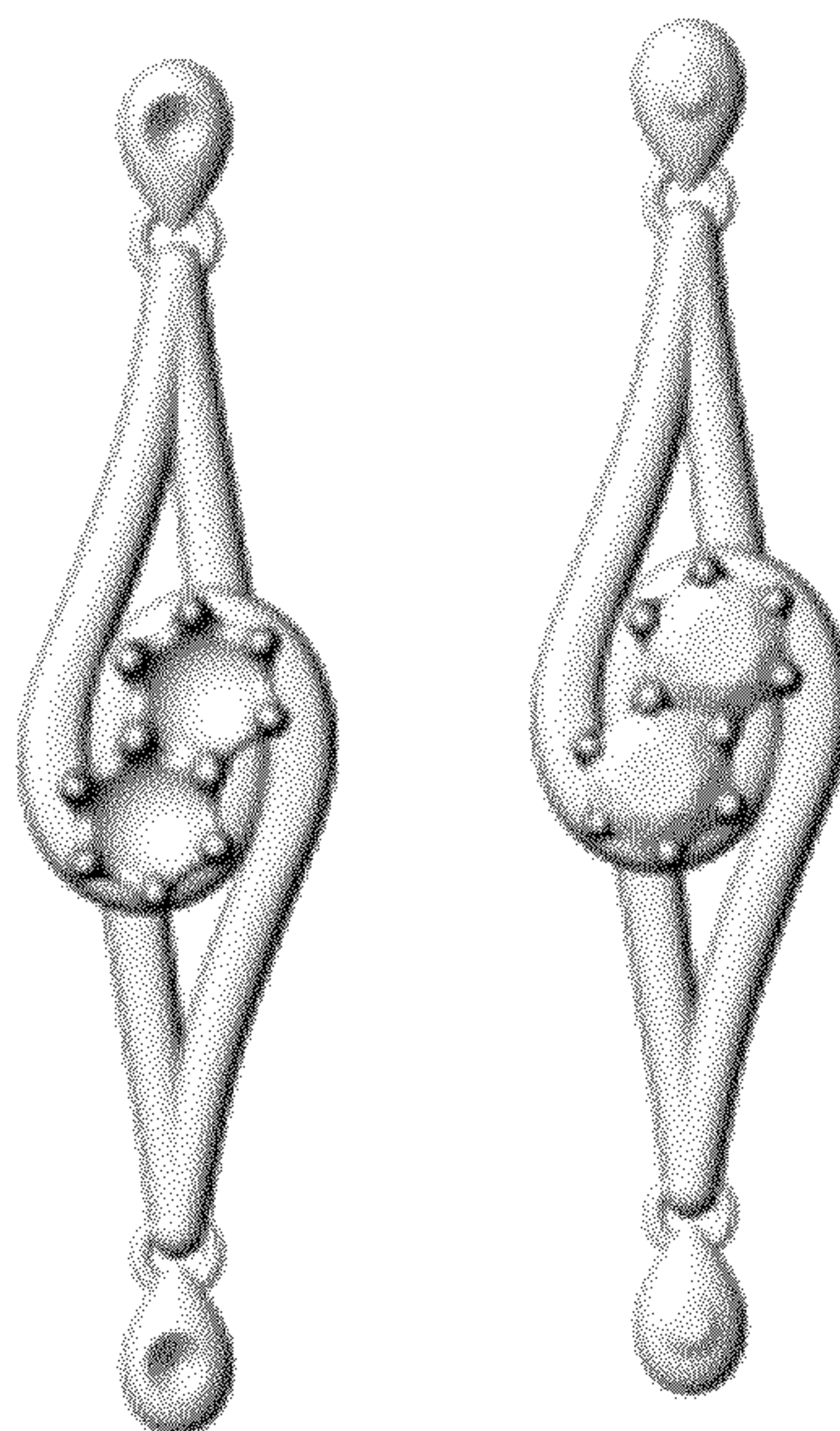
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for an earring, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a front view of a first embodiment of the earring;  
FIG. 2 is a rear view of the earring illustrated in FIG. 1;  
FIG. 3 is an enlarged right elevational view of the earring illustrated in FIG. 1;  
FIG. 4 is an enlarged left side elevational view of the earring illustrated in FIG. 1;  
FIG. 5 is an enlarged top view of the earring illustrated in FIG. 1;  
FIG. 6 is an enlarged bottom view of the earring illustrated in FIG. 1;  
FIG. 7 is an enlarged perspective view of the earring illustrated in FIG. 1;  
FIG. 8 is a front view of a second embodiment of the earring;  
FIG. 9 is a rear view of the earring illustrated in FIG. 8;  
FIG. 10 is an enlarged right side elevational view of the earring illustrated in FIG. 8;  
FIG. 11 is an enlarged left side view of the earring illustrated in FIG. 8;  
FIG. 12 is an enlarged top view of the earring illustrated in FIG. 8;  
FIG. 13 is an enlarged bottom view of the earring illustrated in FIG. 8; and,  
FIG. 14 is an enlarged perspective view of the earring illustrated in FIG. 8.

