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(54) **BALL HAT**

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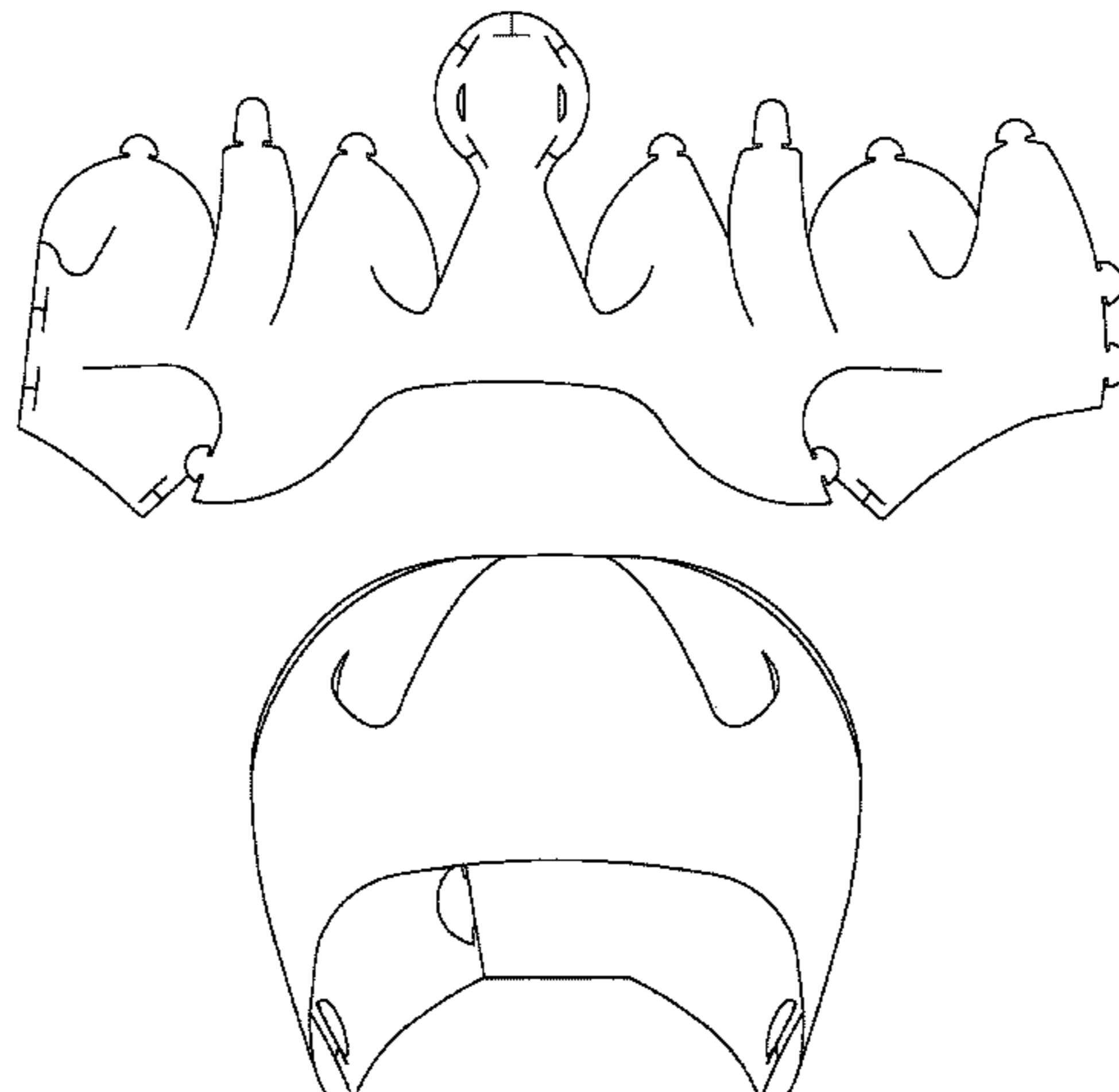
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a ball hat, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a flat, preassembled view of a ball hat, the components thereof being shown separate of one another for clarity of illustration;
FIG. 2 is an assembled front perspective view thereof;
FIG. 3 is an assembled front elevation view thereof;
FIG. 4 is an assembled rear elevation view thereof;
FIG. 5 is an assembled left side elevation view thereof;
FIG. 6 is an assembled right side elevation view thereof;
FIG. 7 is an assembled top plan view thereof; and,
FIG. 8 is an assembled bottom plan view thereof.

