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

See application file for complete search history.

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DESCRIPTION

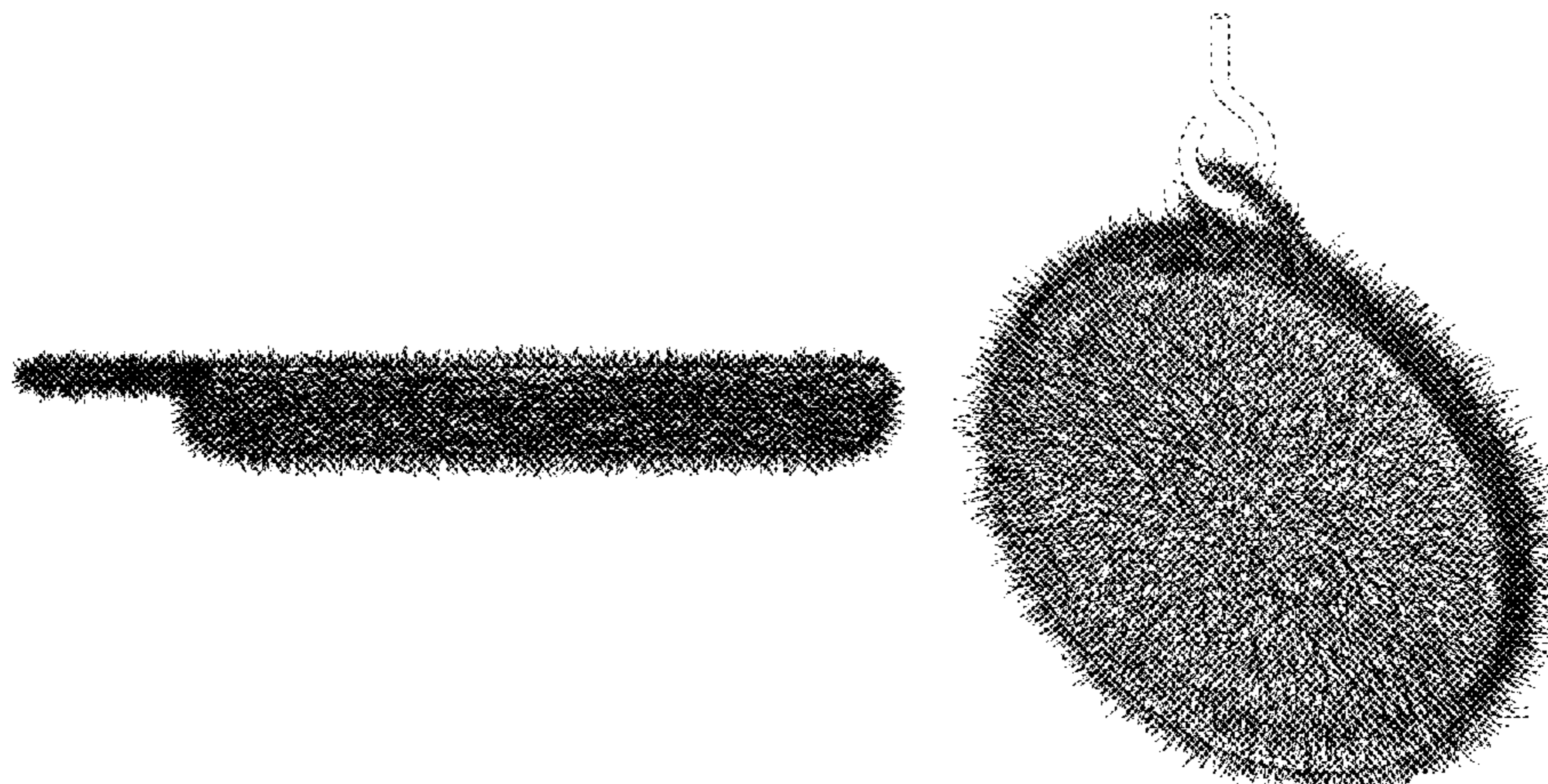
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FIG. 1 is a top perspective view for a sponge showing my new design;
FIG. 2 is a bottom perspective view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a front side view thereof.
FIG. 4 is a rear side view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a left side view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a right side view thereof;
FIG. 7 is a top side view thereof;
FIG. 8 is a bottom side view thereof; and,
FIG. 9 is a front perspective view shown in an environment of use.
Aside from the curvature shown in FIGS. 3-7, the two large circular surfaces follow a flat contour.
The broken lines in FIG. 9 depict environmental subject matter of hook for the invention and forms no part of the claimed design.

