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- (54) **CAP FOR A CONTAINER**
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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a cap for a container, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

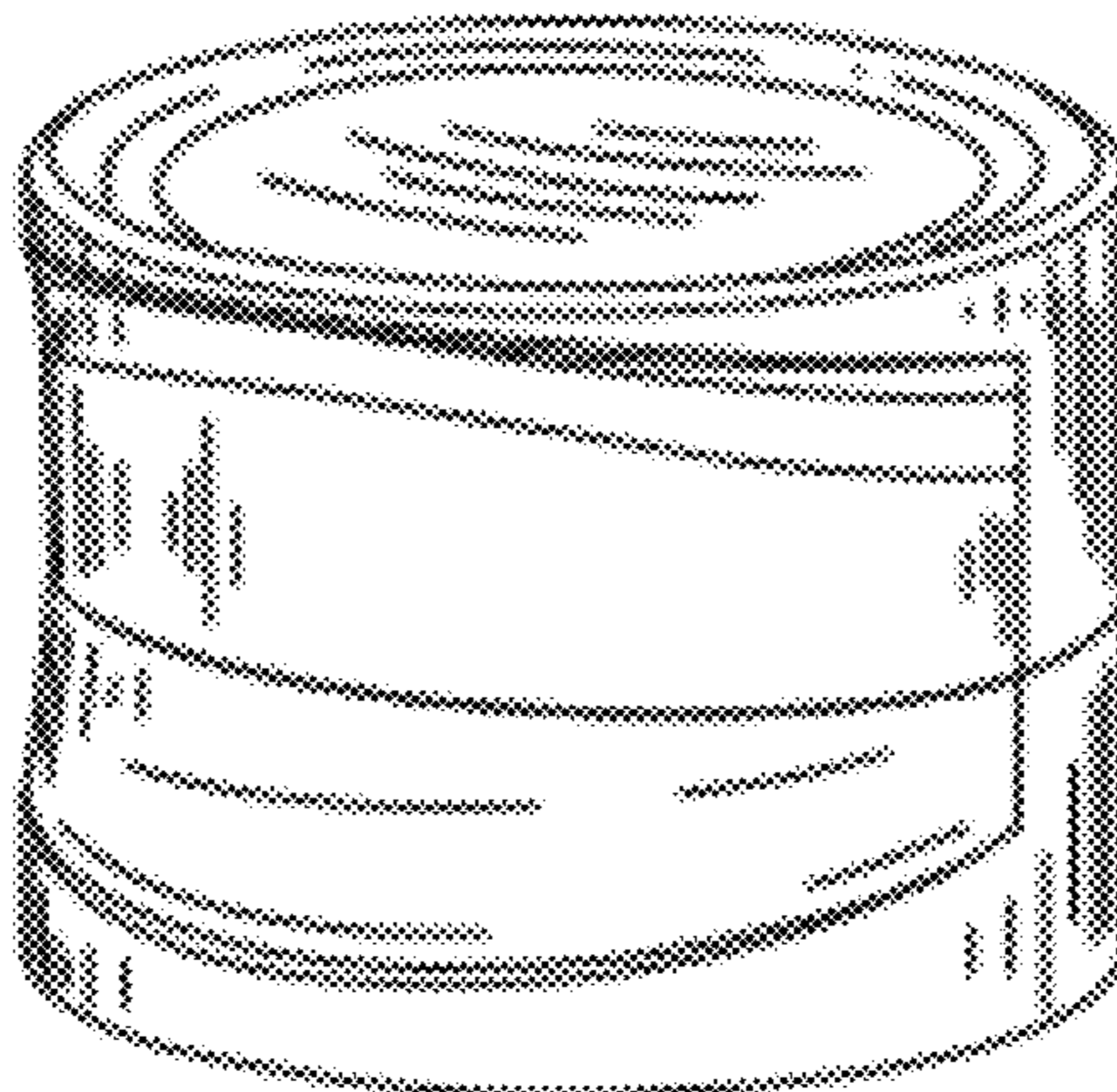
FIG. 1 is a front, perspective view of a cap for a container according to the new design shown in a closed state;
 FIG. 2 is rear, perspective view thereof;
 FIG. 3 is a front view thereof;
 FIG. 4 is a rear view thereof;
 FIG. 5 is a left side view thereof;
 FIG. 6 is a right side view thereof;
 FIG. 7 is a top view thereof; and,
 FIG. 8 is a bottom view thereof.
