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(54) **PIPETTE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a pipette, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

This application is related to U.S. application Ser. No. 13/835,663, filed Mar. 15, 2013.

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a first embodiment of our new pipette;

FIG. 2 is a front view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a top view thereof; and

FIG. 4 is a bottom view thereof.

The right side view, rear view and left side view are identical to the front side view of FIG. 2.

FIG. 5 is a perspective view of a second embodiment of our new pipette;

FIG. 6 is a front view thereof;

FIG. 7 is a top view thereof; and

FIG. 8 is a bottom view thereof.

The right side view, rear view and left side view are identical to the front side view of FIG. 6.

FIG. 9 is a perspective view of a third embodiment of our new pipette;

FIG. 10 is a front view thereof;

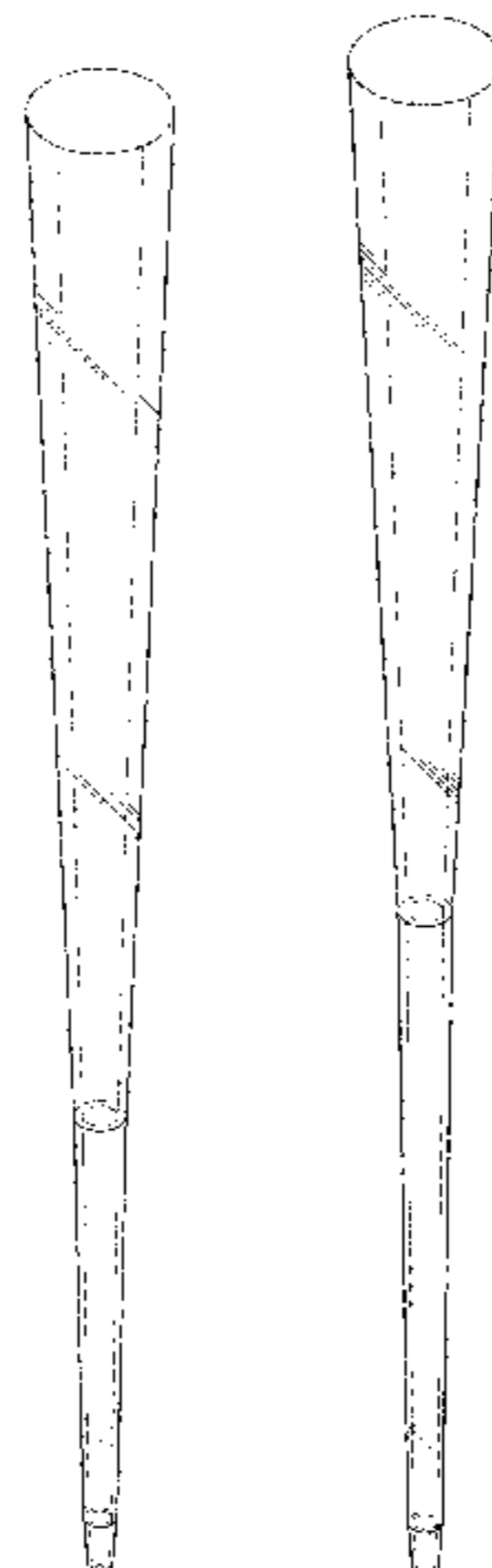
FIG. 11 is a top view thereof; and,

FIG. 12 is a bottom view thereof.

The right side view, rear view and left side view are identical to the front side view of FIG. 10.

The broken dash lines in the figures are for the purpose of illustrating the boundary of the claim and form no part of the claimed design.