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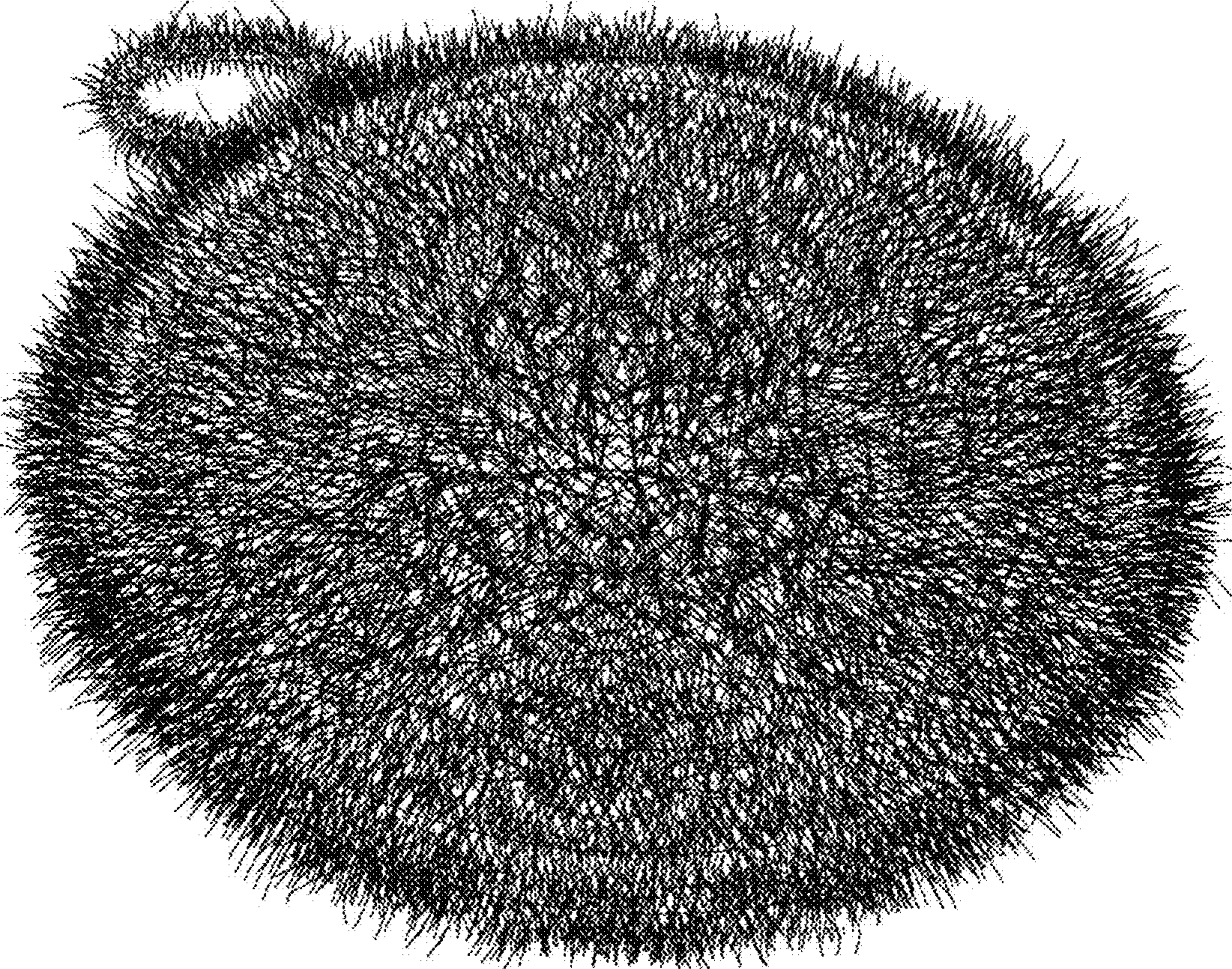


