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(54) **VEHICLE FRONT UPPER GRILLE**
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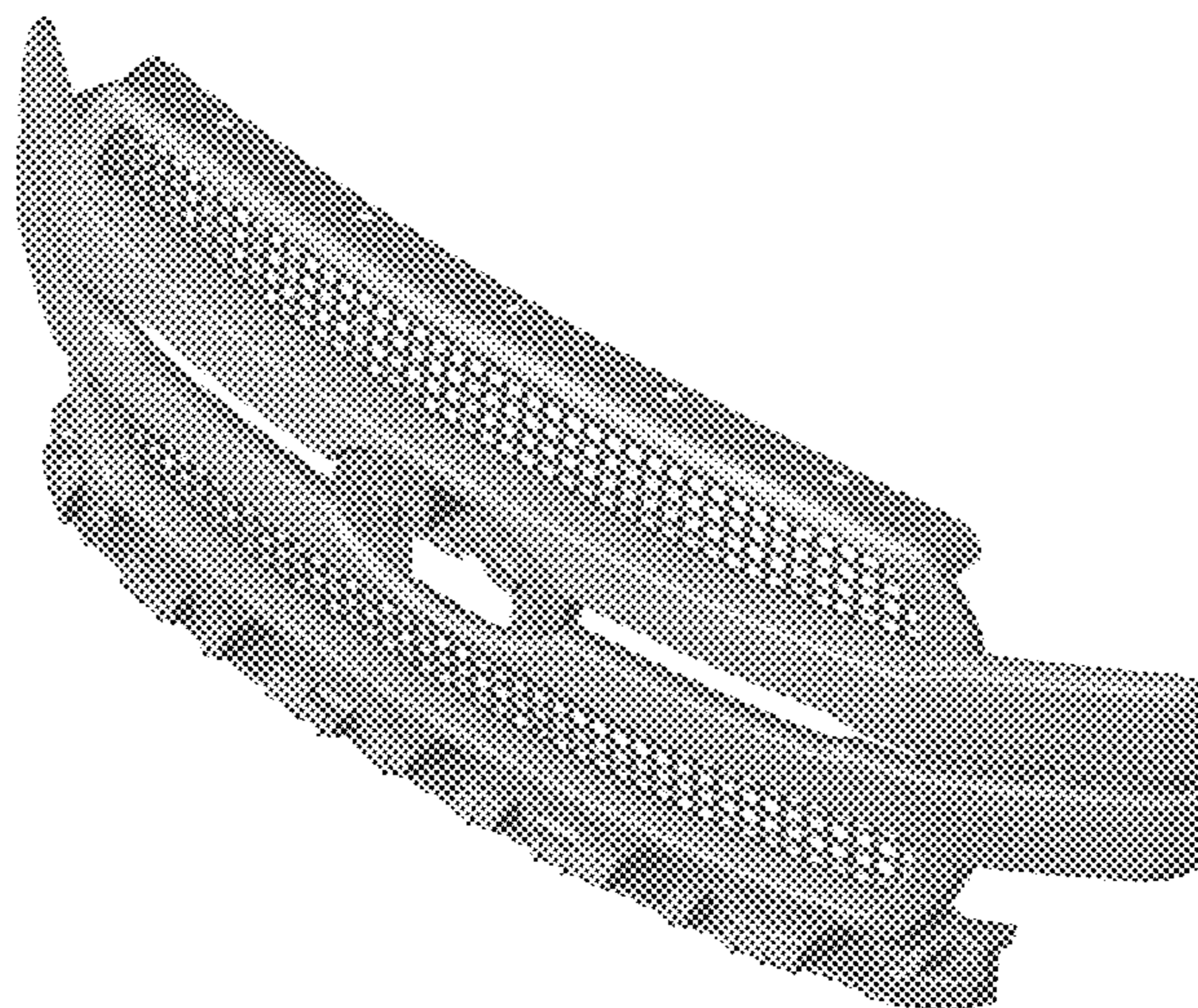
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a vehicle front upper grille, as shown.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a top left perspective view of a vehicle front upper grille, showing our new design;
FIG. 2 is a bottom left perspective view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a top rear perspective view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a front elevational view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a left side elevational view thereof;
FIG. 7 is a right side elevational view thereof;
FIG. 8 is a top plan view thereof; and,
FIG. 9 is a bottom plan view thereof.

