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(57) **CLAIM**

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

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front, perspective view of a container showing a first embodiment of our new design;

FIG. 2 is a front view thereof; the rear view being identical to the front view;

FIG. 3 is a right side view thereof; the left side view being identical to the right side view;

FIG. 4 is a top view thereof; and

FIG. 5 is a bottom view thereof.

FIG. 6 is a front, perspective view of a container showing a second embodiment of our new design;

FIG. 7 is a front view thereof, the rear view being identical to the front view;

FIG. 8 is a right side view thereof; the left side view being identical to the right side view;

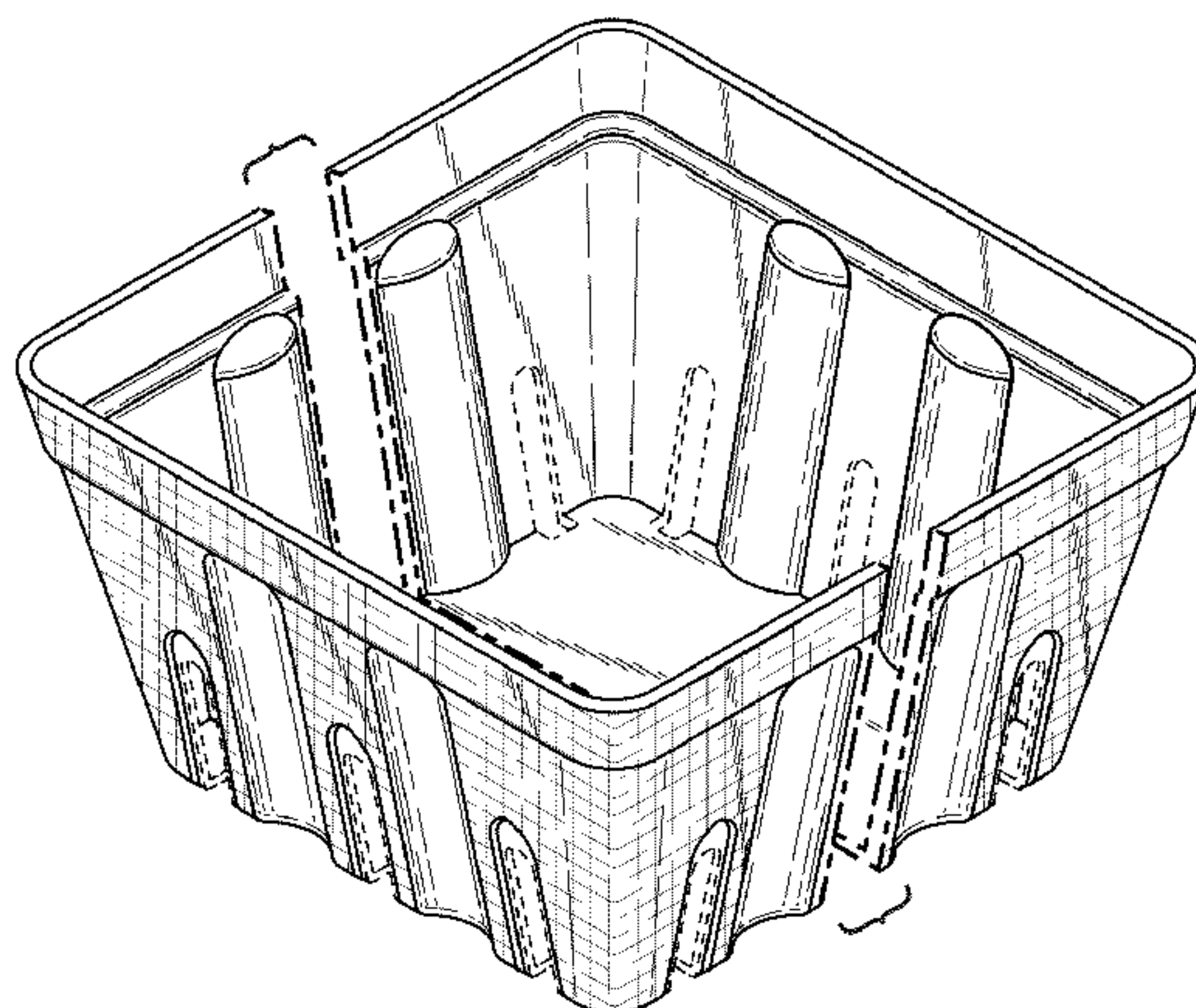
FIG. 9 is a top view thereof; and,

FIG. 10 is a bottom view thereof.

The features shown in broken lines depict environmental subject matter only and form no part of the claimed design. Bolded, long dash-short dash lines indicate the boundaries of the claimed subject matter and otherwise form no part of the claimed design.

The cross-lined pattern shown in FIGS. 1-3, 5-8 and 10 is for the purpose of illustrating a raised texture on the outer surfaces of the container.

