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(54) **TONGS**

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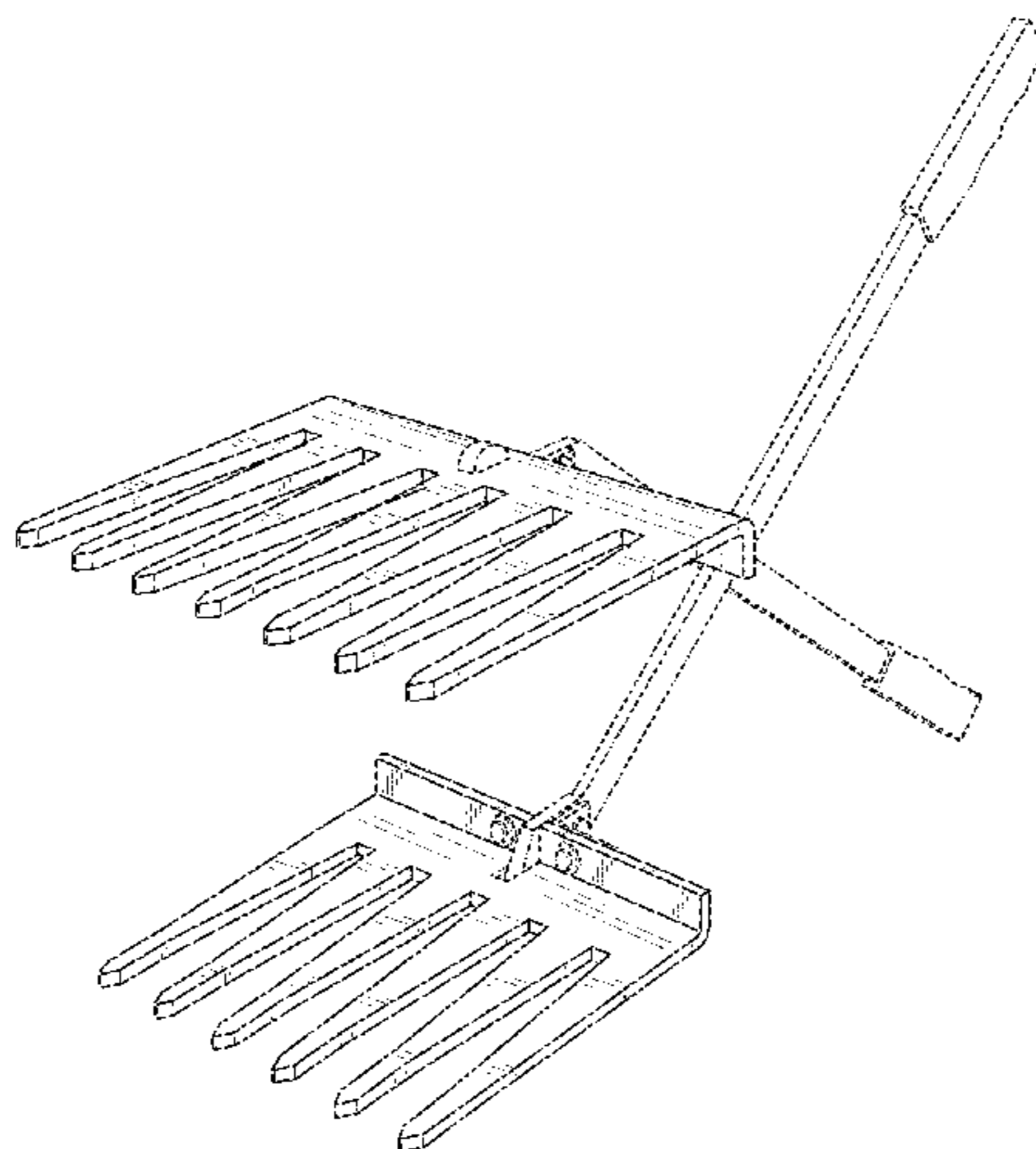
(57) **CLAIM**

I claim the ornamental design for a tongs, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a tongs, showing the new design.
 FIG. 2 is a front view thereof.
 FIG. 3 is a rear view thereof.
 FIG. 4 is a left side view thereof.
 FIG. 5 is a right side view thereof.
 FIG. 6 is a top view thereof.
 FIG. 7 is a bottom view thereof.
 FIG. 8 is a front view thereof, with the 7-tooth portion removed for clarity.
 FIG. 9 is a rear view thereof, with the 6-tooth portion removed for clarity.
 FIG. 10 is a front view of an alternative embodiment of a tongs.
 FIG. 11 is a rear view thereof.
 FIG. 12 is a left side view thereof.
 FIG. 13 is a right side view thereof.
 FIG. 14 is a top view thereof.
 FIG. 15 is a bottom view thereof.
 FIG. 16 is a front view thereof, with the 7-tooth portion removed for clarity; and,
 FIG. 17 is a rear view thereof, with the 6-tooth portion removed for clarity.
 The broken lines in the drawings illustrate portions of the tongs and form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 17 Drawing Sheets