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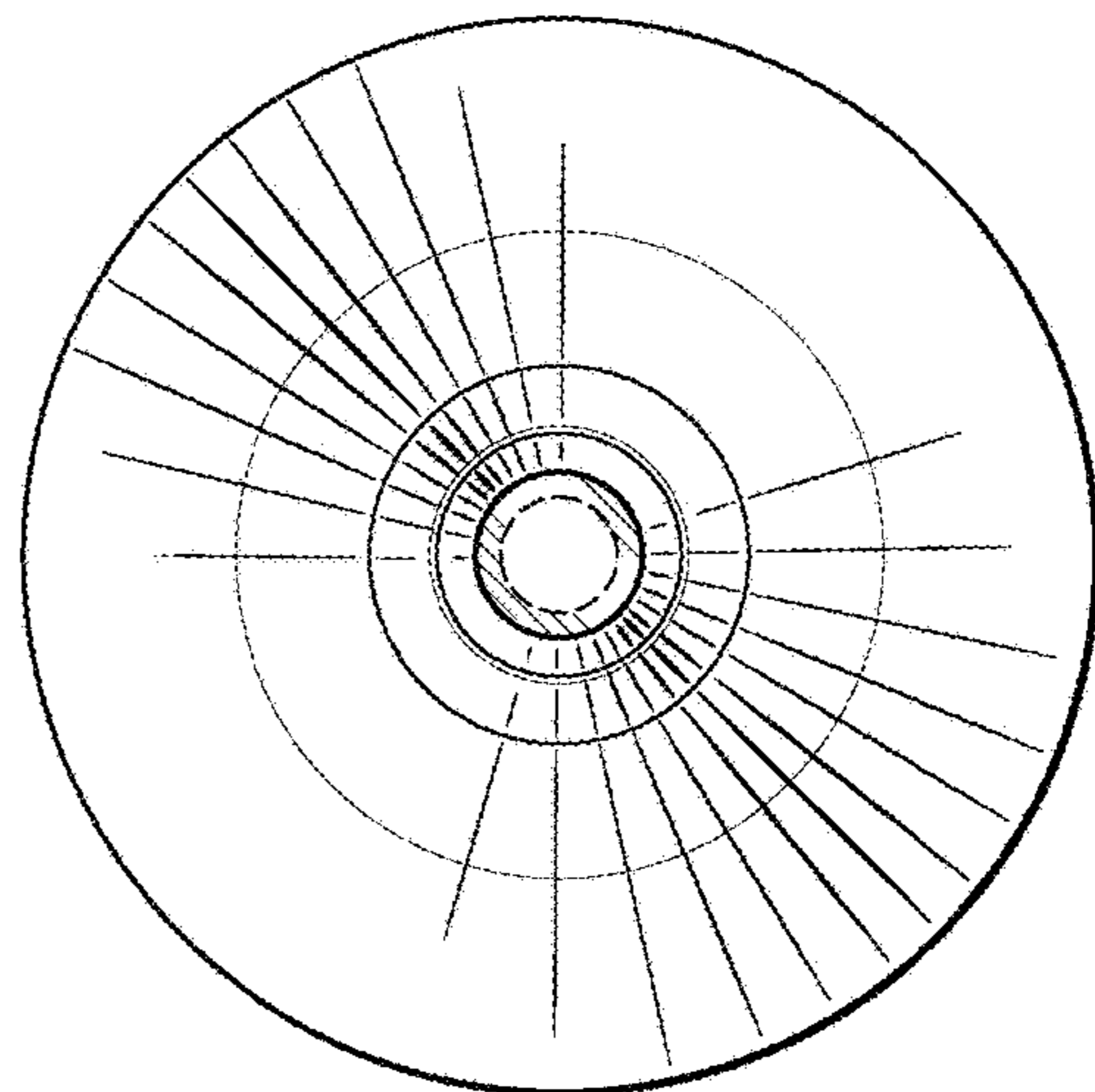
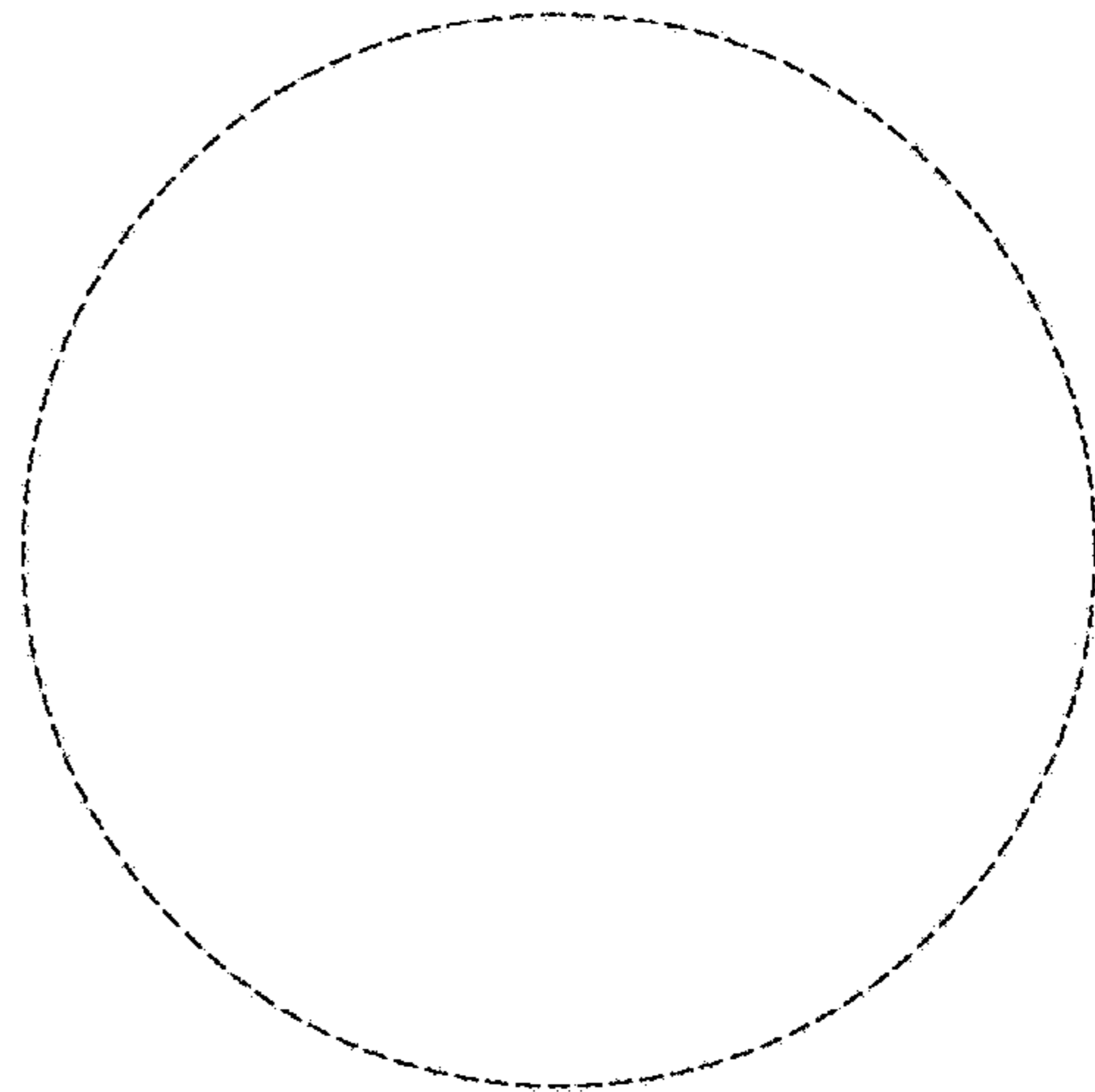
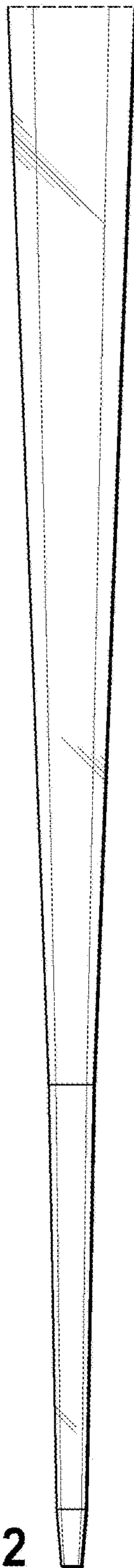
