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The ornamental design for a steering wheel for an automobile, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a steering wheel for an automobile showing our new design;

FIG. 2 is a front view thereof;

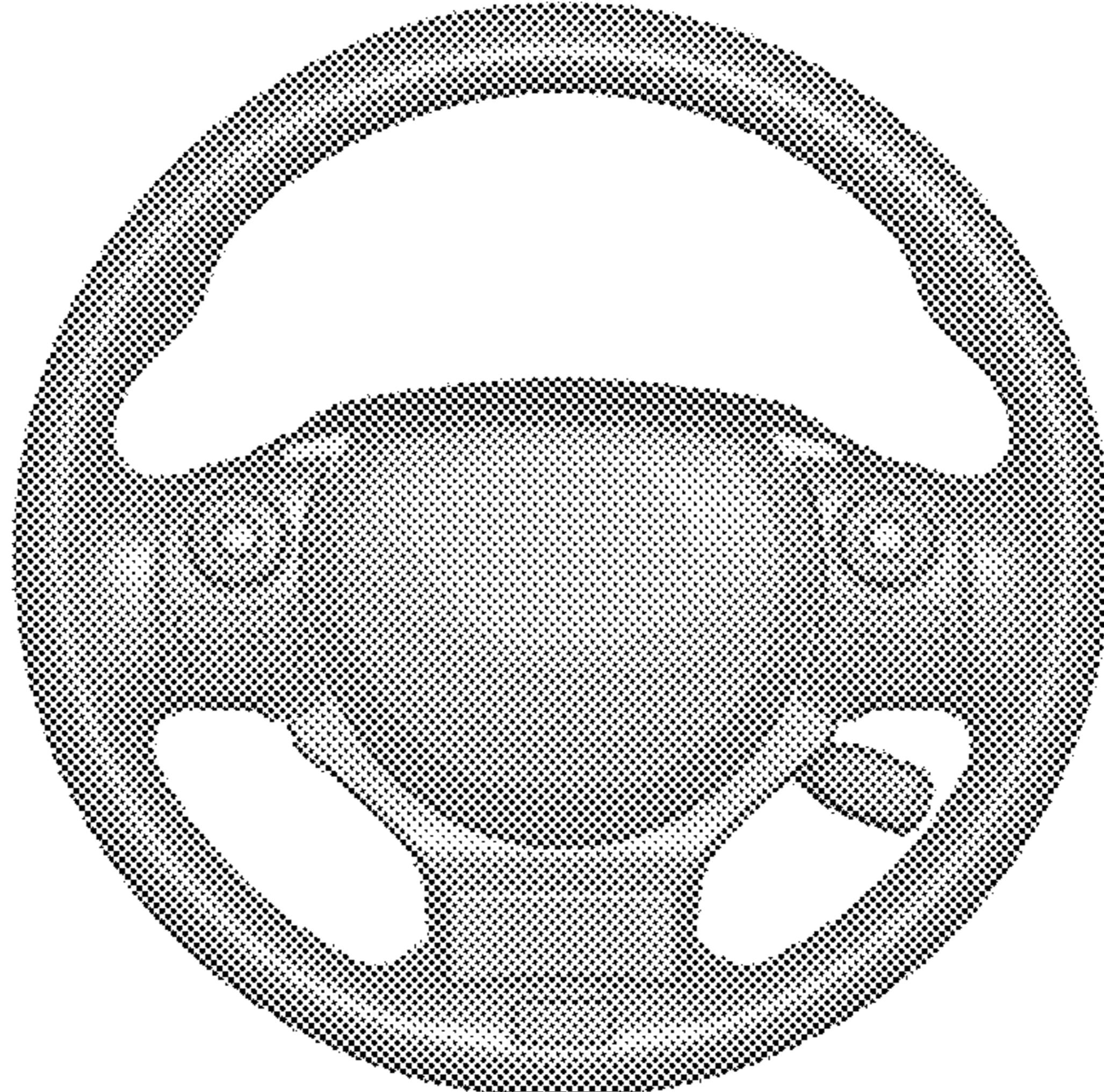
FIG. 3 is a rear view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a left side elevation view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a right side elevation view thereof;

FIG. 6 is a top plan view thereof; and,

FIG. 7 is a bottom view thereof.