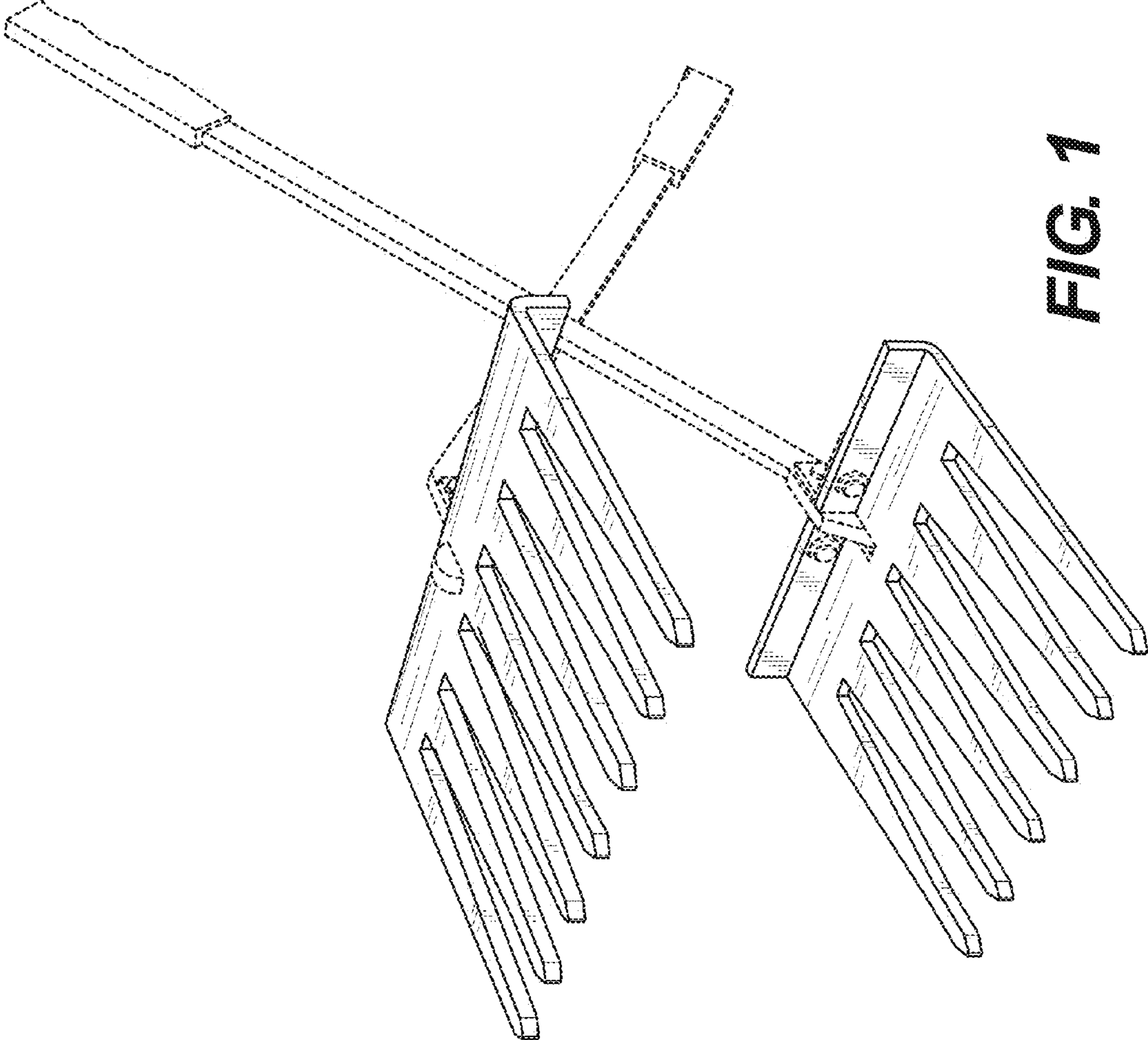


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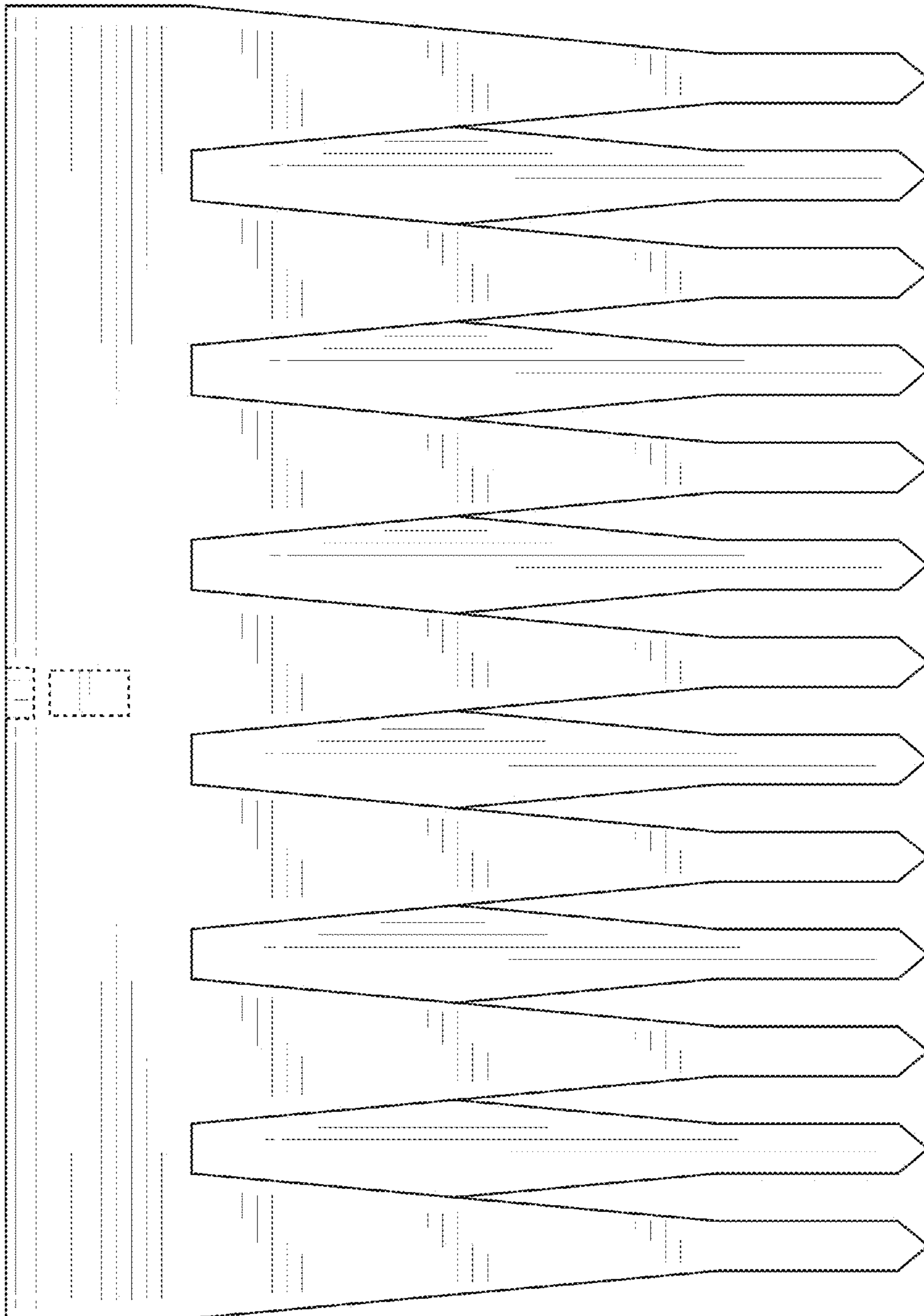


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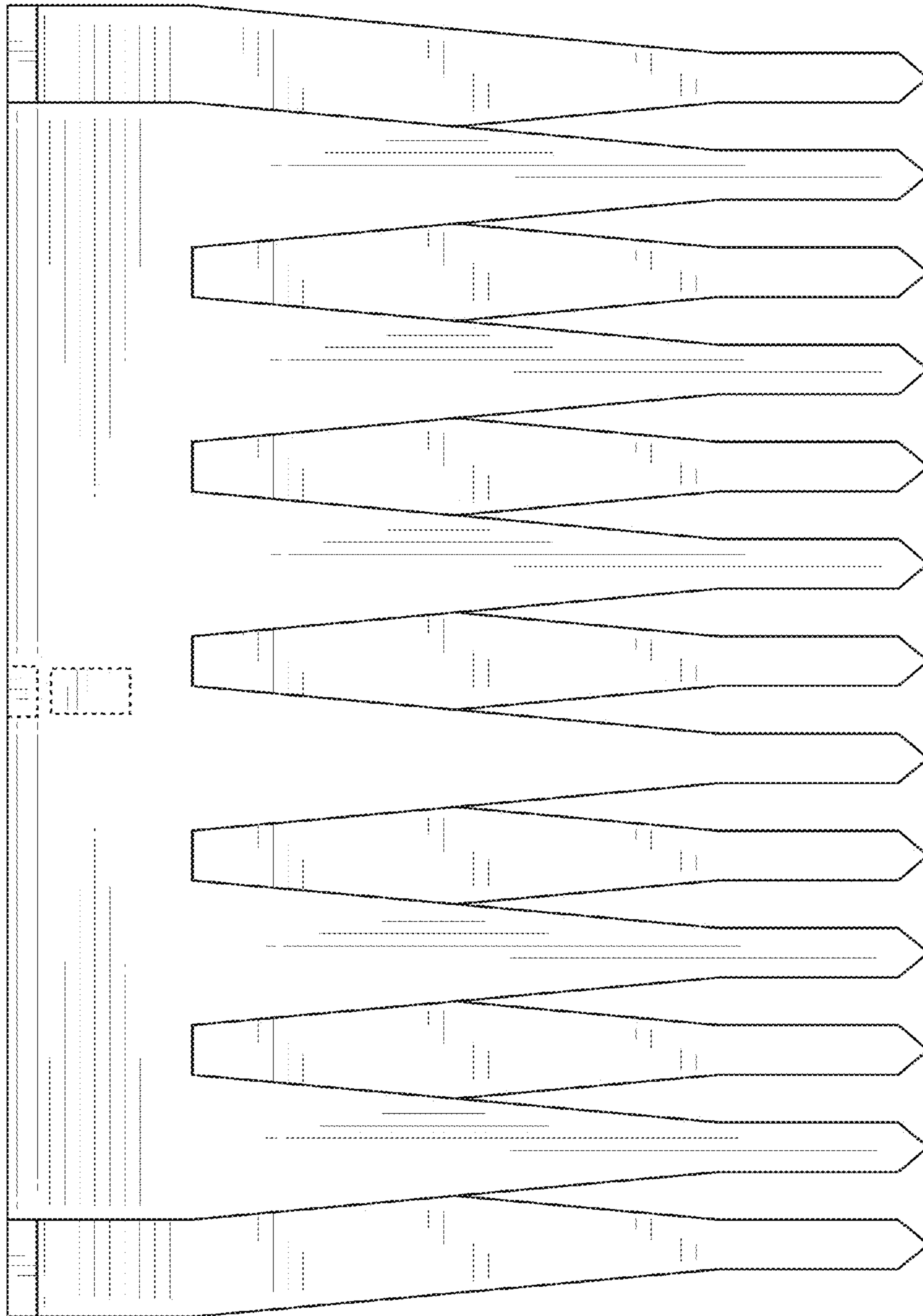


