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(54) **SANITARY TOWEL**

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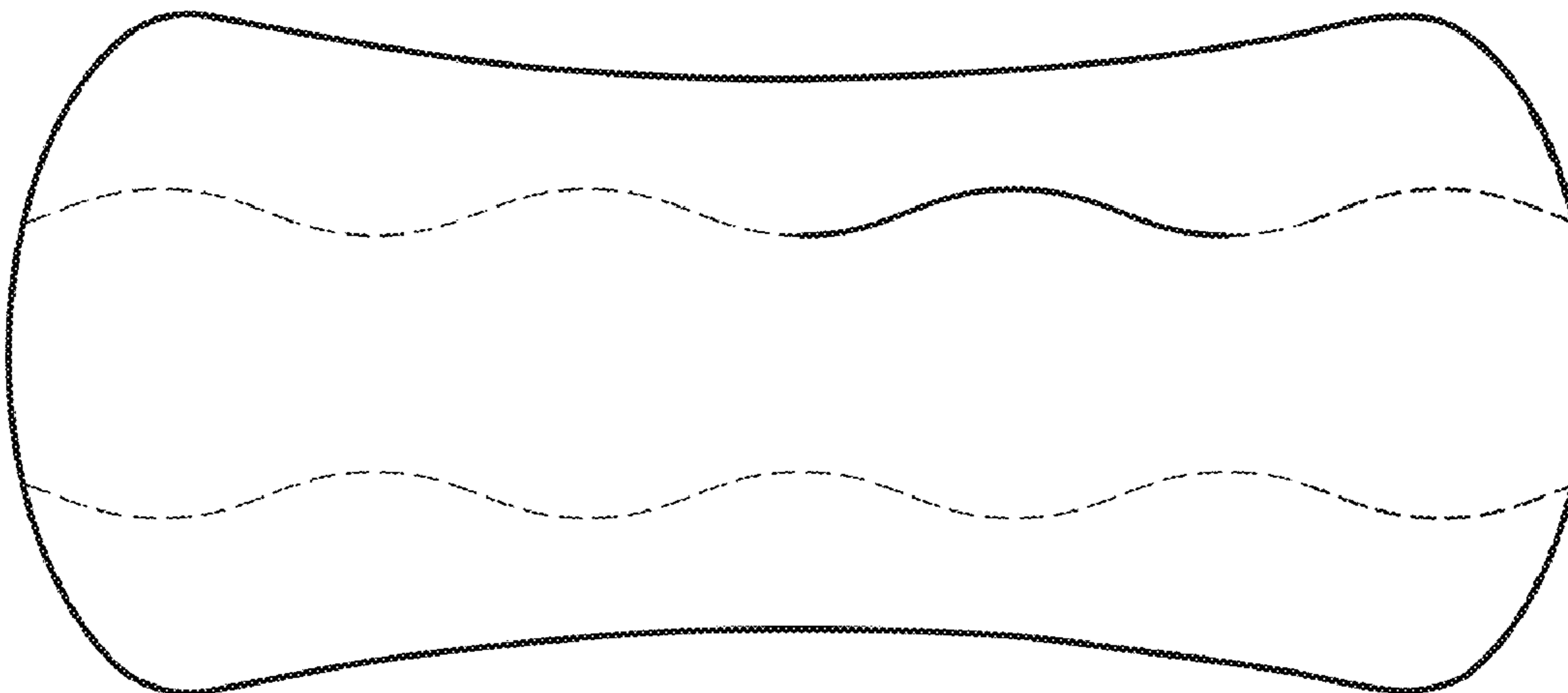
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(57) **CLAIM**
The ornamental design for a sanitary towel, as shown and
described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a top view of one embodiment of a sanitary towel;
and,
FIG. 2 is a perspective view of the embodiment of FIG. 1.
The broken lines shown in the drawings are for illustrative
purposes only; they indicate the boundaries of the claimed
design and form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 1 Drawing Sheet