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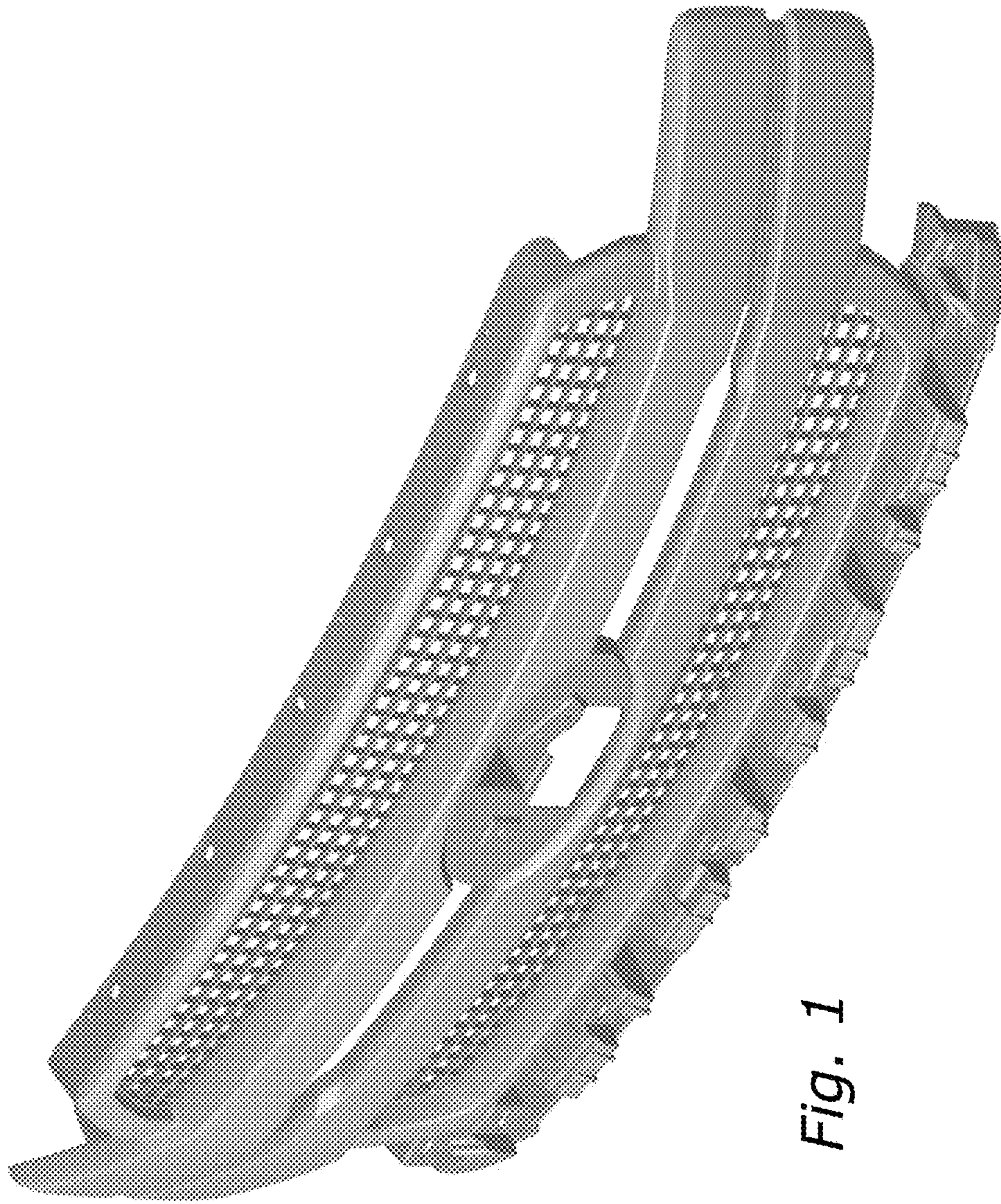


Fig. 1

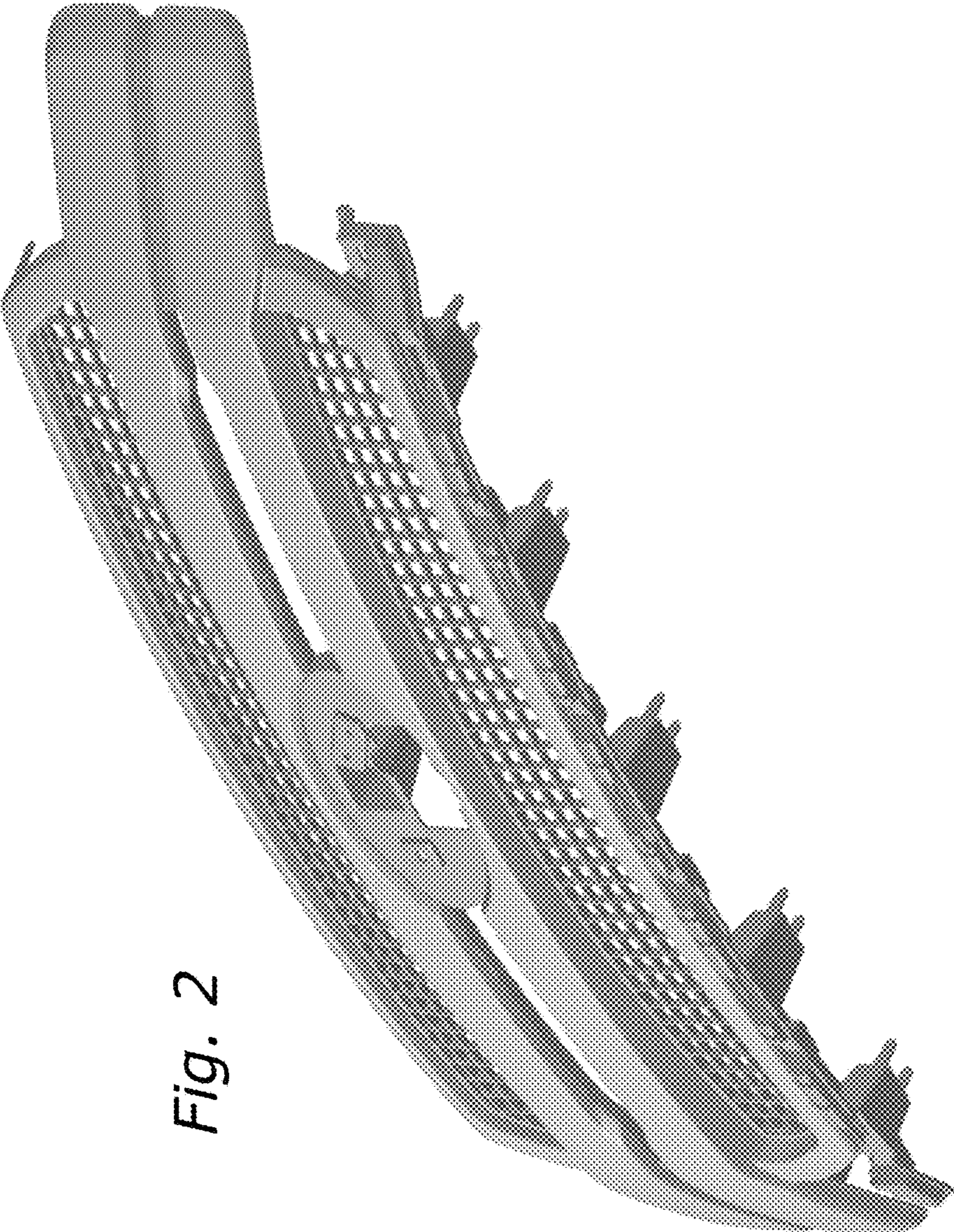