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FIG. 1

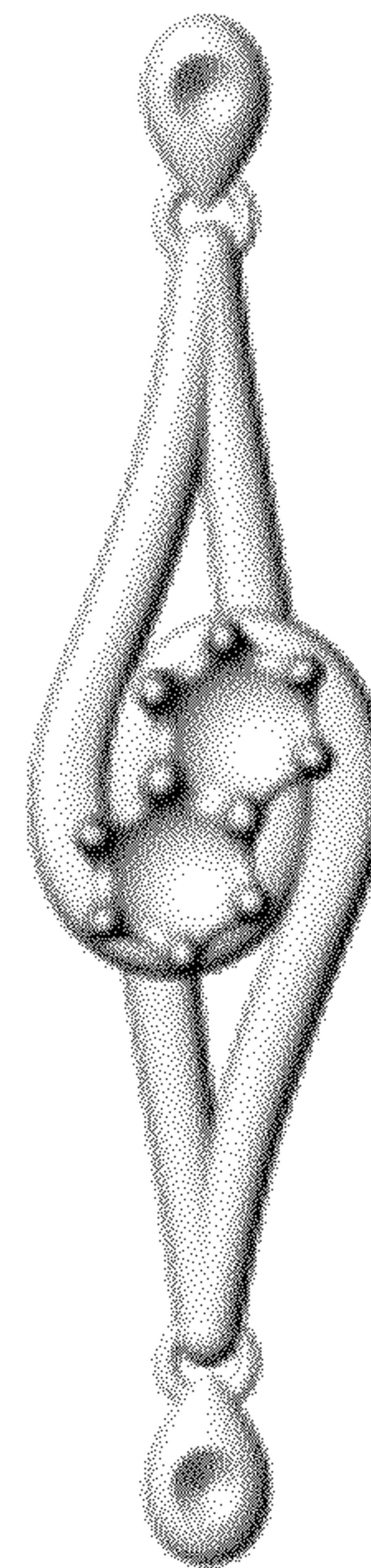


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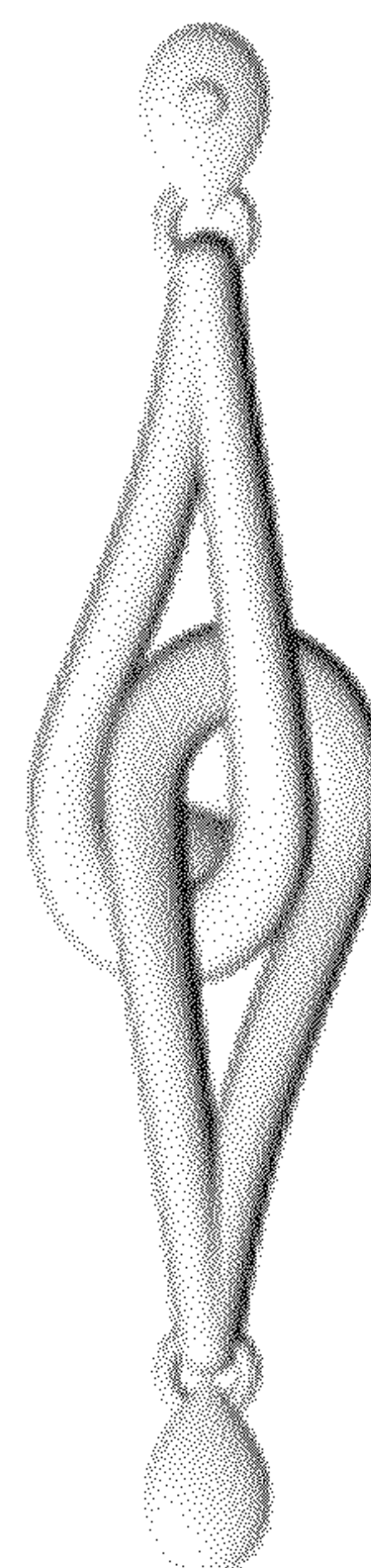


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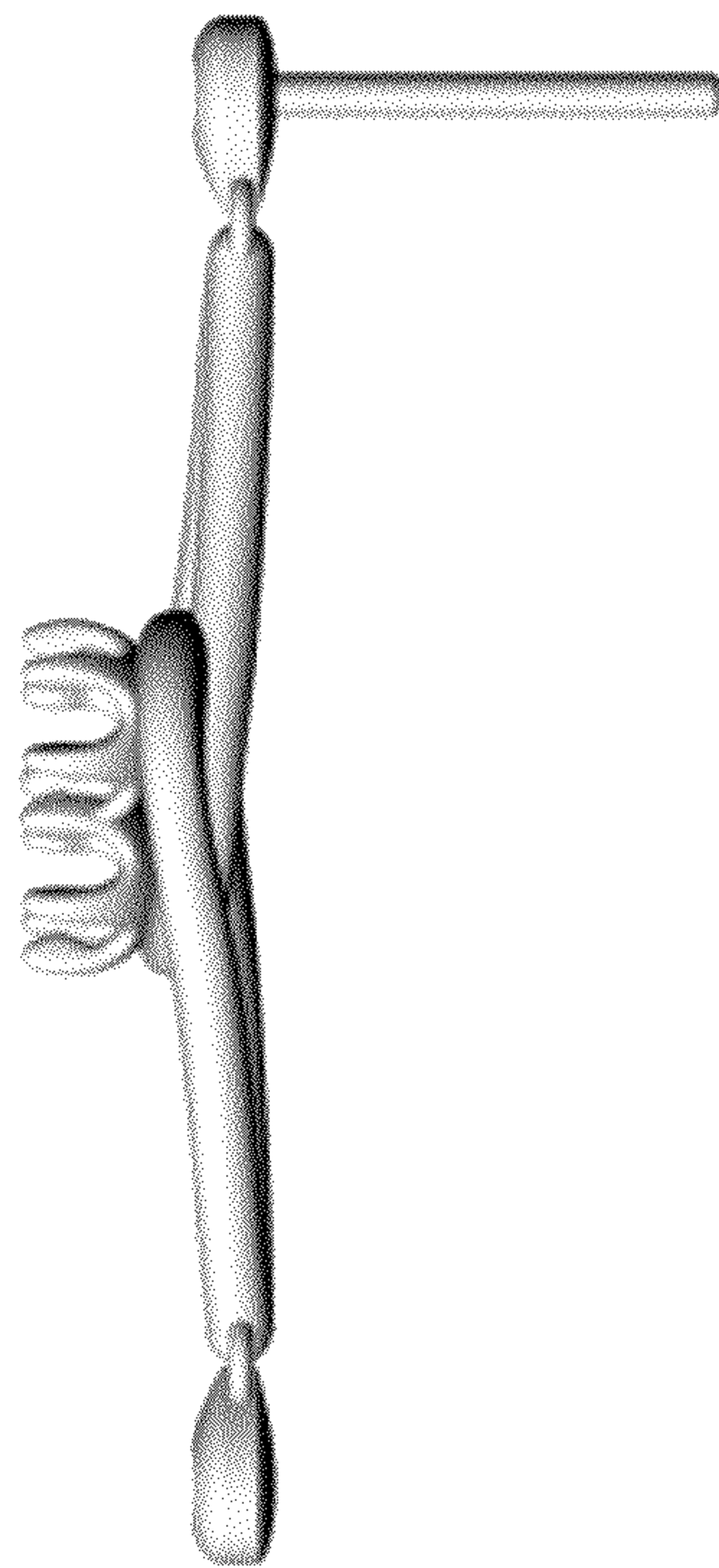