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FIG. 1



FIG. 2

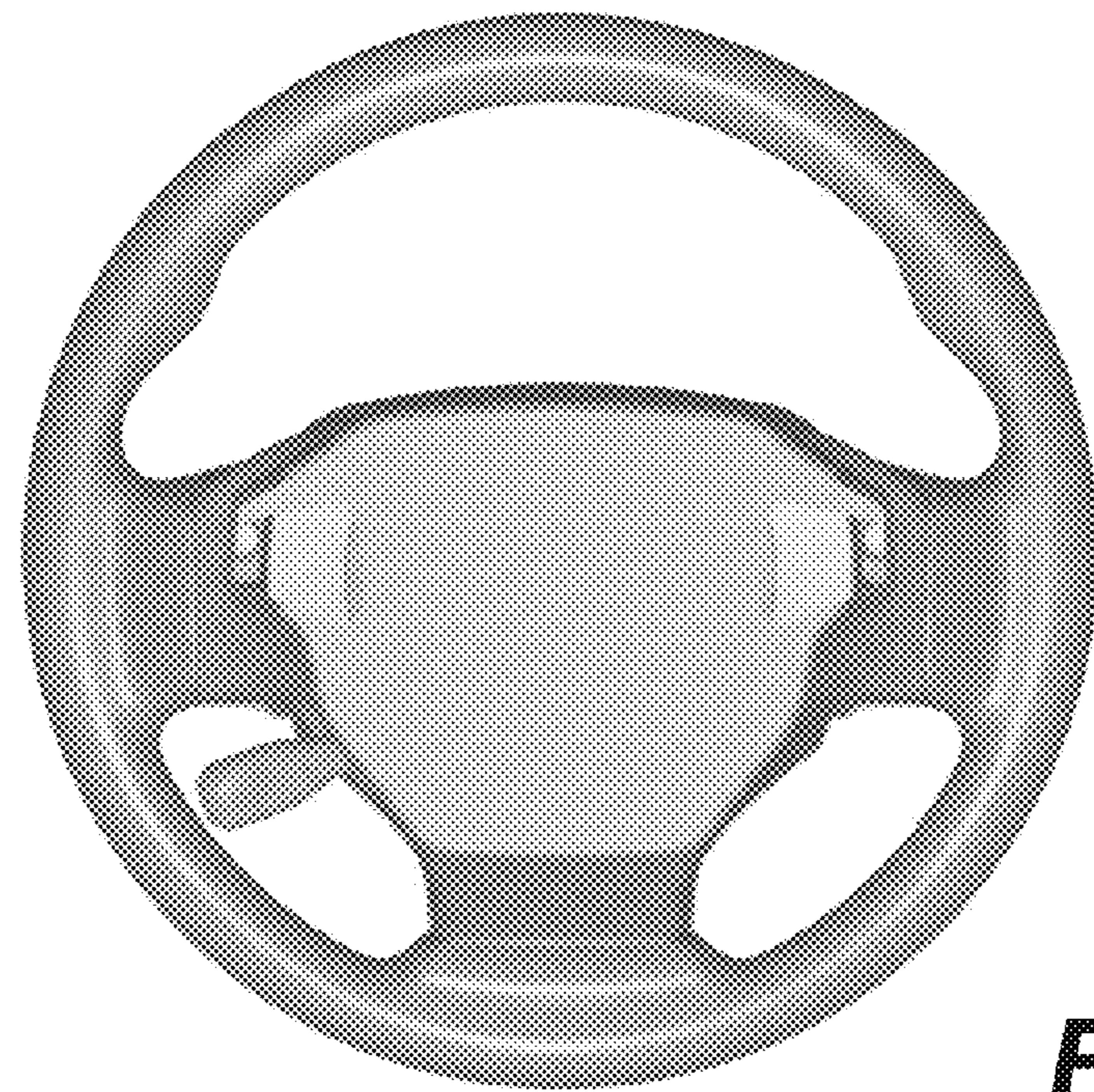


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