 The broken lines in FIG. 8 depict unclaimed environment that forms no part of the claimed design.

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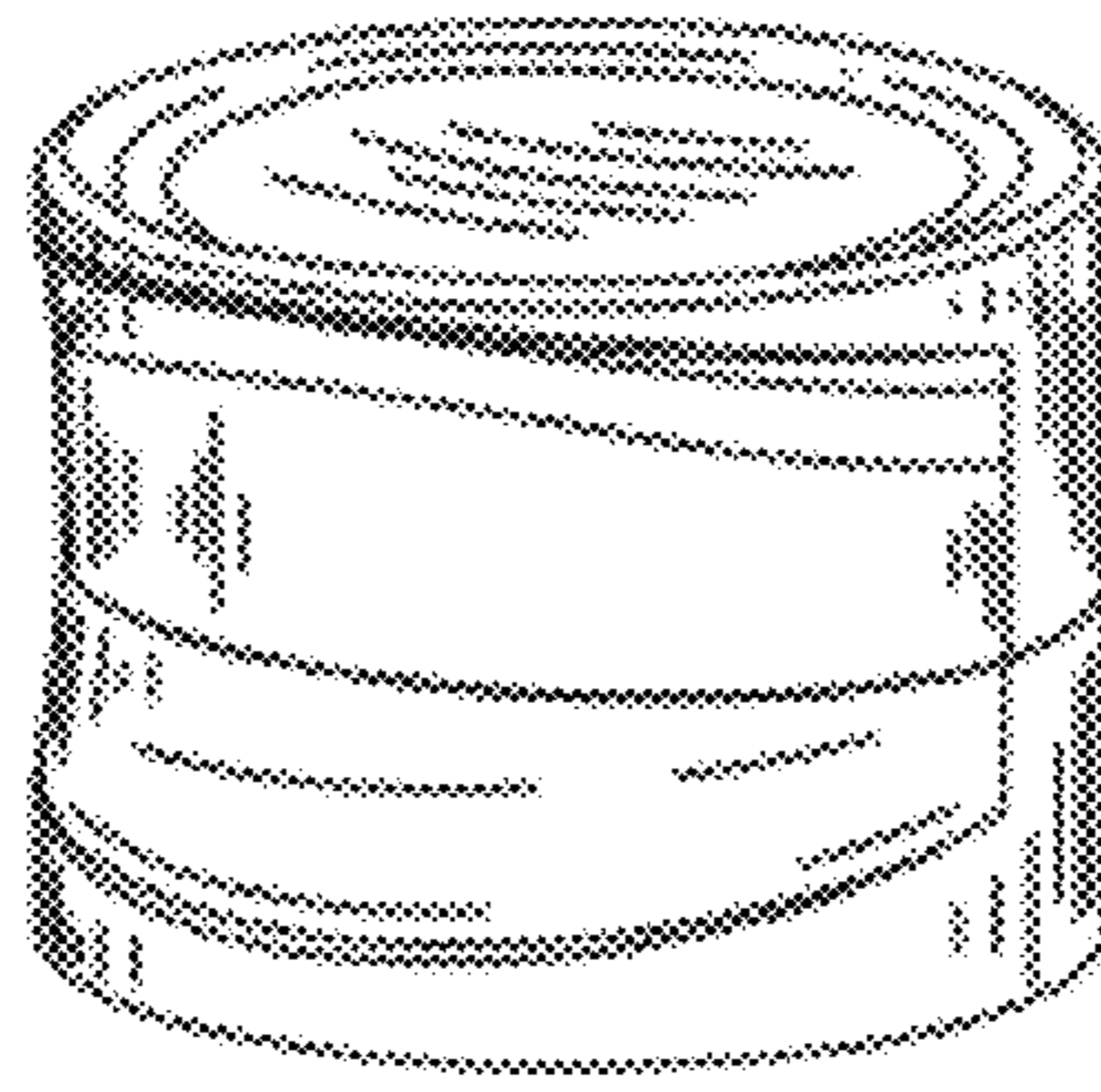


FIG. 1

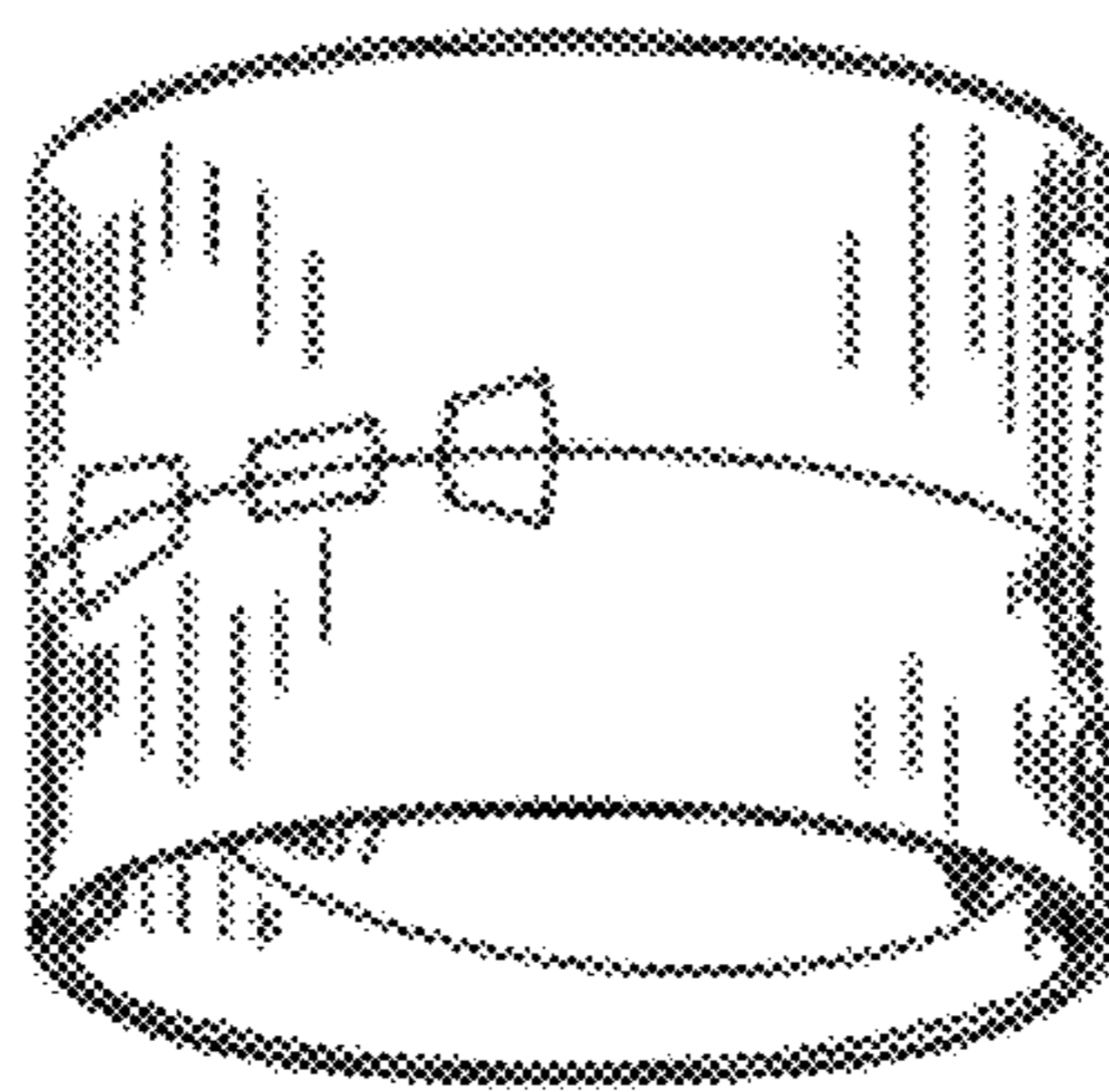