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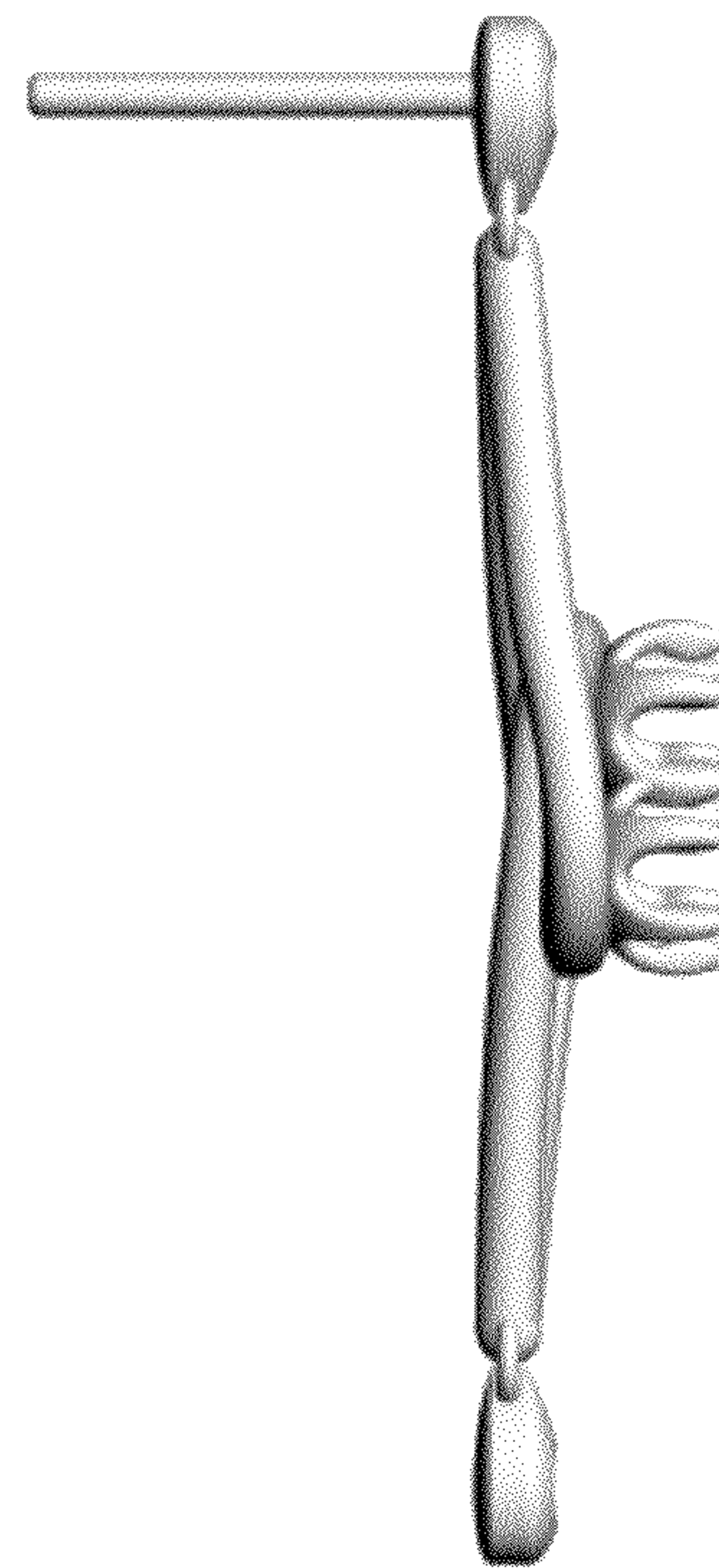