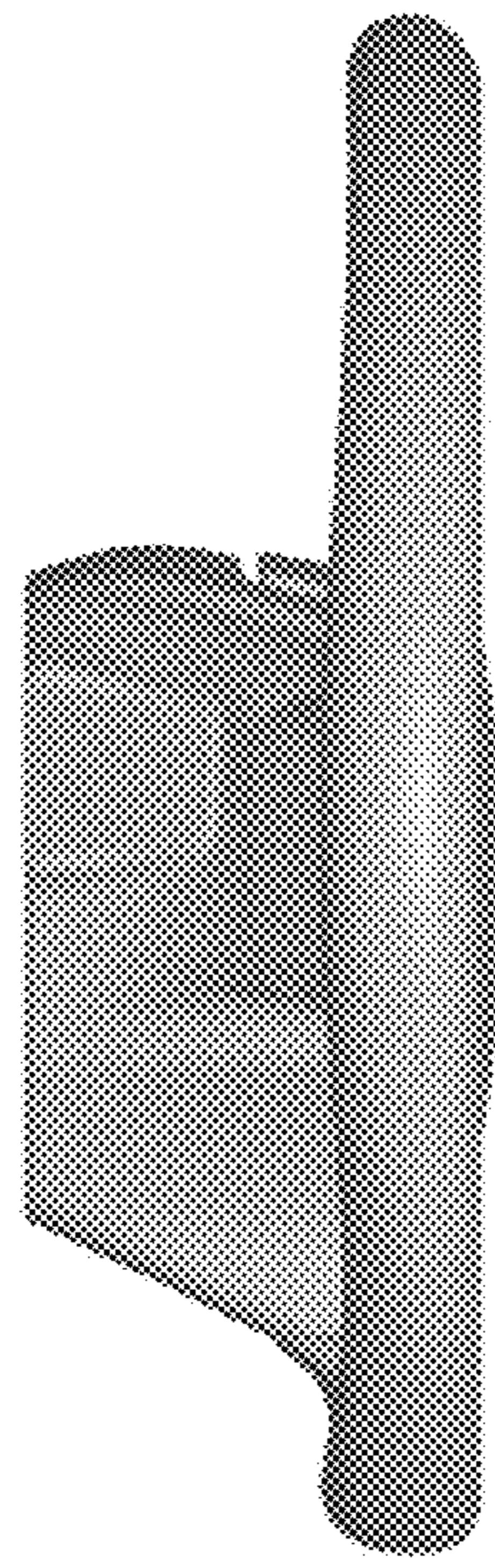


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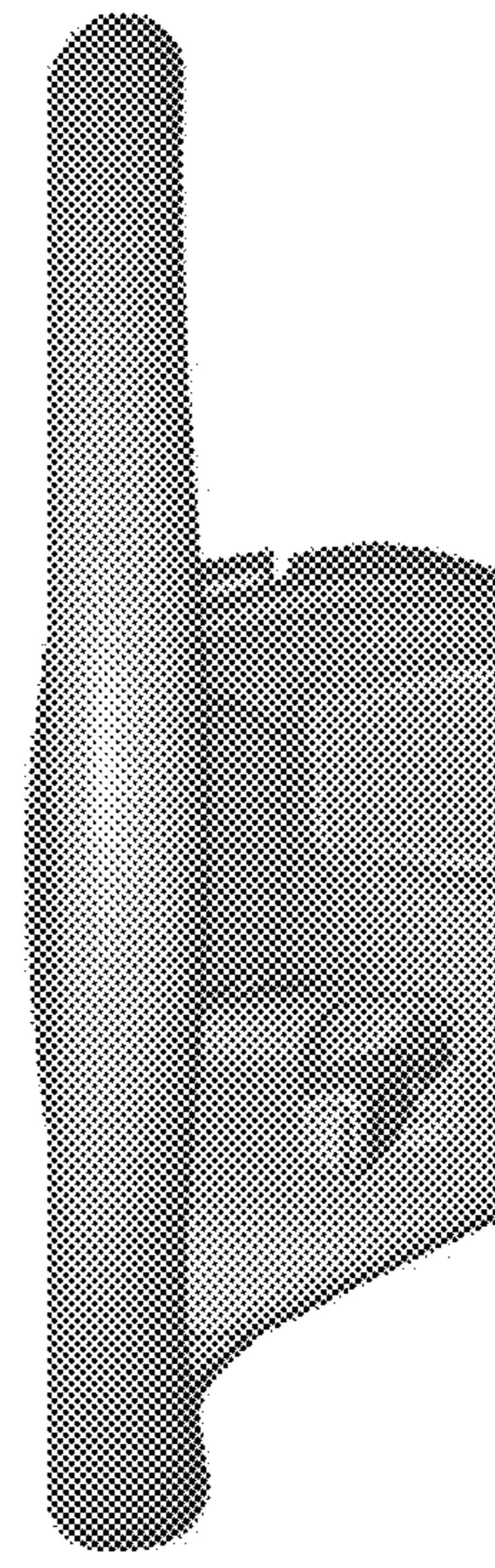