1 Claim, 6 Drawing Sheets



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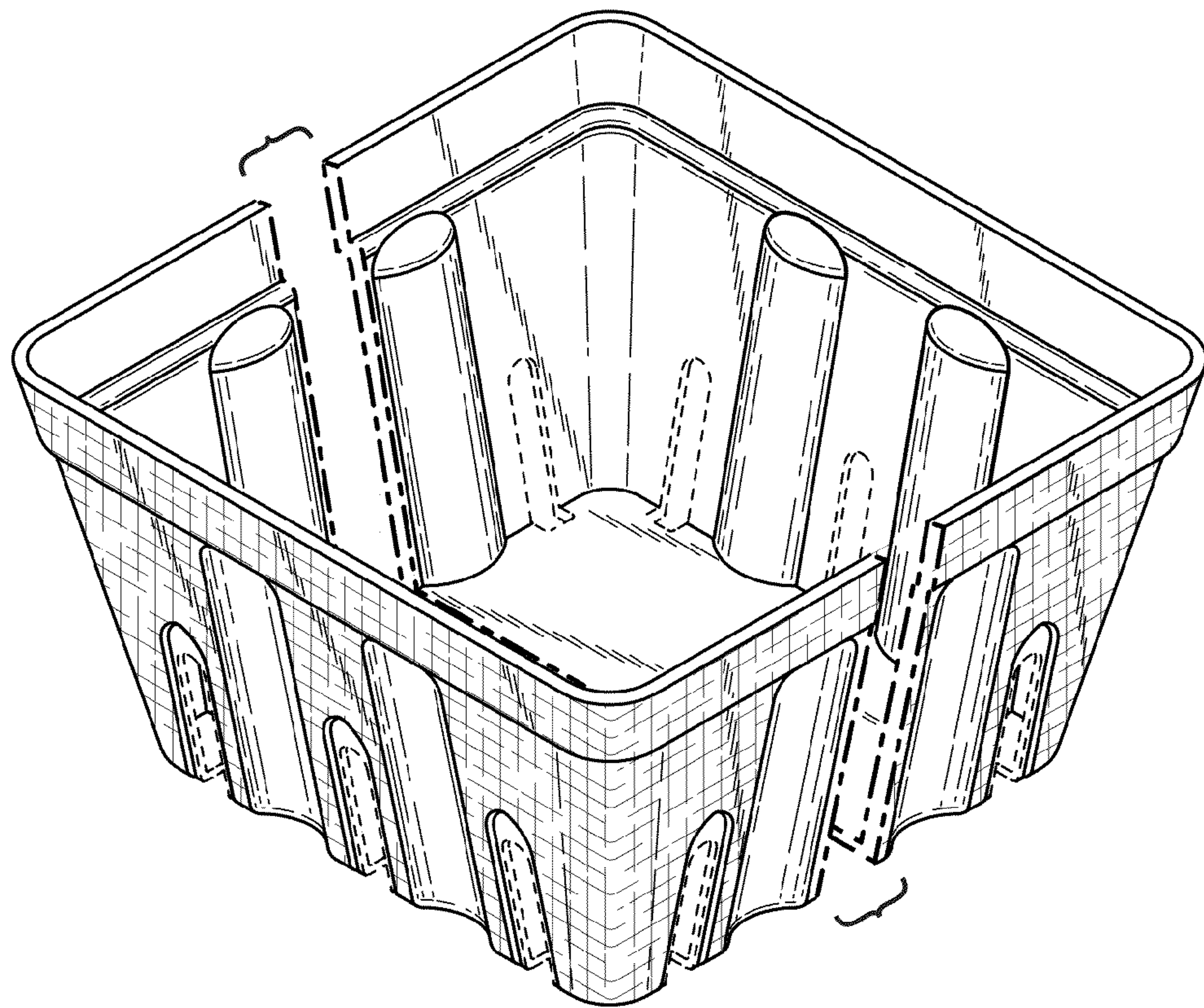


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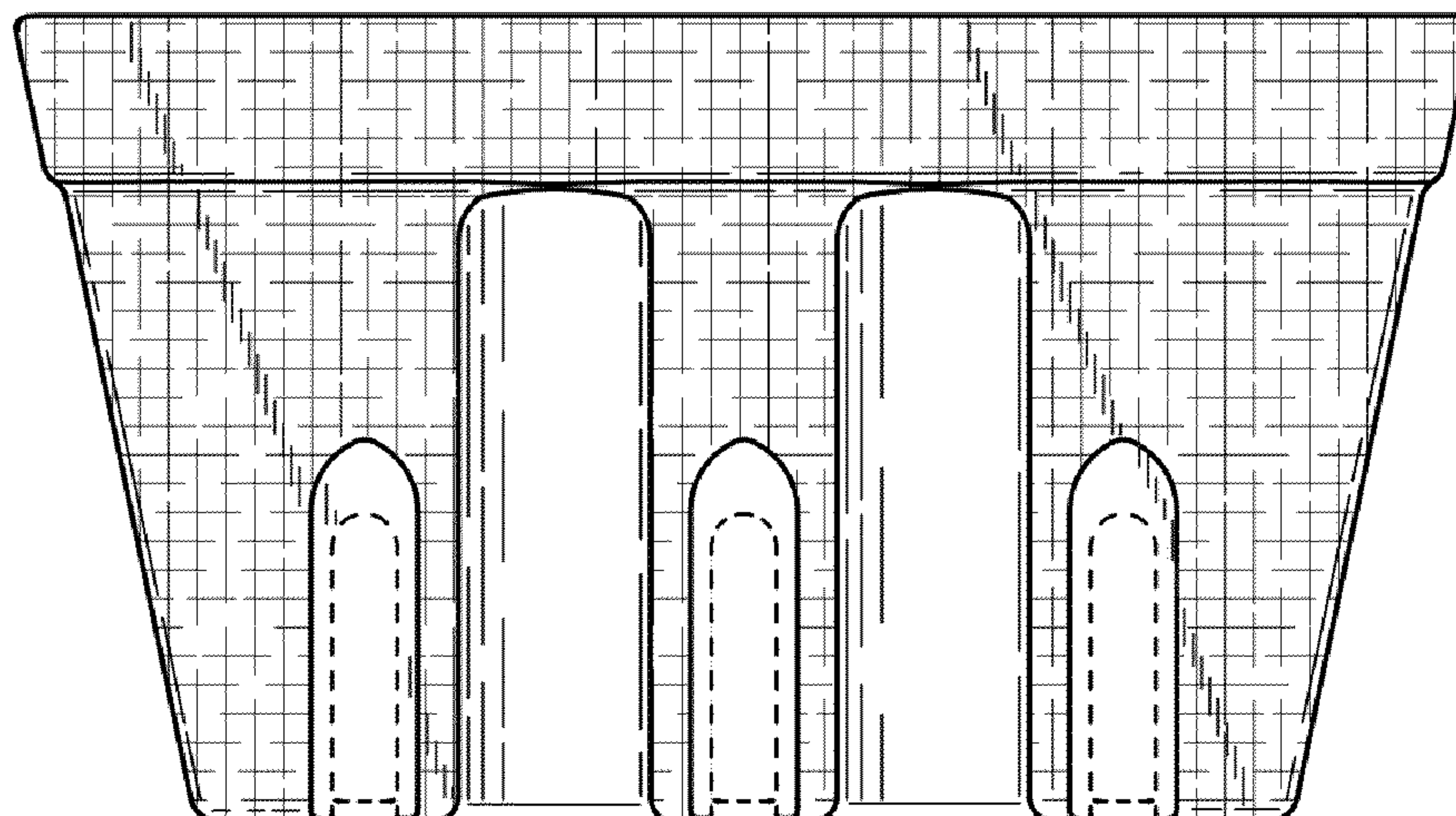


