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(54) **VEHICLE FRONT UPPER GRILLE**

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

**DESCRIPTION**

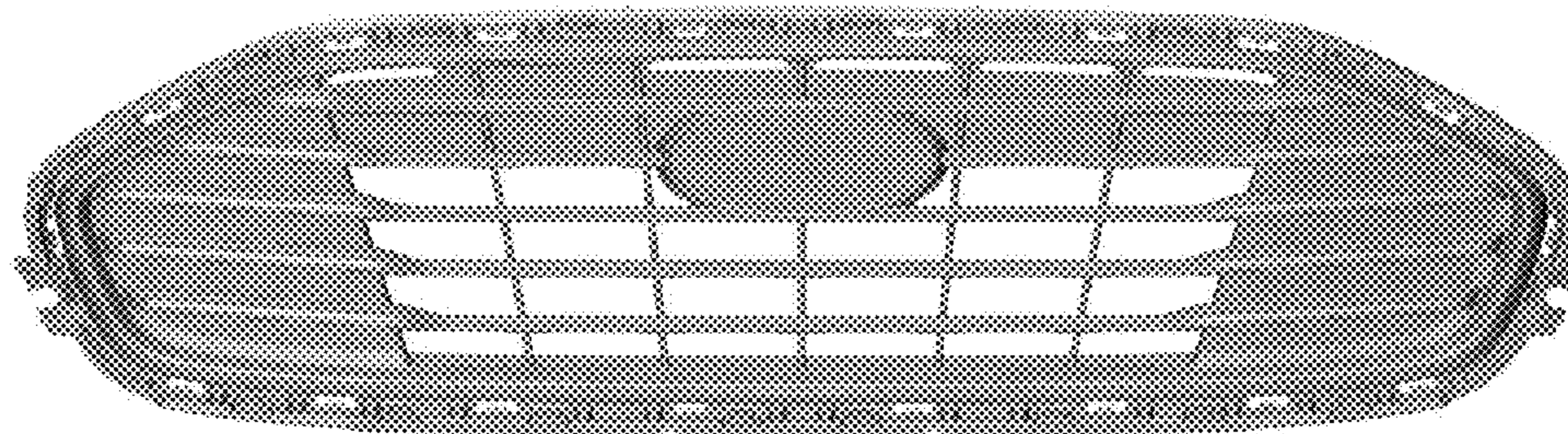
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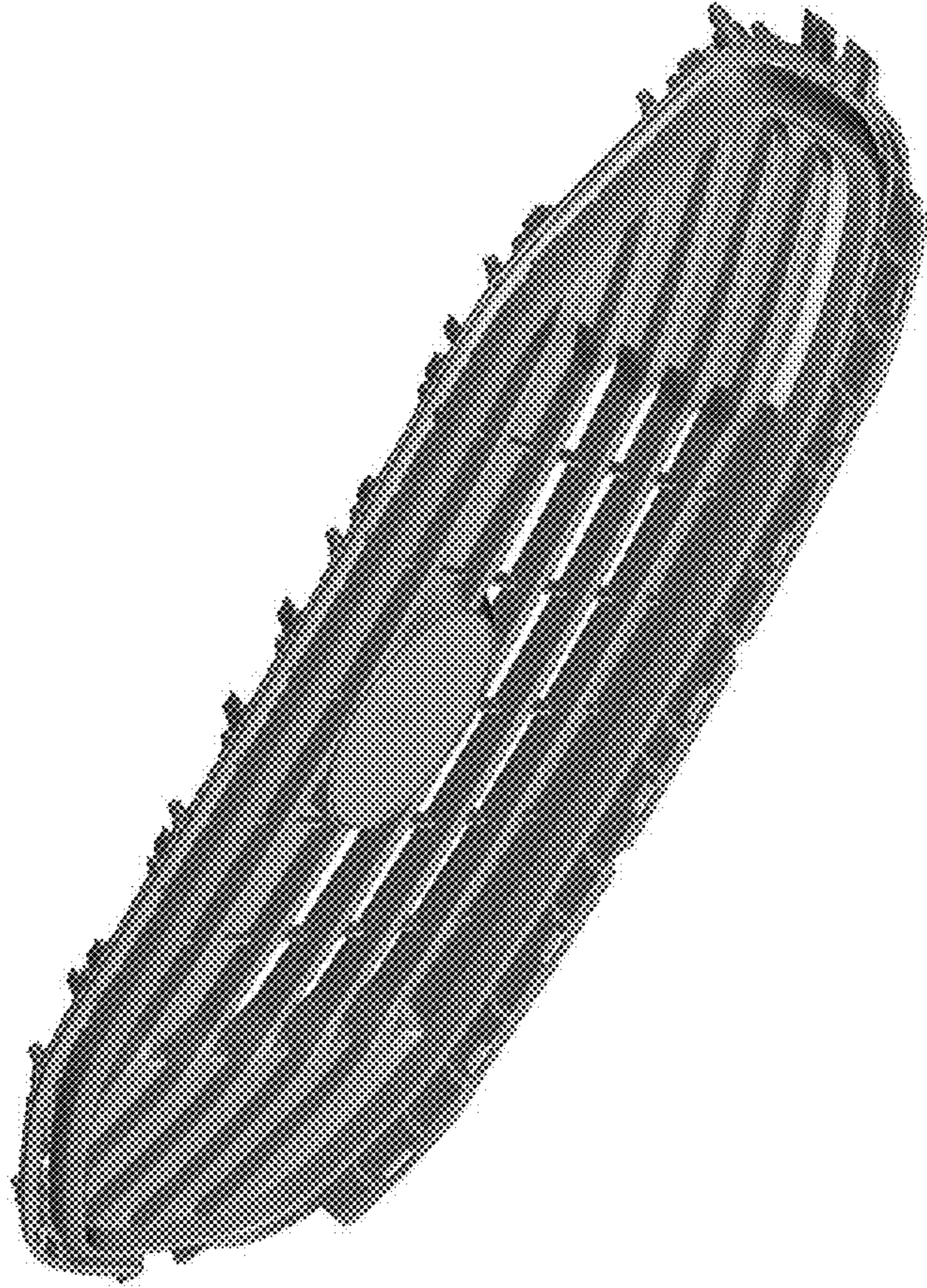
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FIG. 1 is a top, front, and left side perspective view of a vehicle front upper grille, showing our new design; FIG. 2 is a bottom, front, and left side perspective view thereof; FIG. 3 is a top, rear, and left side perspective view thereof; FIG. 4 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.

