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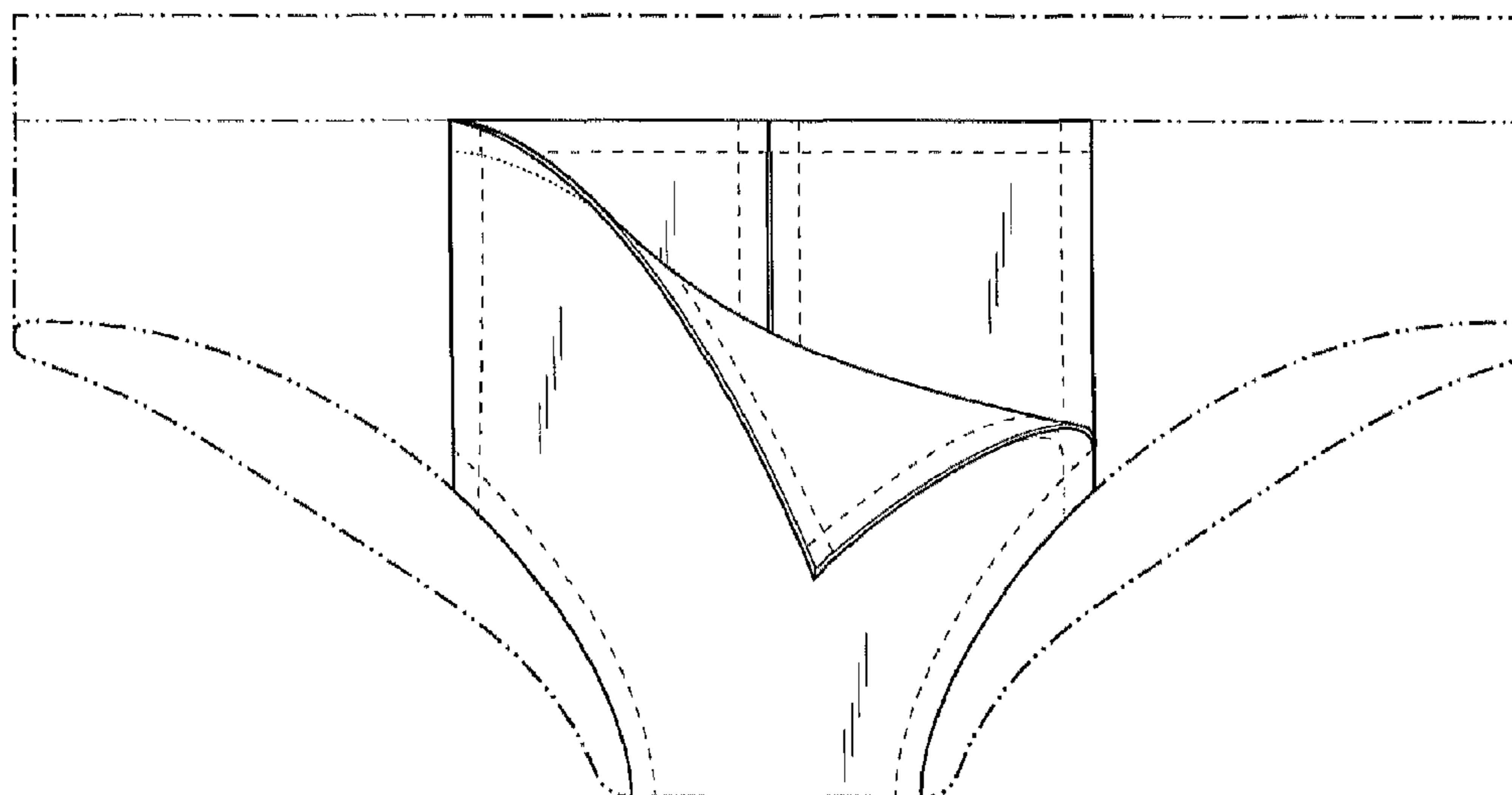
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a support pocket for men's underwear, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a front elevational view of a support pocket for men's underwear, showing my design;  
FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof, showing the front flap unfastened;  
FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view thereof, it being understood that the rear view is seen from the interior of the underwear; and,  
FIG. 4 is a cross-sectional view thereof, along line A-A of FIG. 1.  