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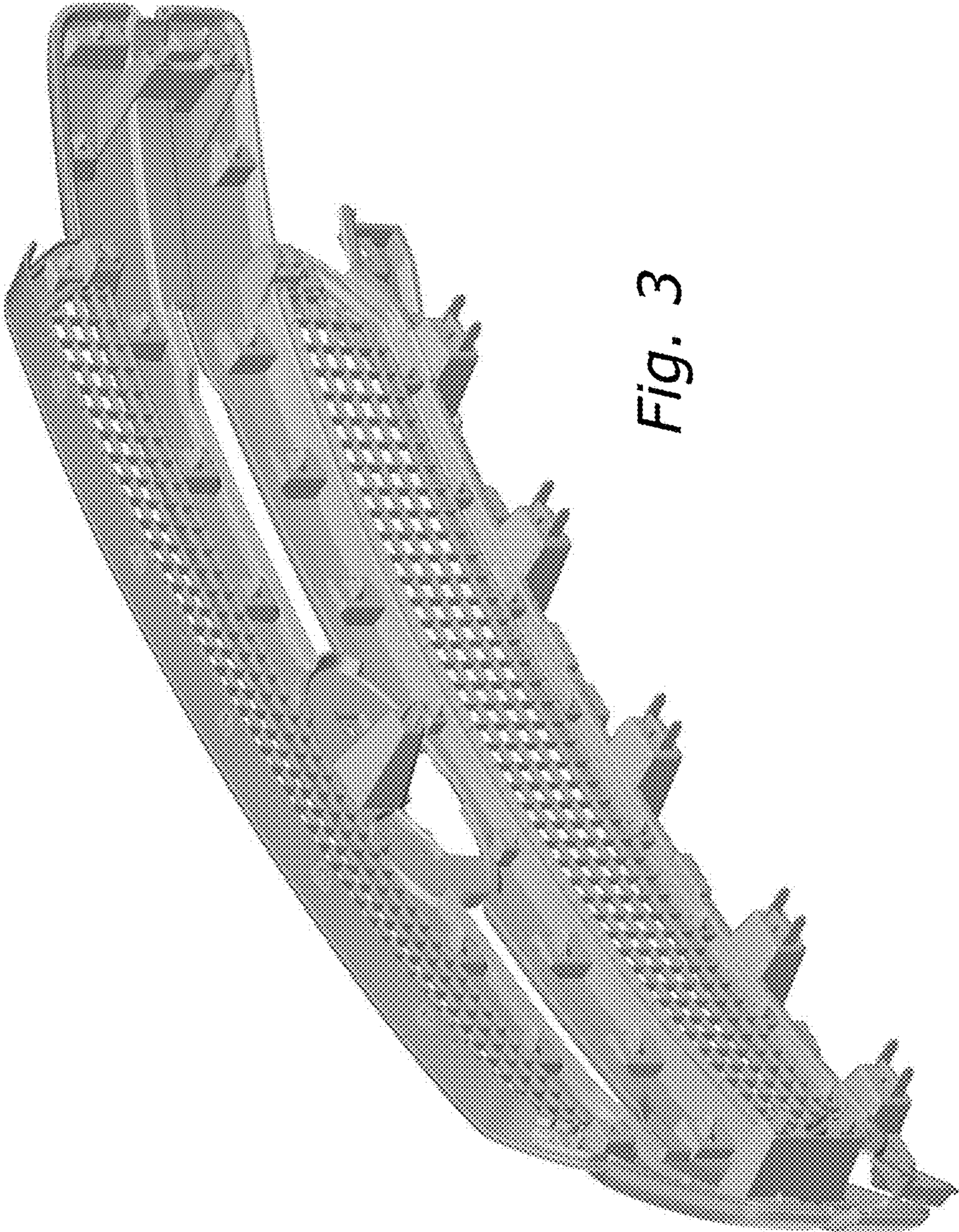