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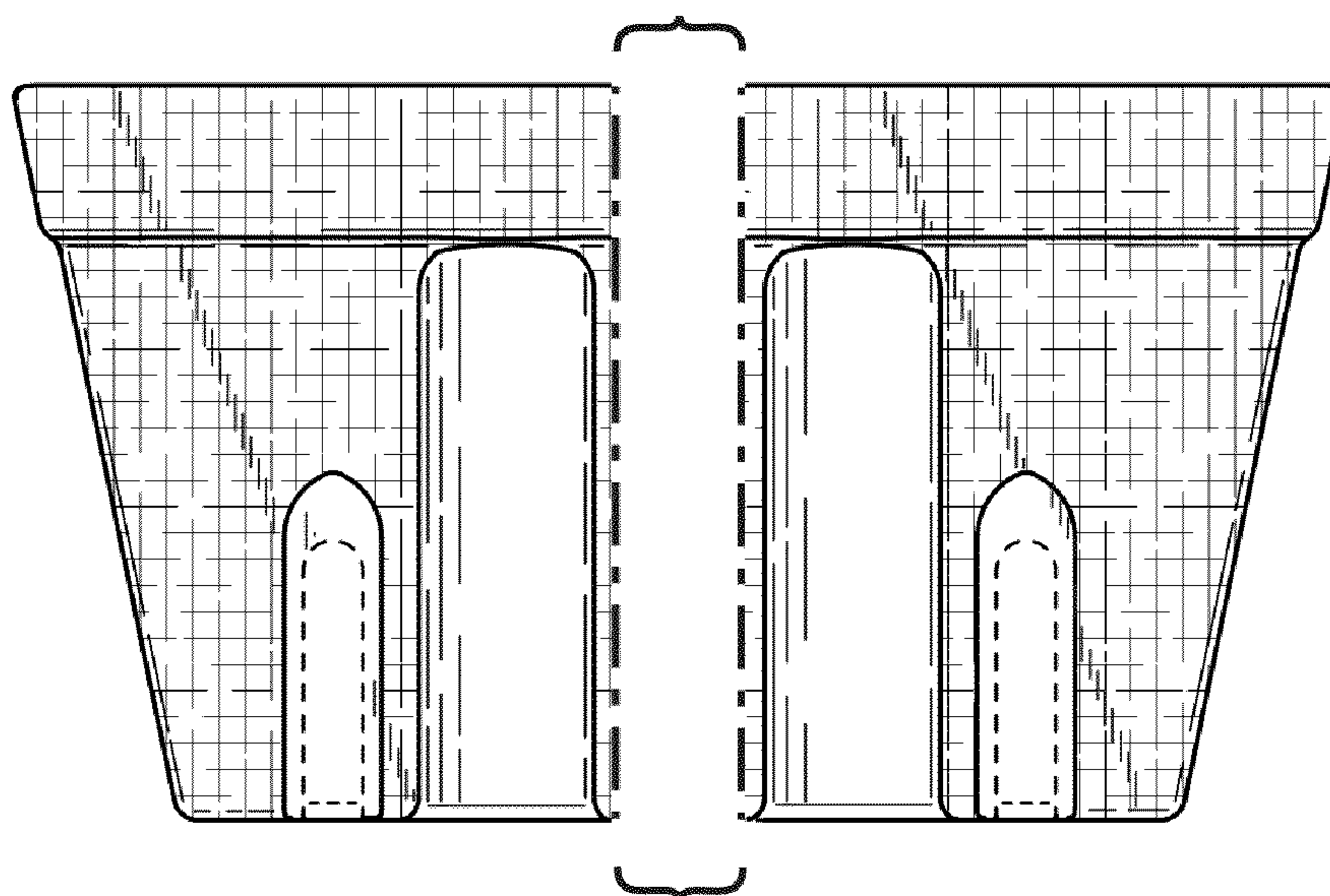