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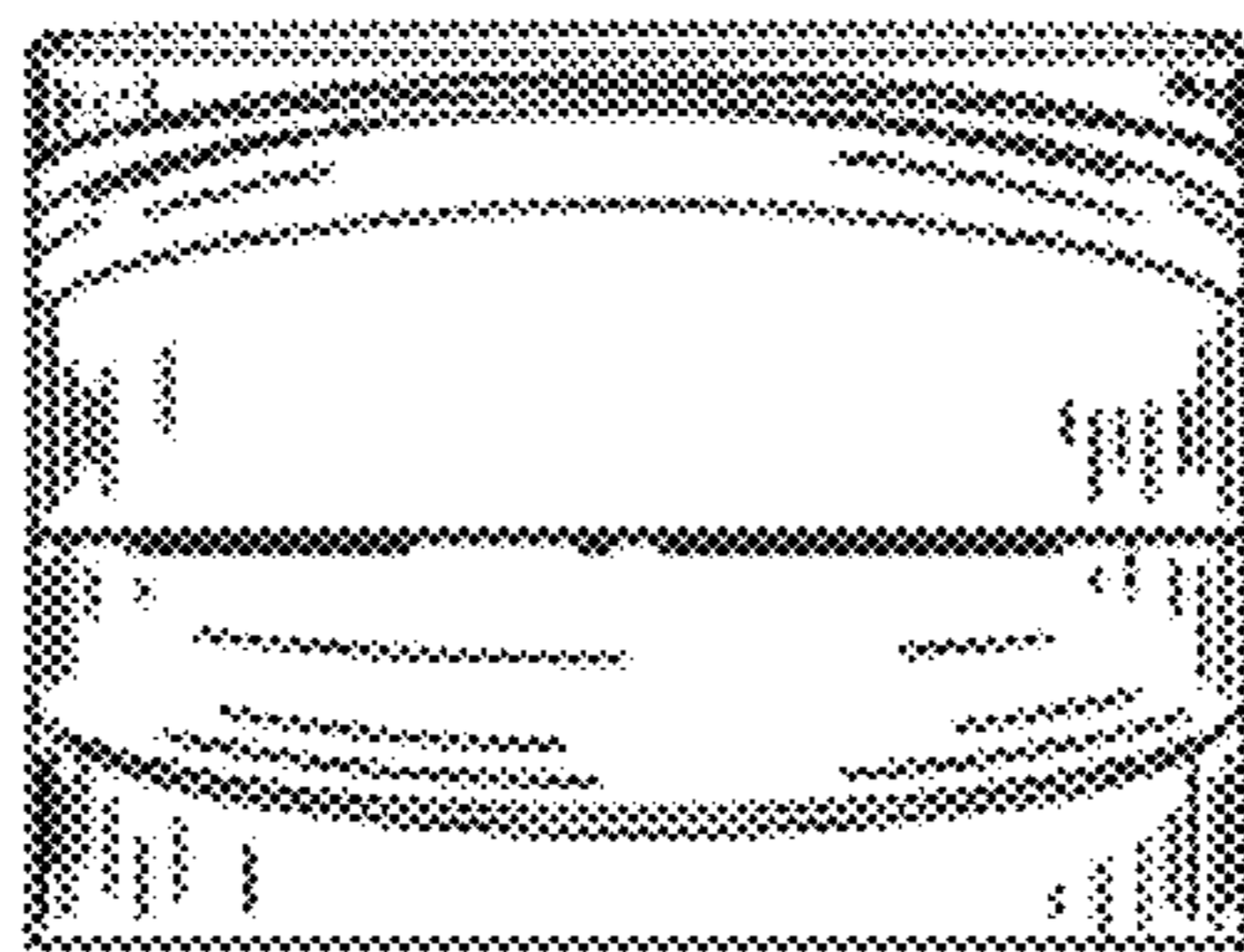