**1 Claim, 9 Drawing Sheets**



*Figure 1*



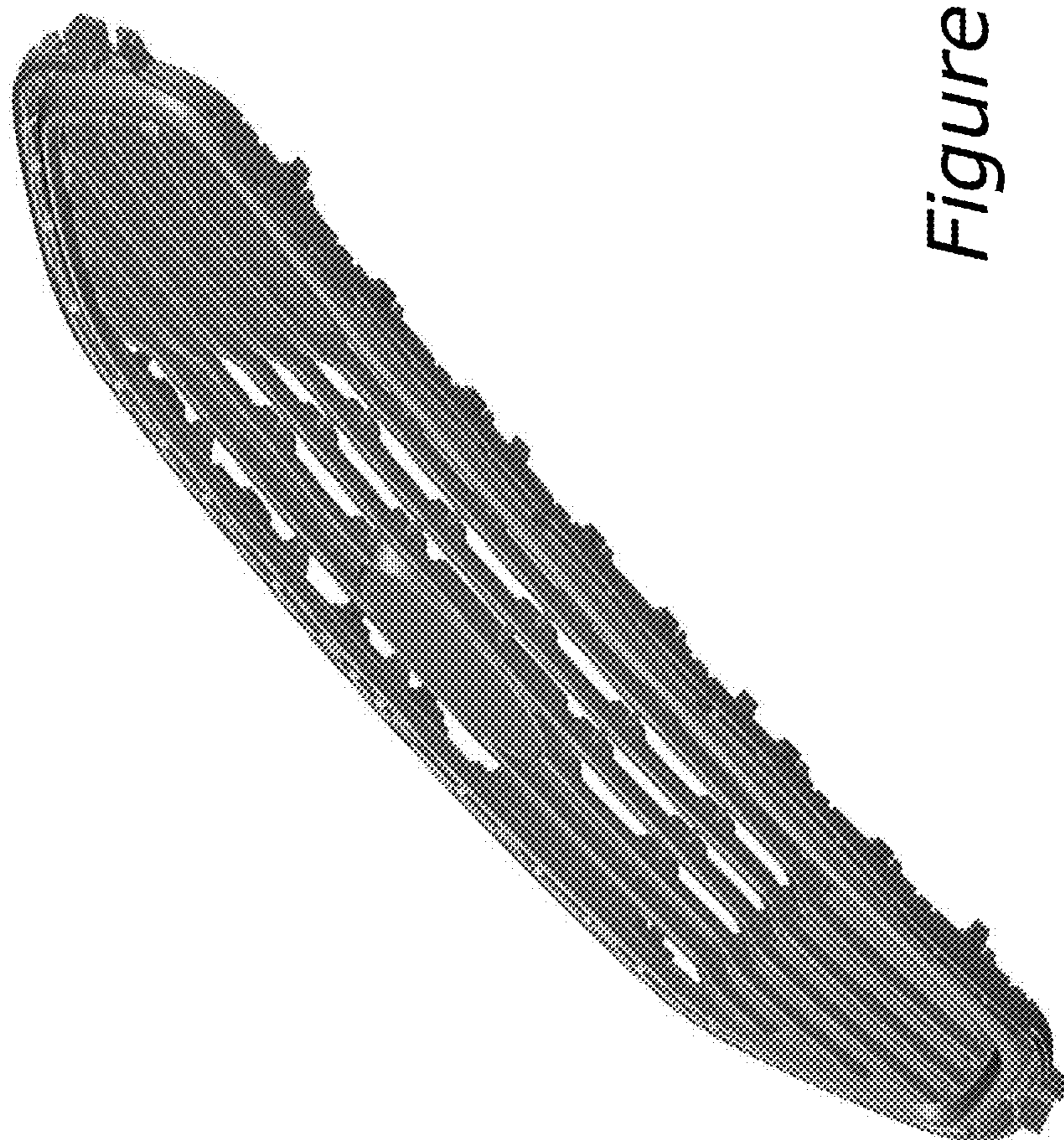