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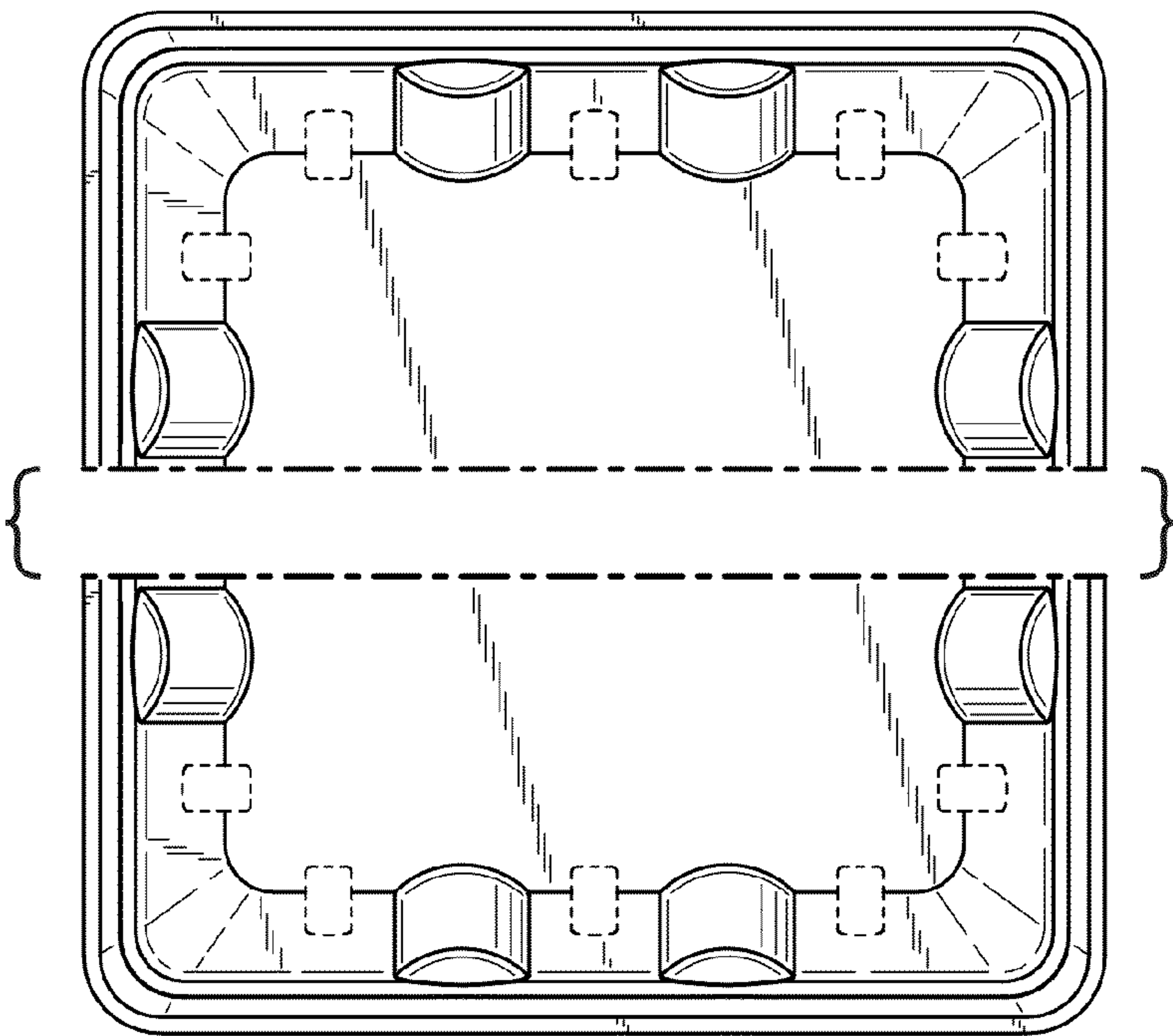