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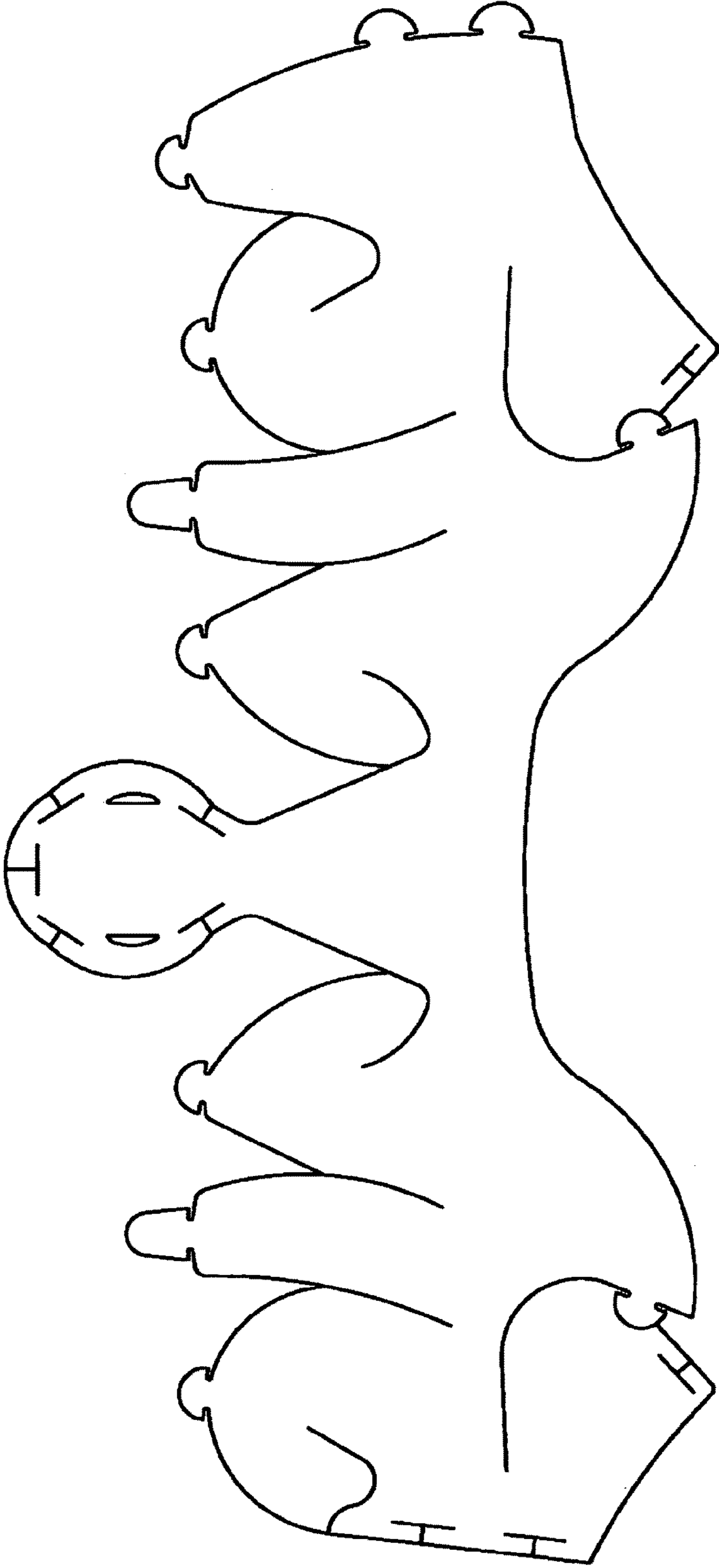