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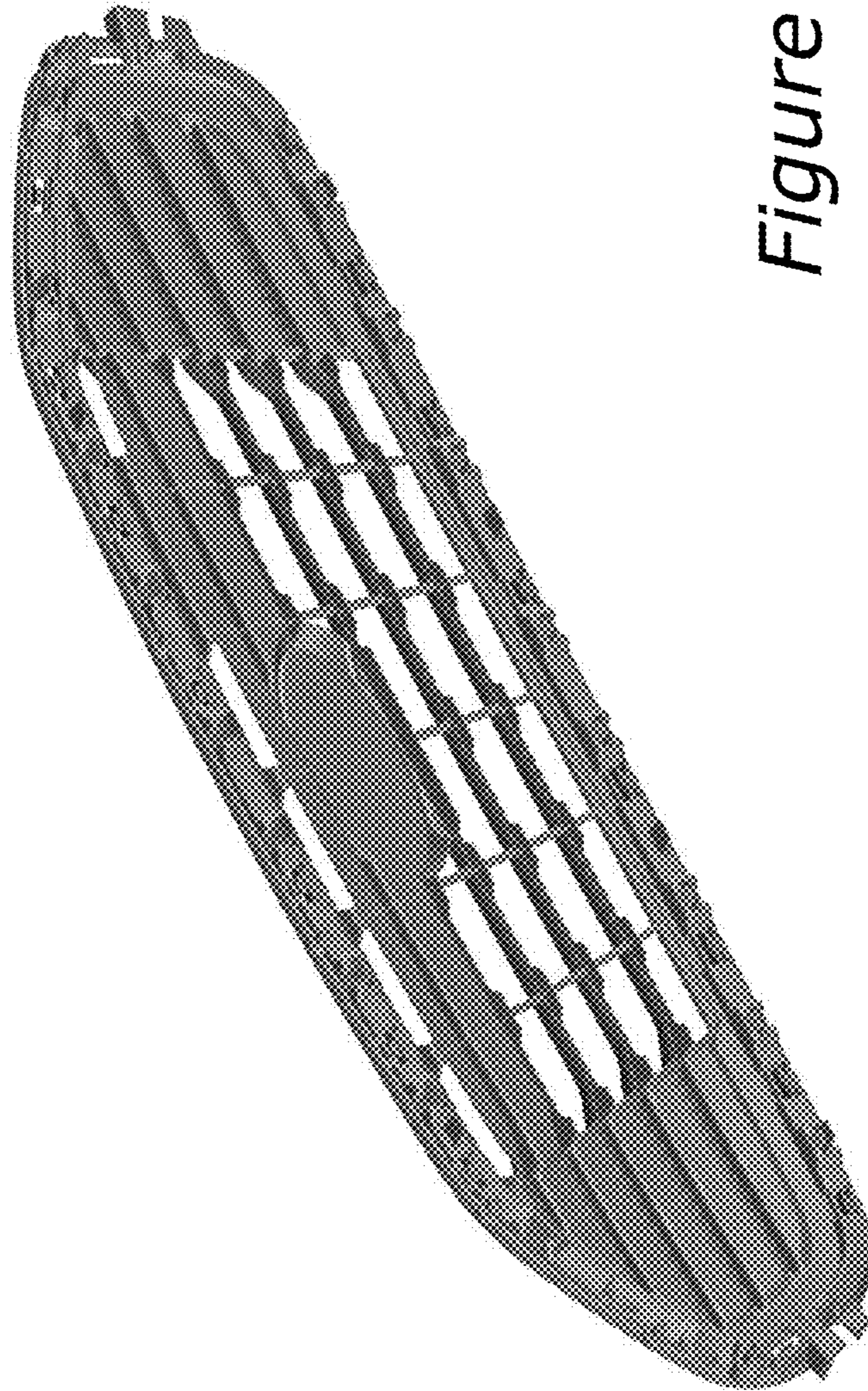