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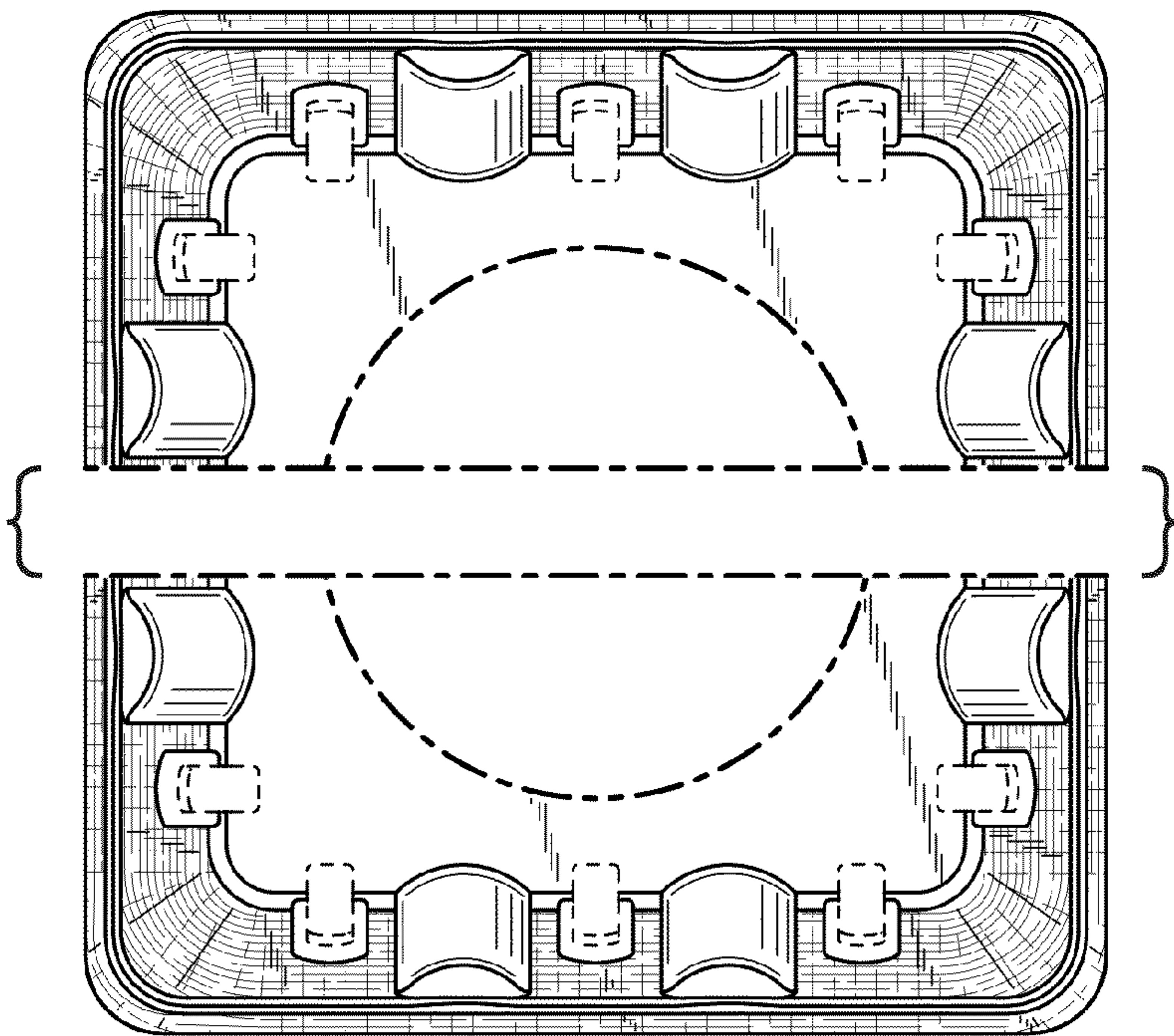


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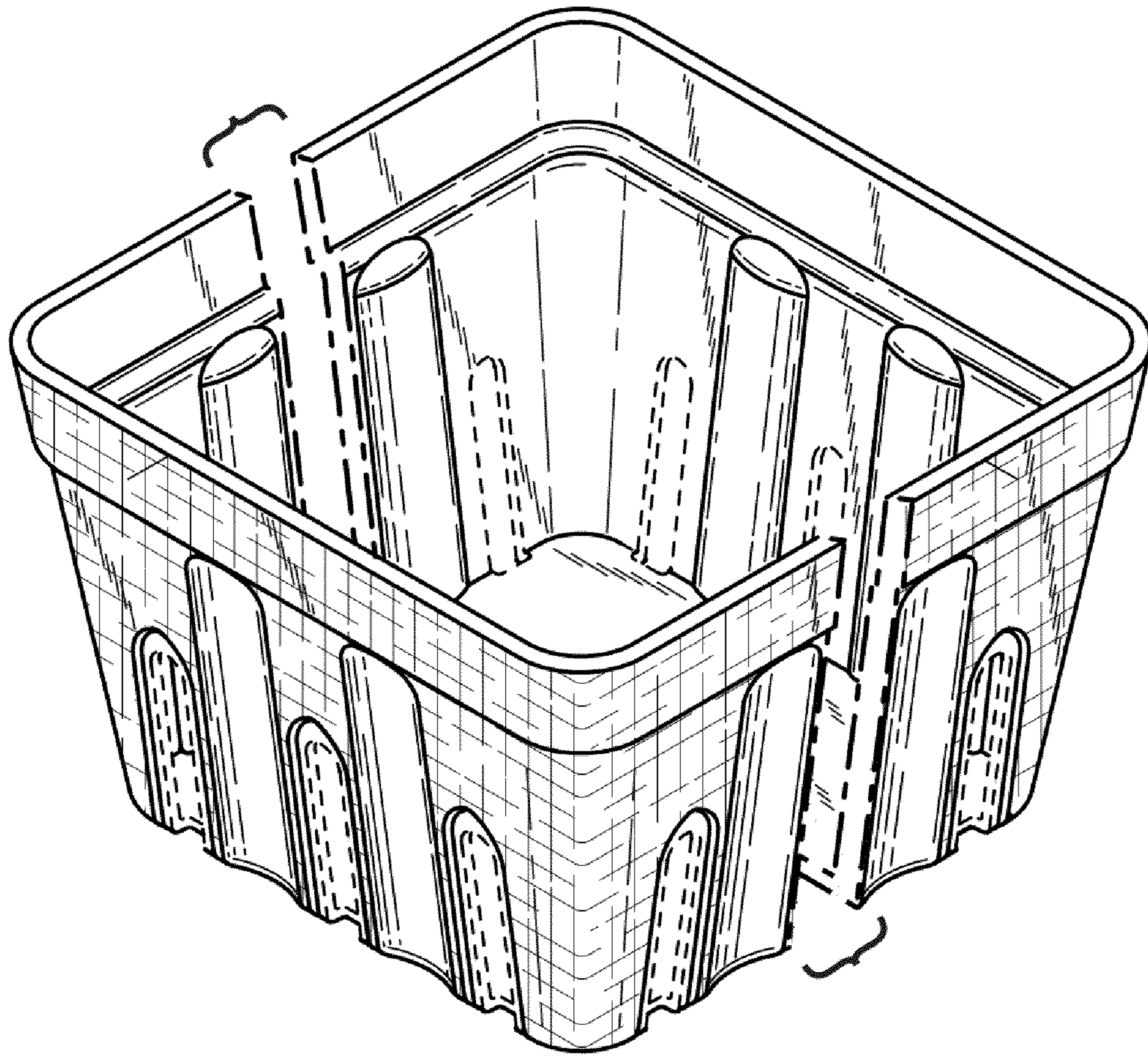