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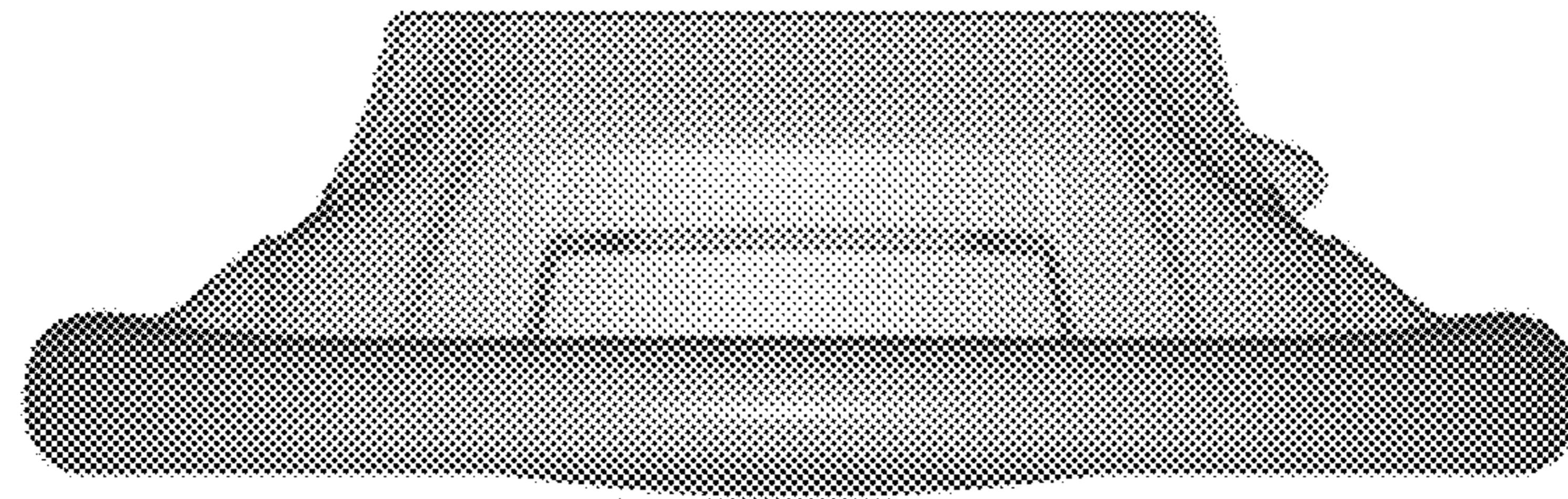


FIG. 6

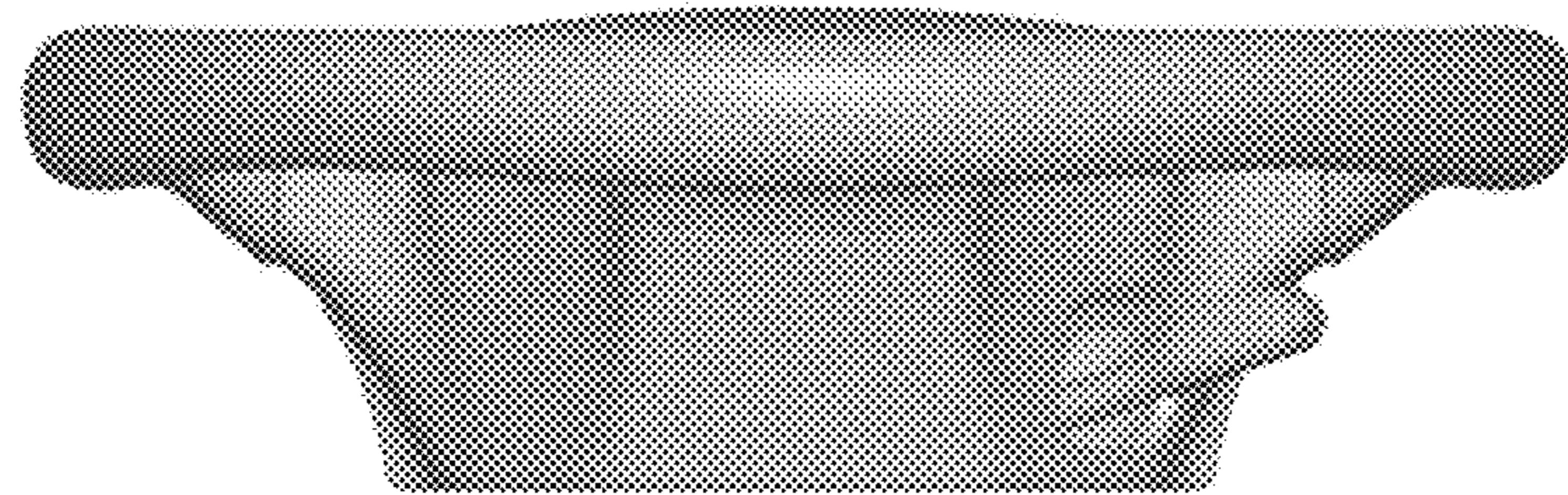


FIG. 7