FIG. 1

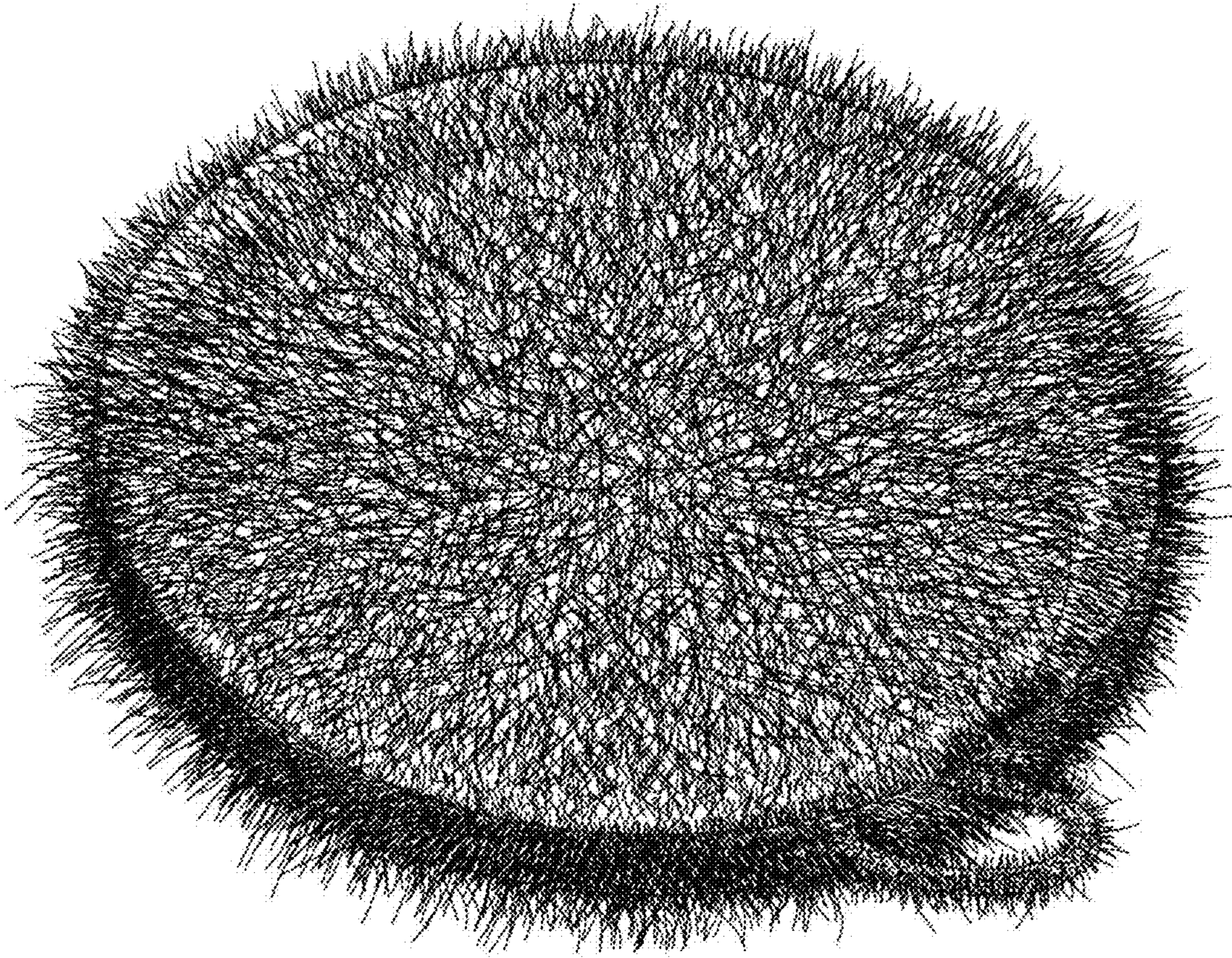


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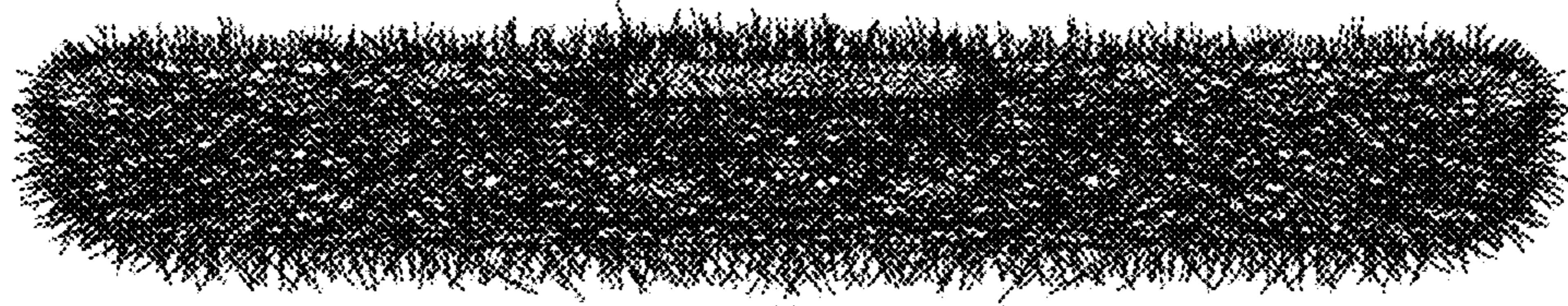


