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(54) **TREAD PORTION OF AN AUTOMOBILE TIRE**

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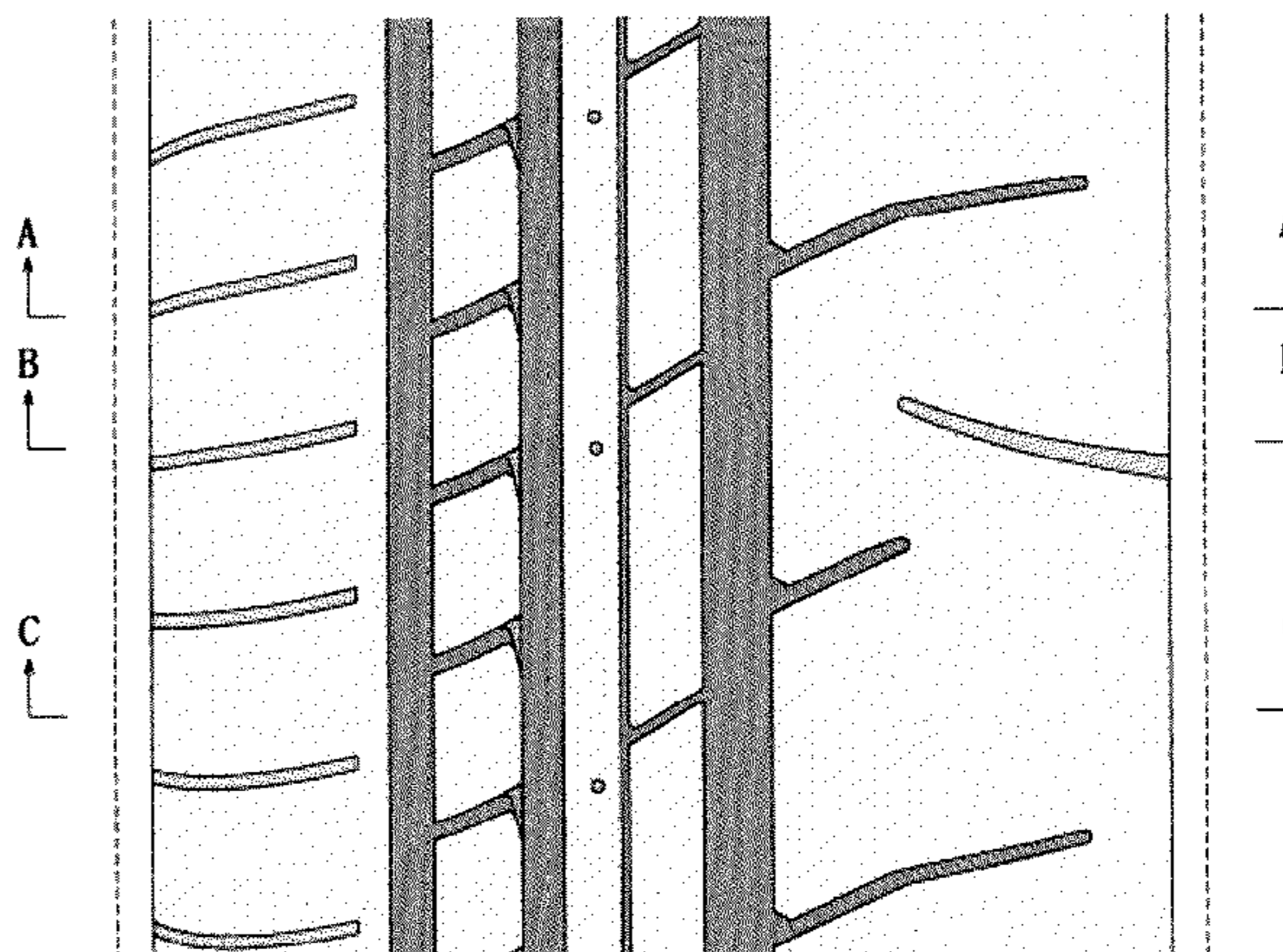