FIG. 1

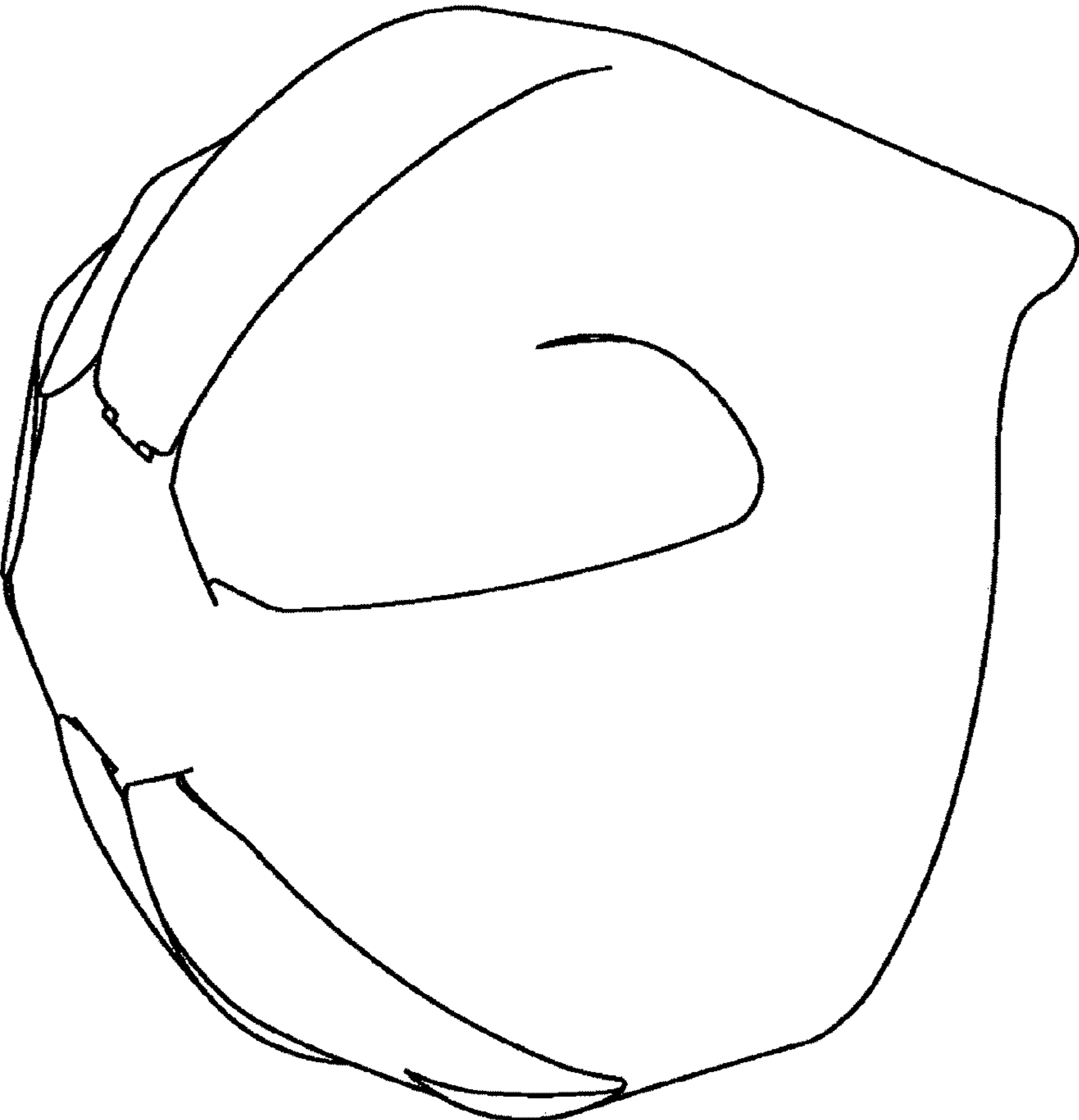


FIG. 2