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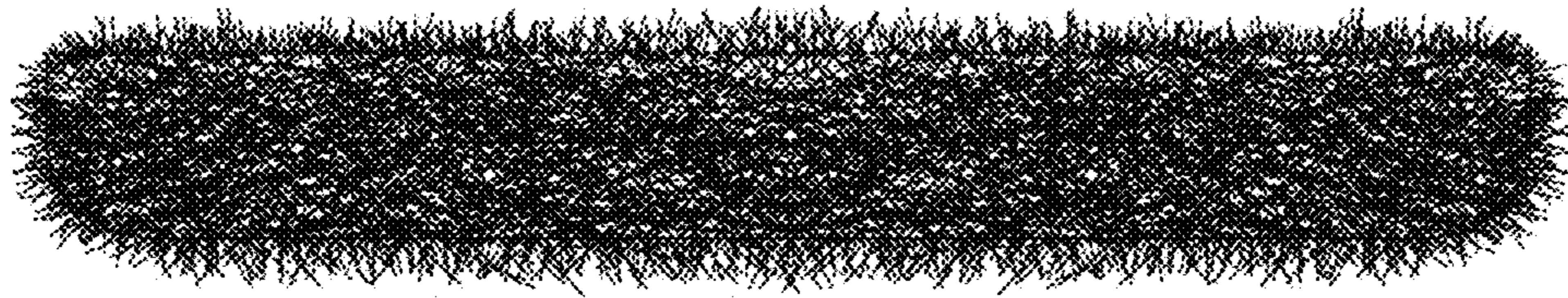


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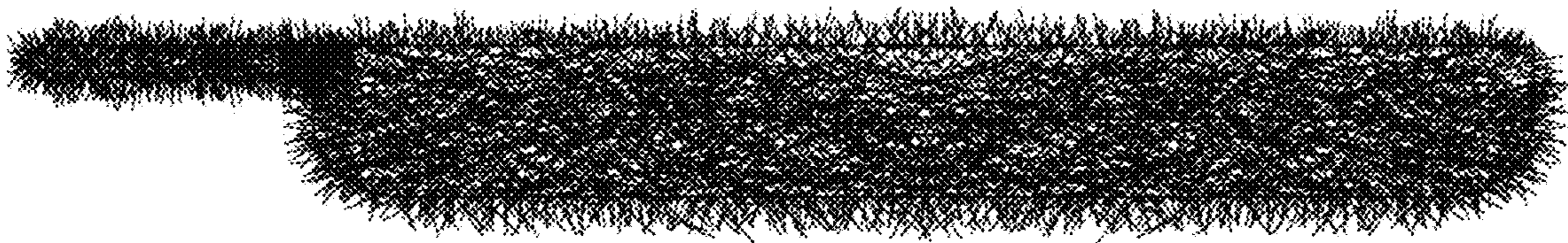