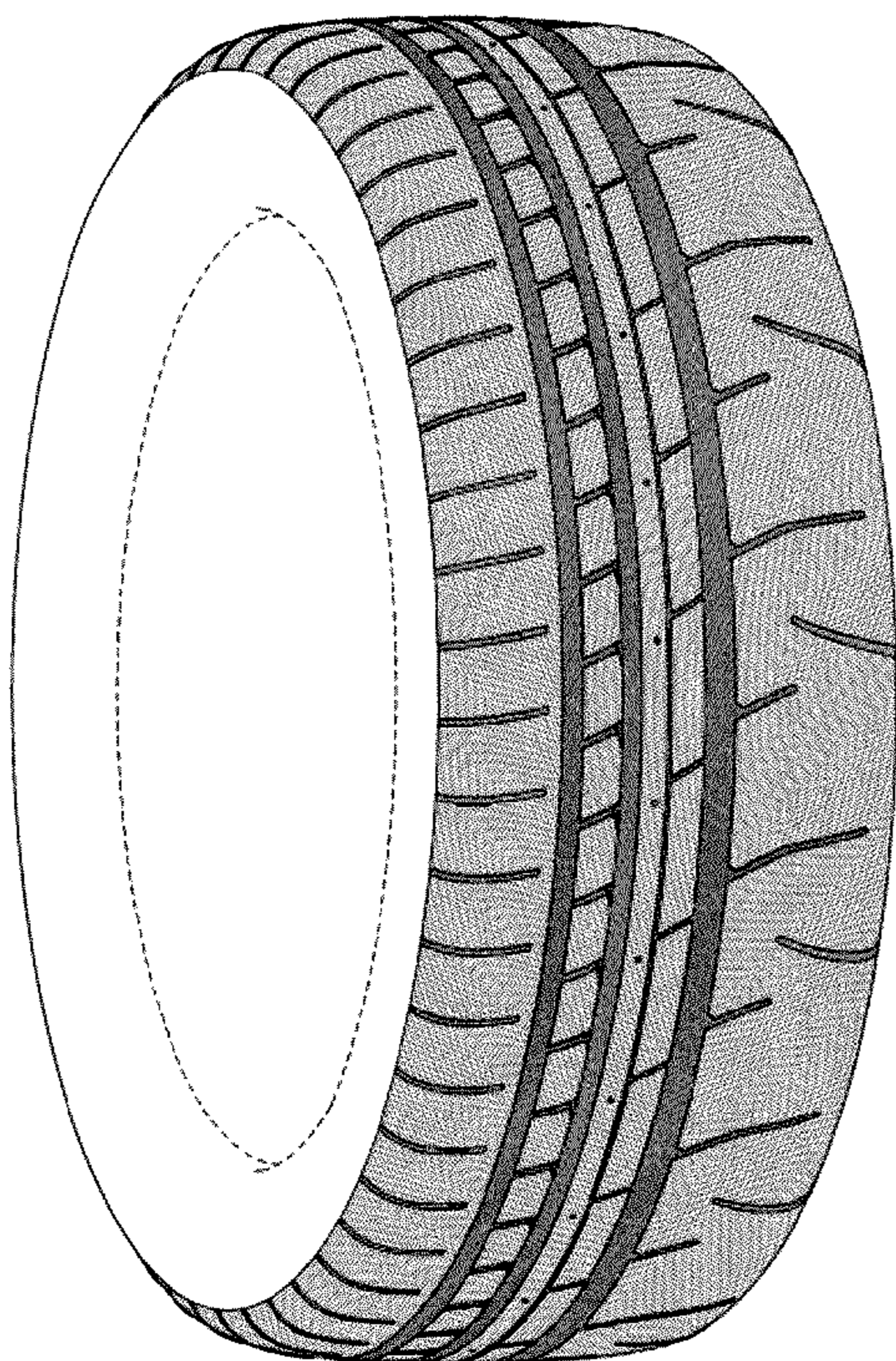
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a tread portion of an automobile tire, as shown and described.