The 'dash-dash-dash' broken lines shown throughout the drawings represents conventional stitching.  
The 'dot-dot-dash' broken lines shown throughout the drawings illustrate the article to which the design is applied and form no part of the claim.

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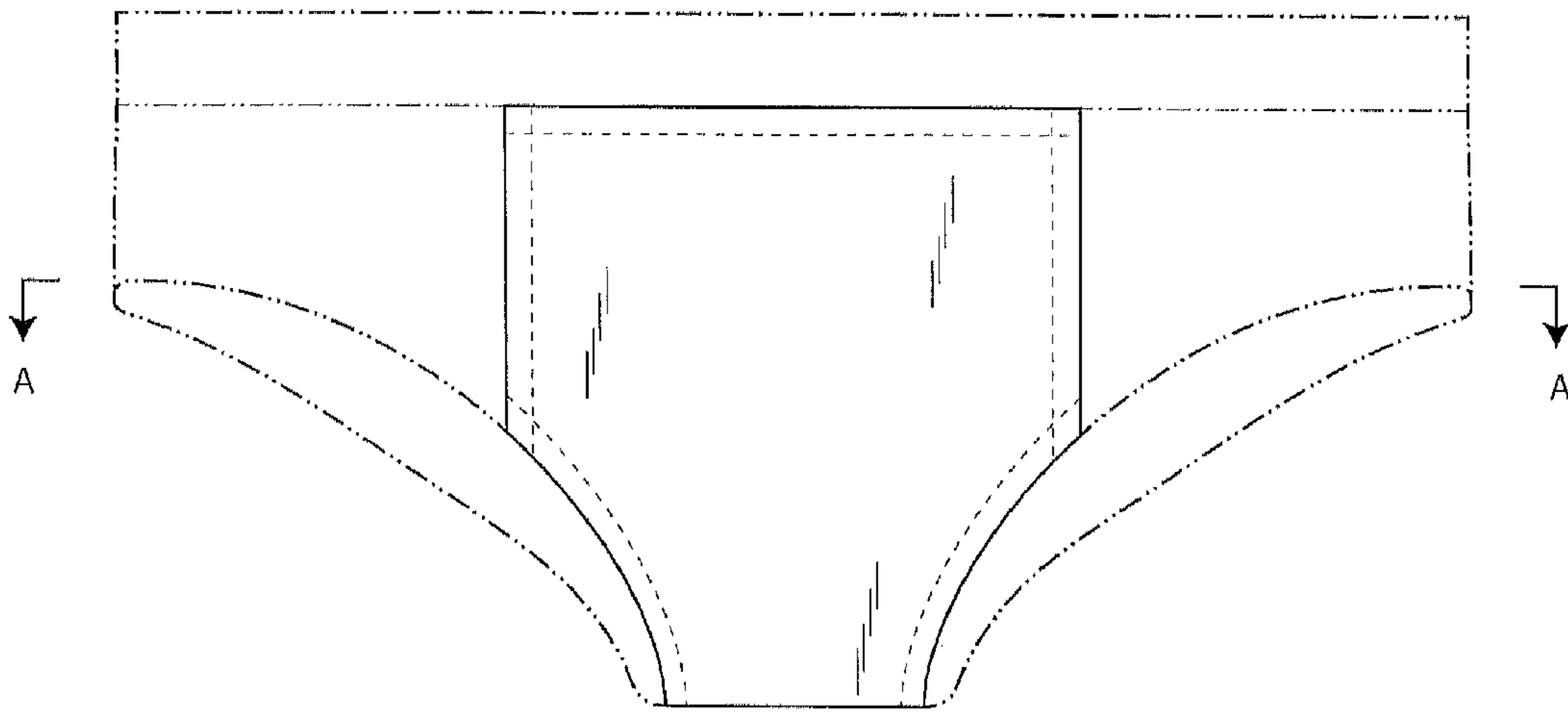
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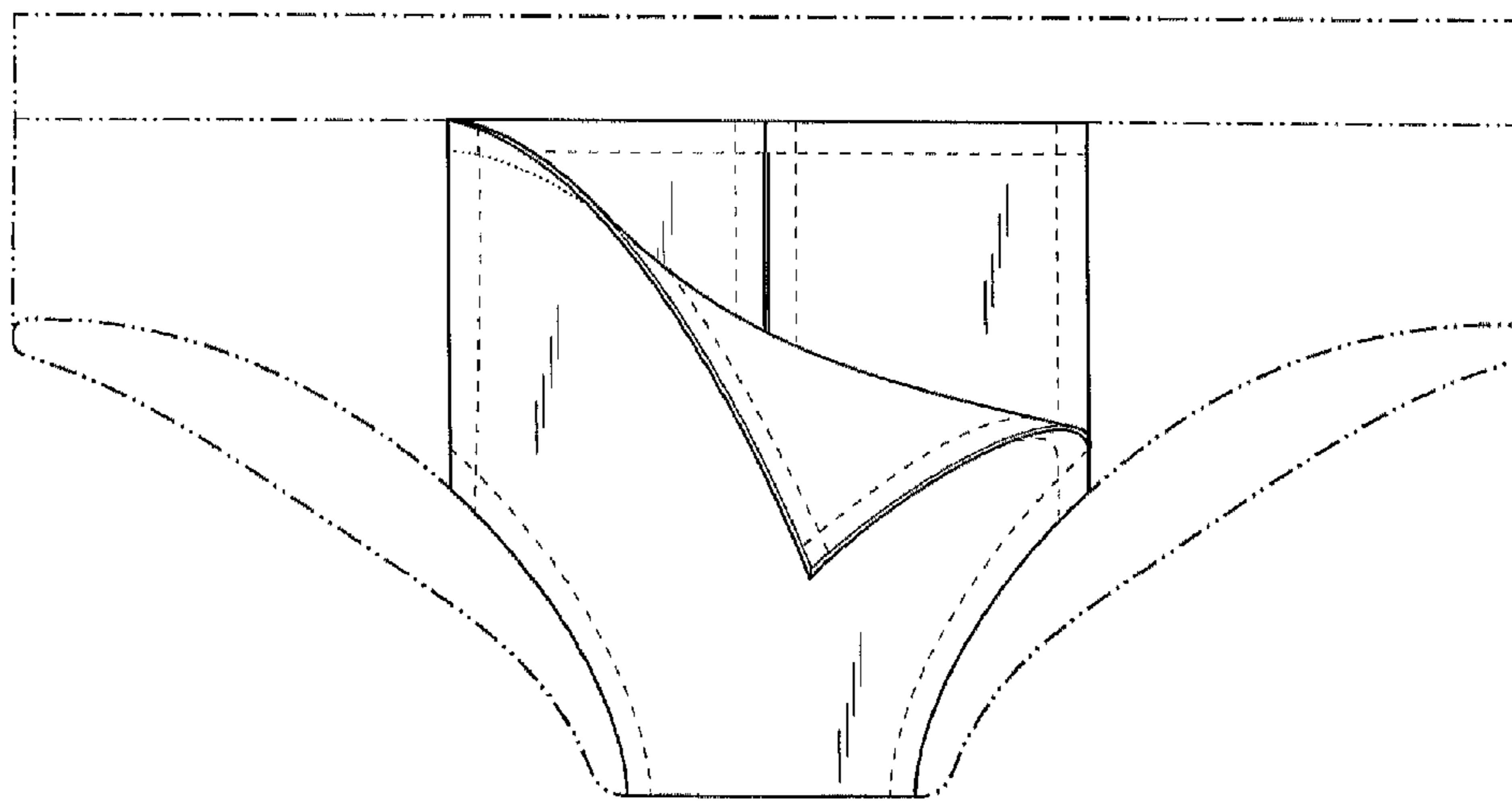