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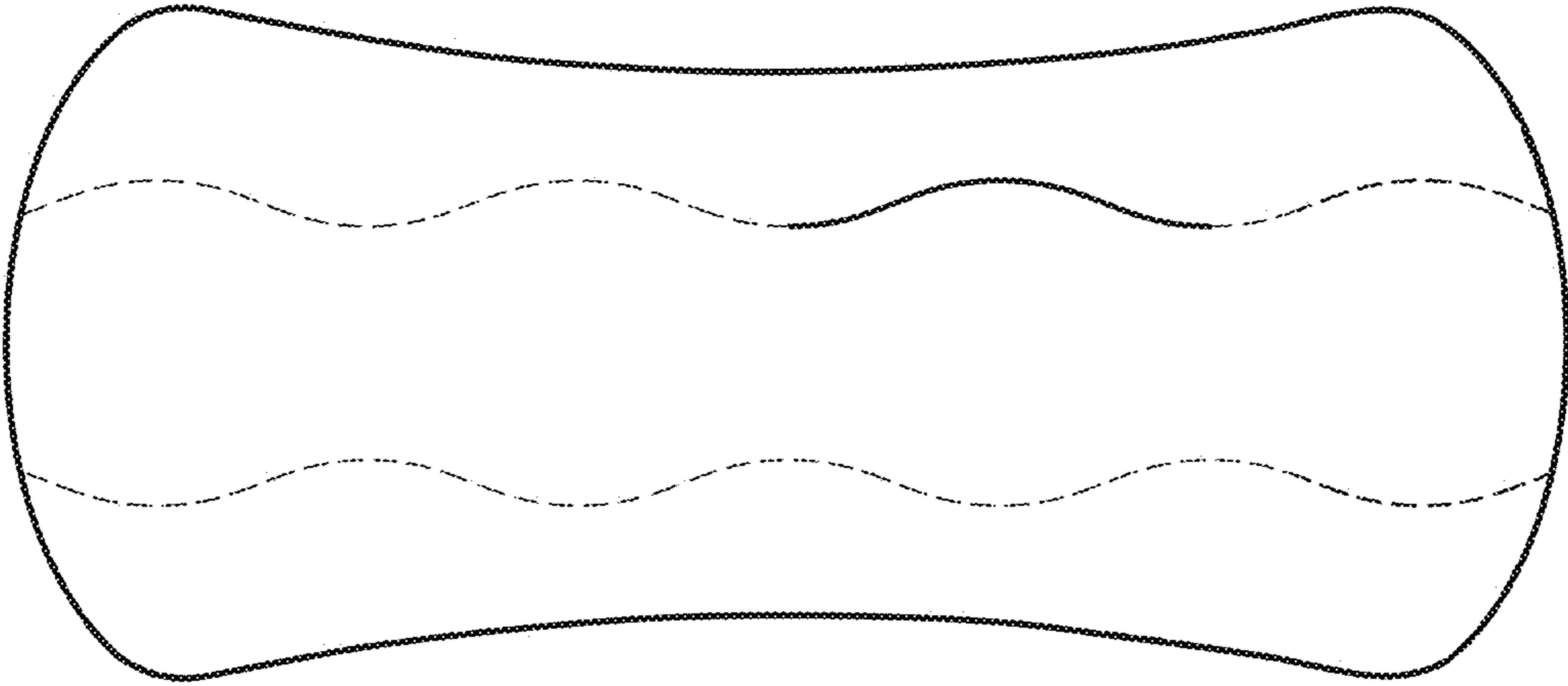


Fig. 1

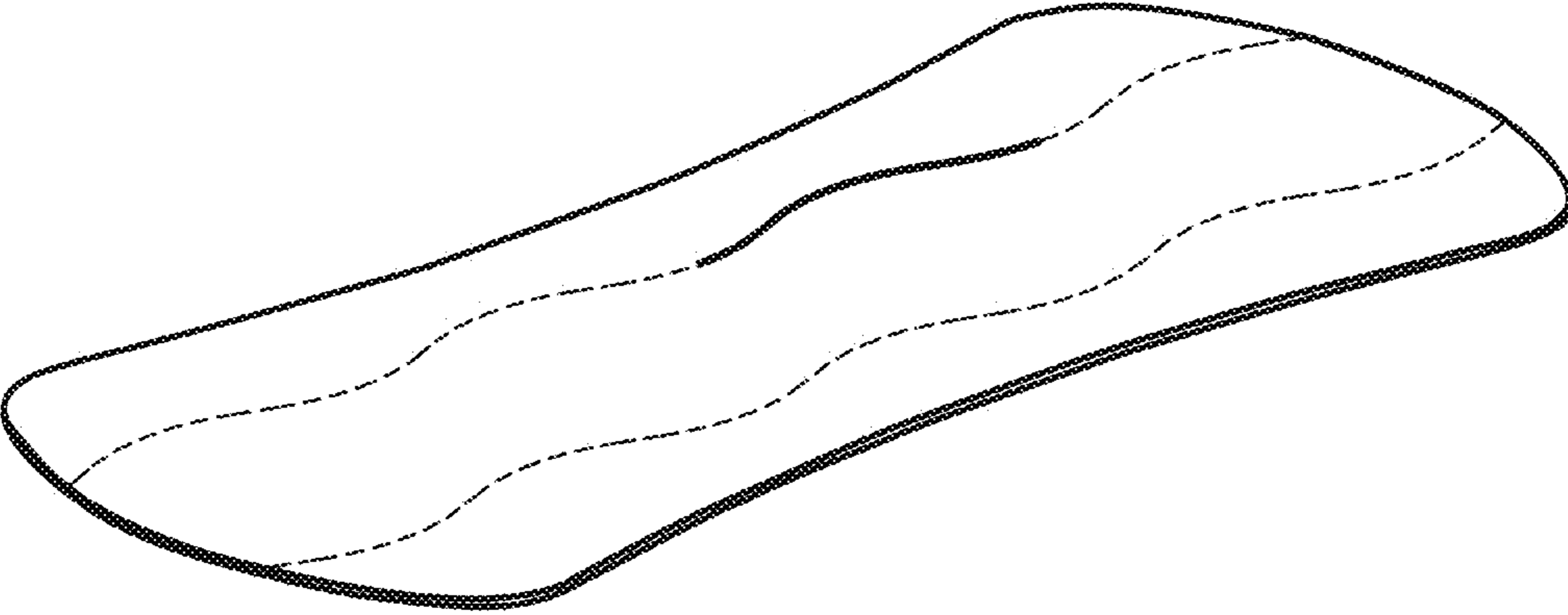


Fig. 2