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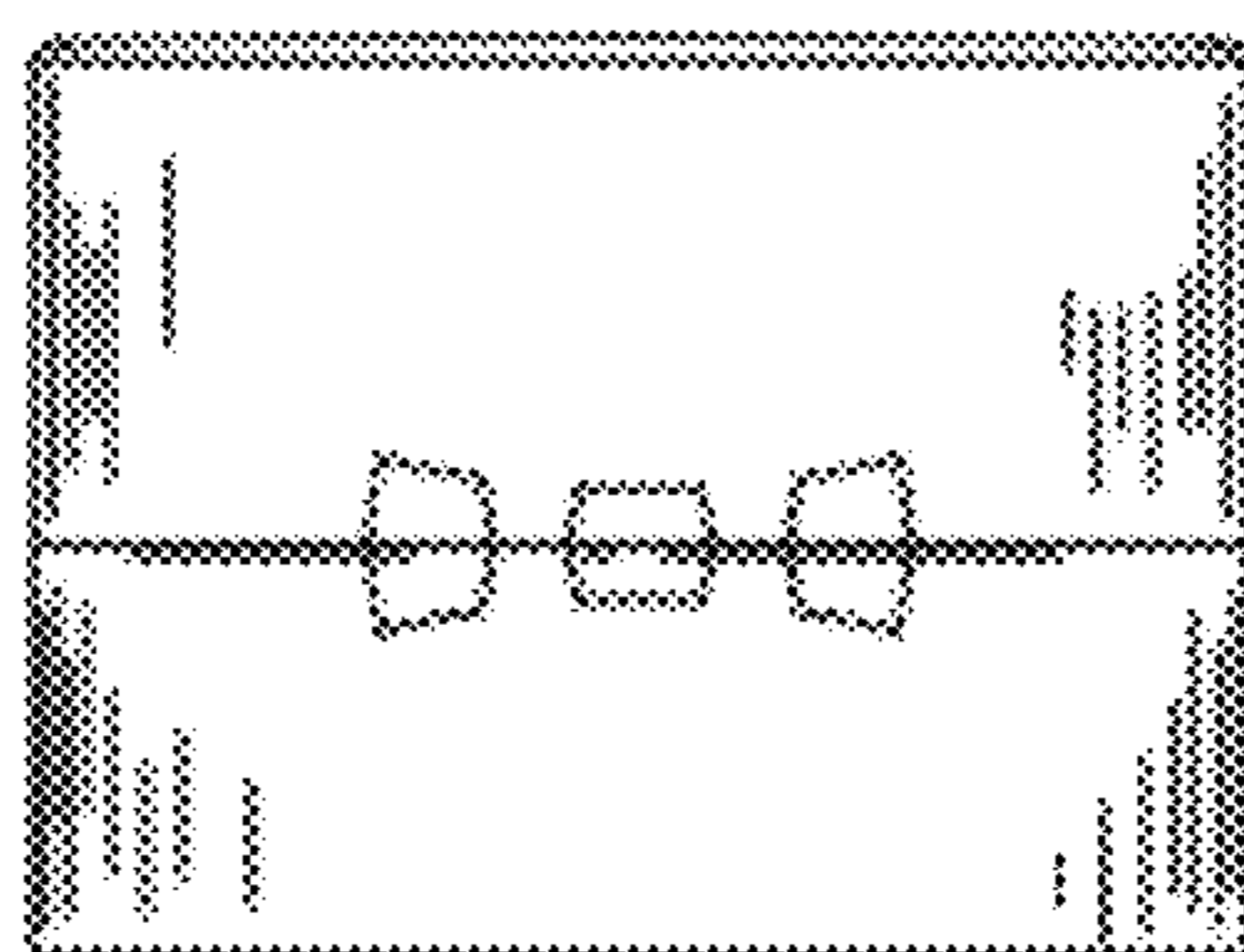


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