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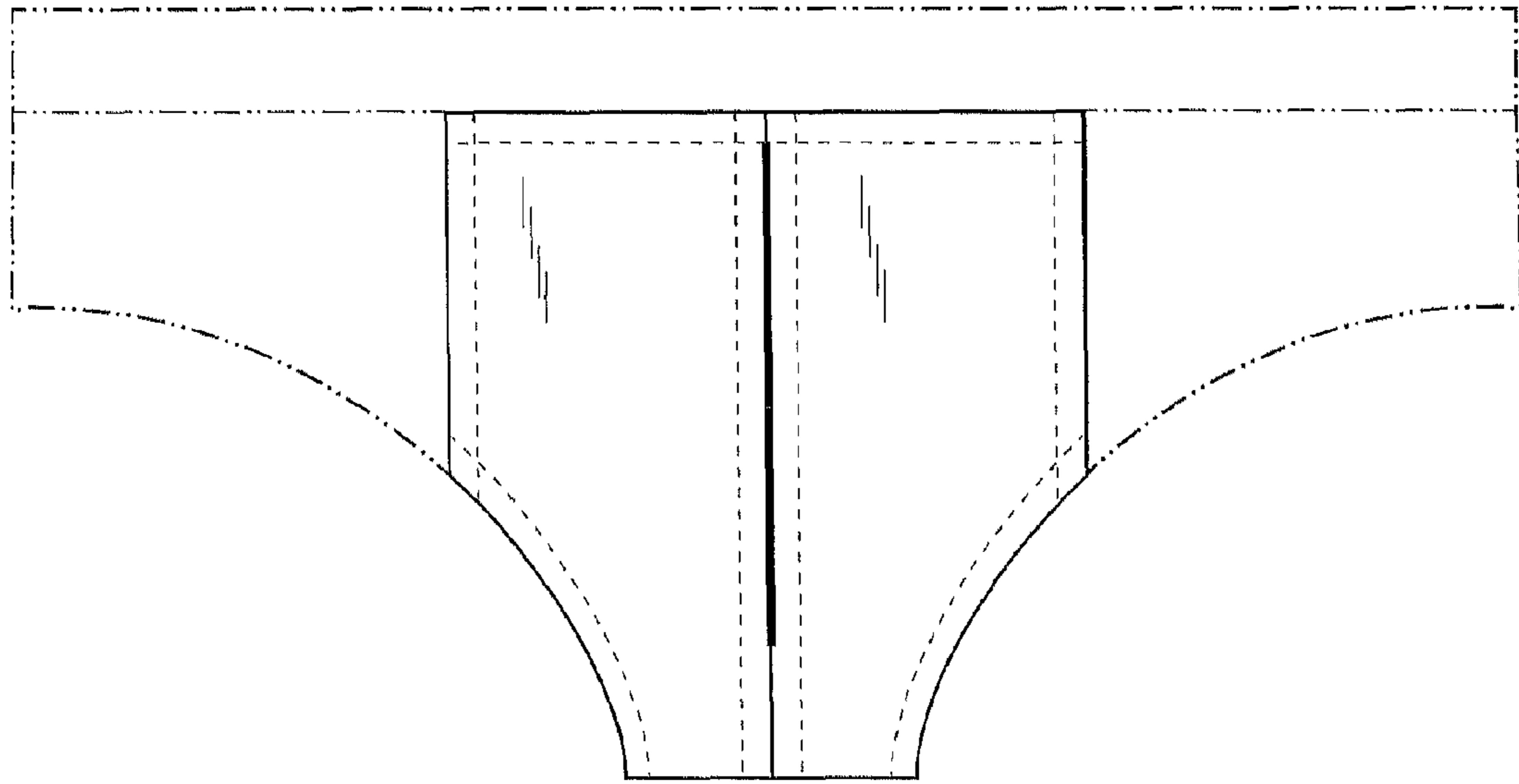
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*Fig. 1*



*Fig. 2*



*Fig. 3*



*Fig. 4*