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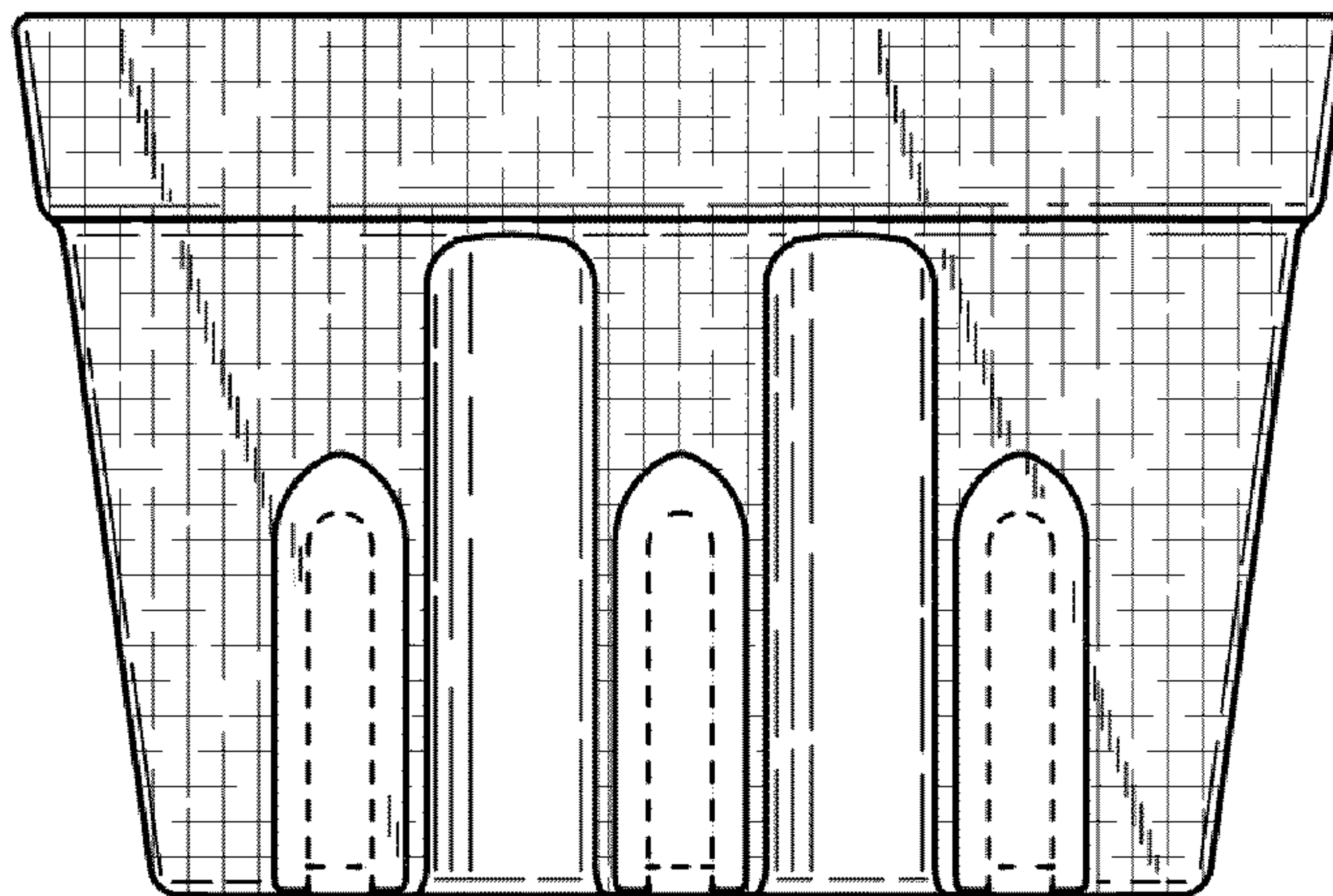