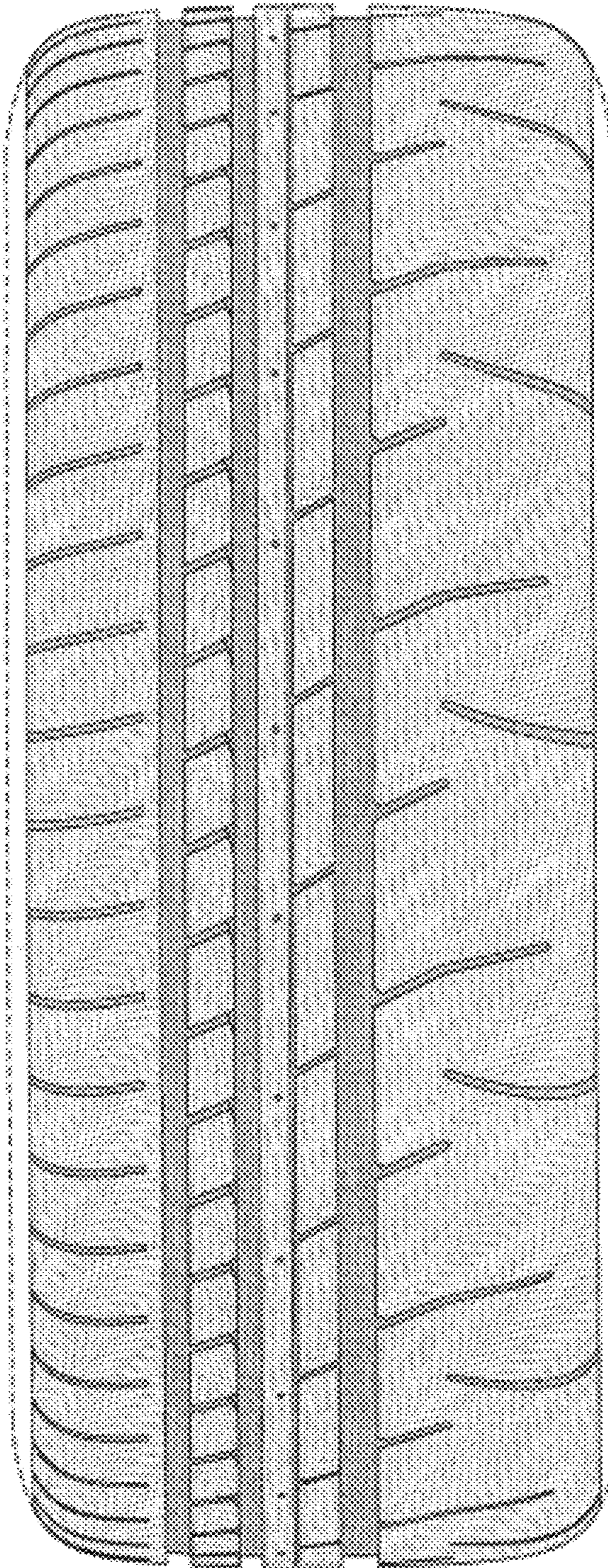
**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a front view of a tread portion of an automobile tire; FIG. 2 is a perspective view thereof; FIG. 