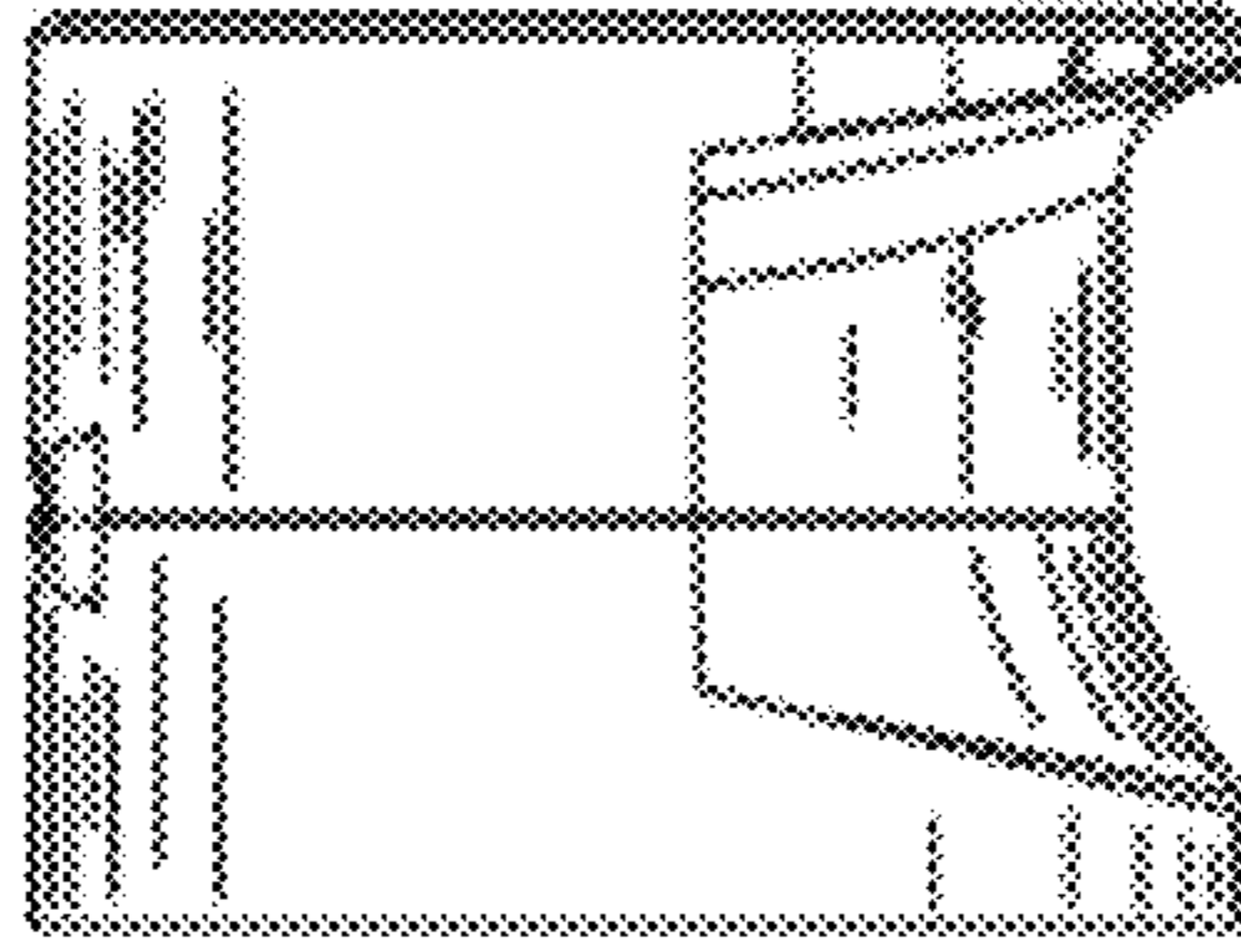


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