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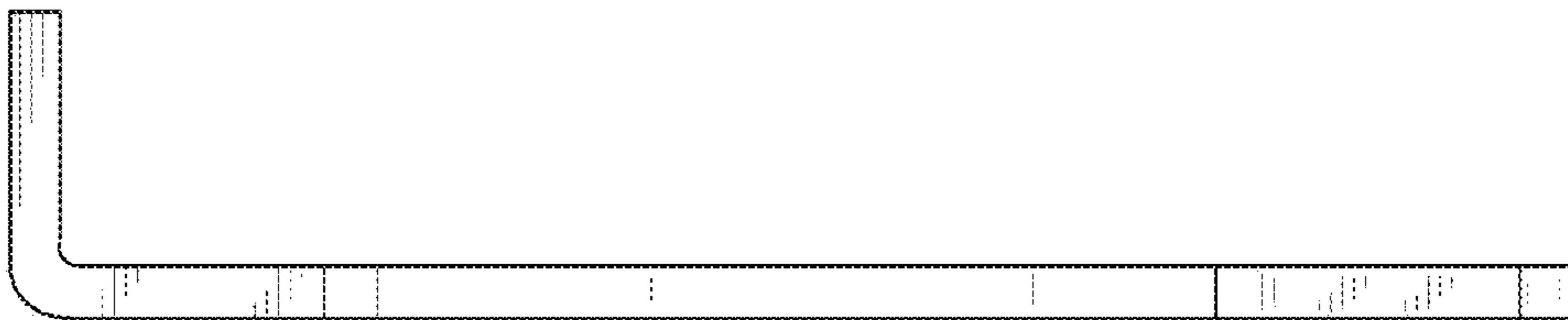
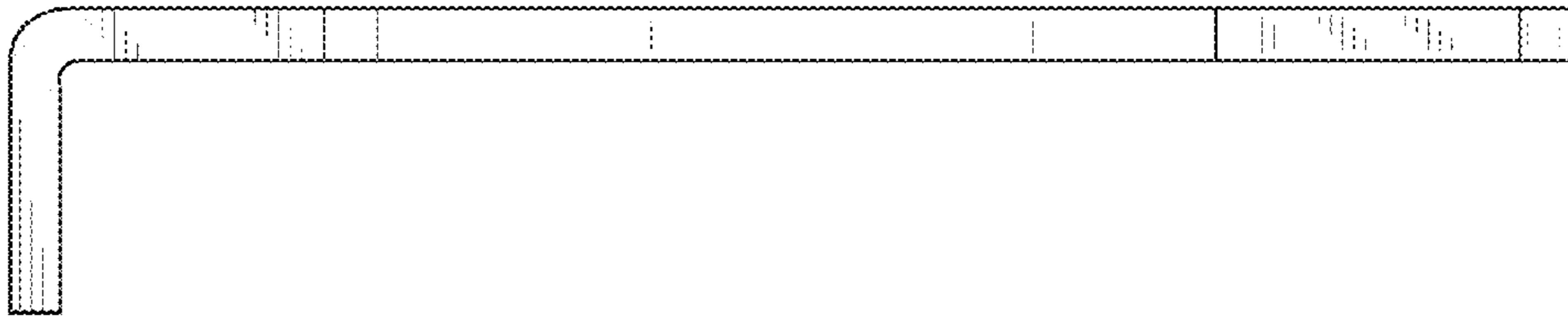


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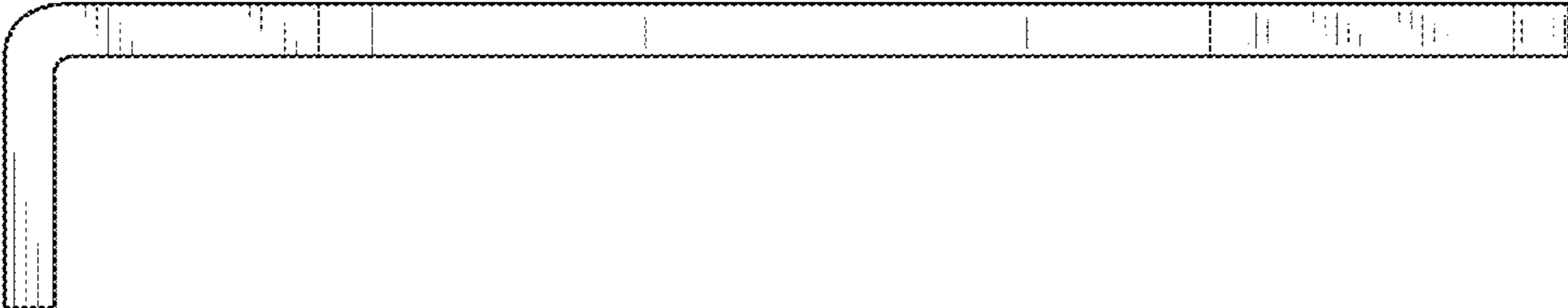
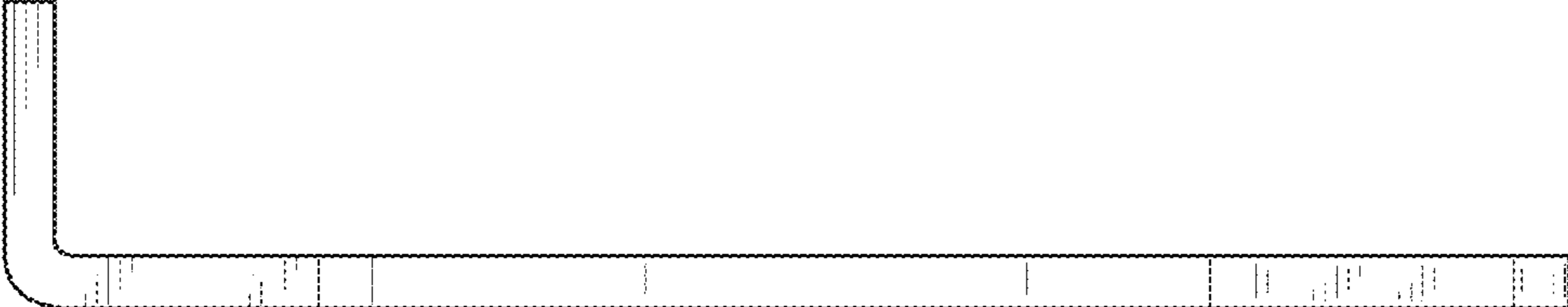