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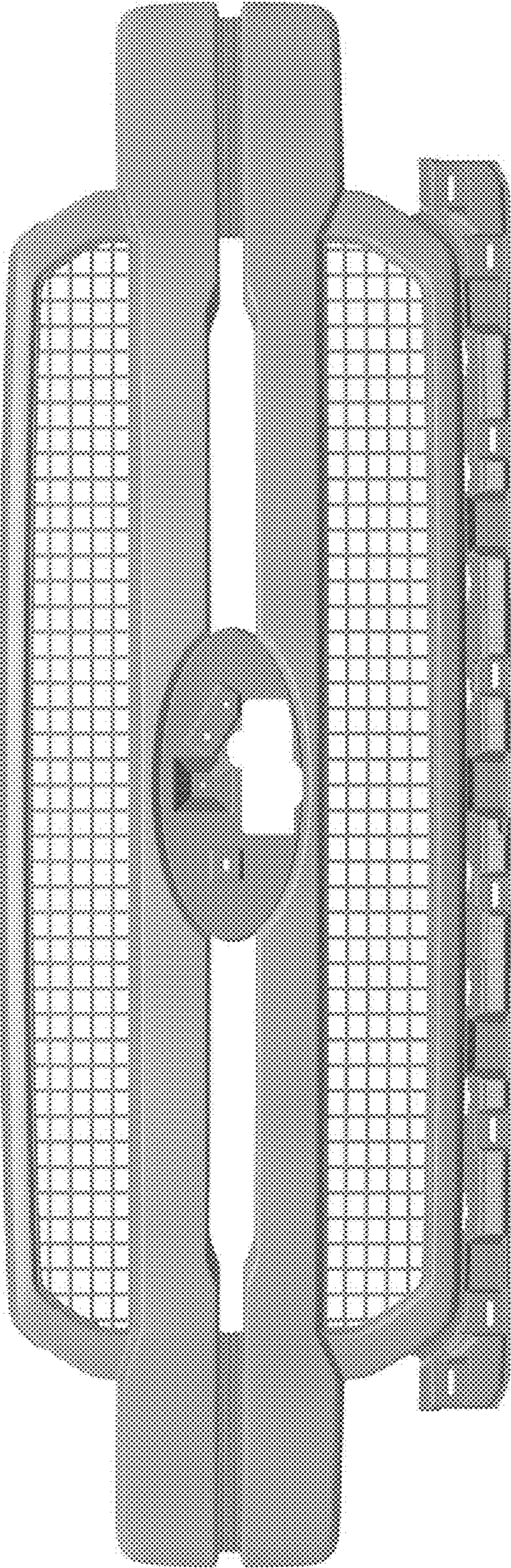


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