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(54) **INSTRUMENT PANEL FOR AN  
AUTOMOBILE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for an instrument panel for an automobile, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of an instrument panel for an automobile showing our new design;  
FIG. 2 is a front view thereof;  
FIG. 3 is a rear view thereof;  
FIG. 4 is a top view thereof;  
FIG. 5 is a bottom view thereof;  
FIG. 6 is a right side view thereof; and,  
FIG. 7 is a left side view thereof.

**1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets**



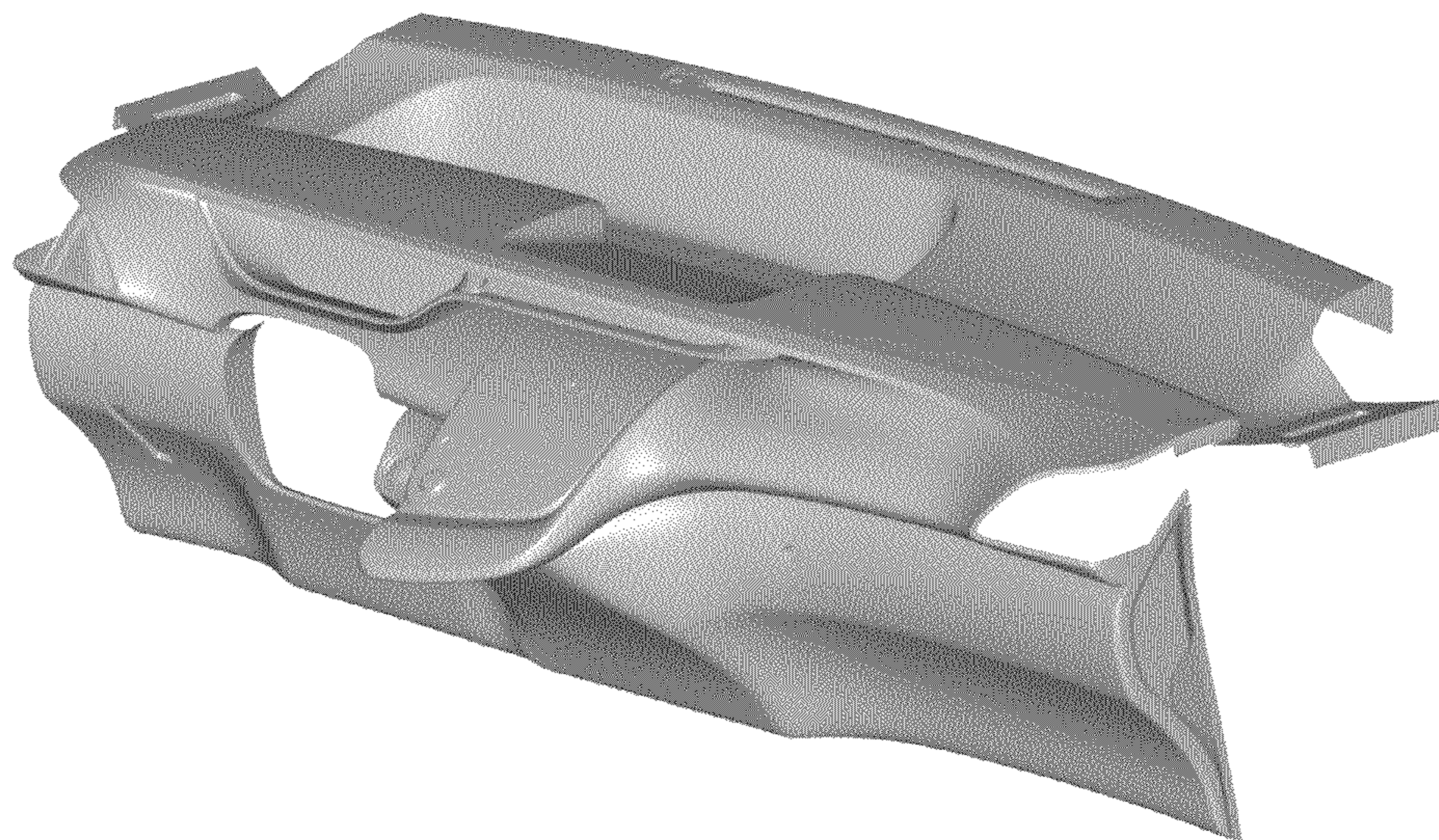


FIG. 1

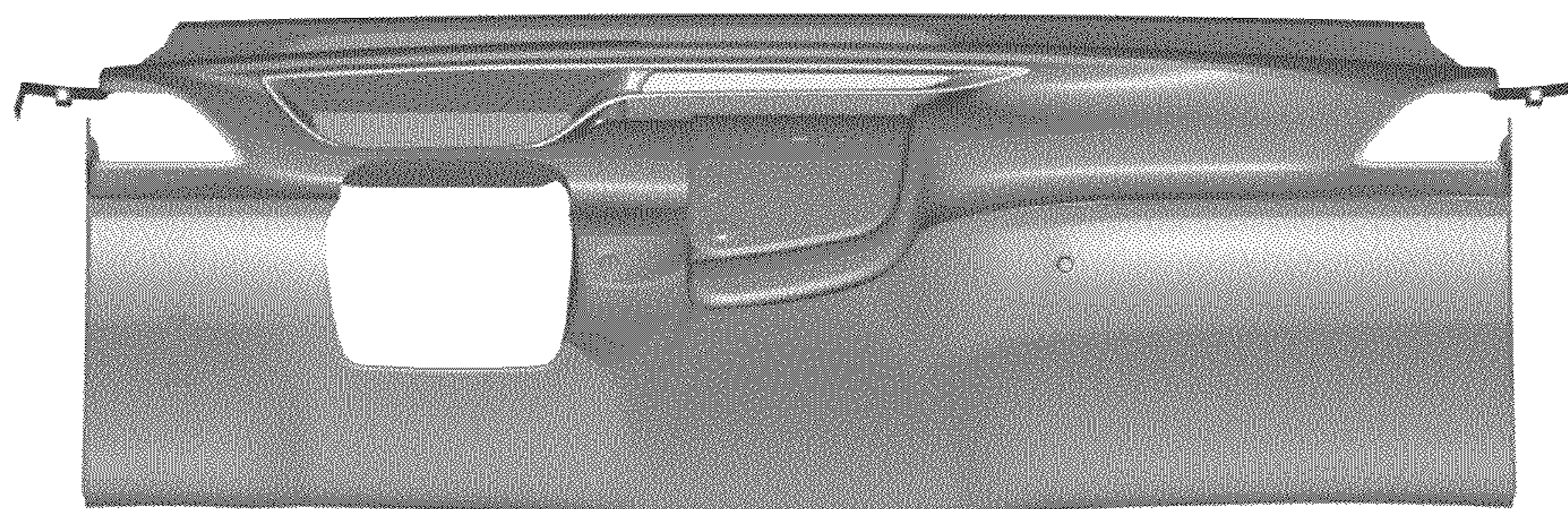


FIG. 2

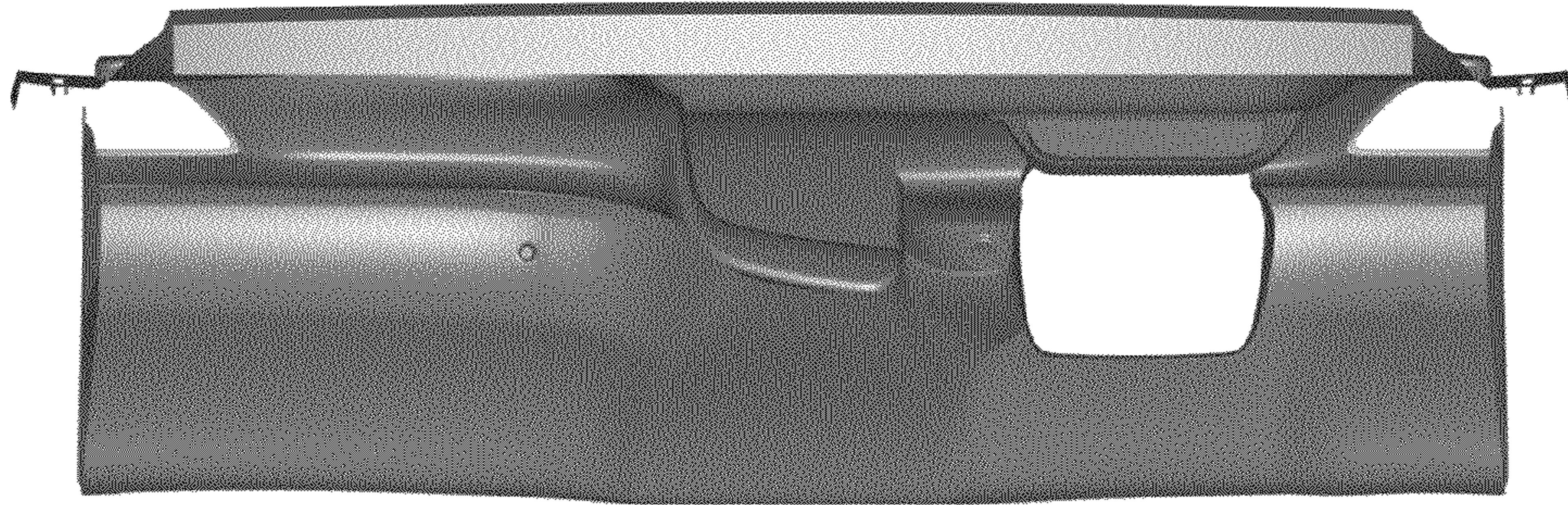


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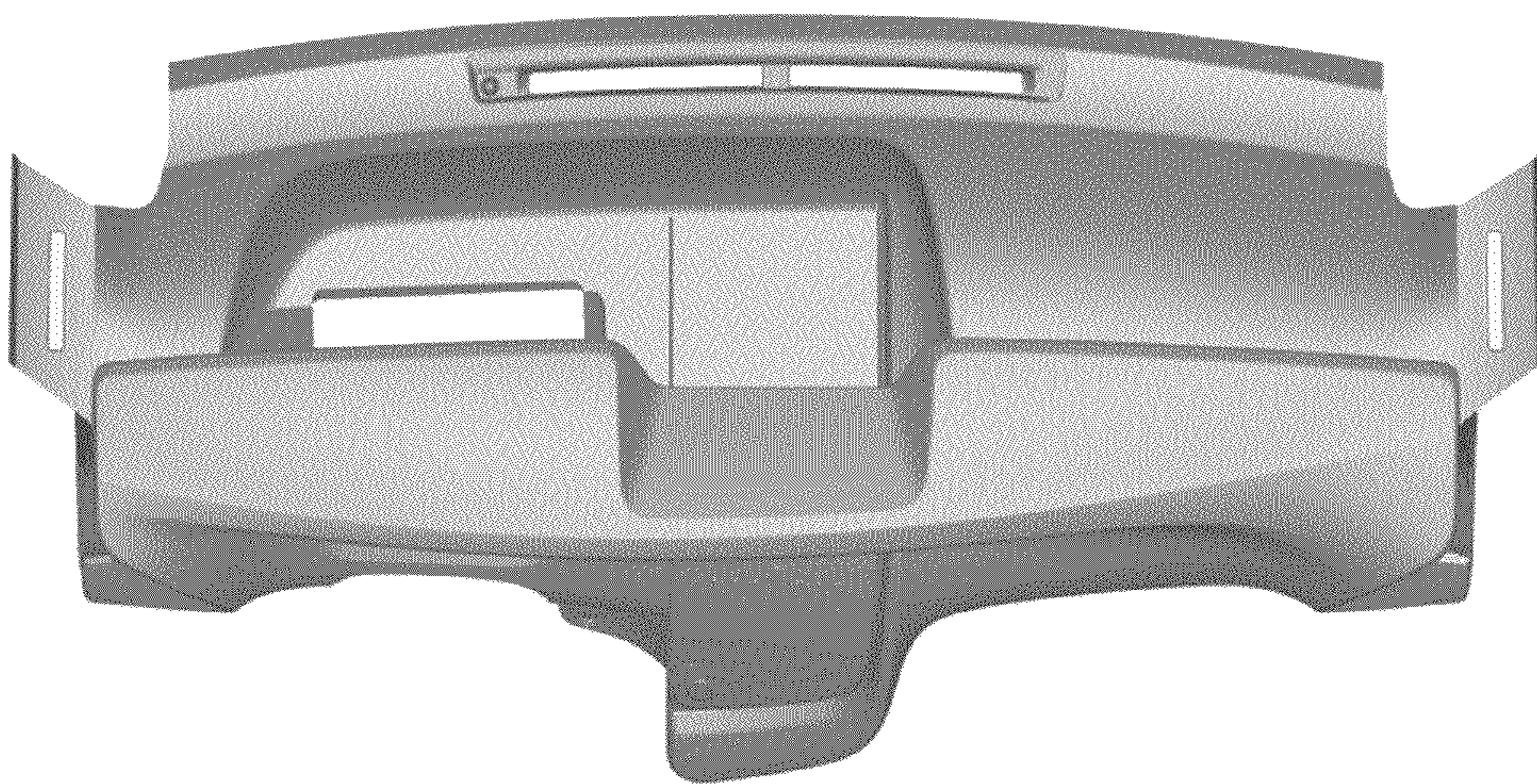