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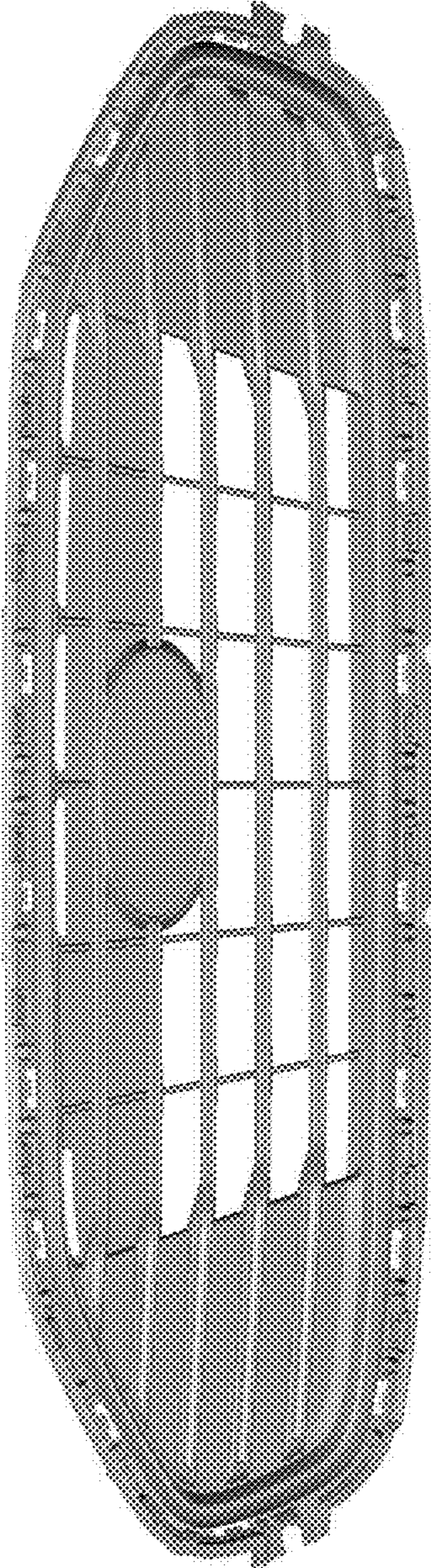