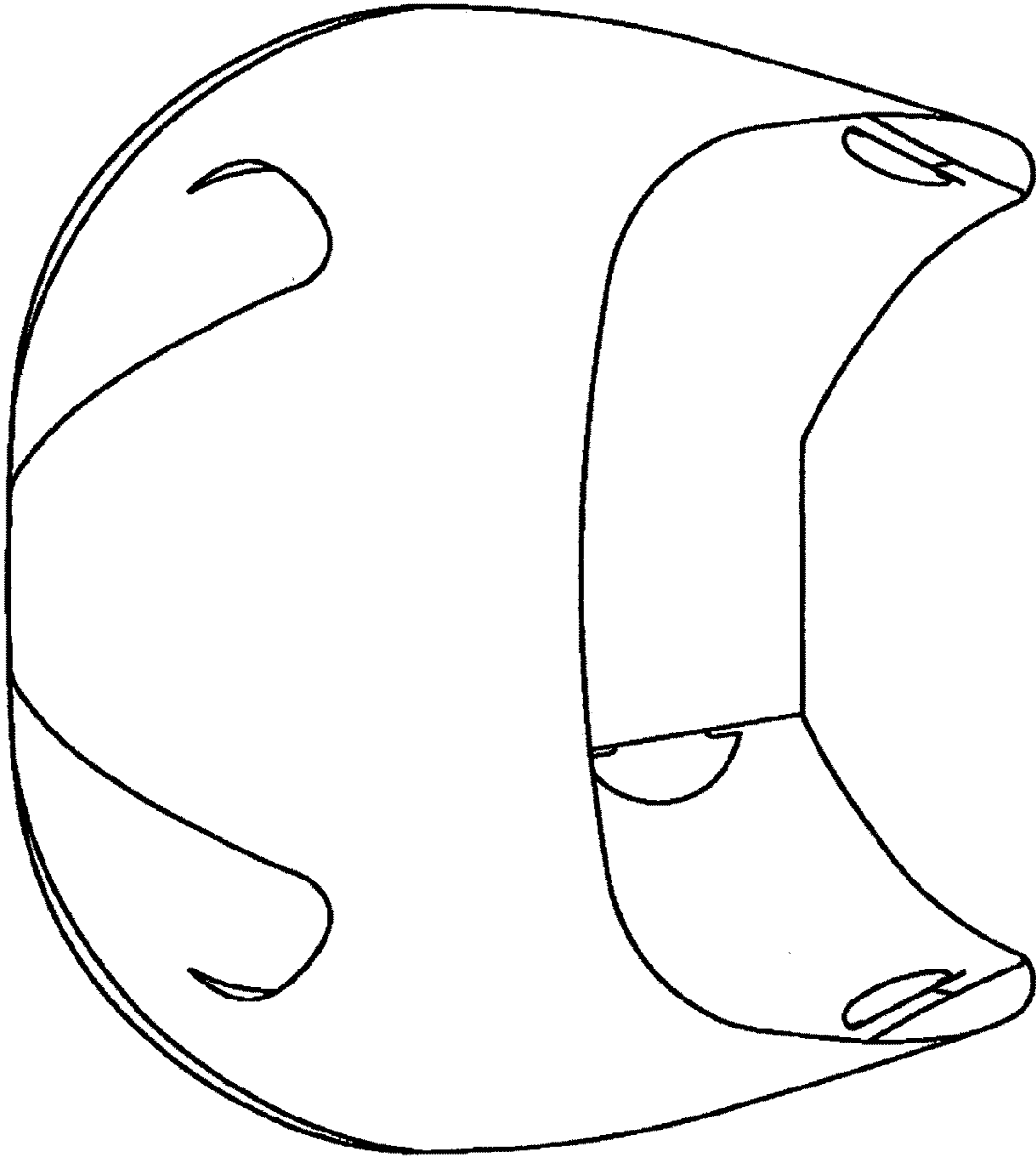


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