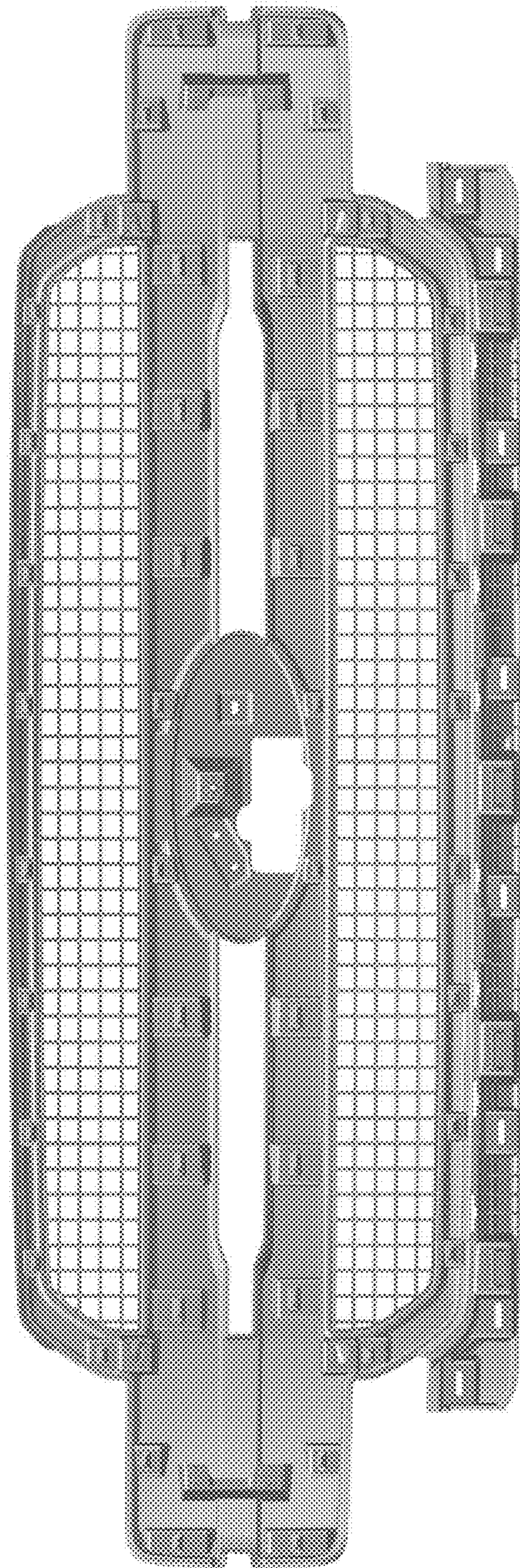


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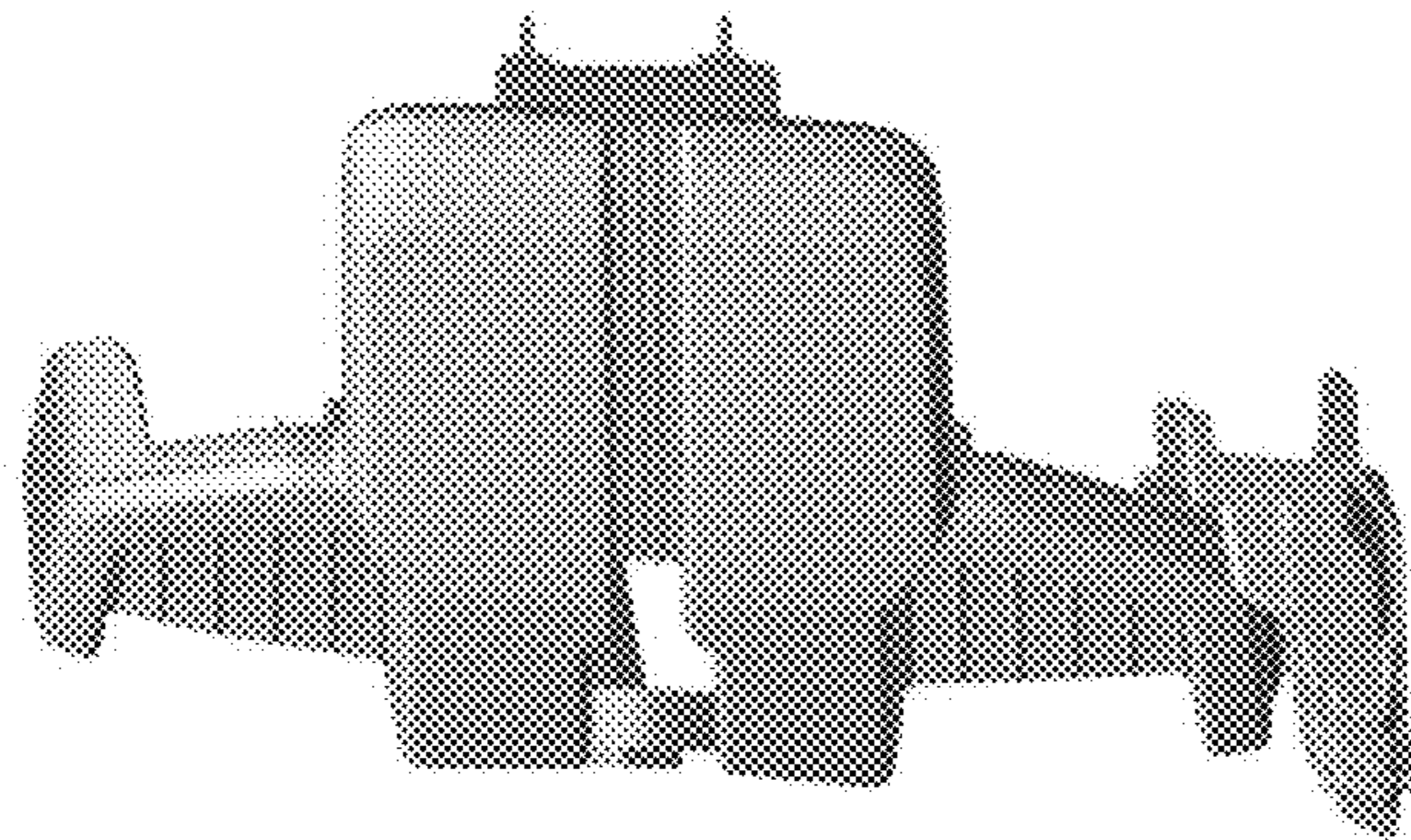