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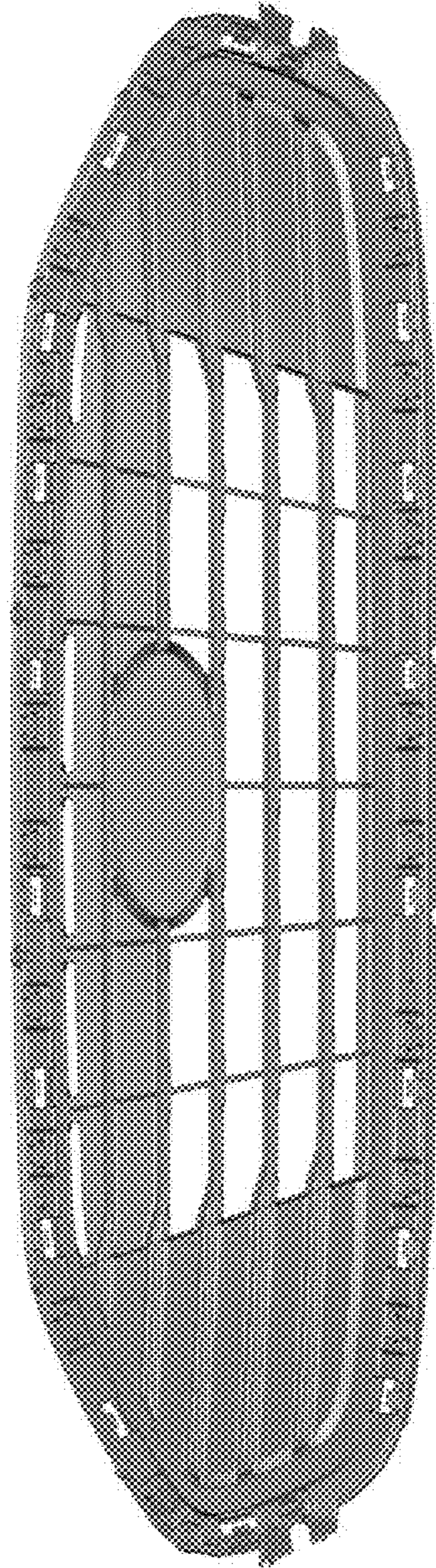
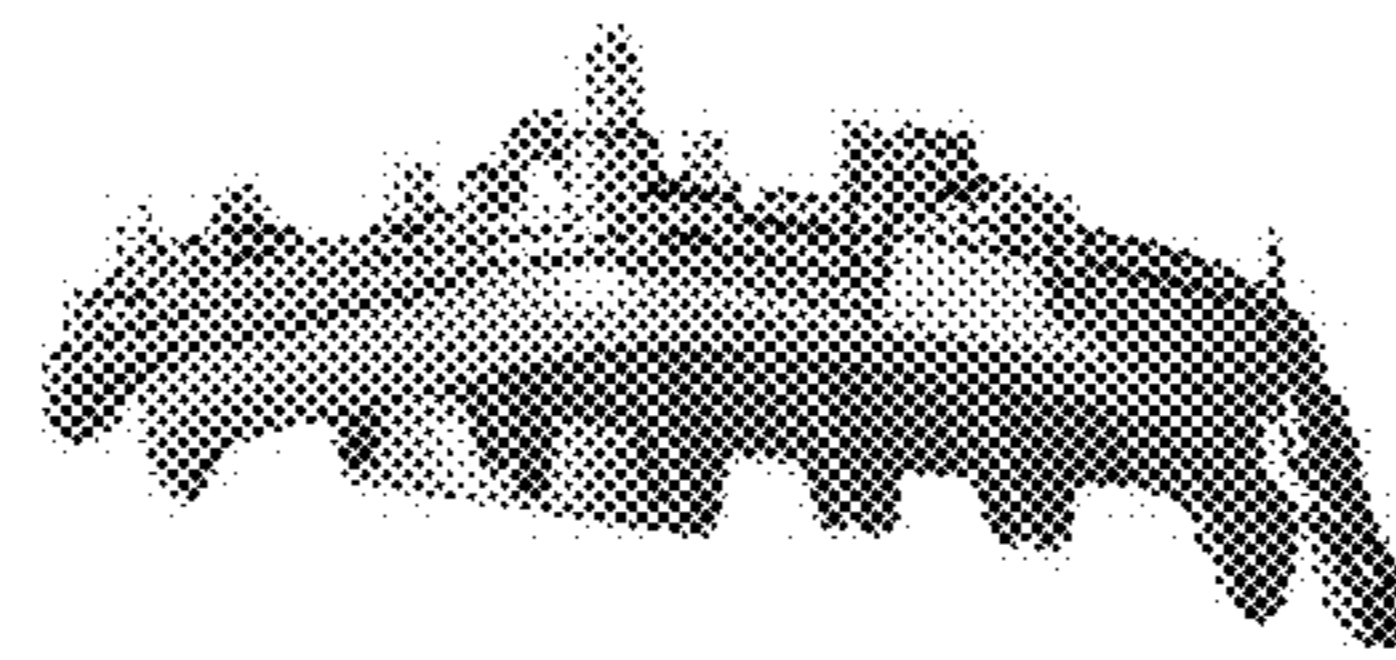