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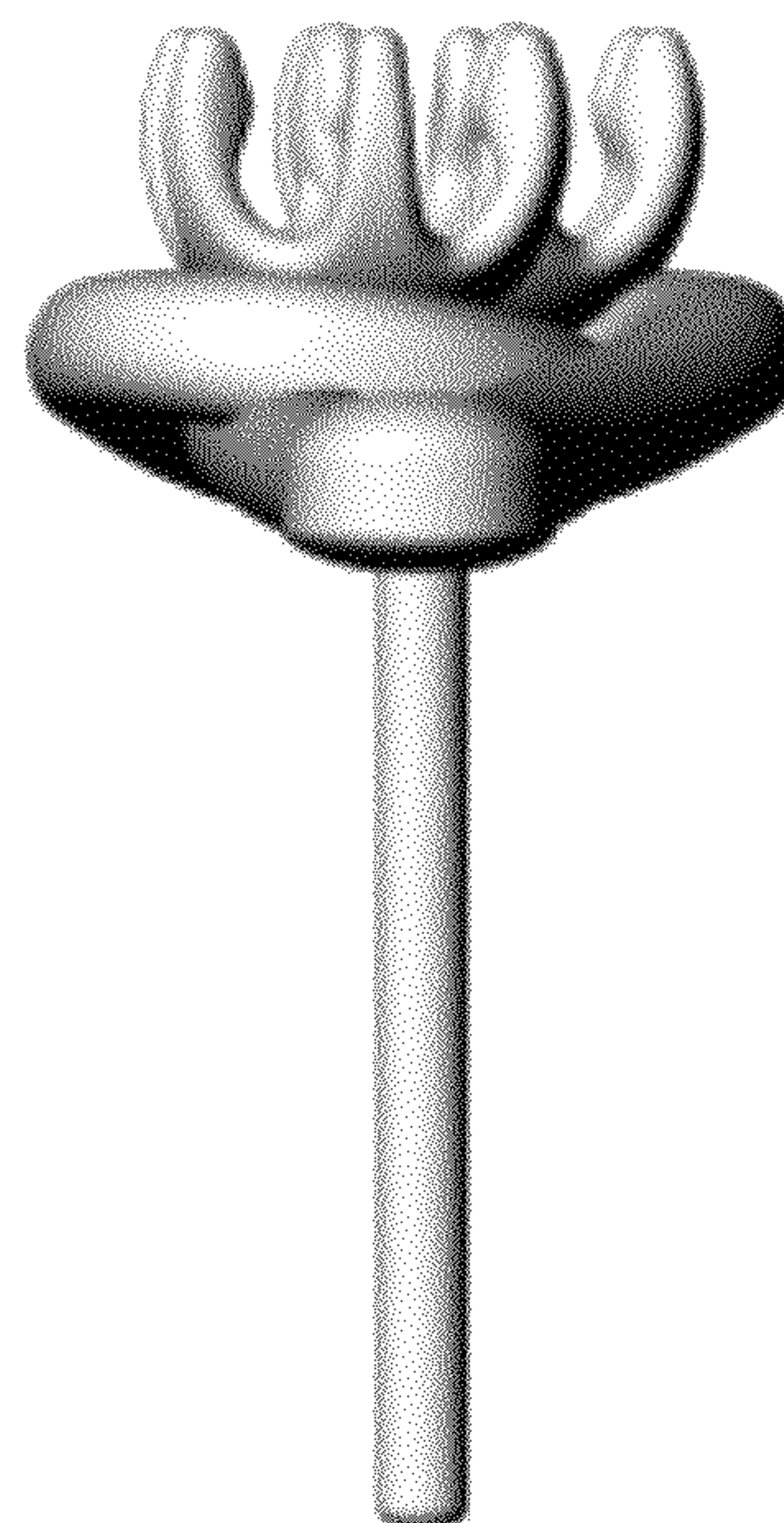


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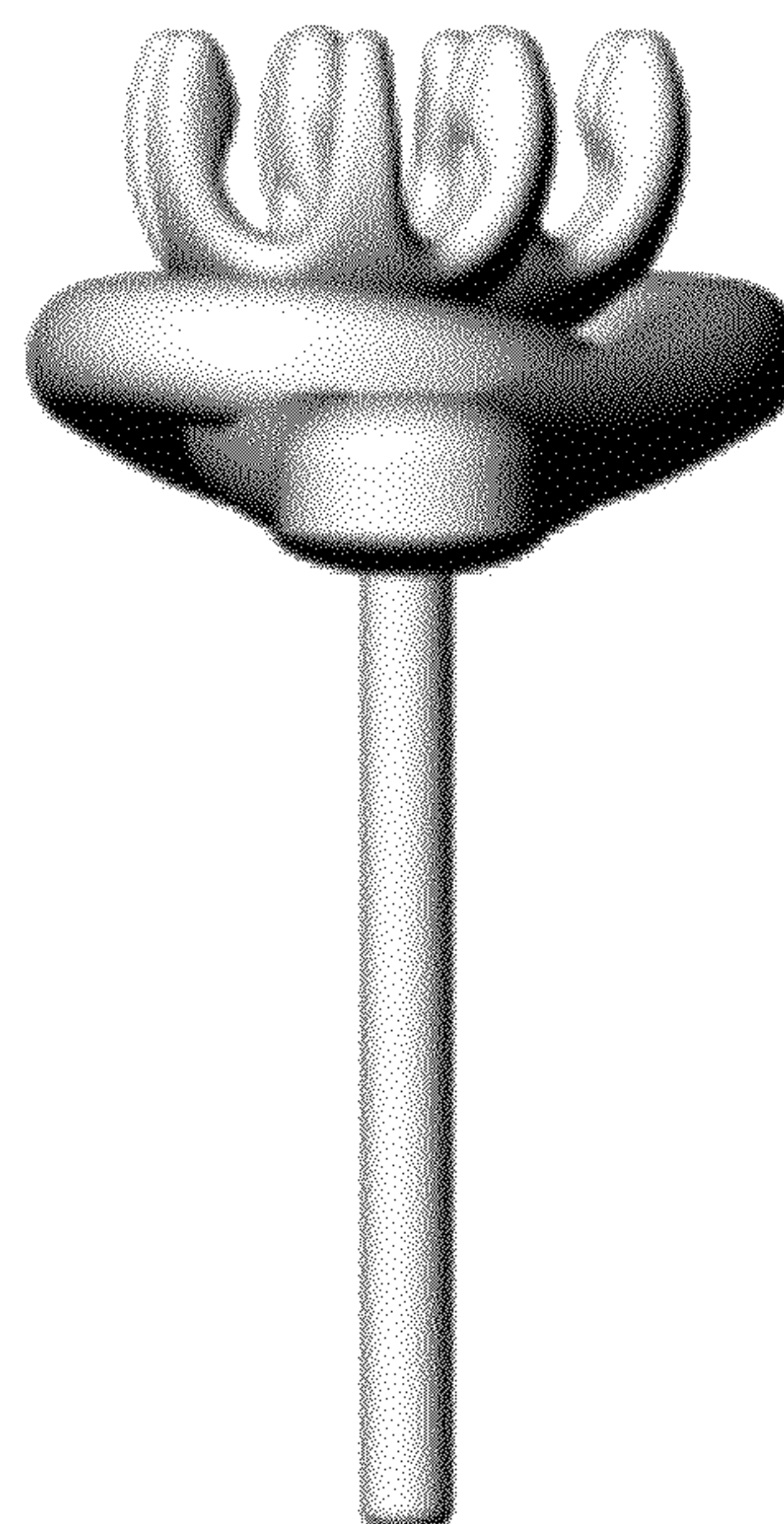