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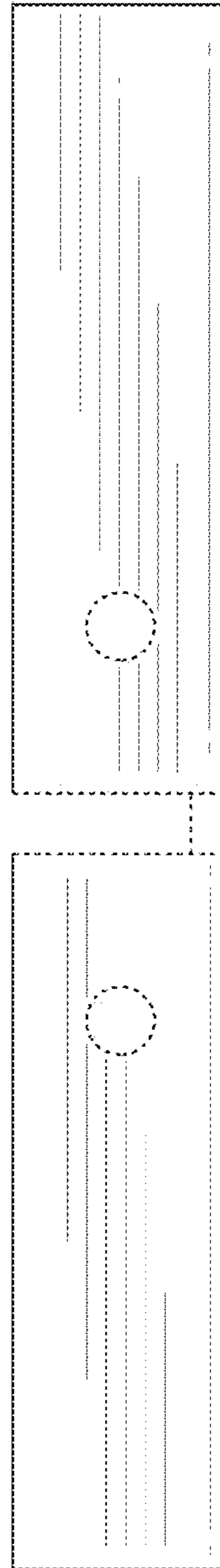
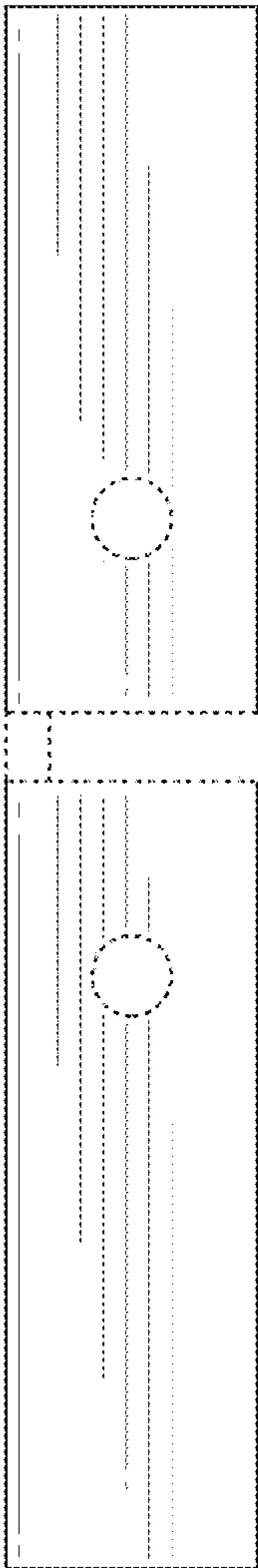


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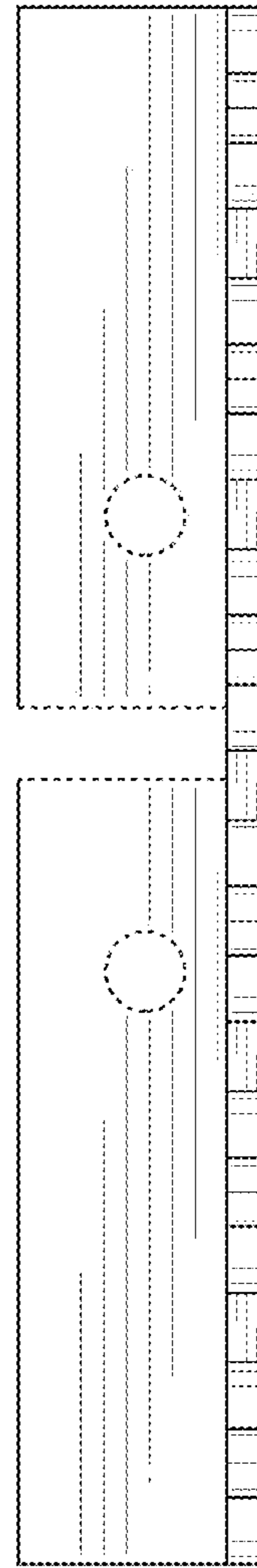
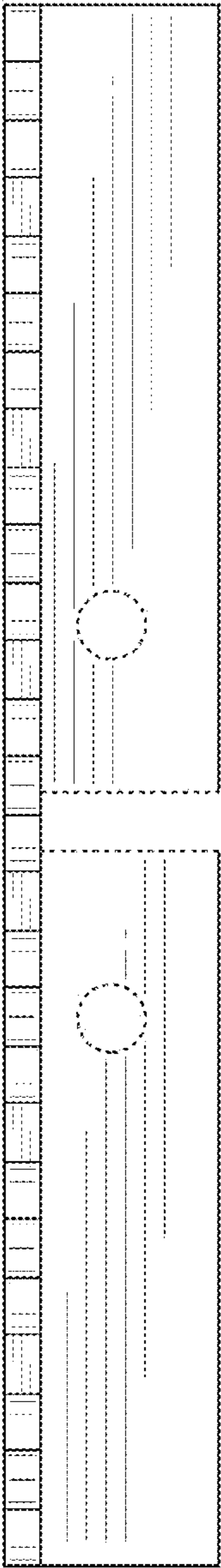


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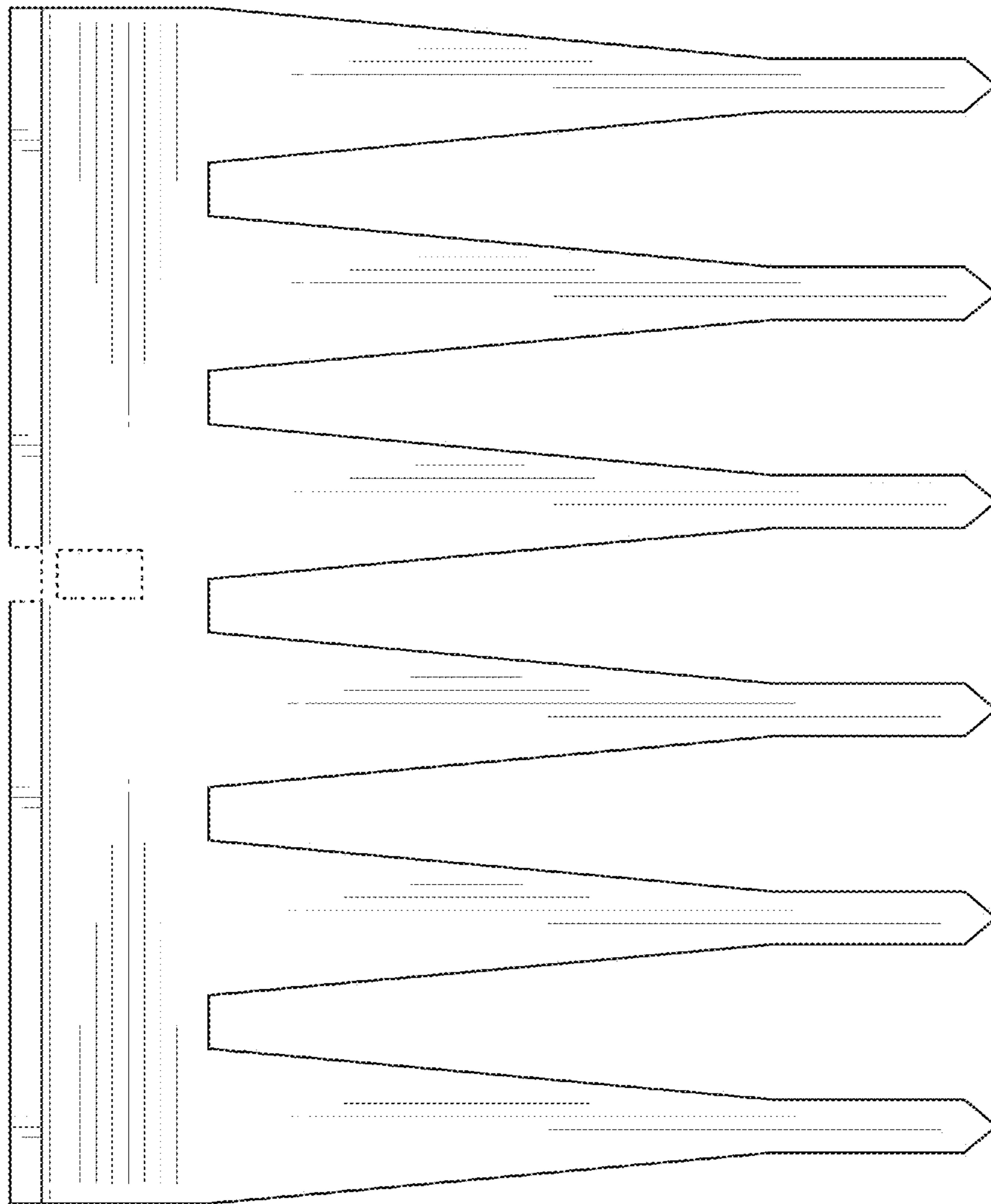


