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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for an aquatic conservation cage, as shown and described.

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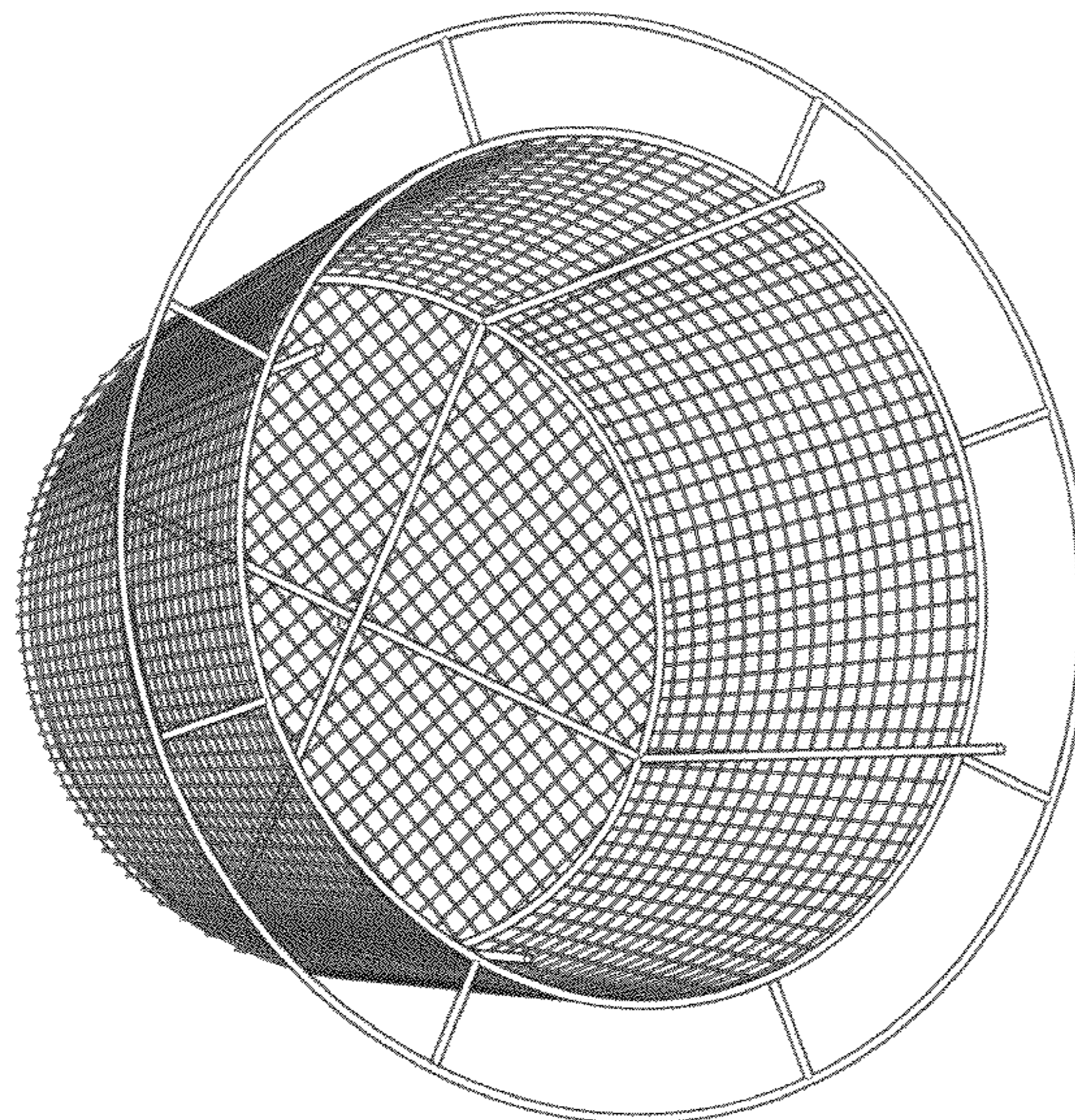
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DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of an aquatic conservation cage showing the new design; and
FIG. 2 is a right side elevation, which is a mirror image of the left side view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a top planar view thereof; and,
FIG. 4 is a bottom view.