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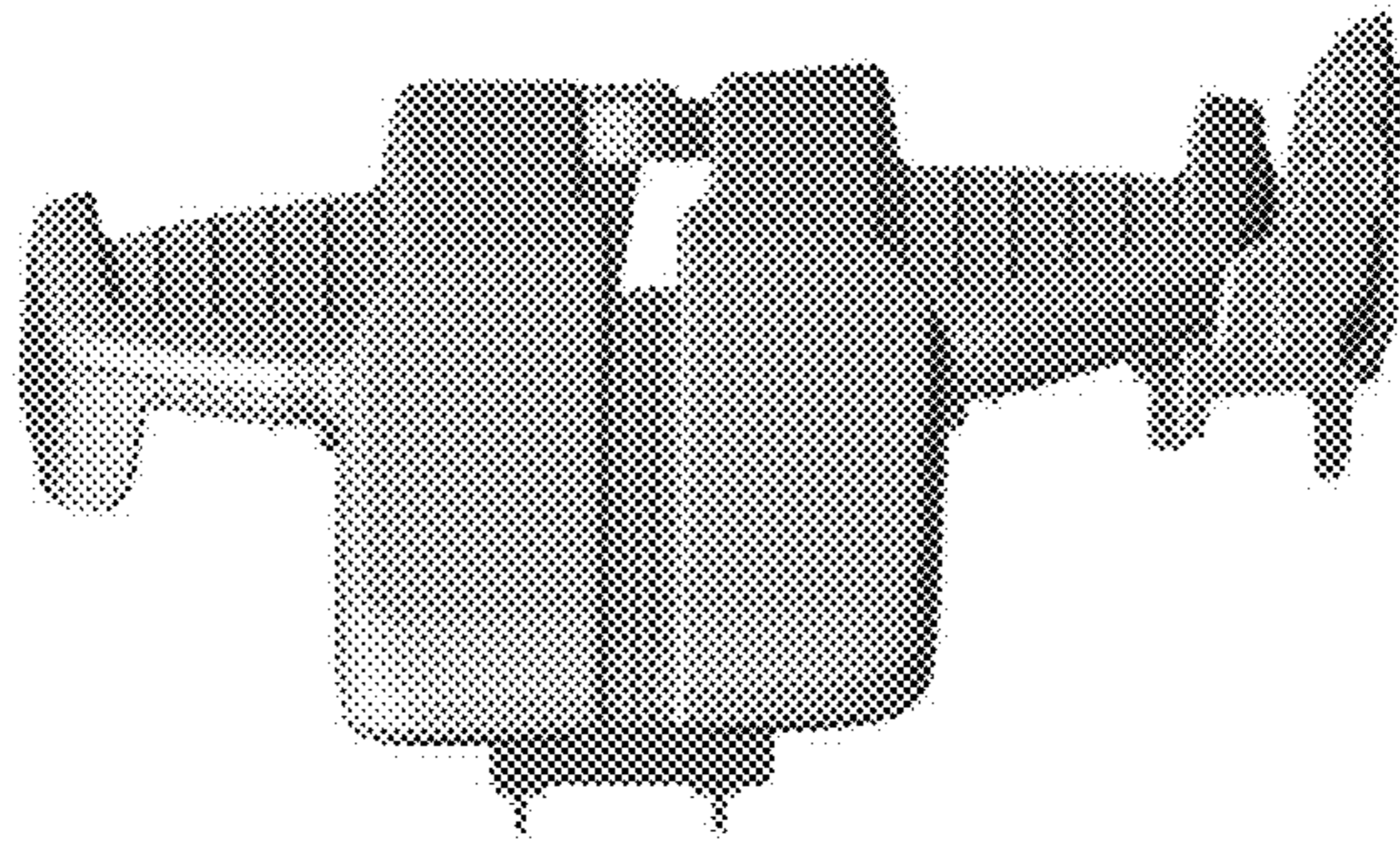