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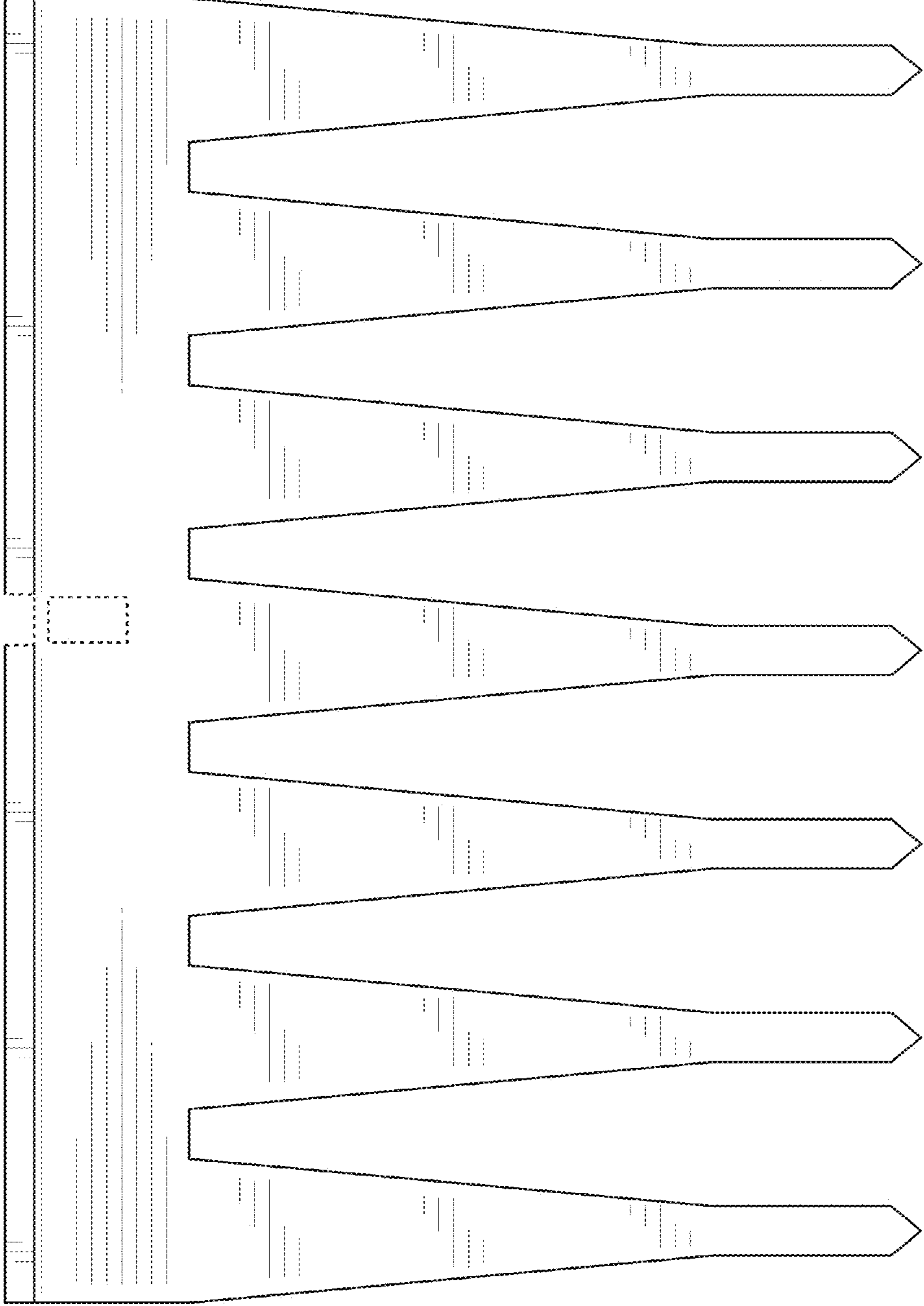


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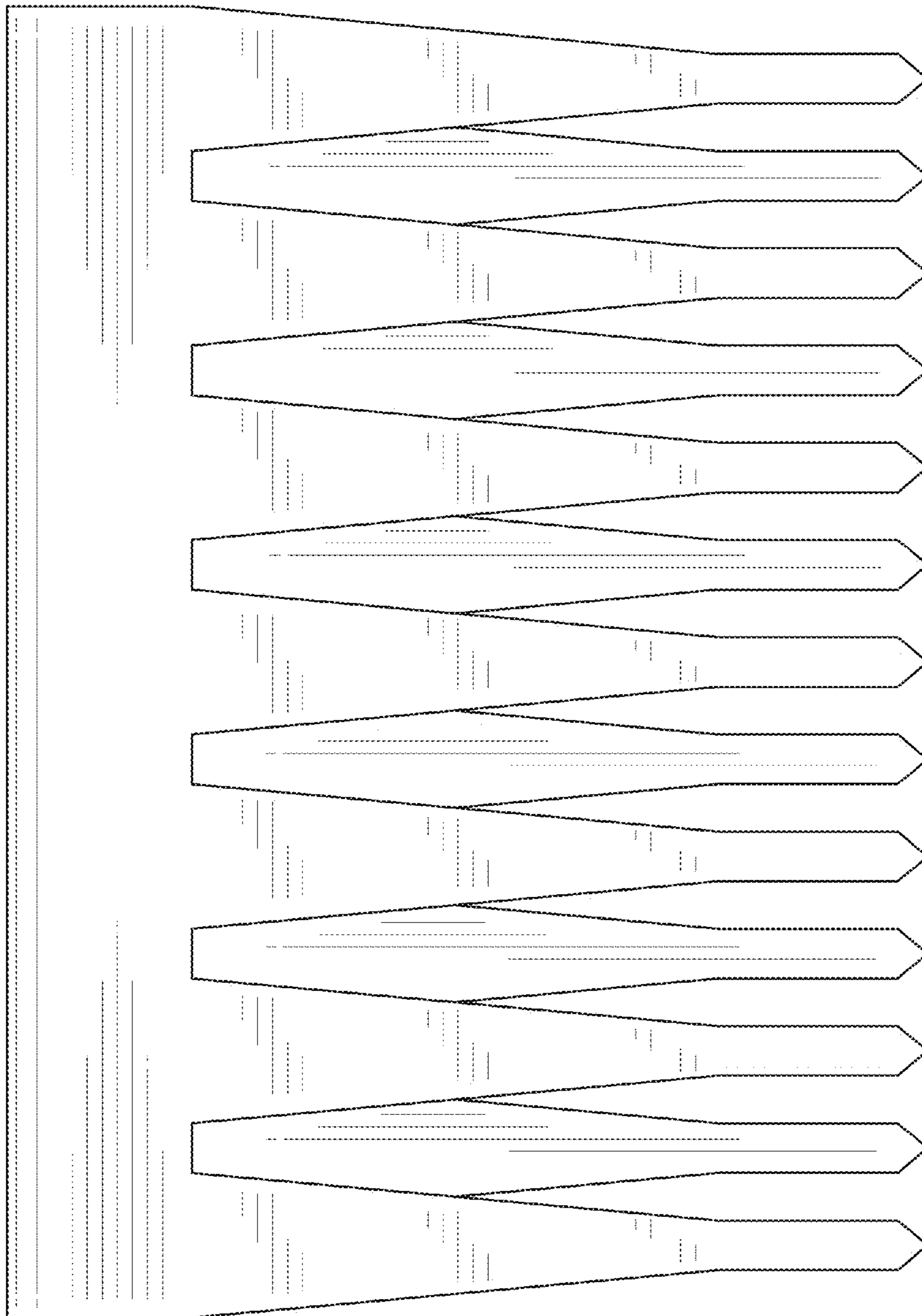