3 is a rear view thereof; FIG. 4 is a left side view thereof; FIG. 5 is a right side view thereof; FIG. 6 is a fragmentary enlarged view showing the details of the tread portion thereof; FIG. 7 is a section view taken along line A-A in FIG. 6; FIG. 8 is a section view taken along line B-B in FIG. 6; and, FIG. 9 is a section view taken along line C-C in FIG. 6. In the drawings, the broken lines defining the sidewall and the inner bead of the tire depict environmental subject matter that forms no part of the claimed design.

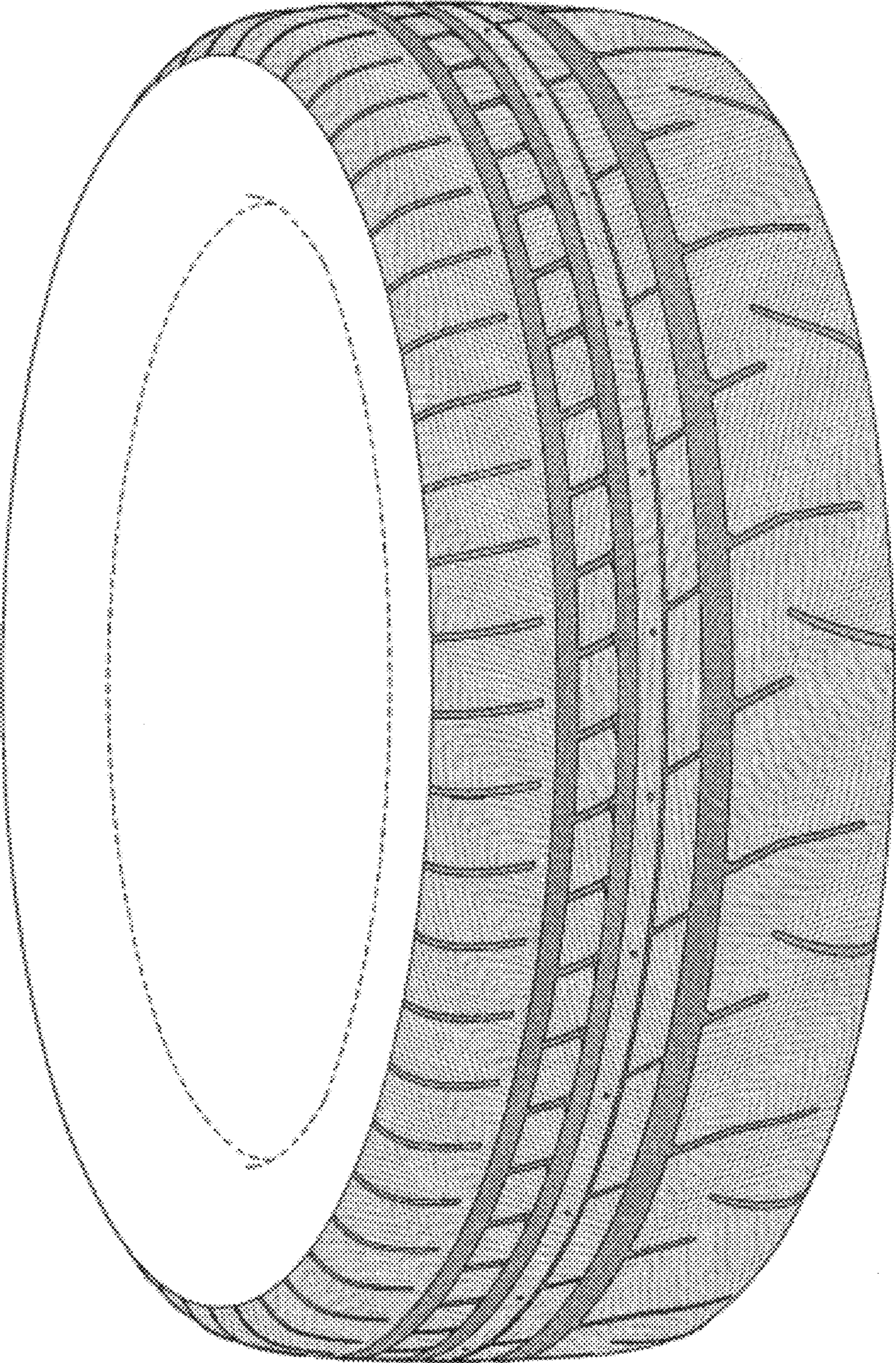