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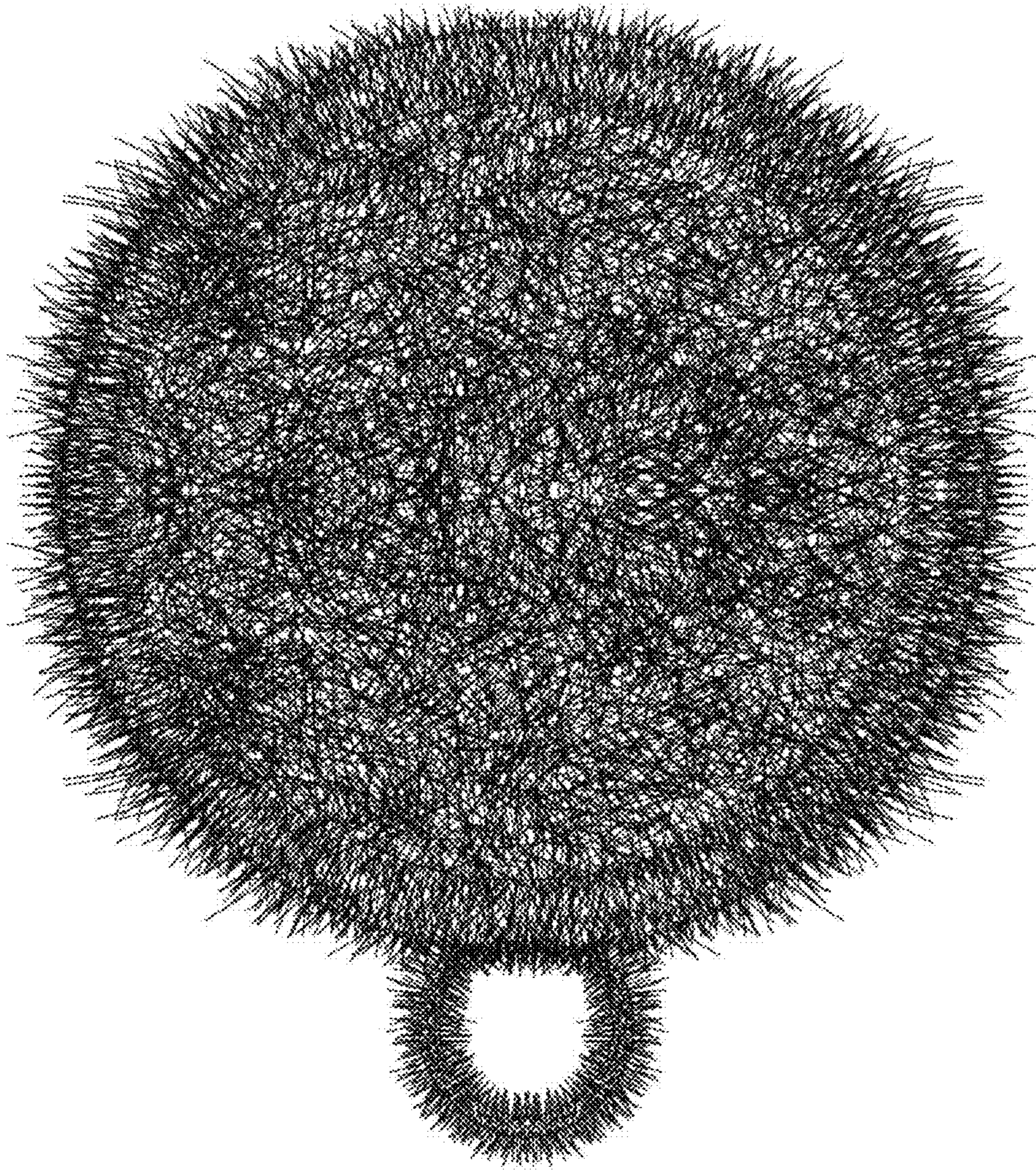