FIG. 4

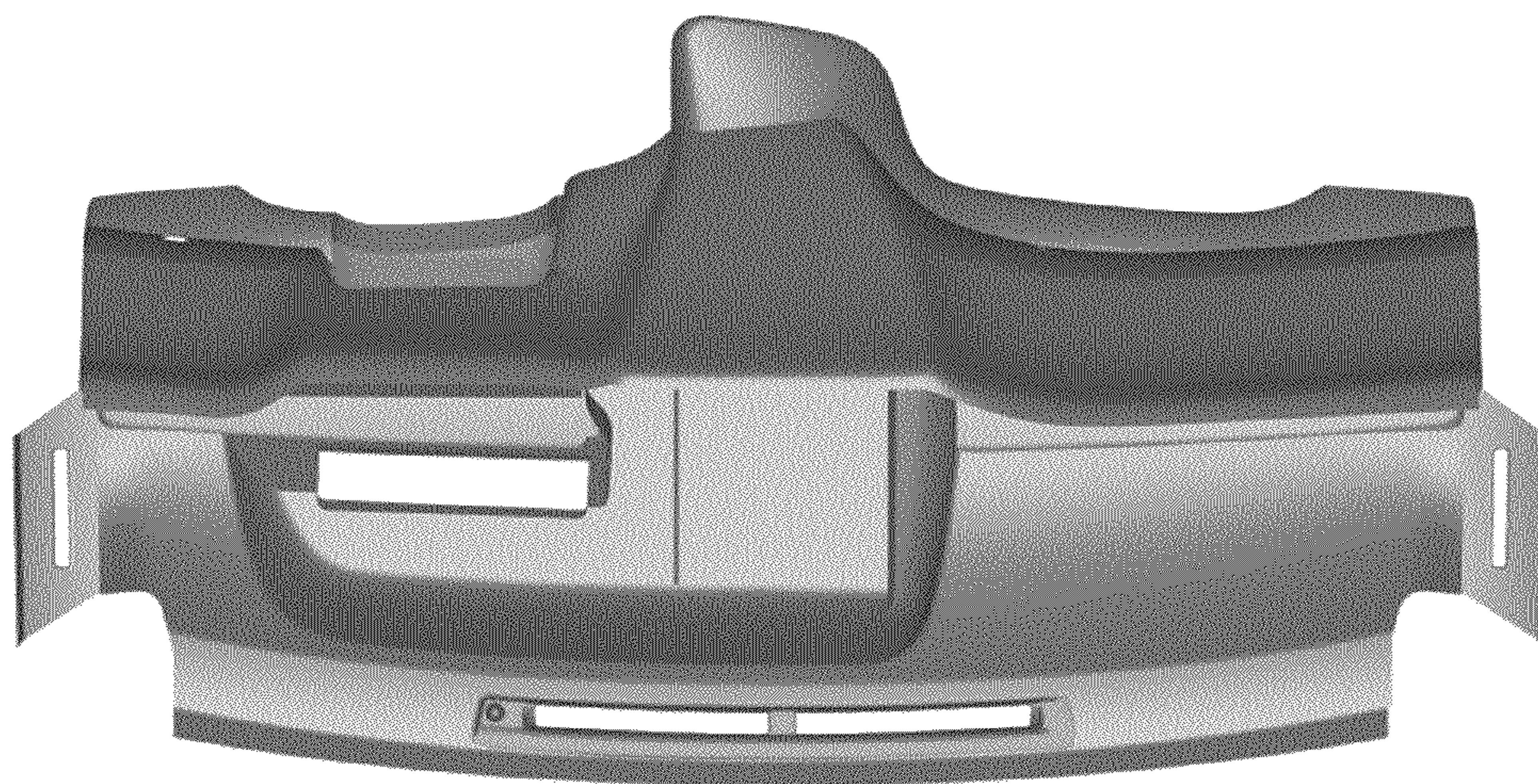