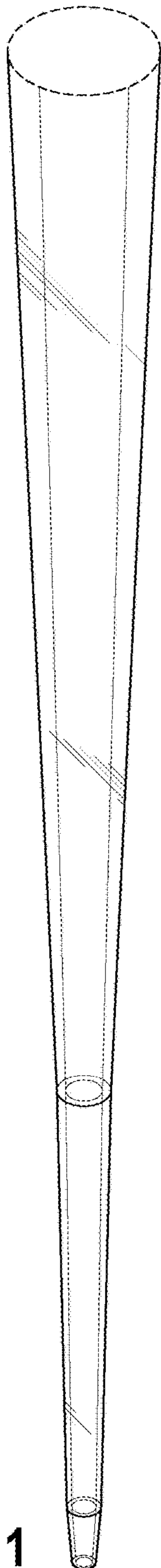
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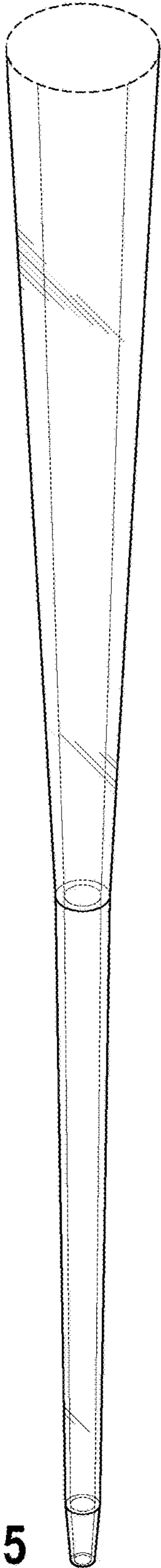