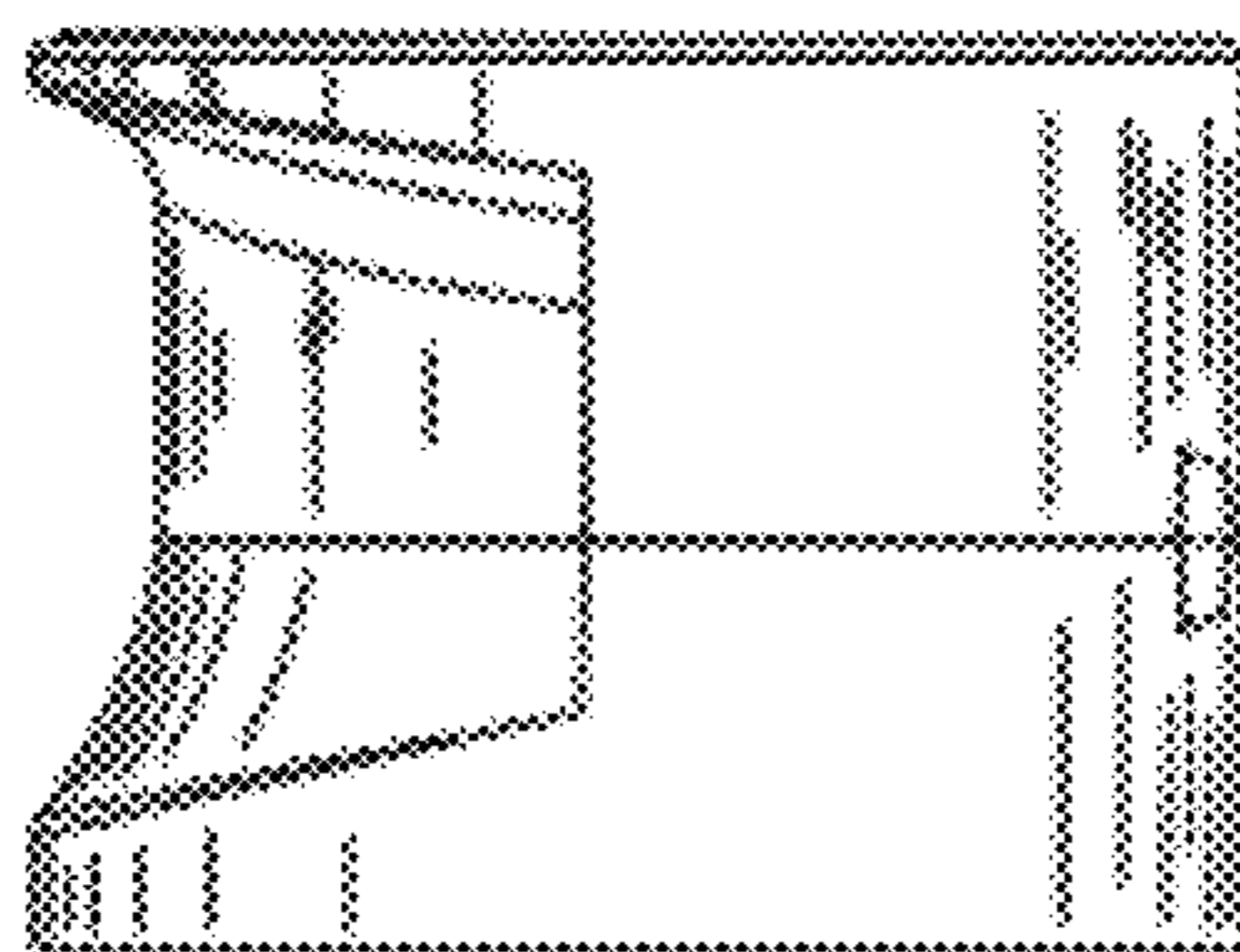


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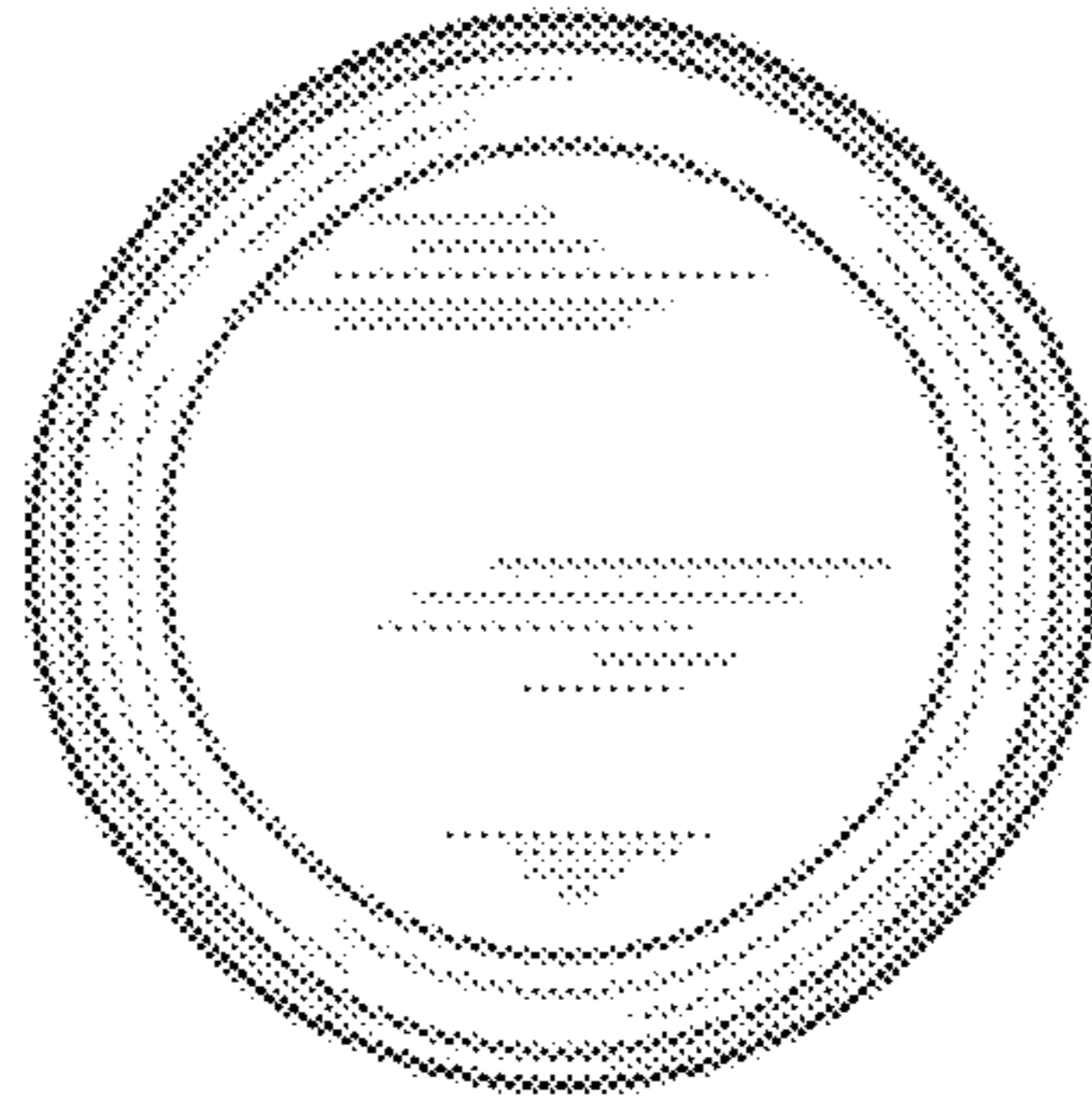