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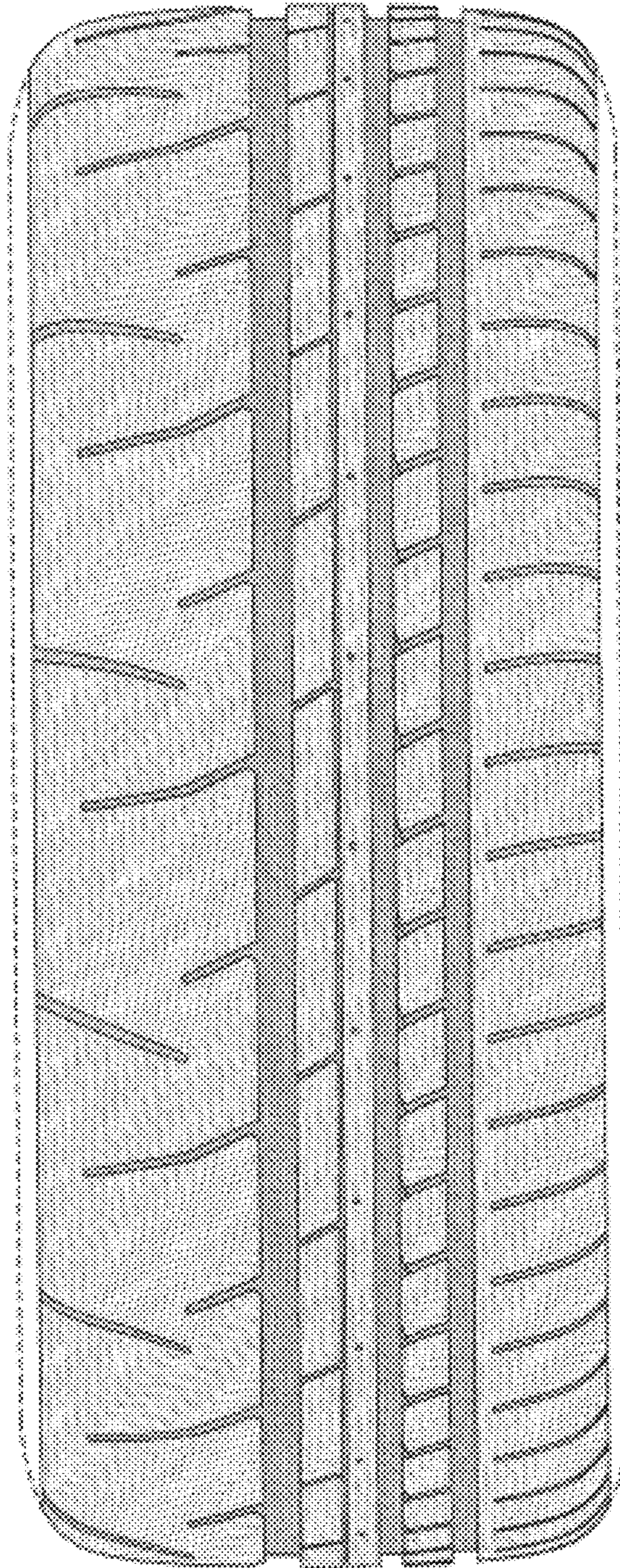
*FIG. 1*



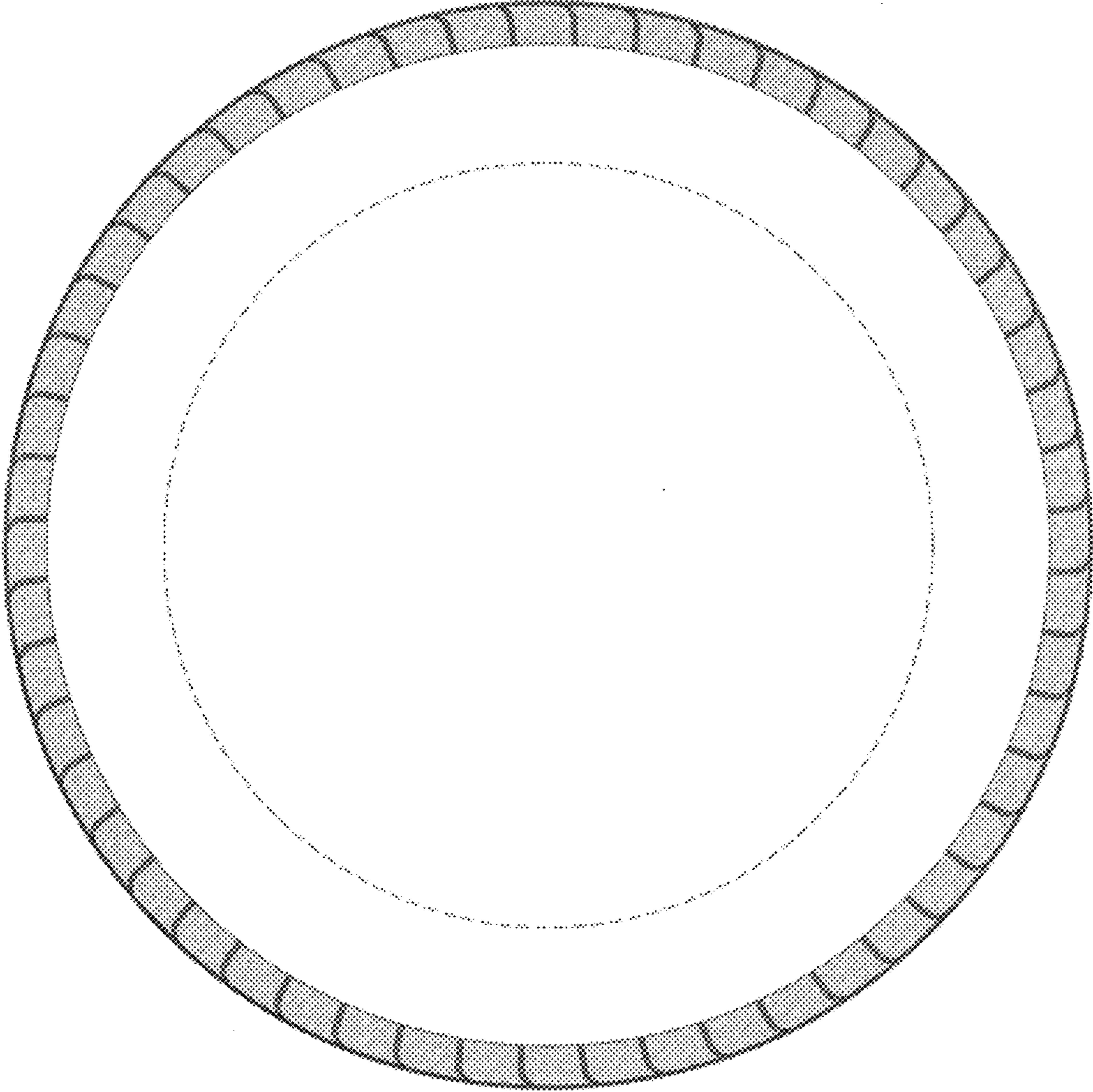
*FIG. 2*



*FIG. 3*



*FIG. 4*



*FIG. 5*