The aquatic conservation cage is an apparatus for the temporary protection of newly planted submerged aquatic vegetation. Typically this vegetation is vulnerable to a variety of aquatic animals including manatees, turtles, and fish. The aquatic conservation cage protects the vegetation until they are mature and able to survive on their own.

1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets



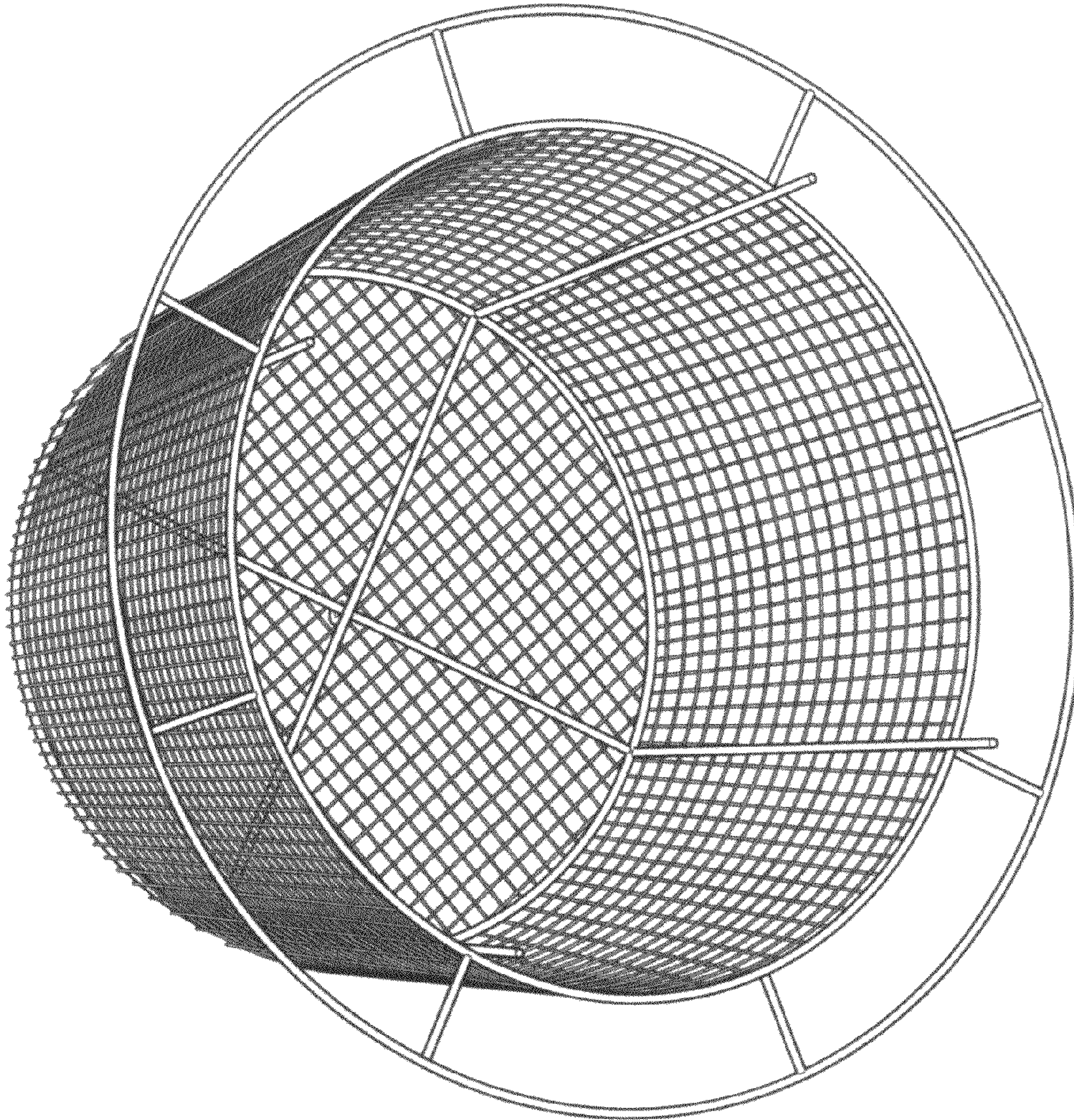


FIG. 1