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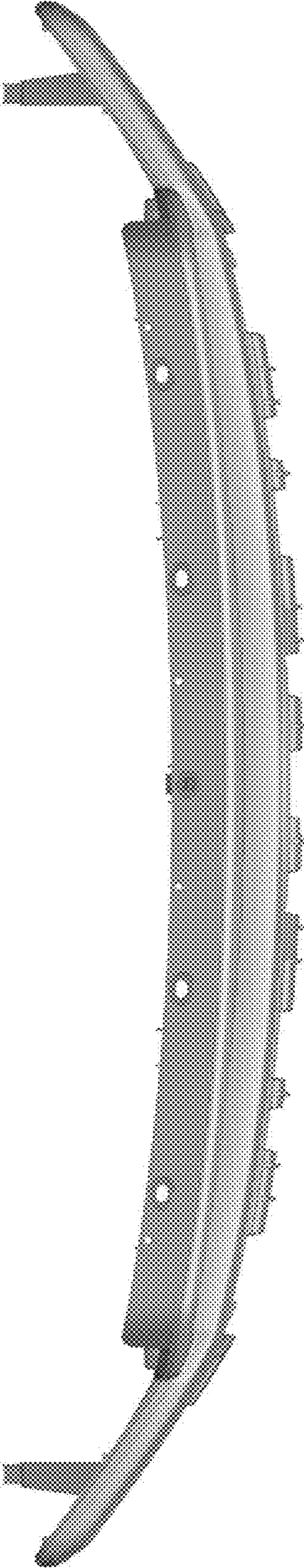


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