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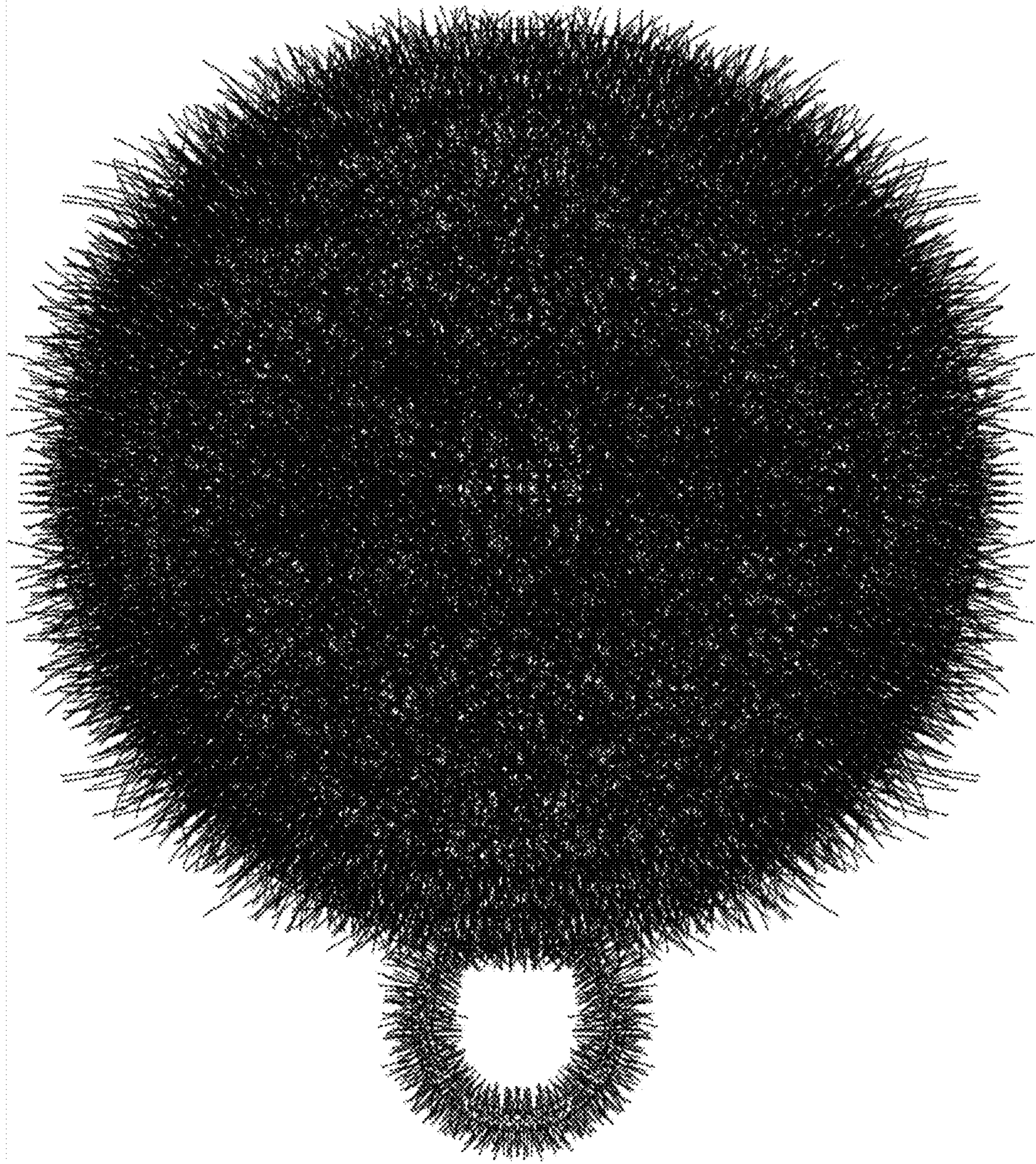