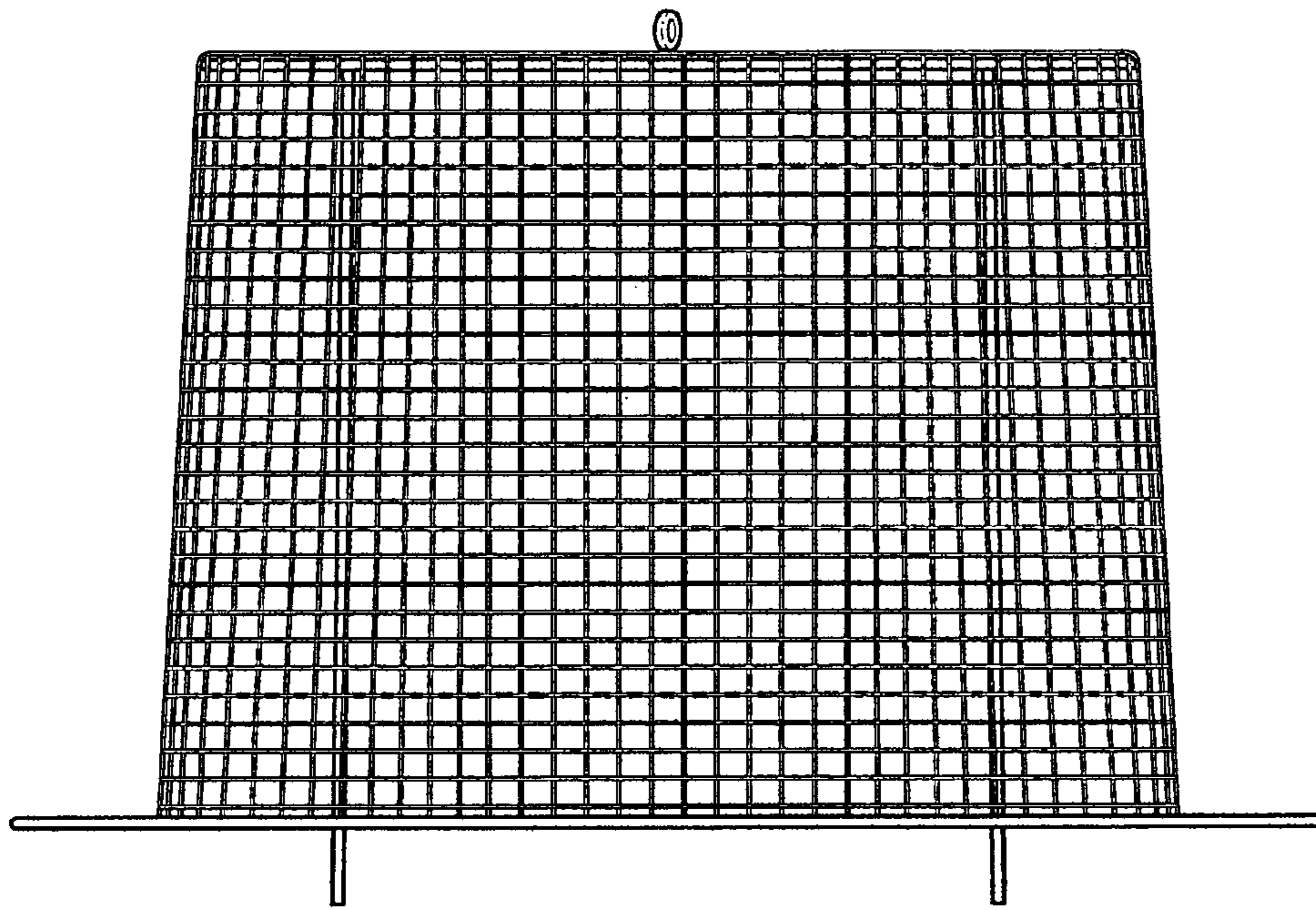


FIG. 2

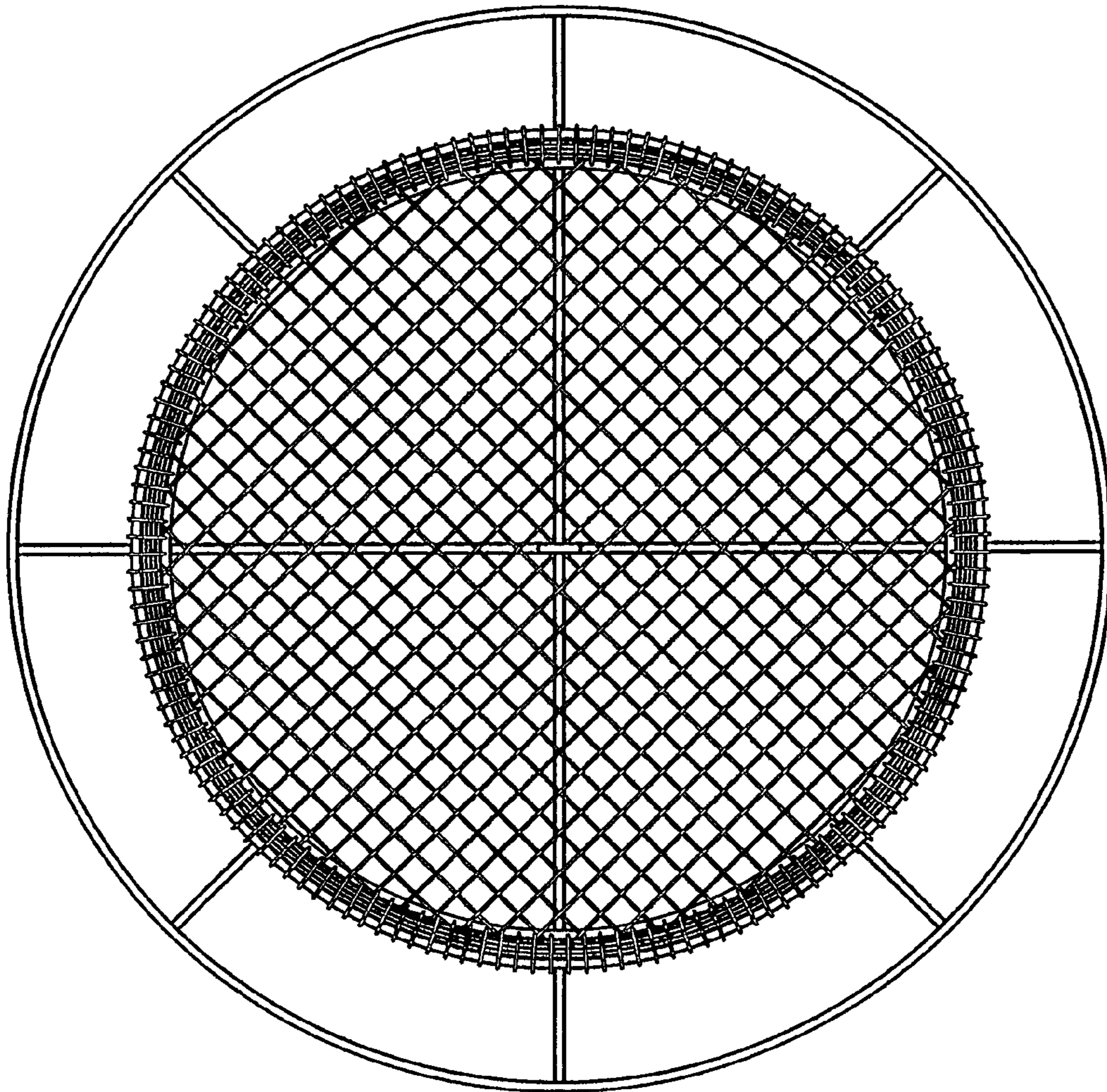


FIG. 3

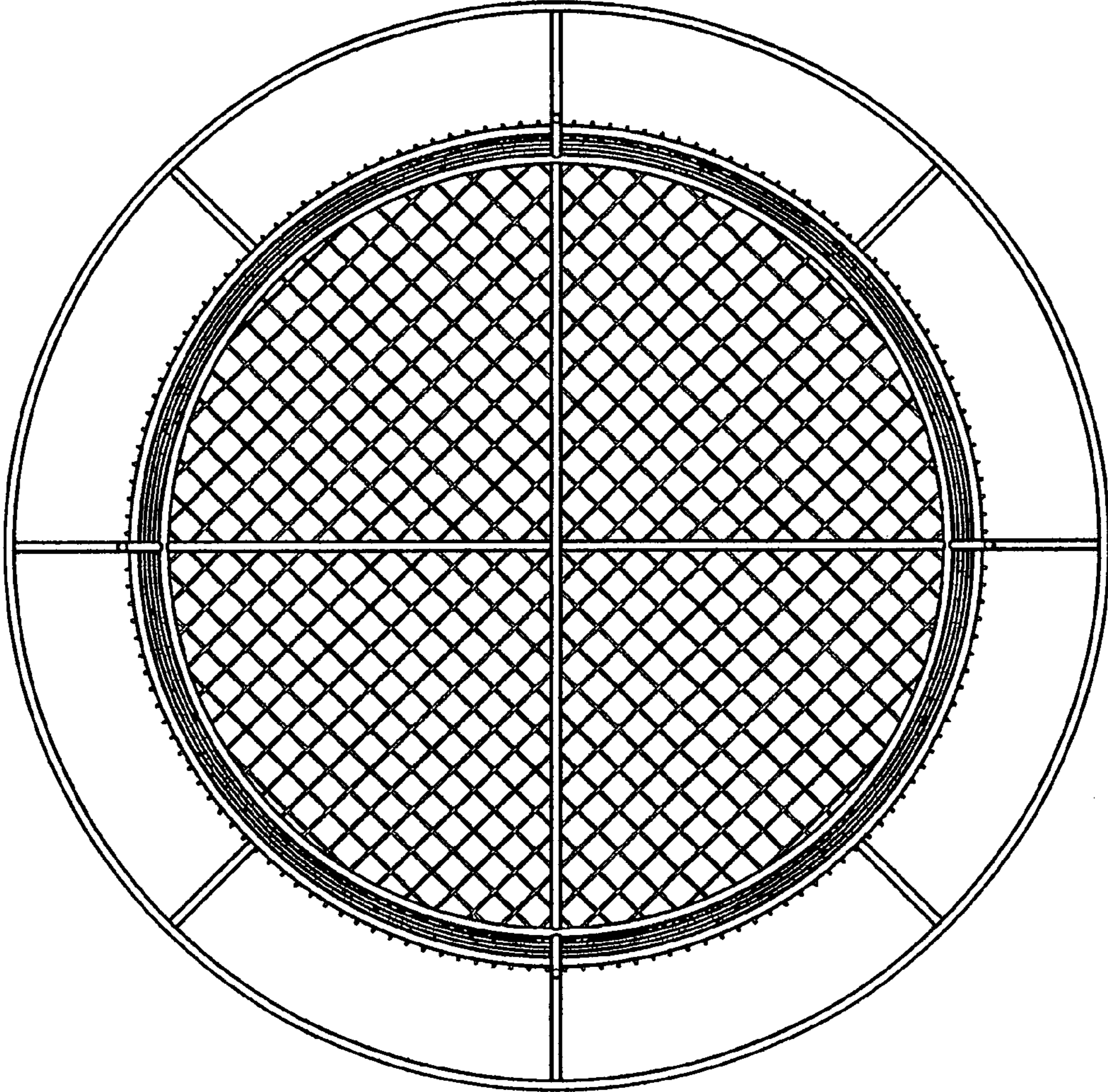


FIG. 4