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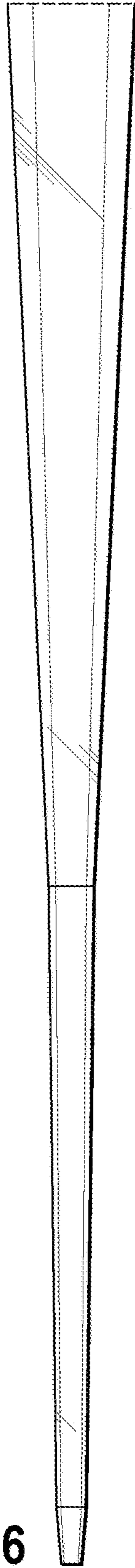


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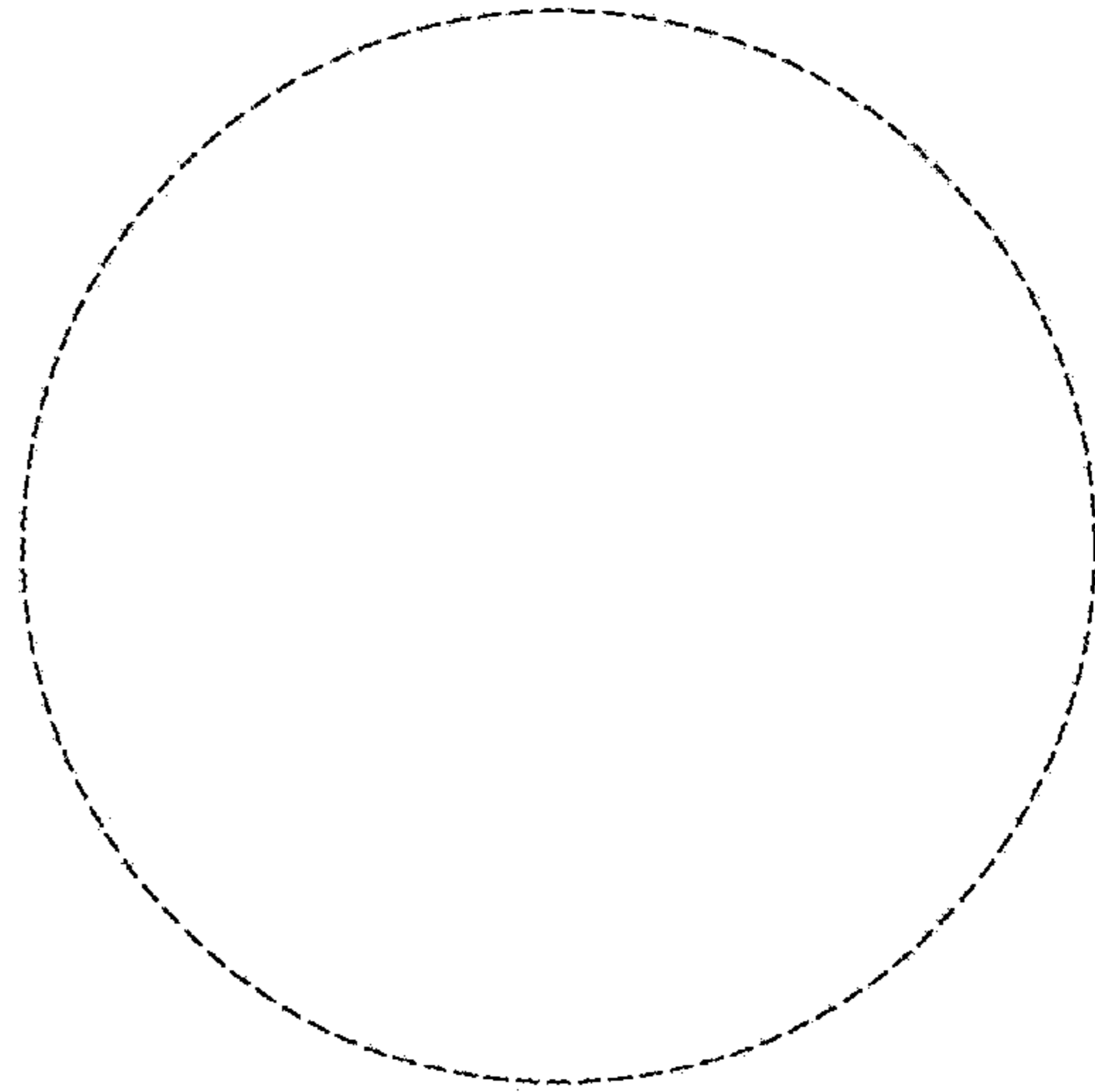