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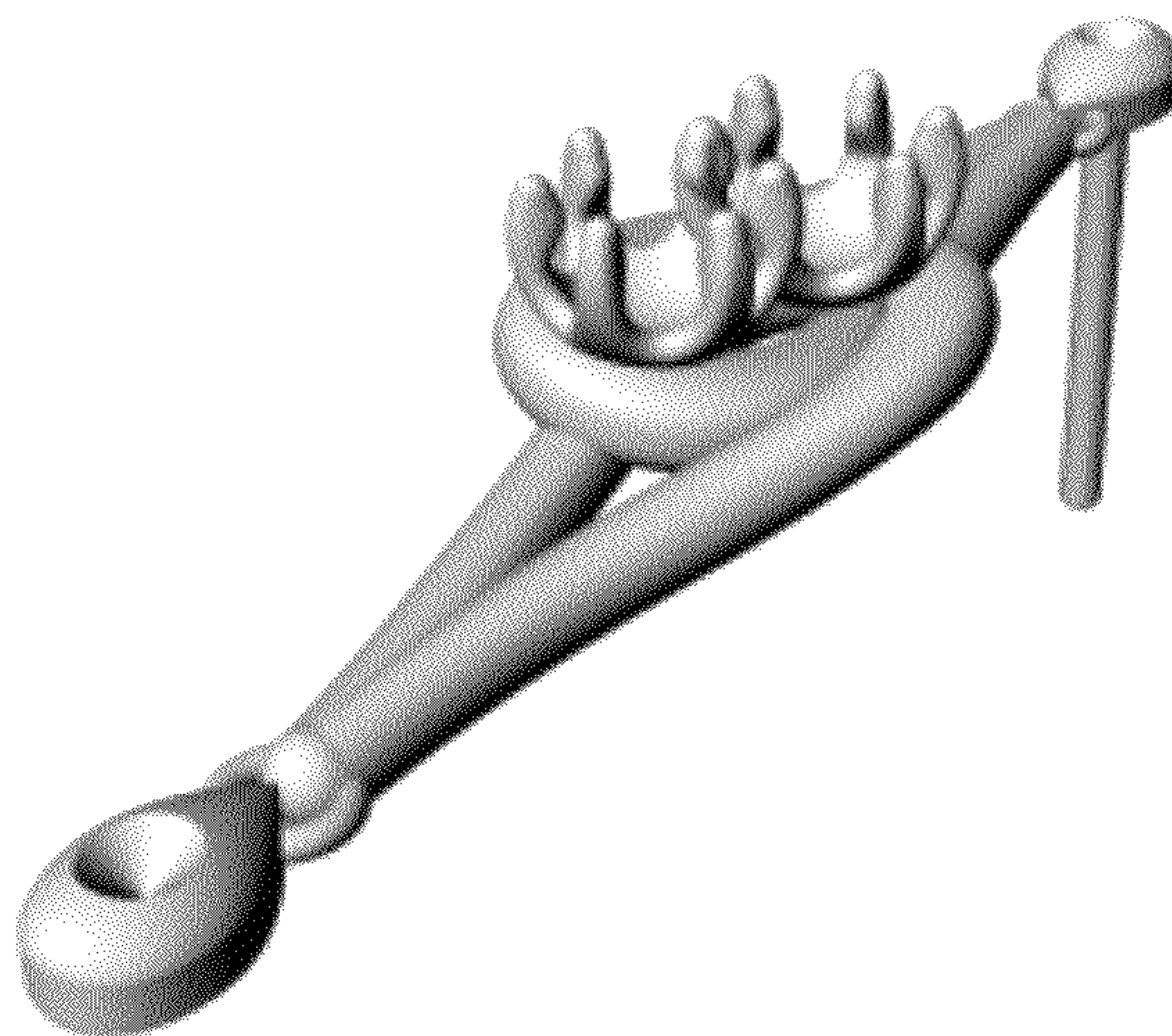


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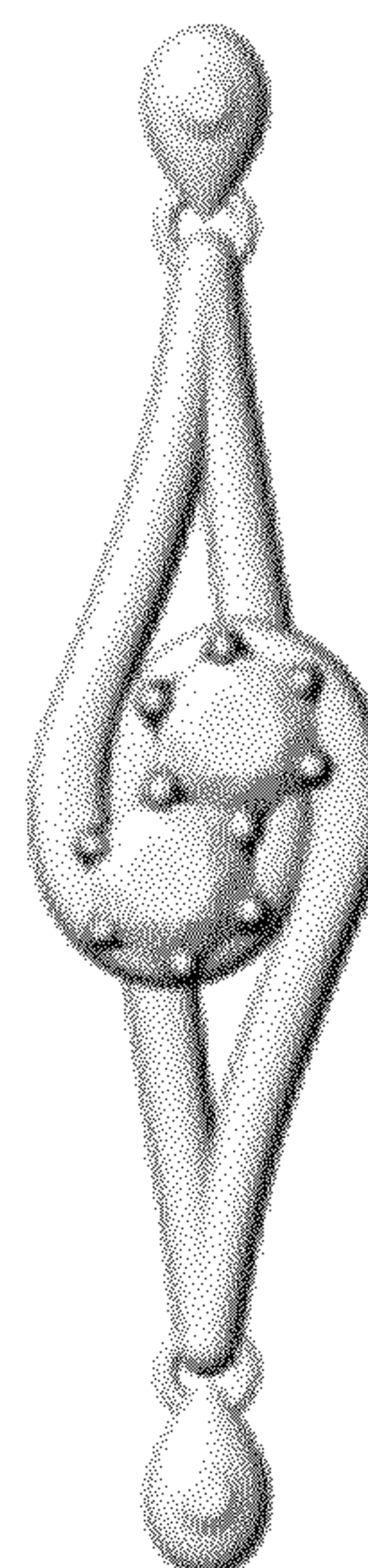