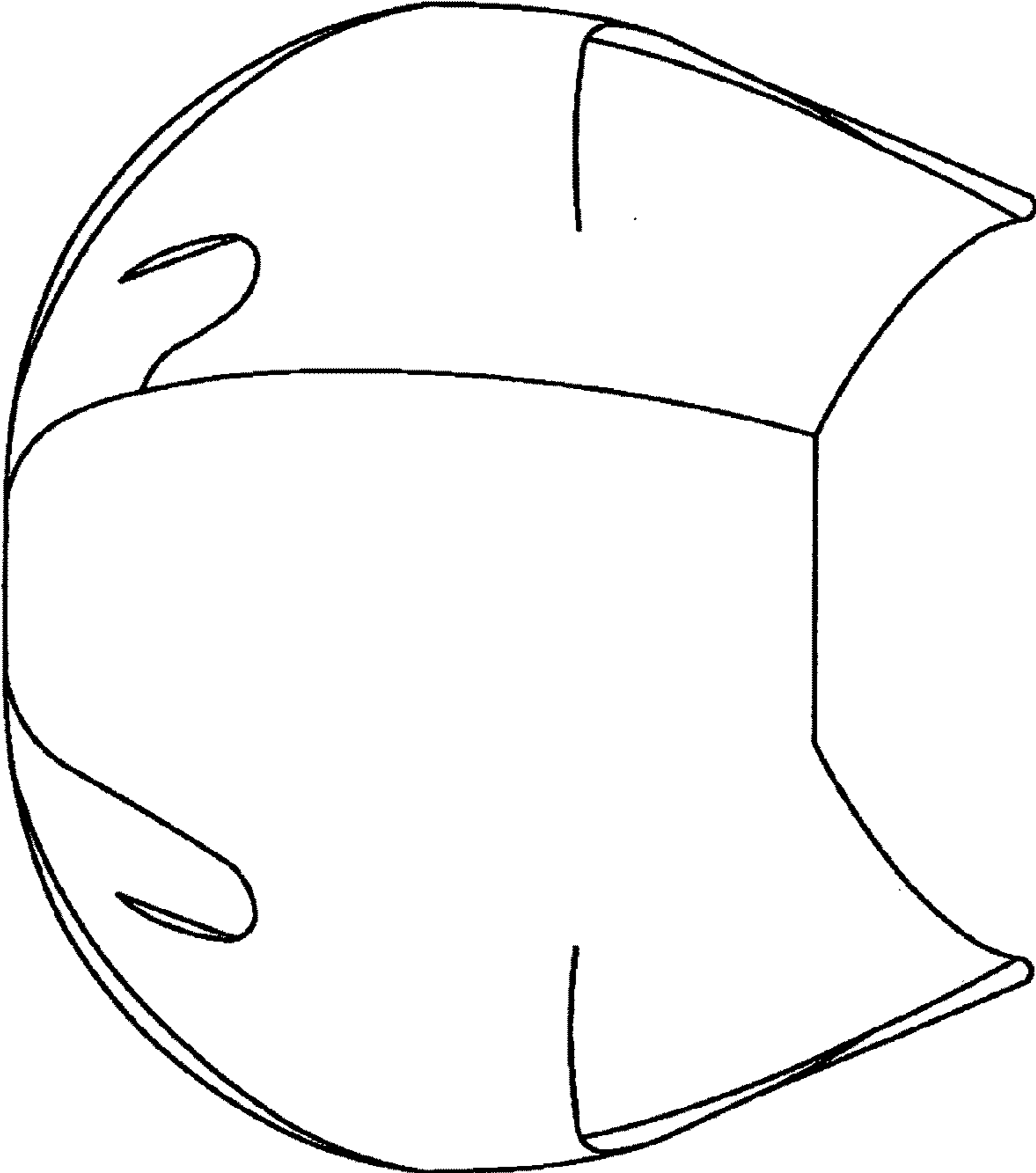


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