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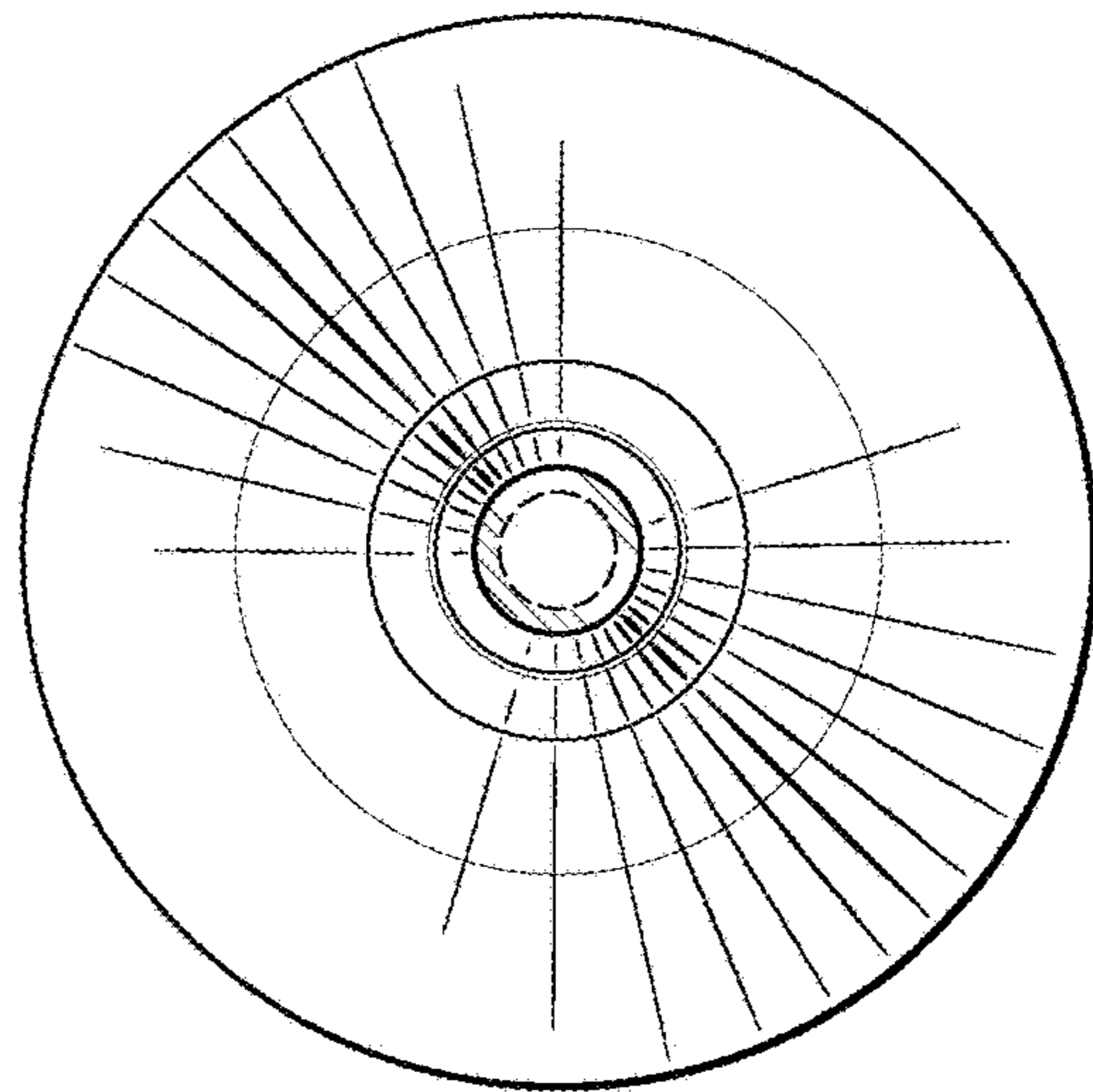