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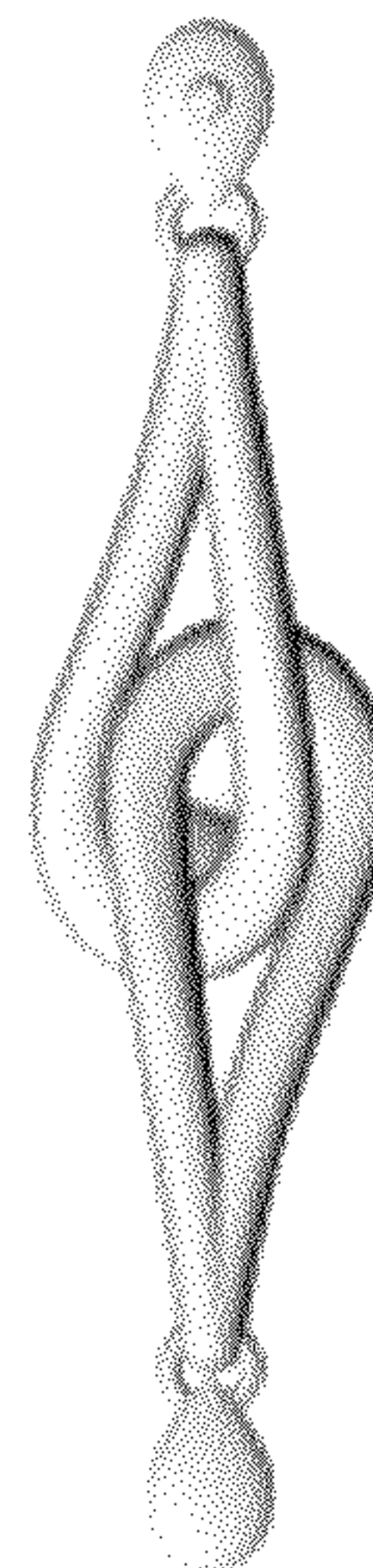


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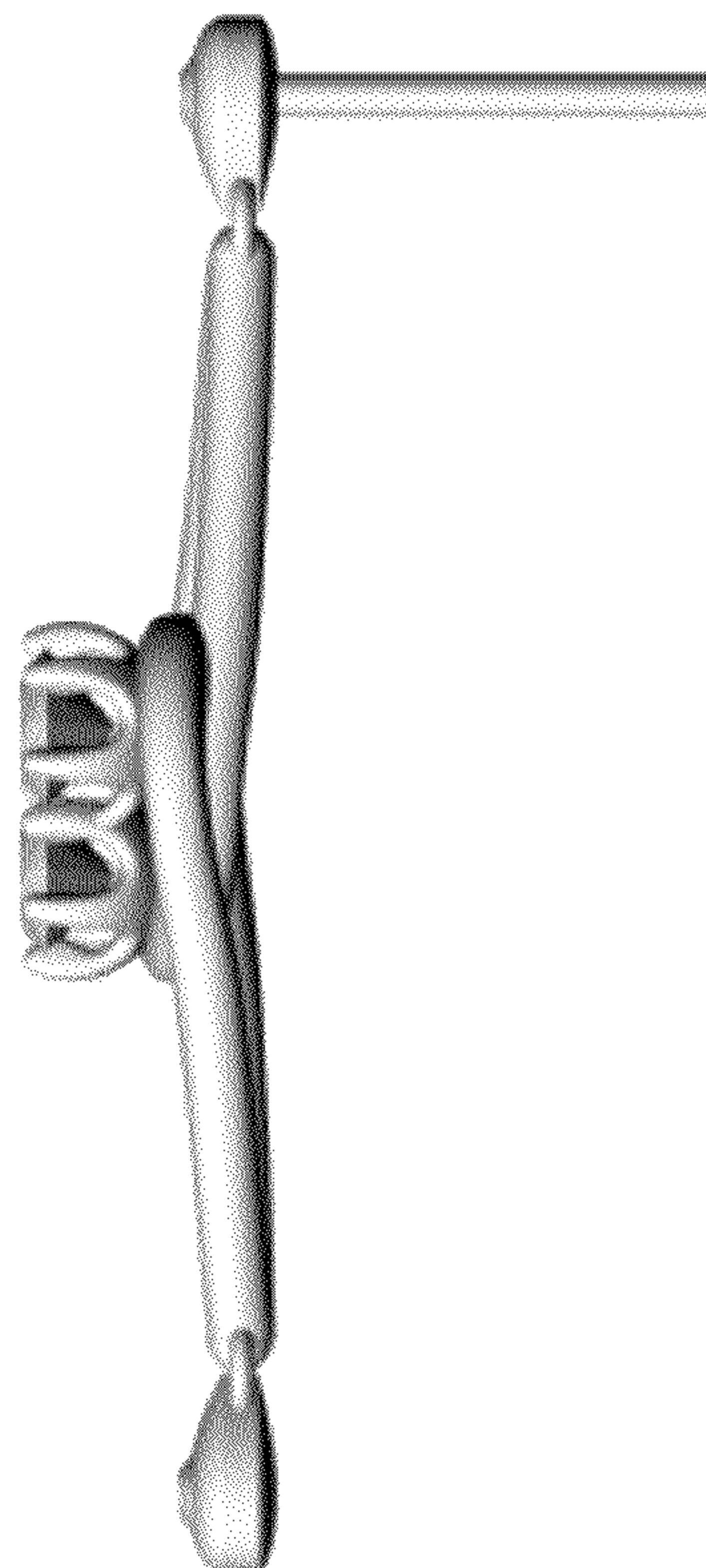