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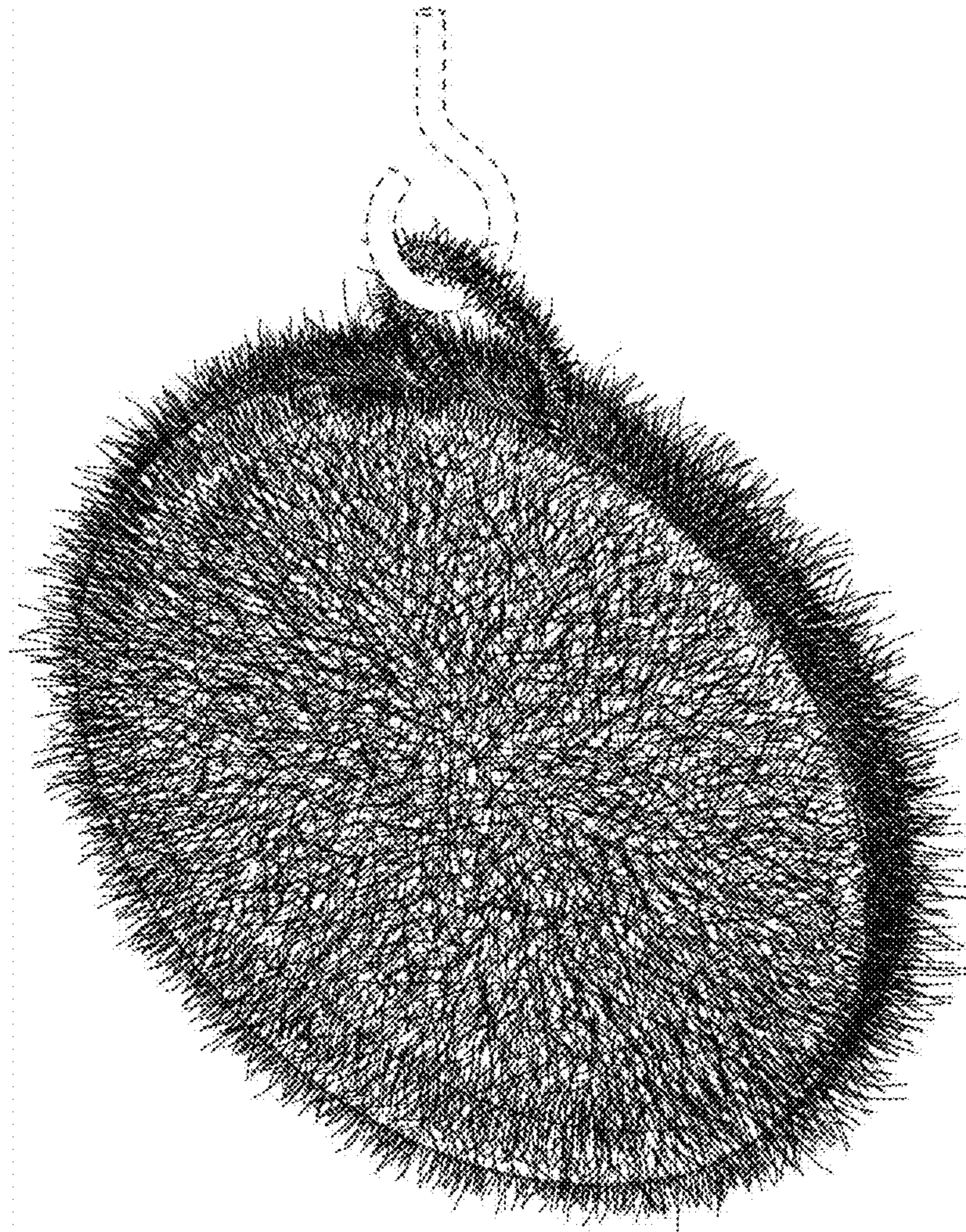


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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the Title Page

The second named inventor is John R. Davey and not John J. Davey.

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