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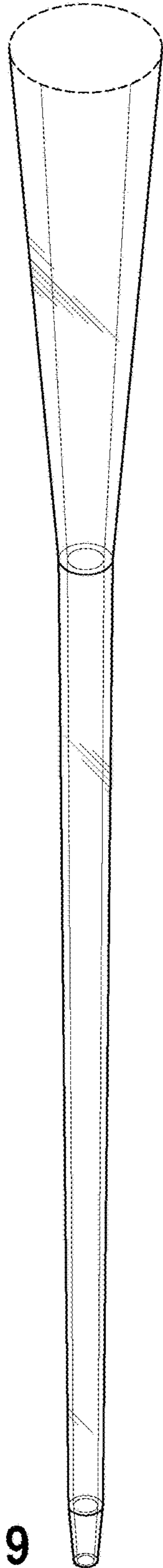


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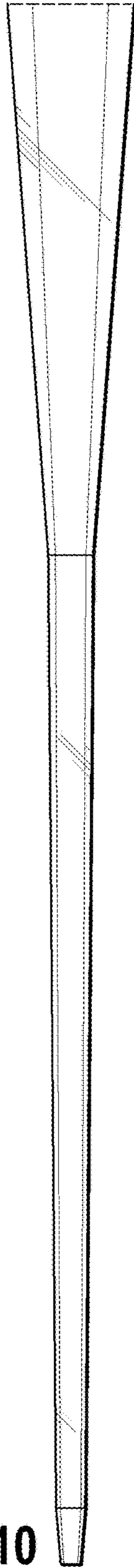