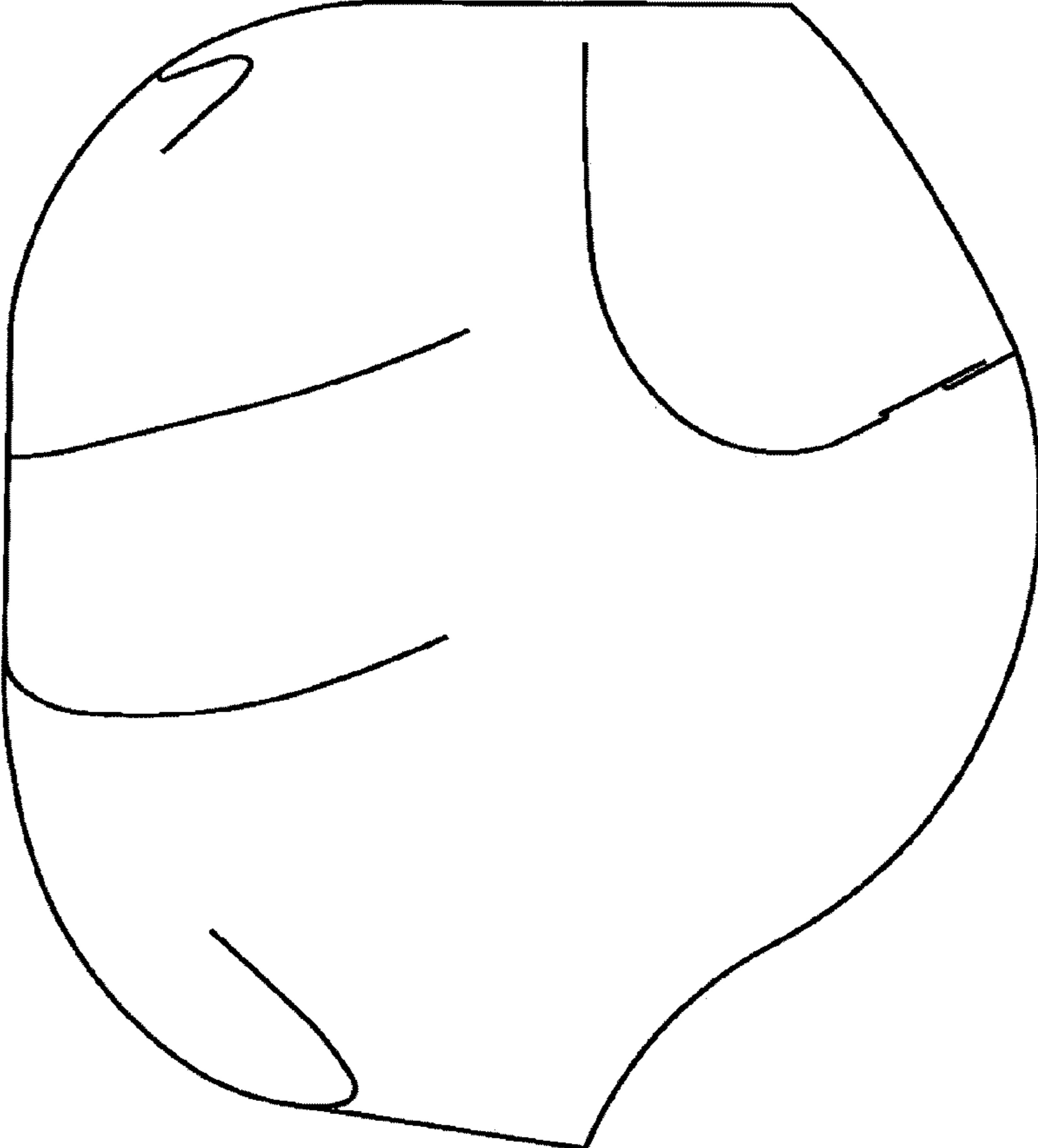


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