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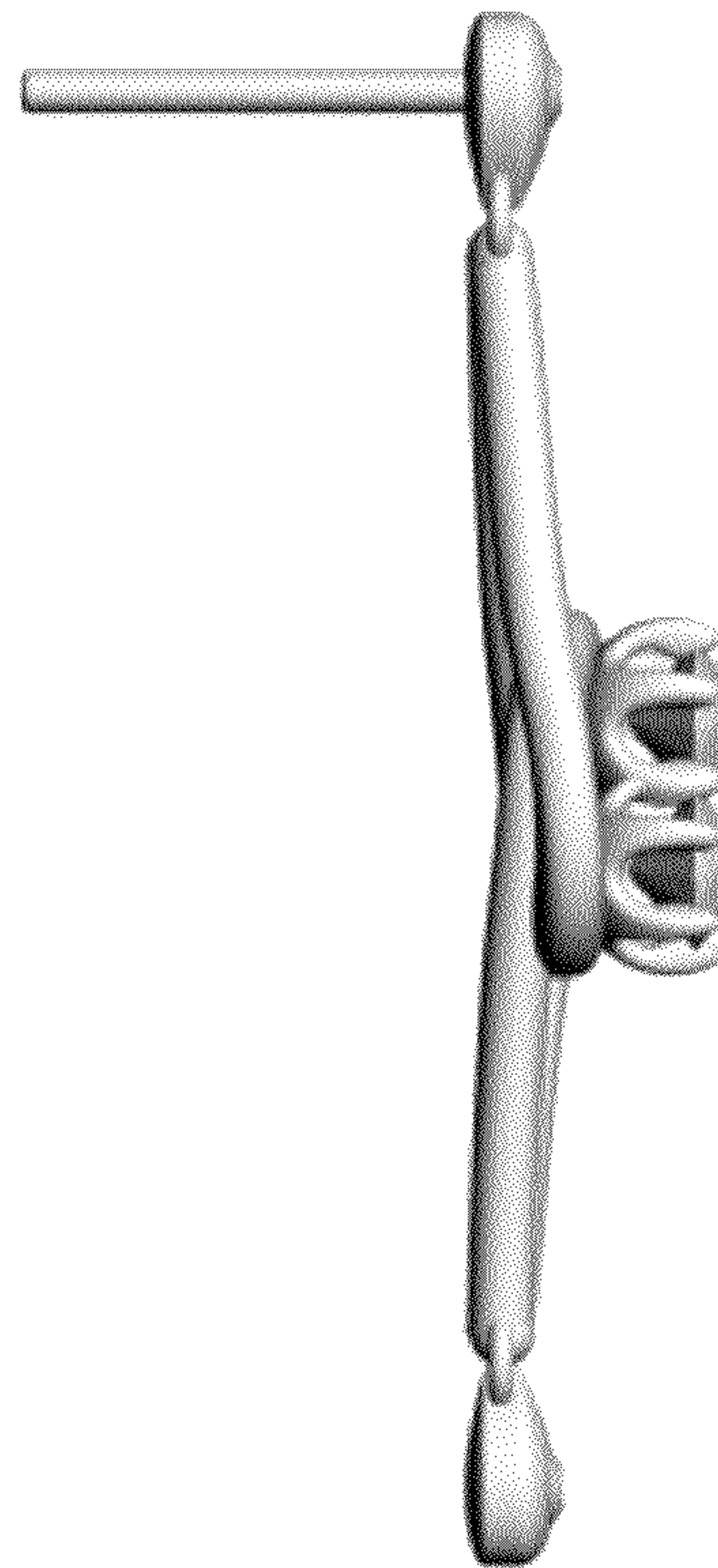


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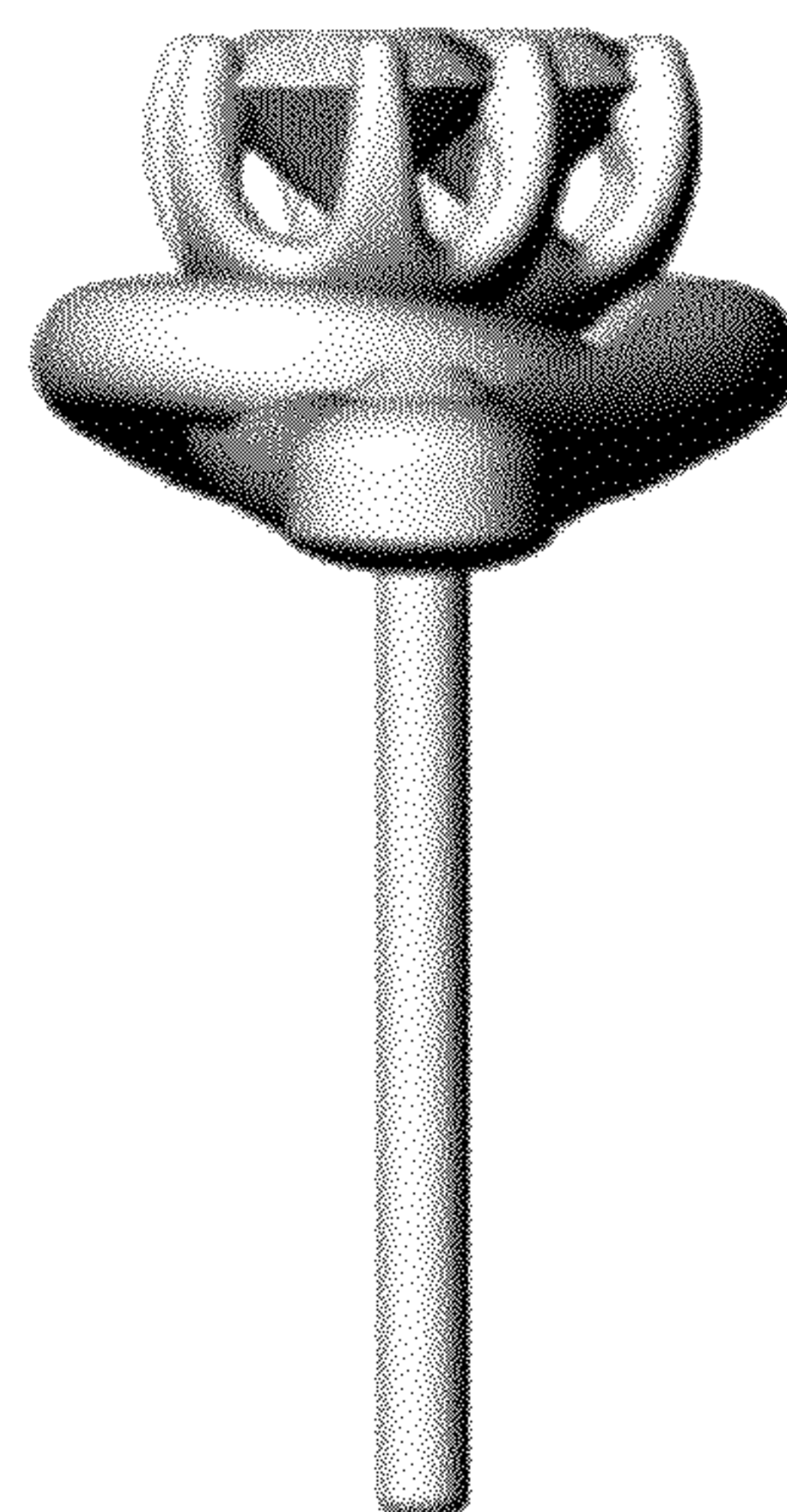