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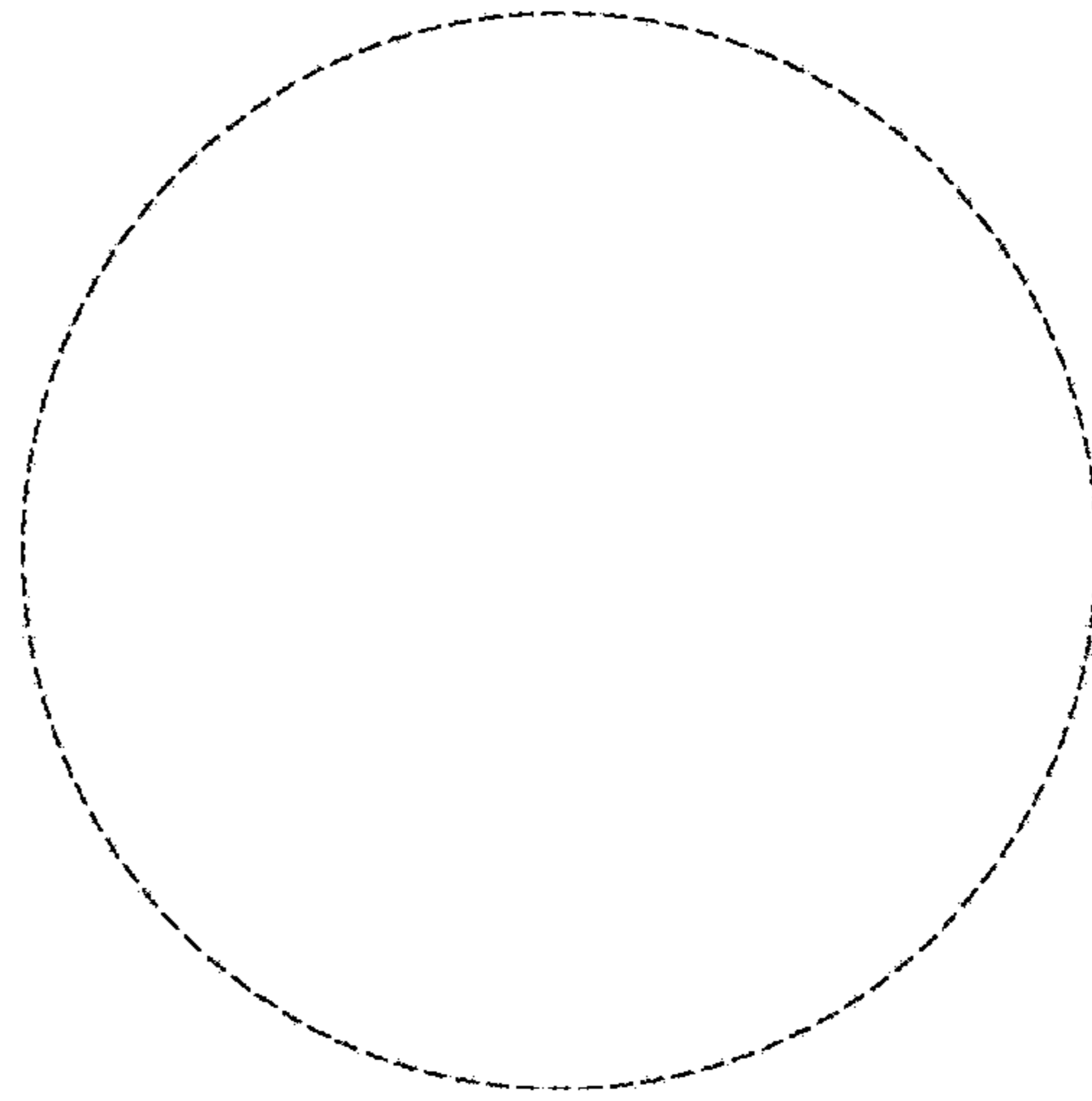