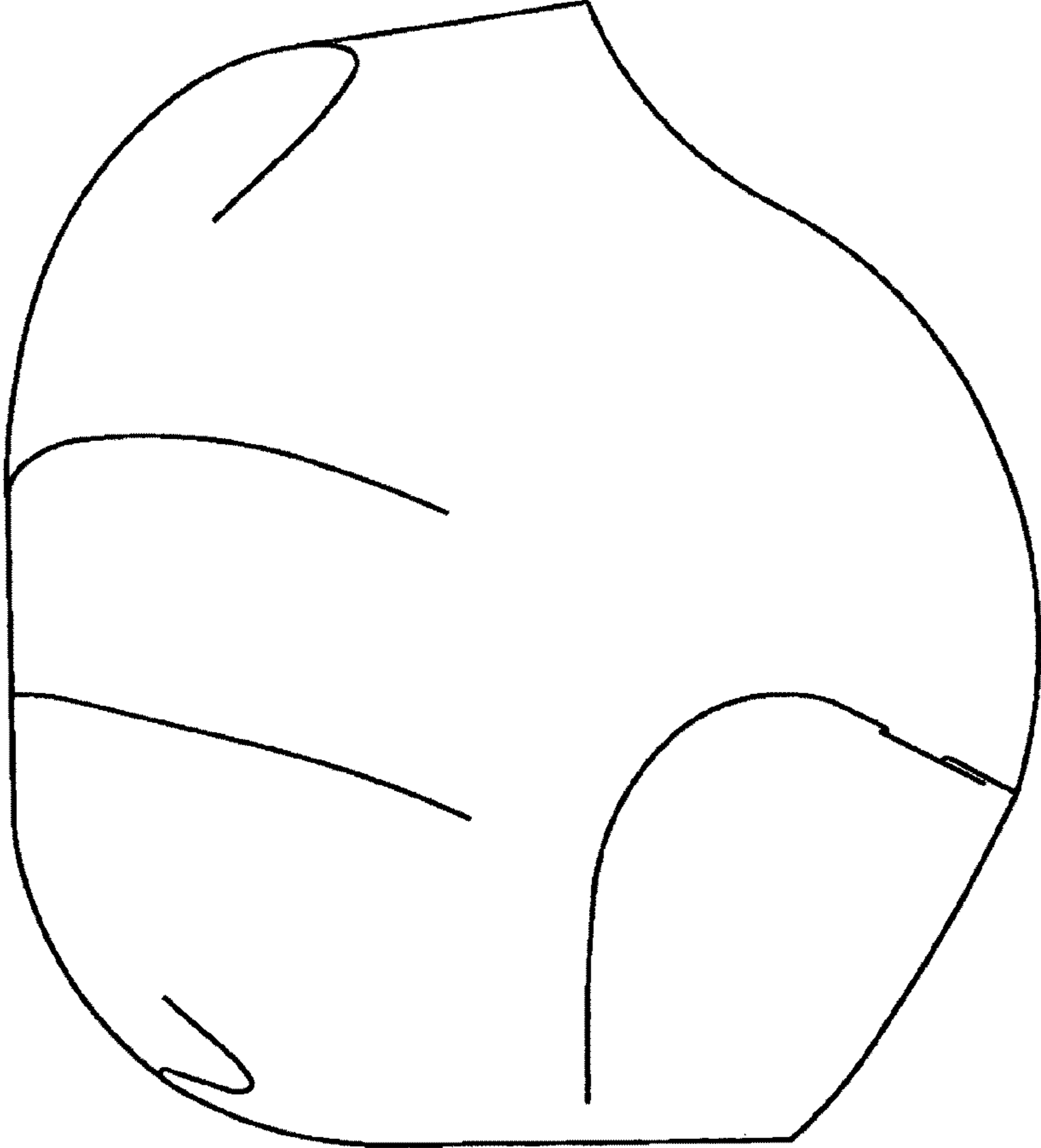


FIG. 6