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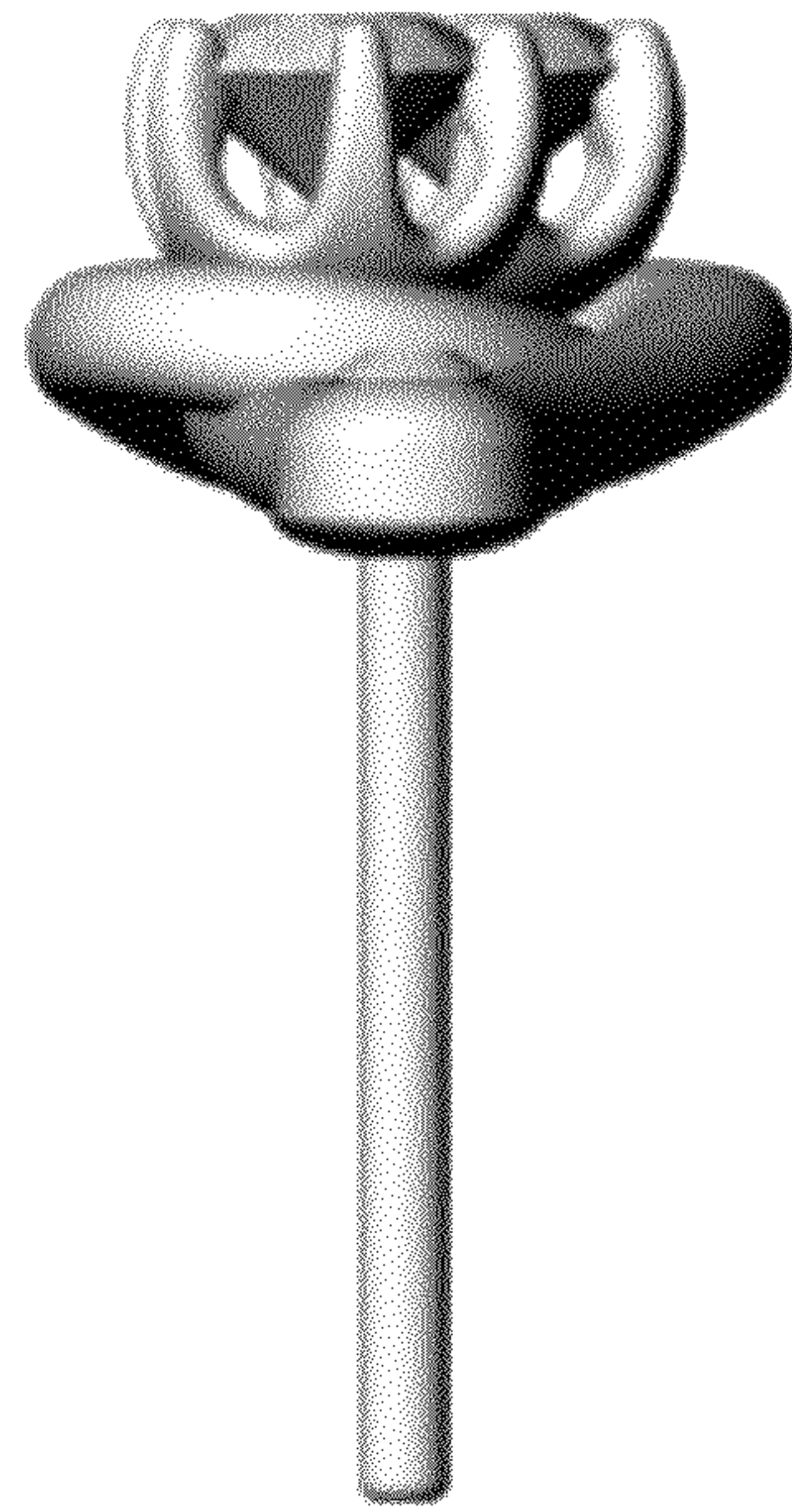


FIG. 14