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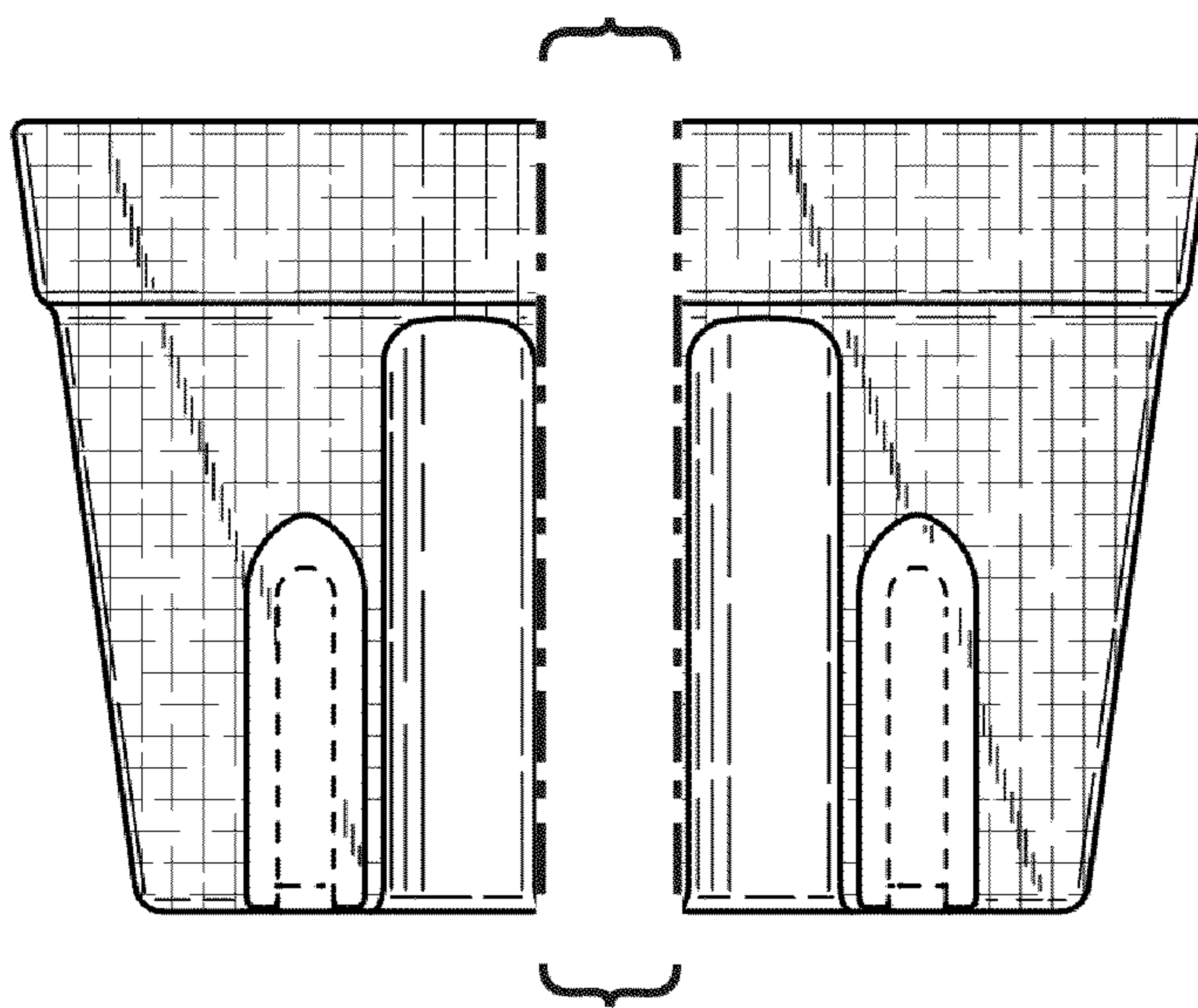


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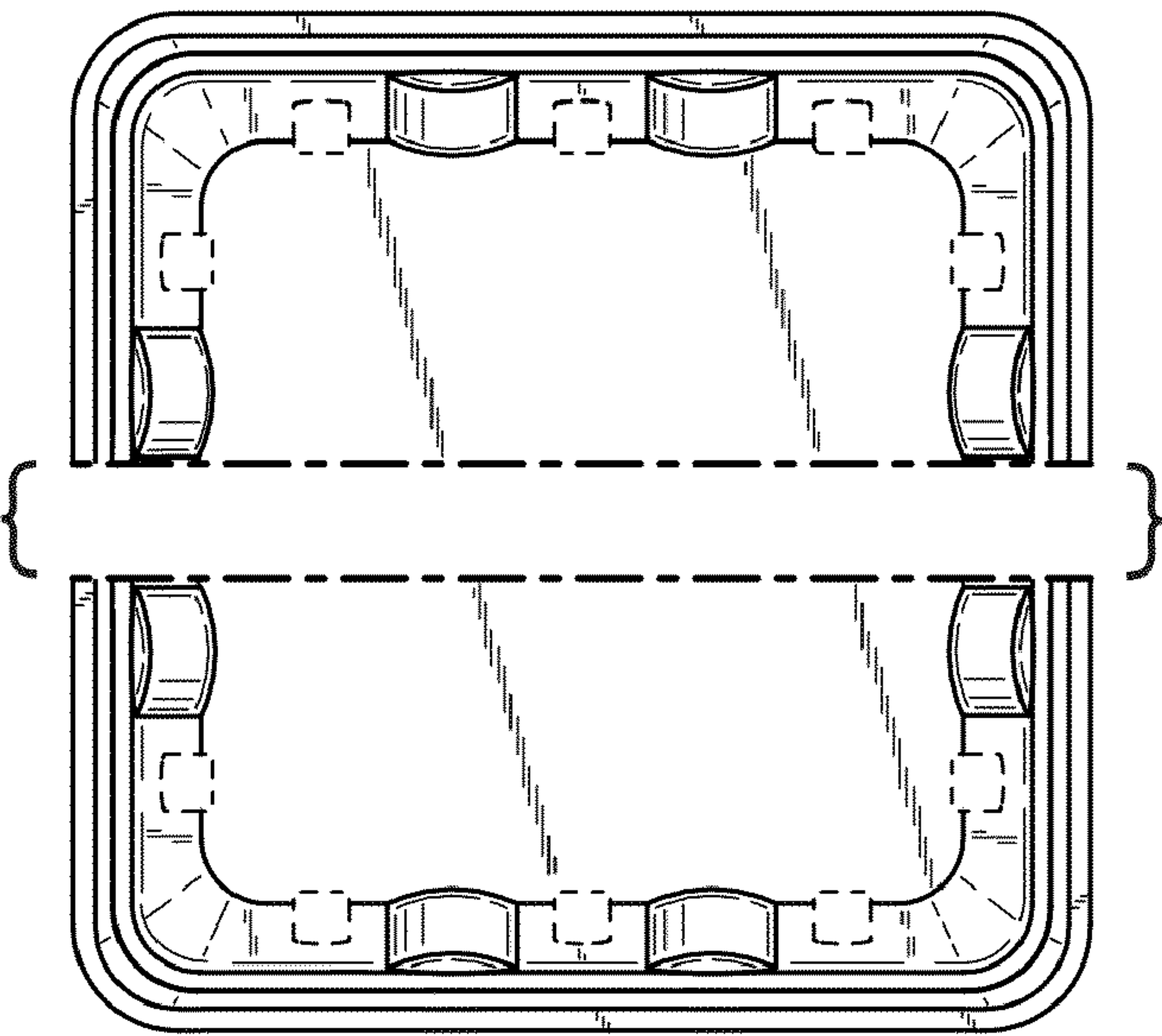