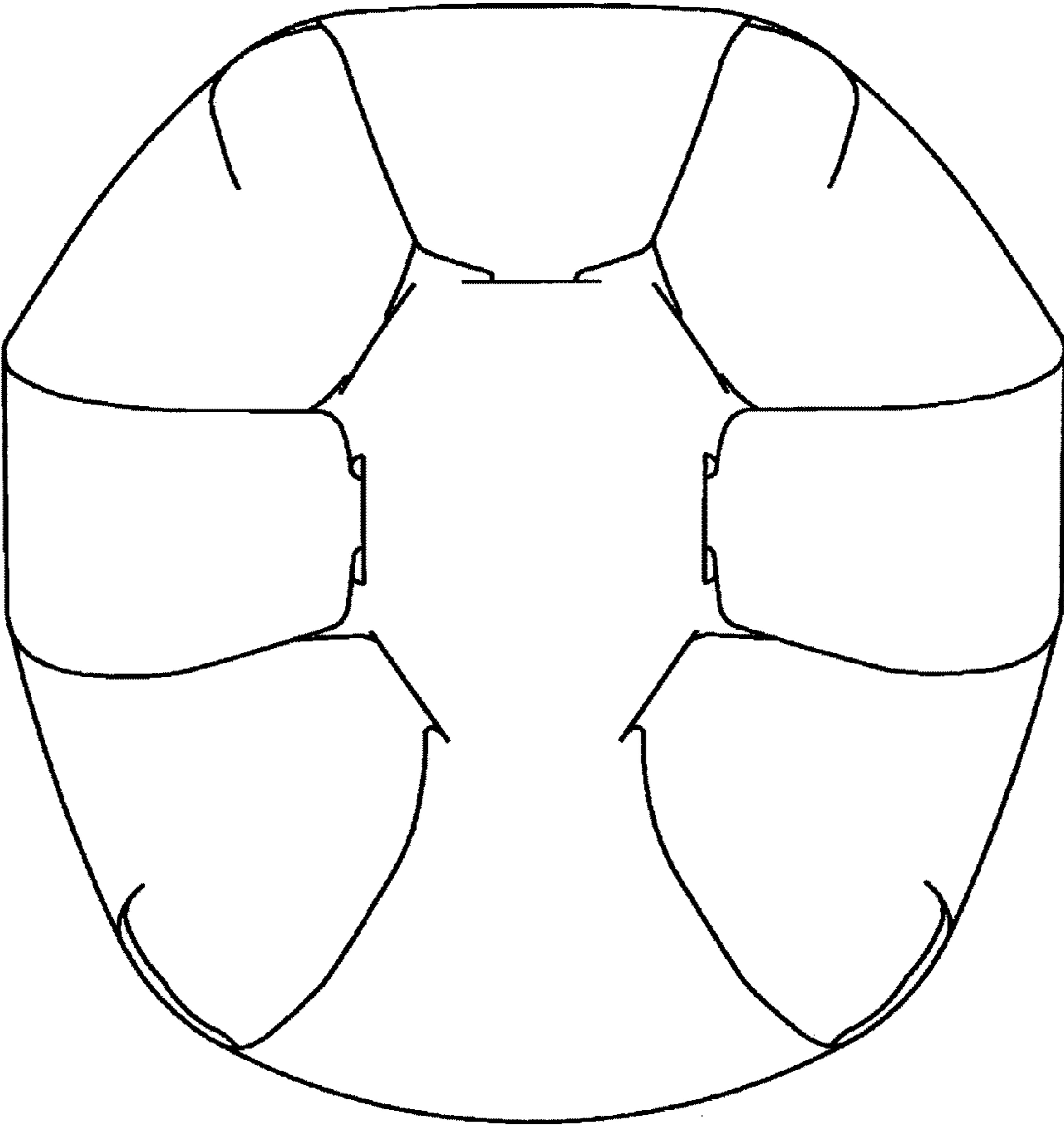


FIG. 7

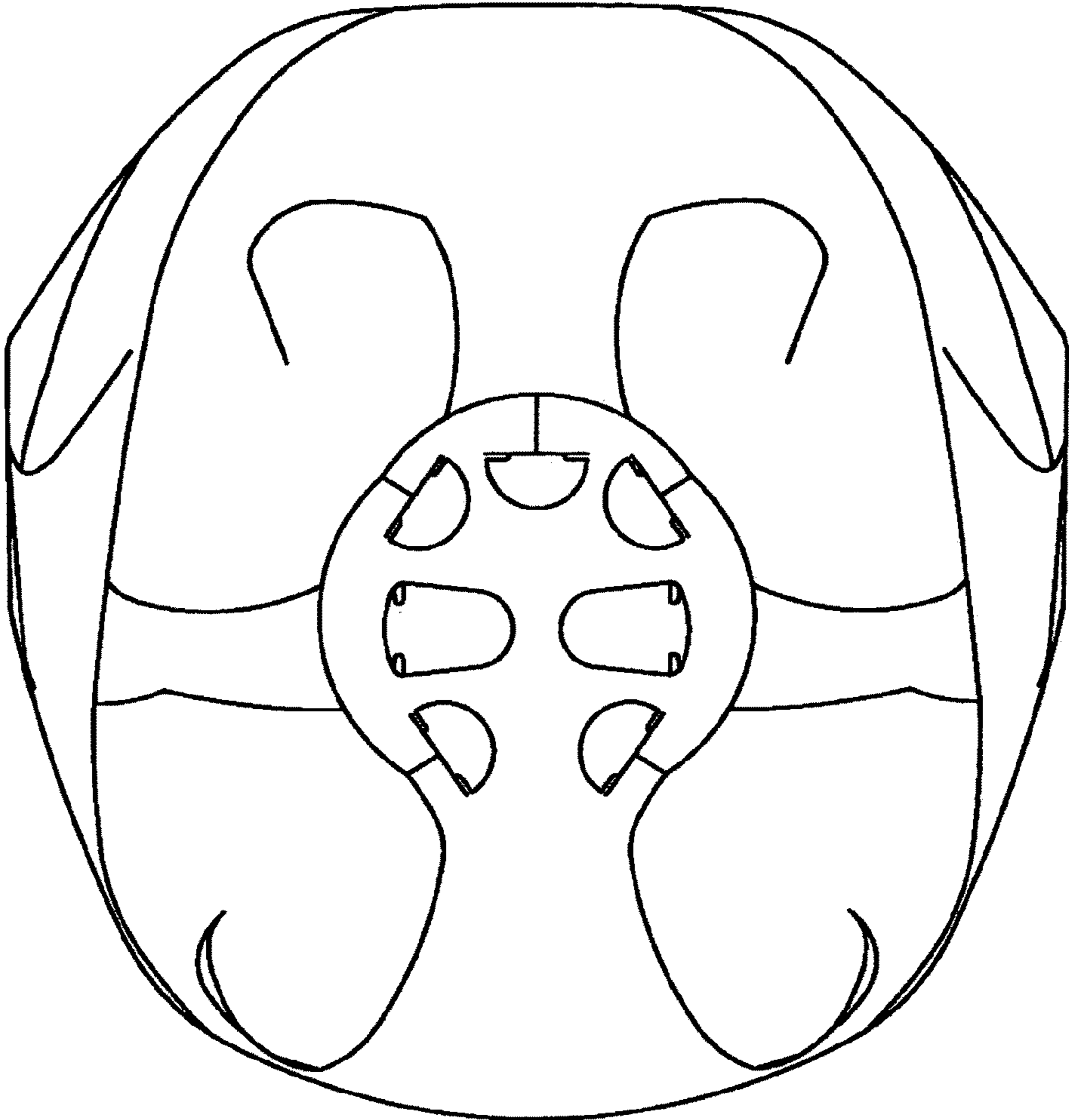


FIG. 8