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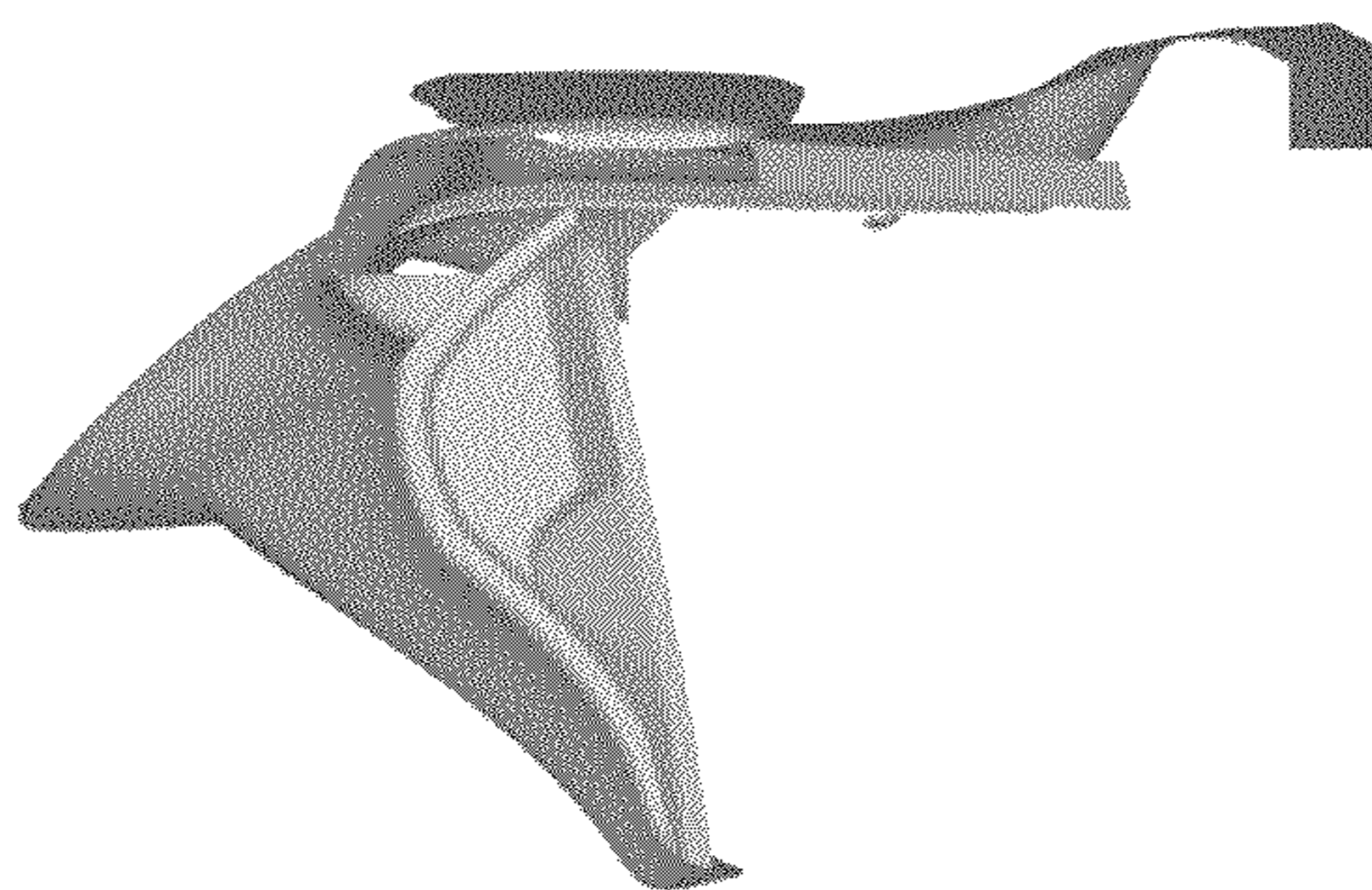