FIG. 9

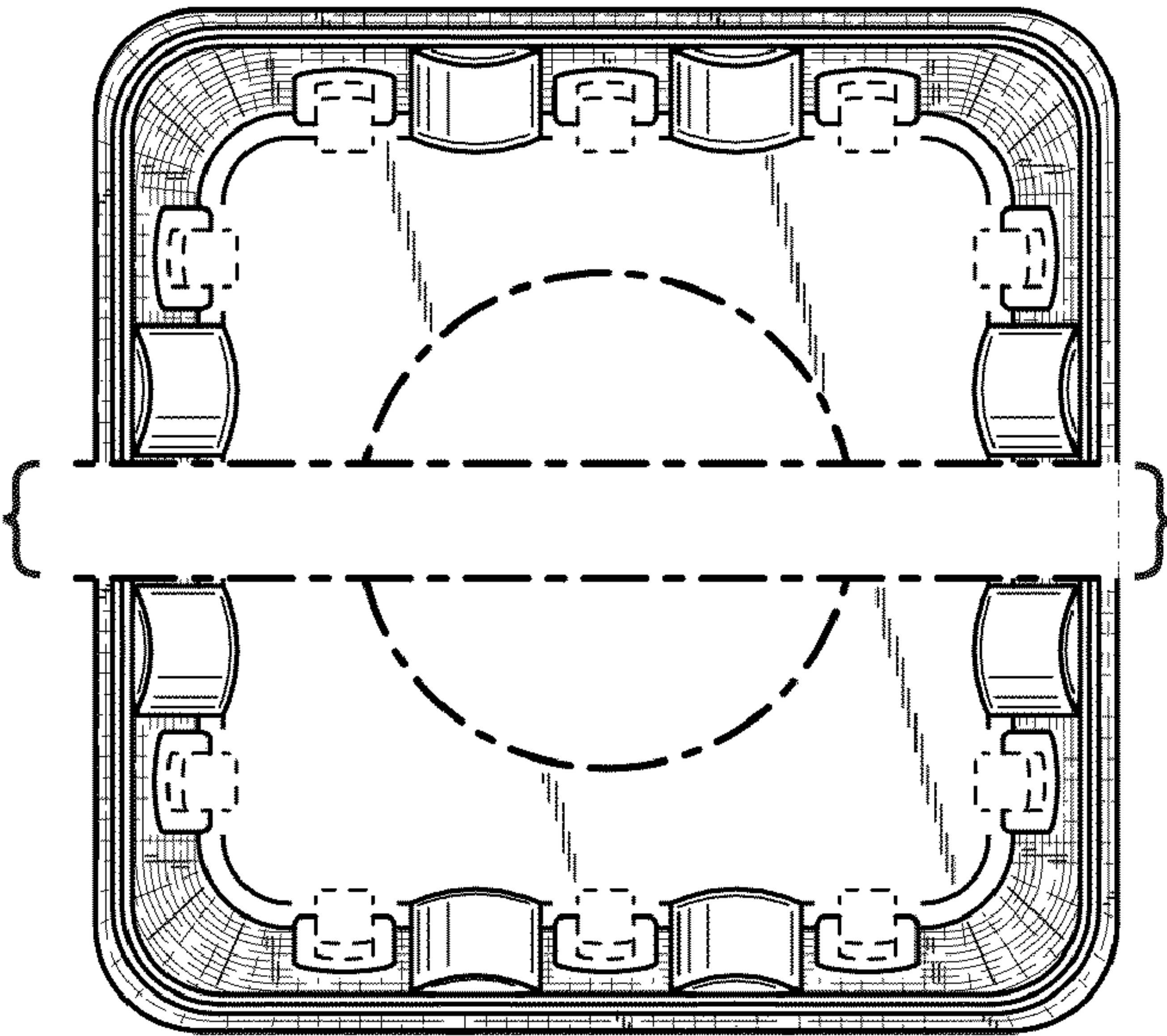


FIG. 10