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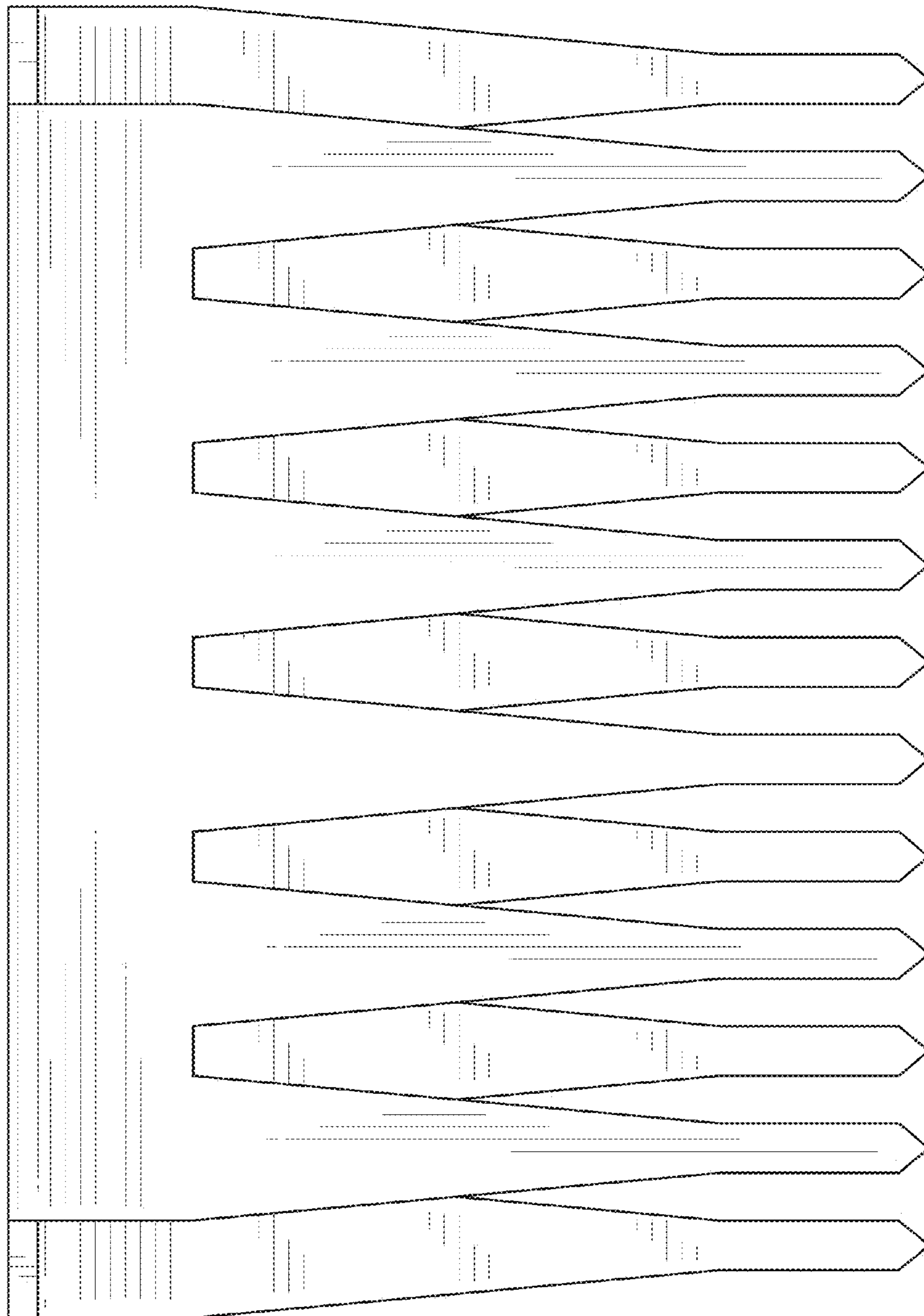


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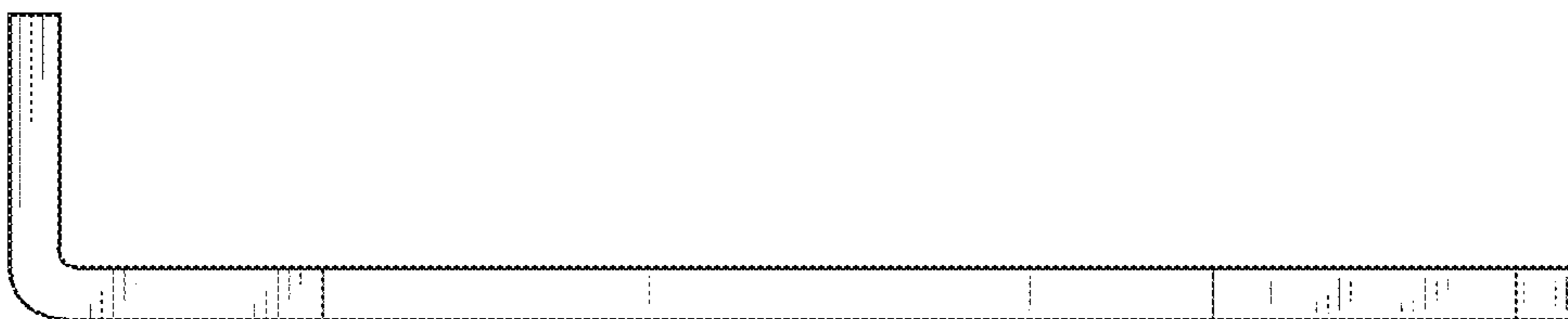
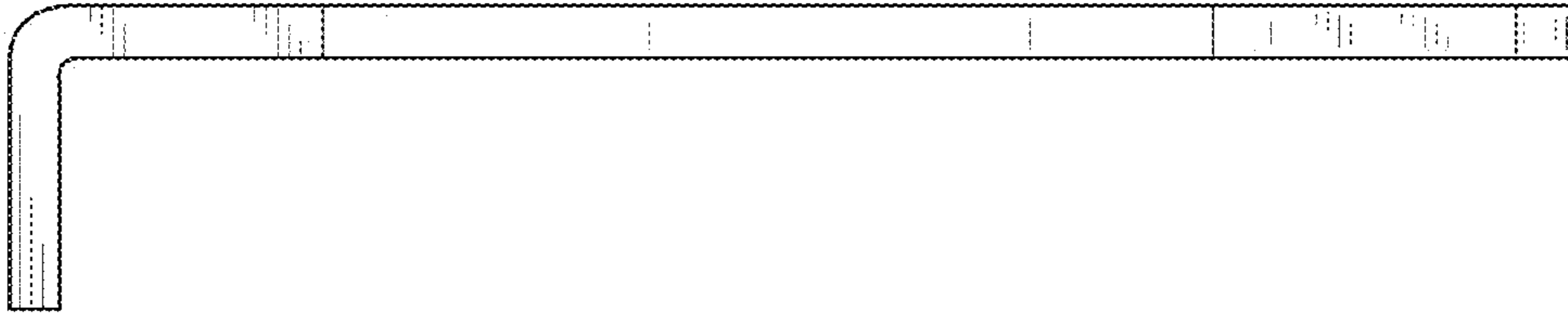