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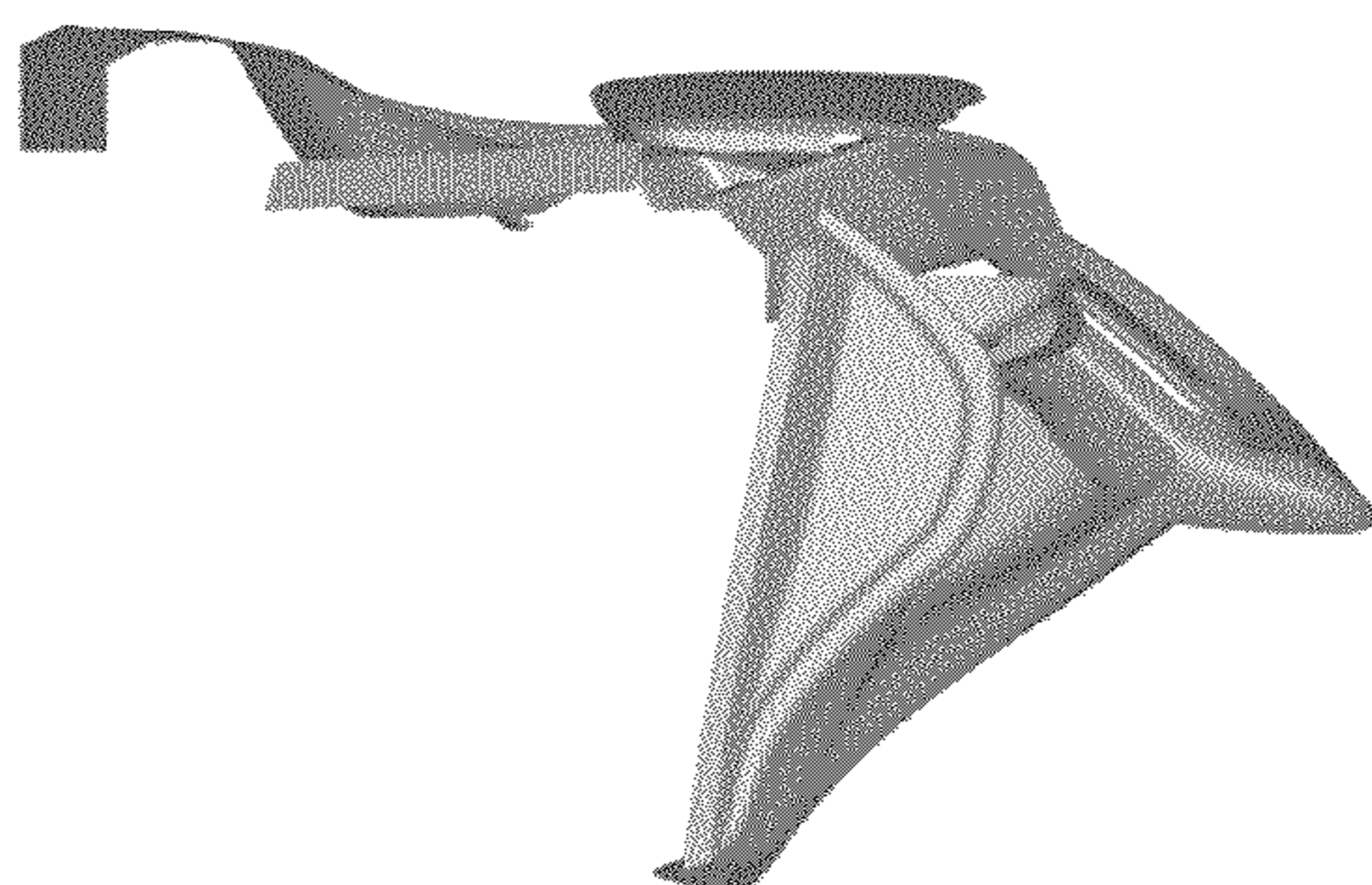


FIG. 7