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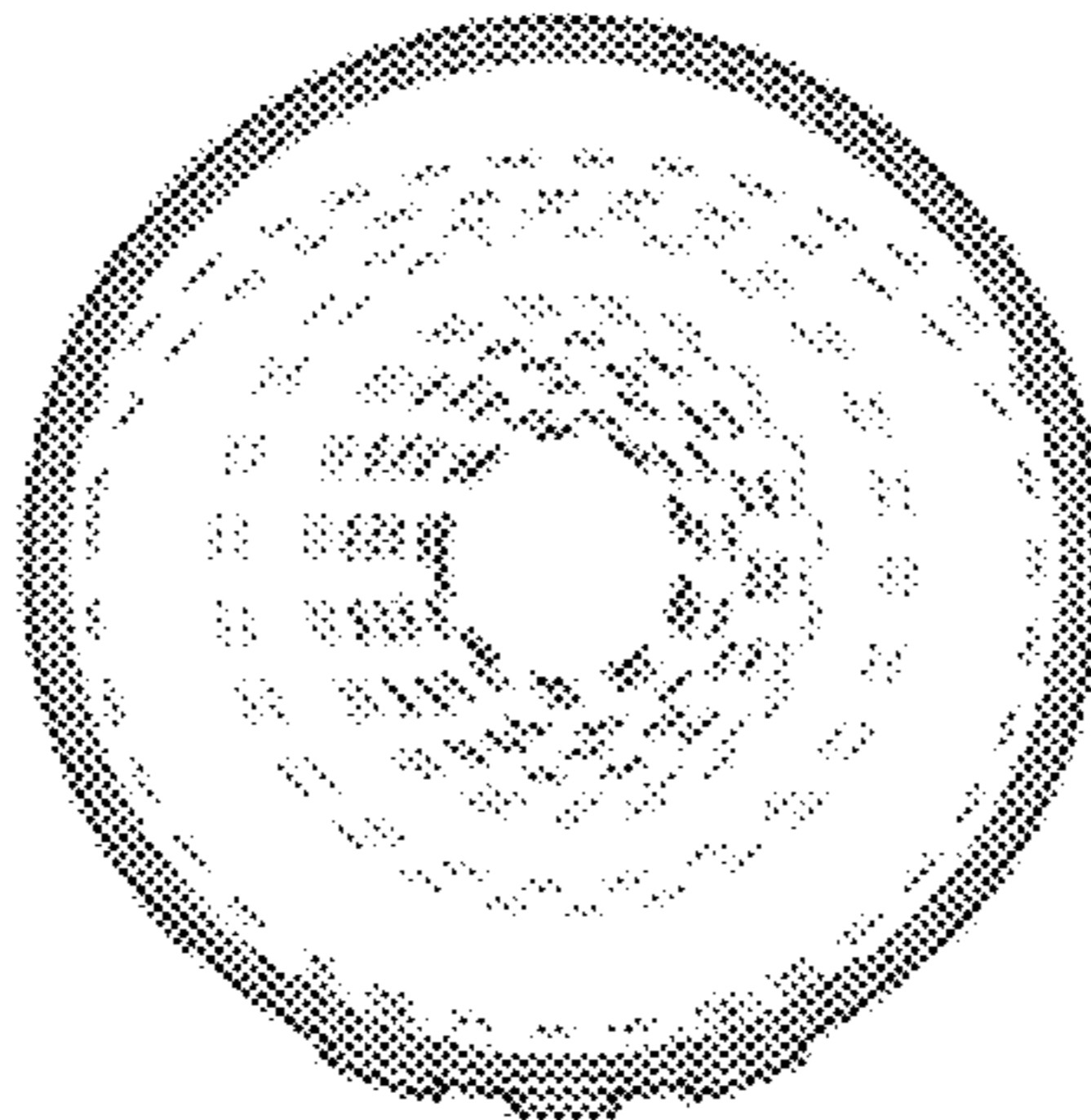


FIG. 8