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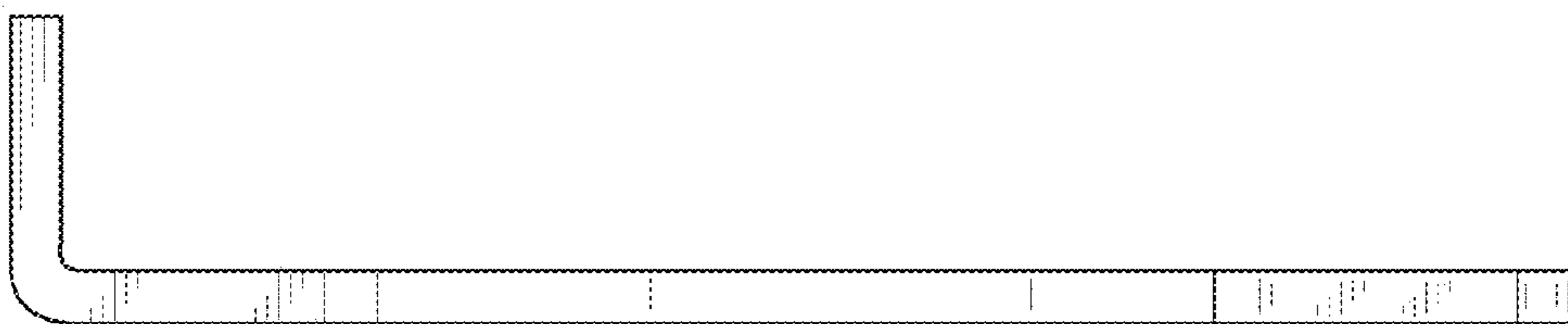
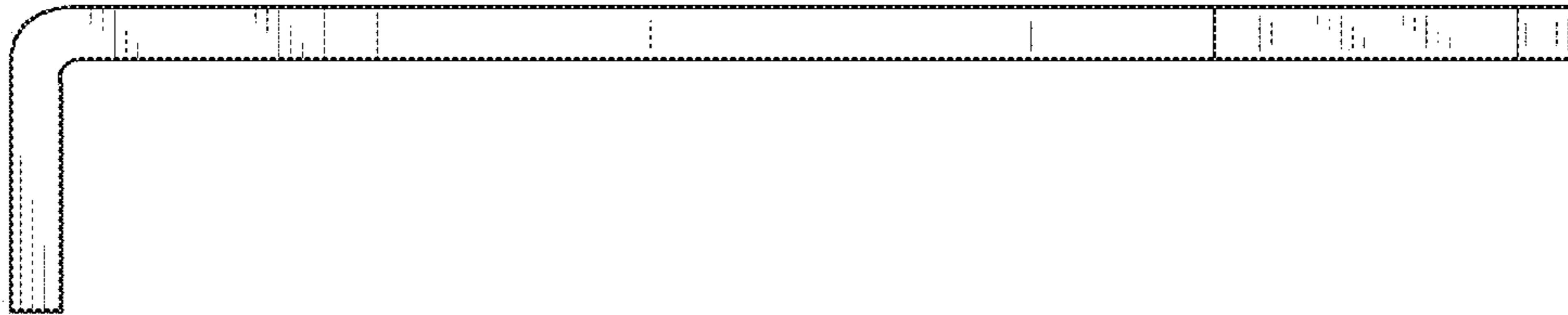


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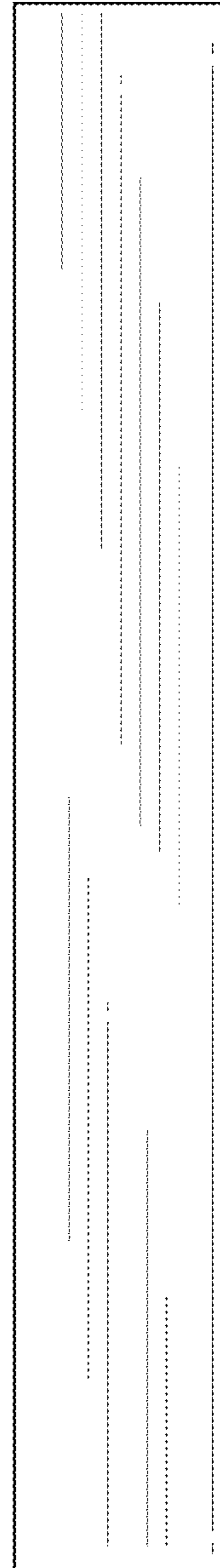
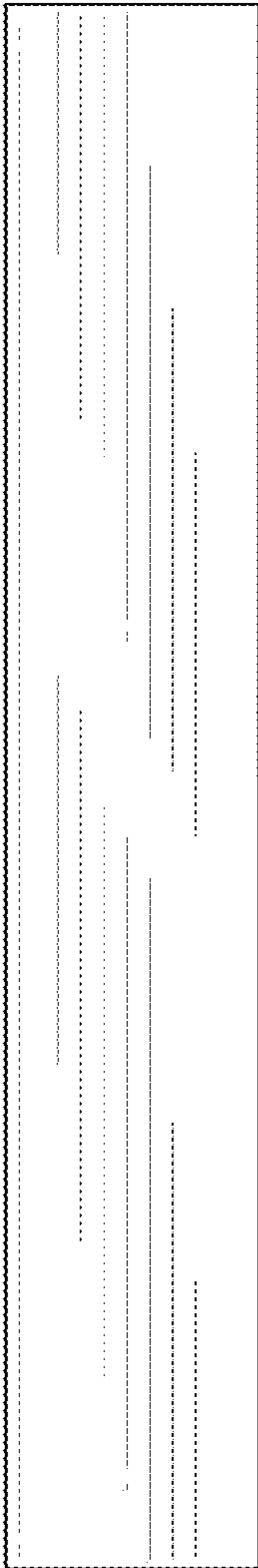


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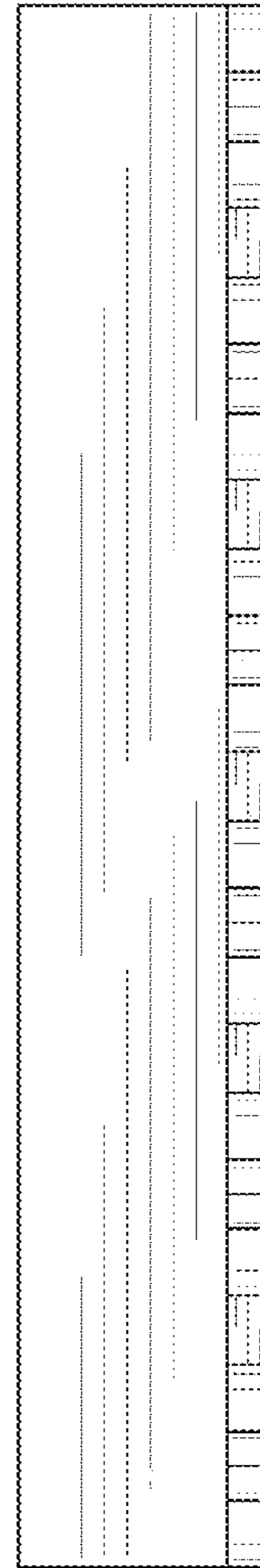
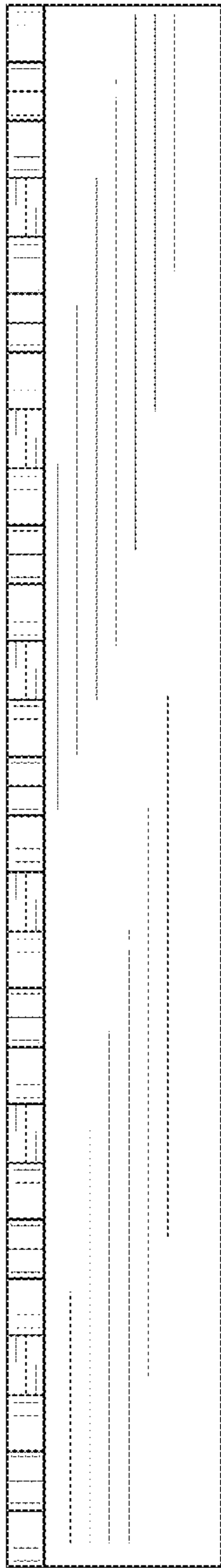