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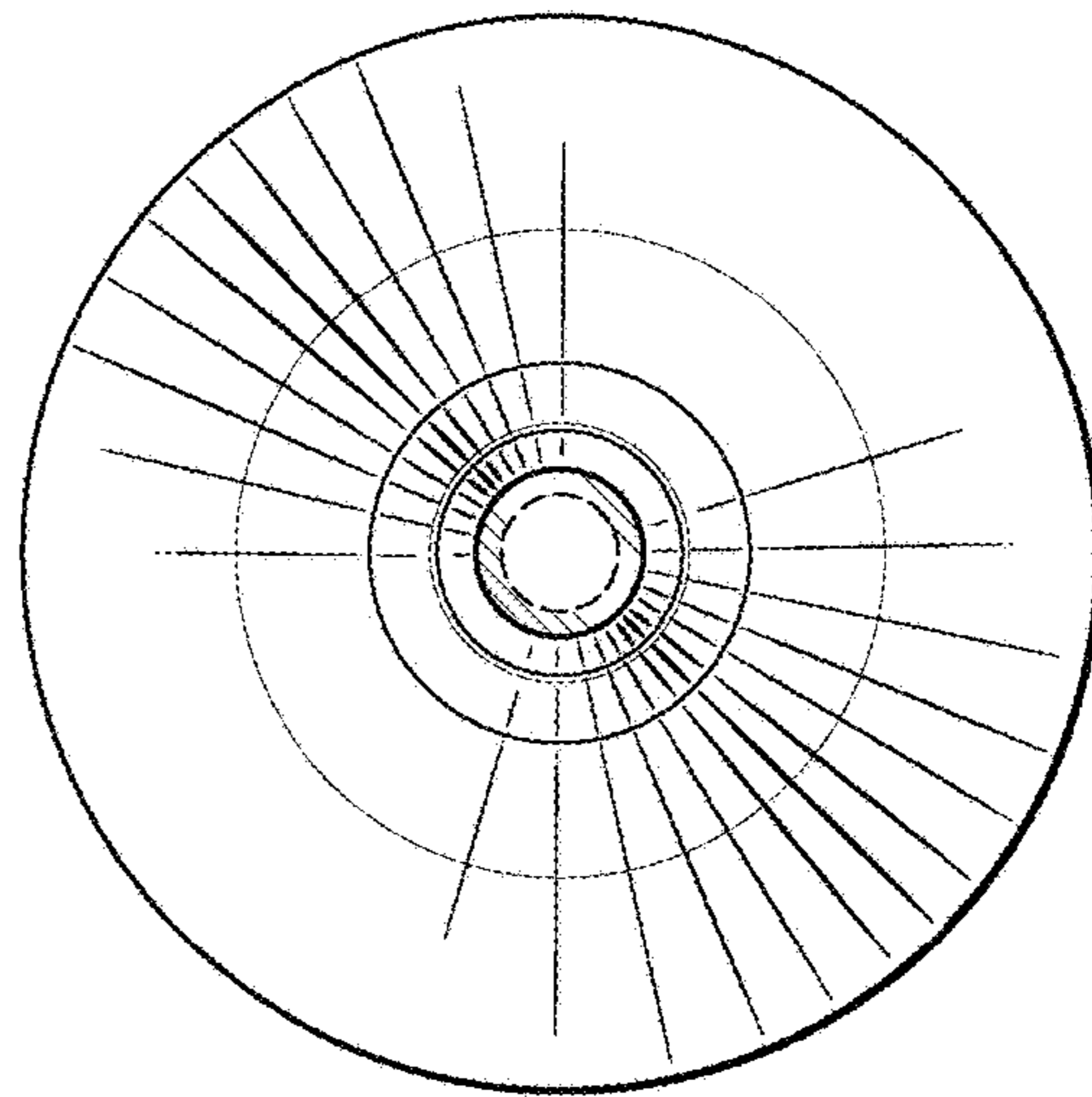


FIG. 12

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**CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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