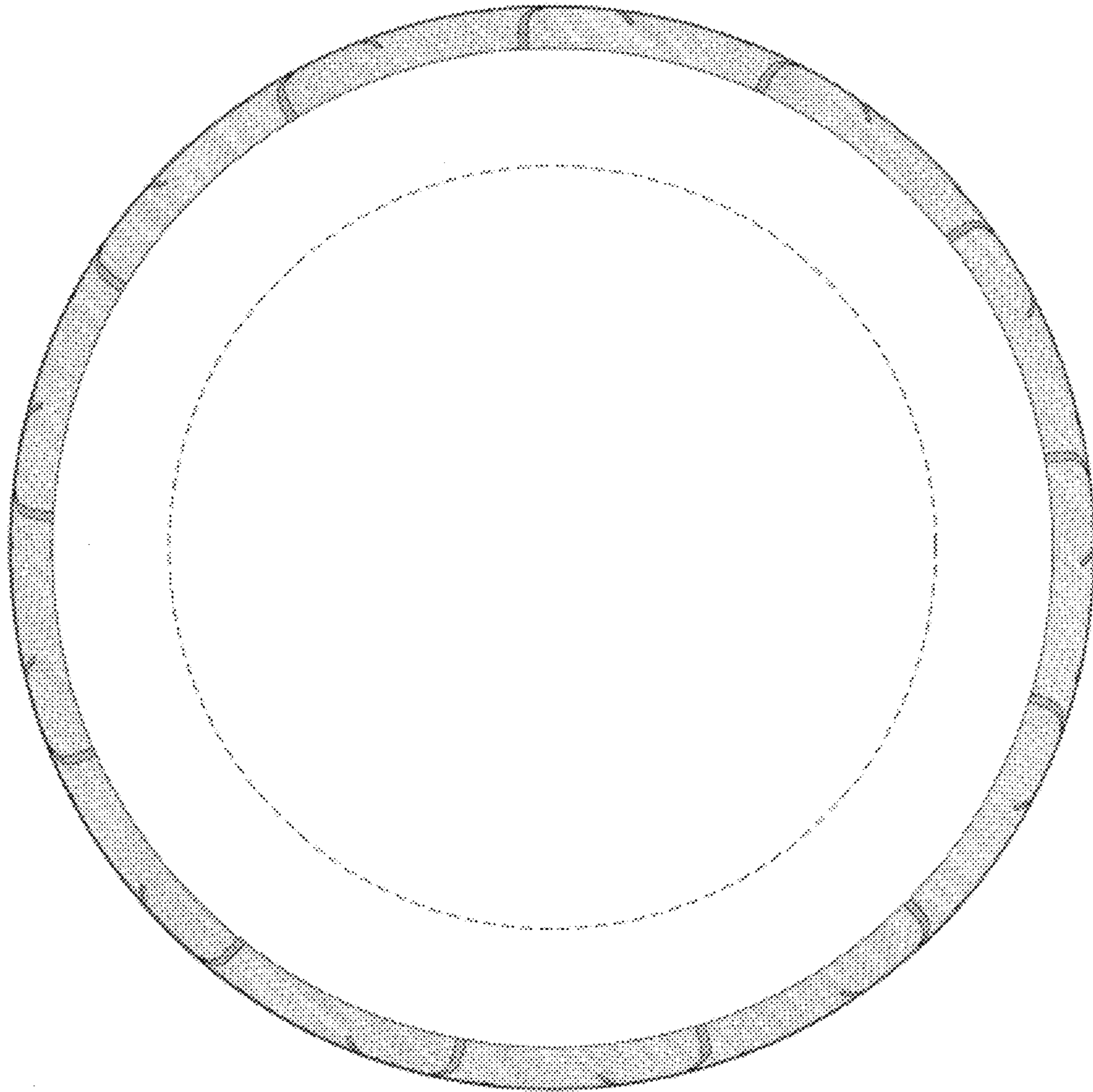
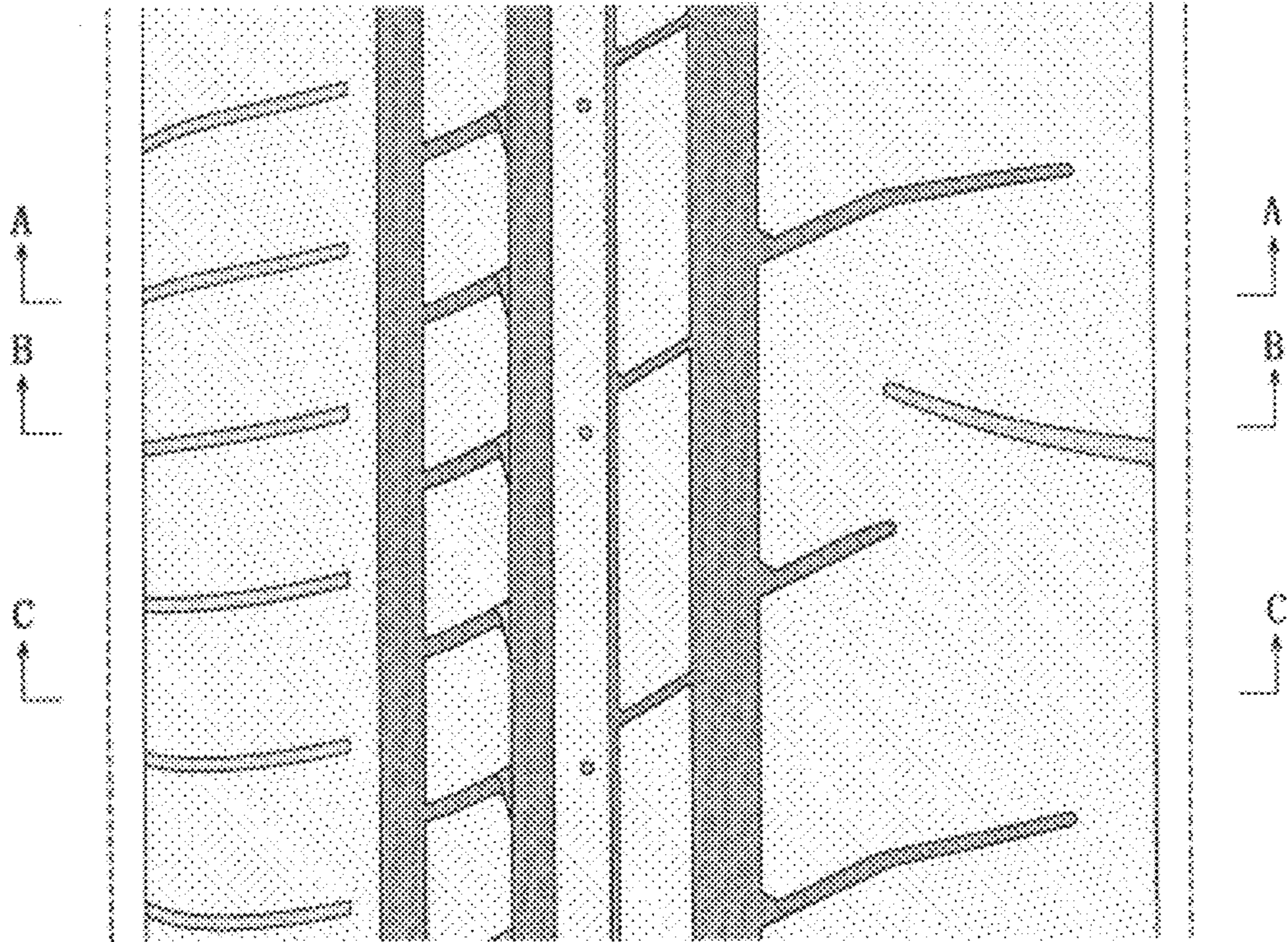
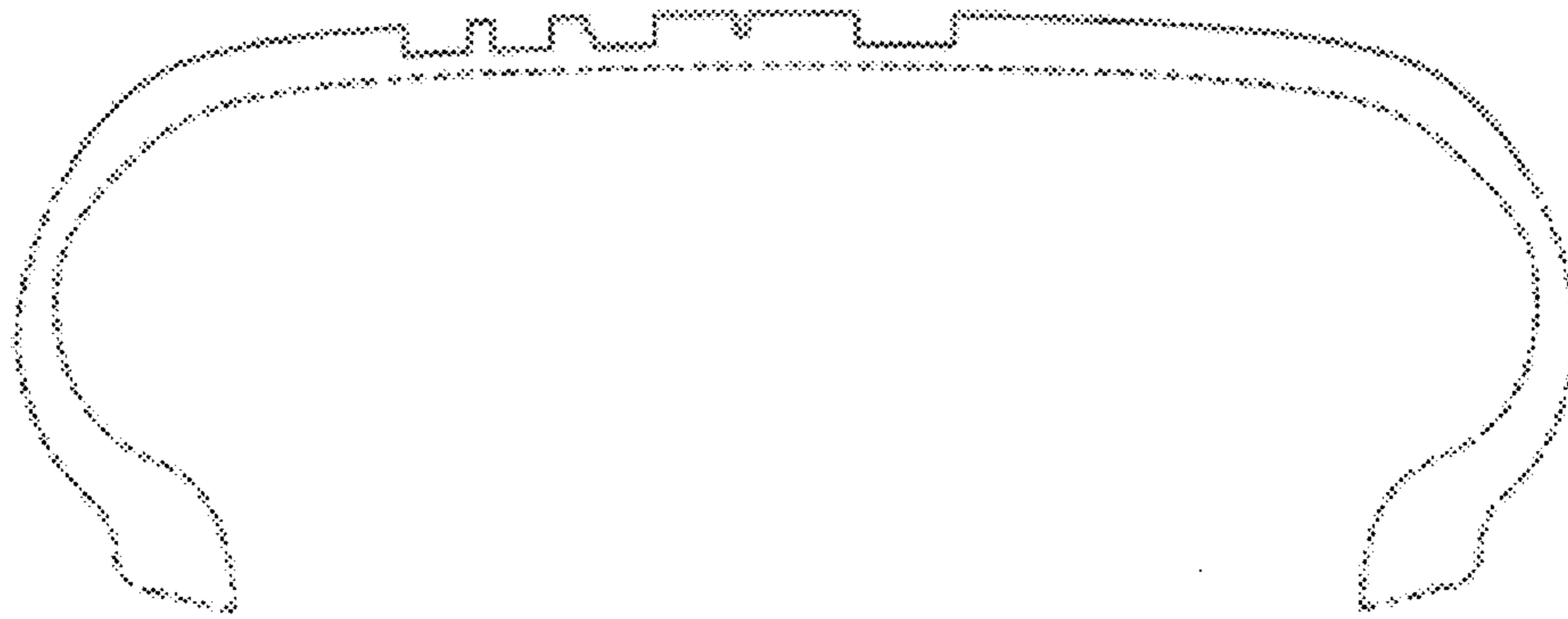


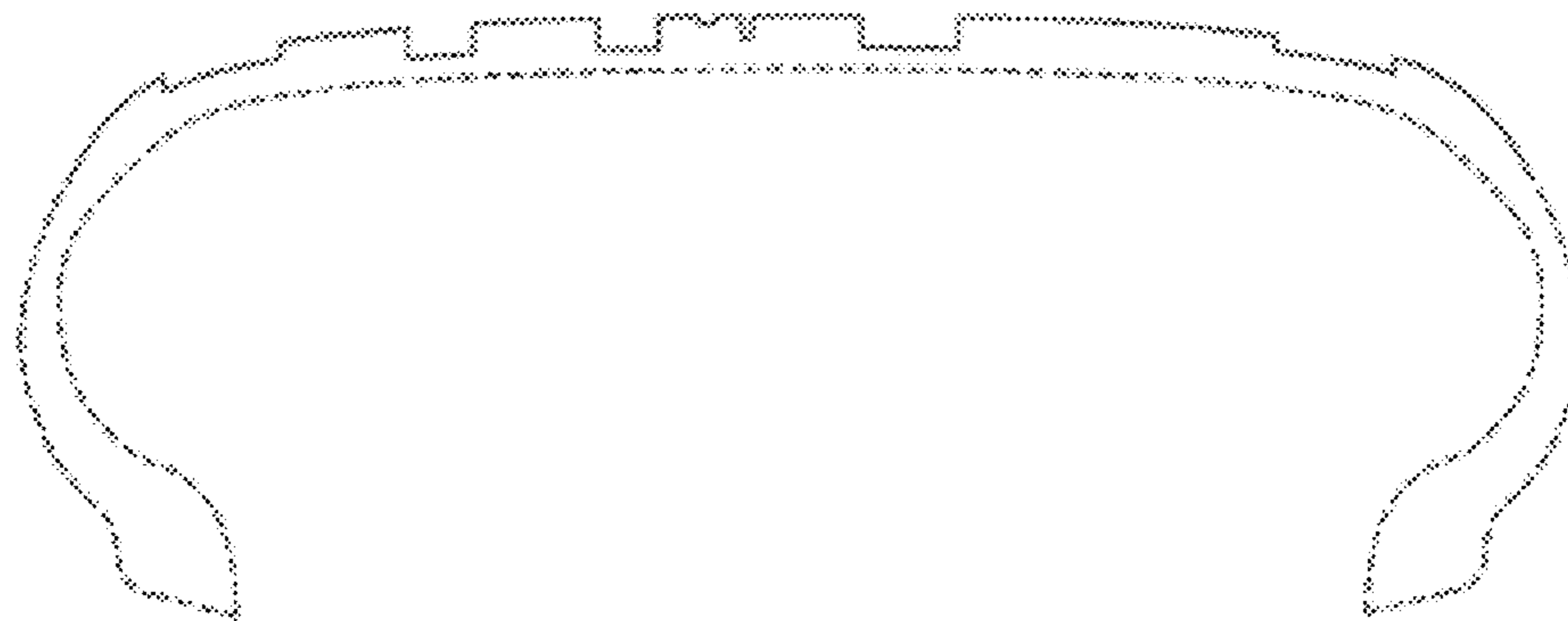
FIG. 6



*FIG. 7*



*FIG. 8*



*FIG. 9*