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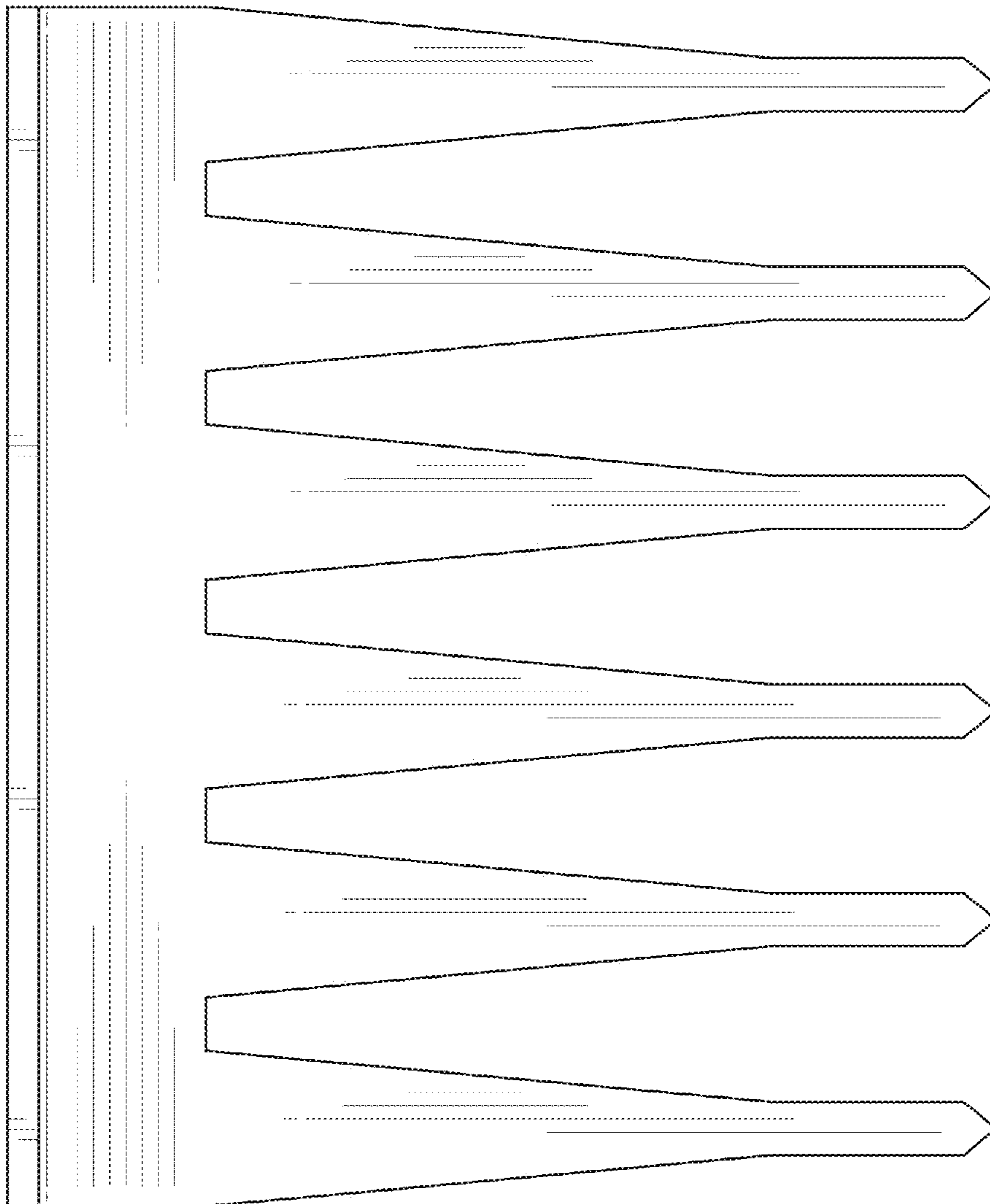


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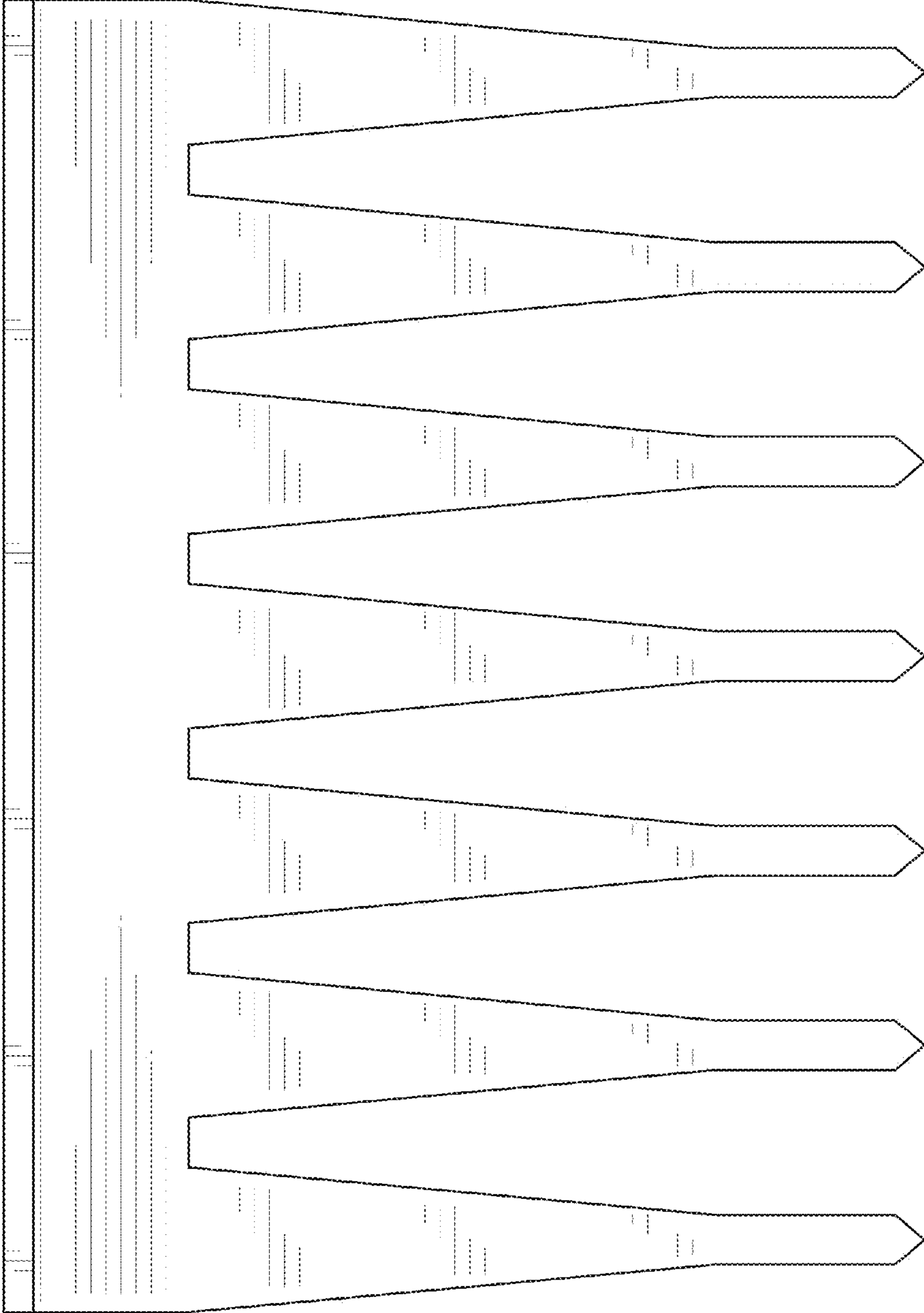


FIG. 17