Figure 5



*Figure 6*

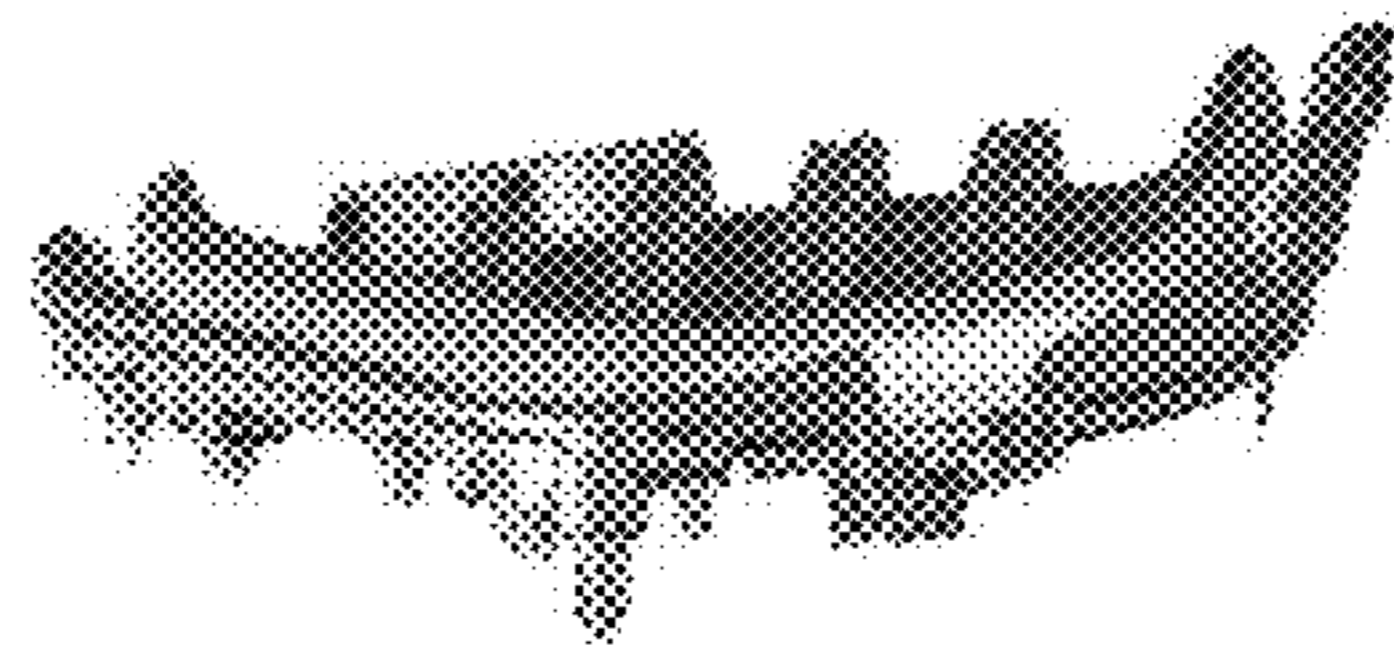


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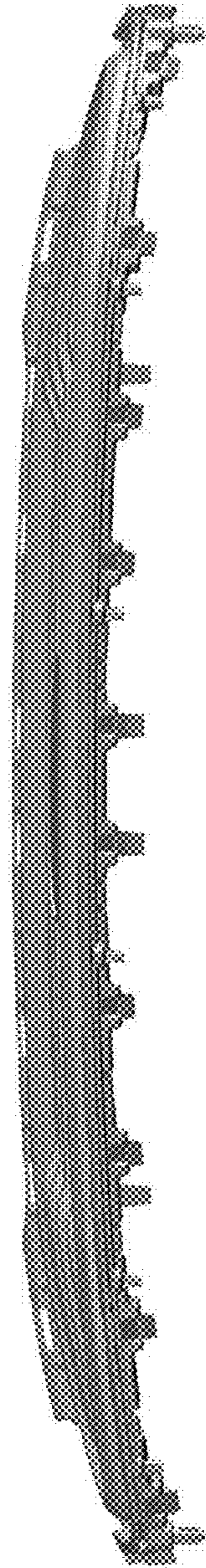


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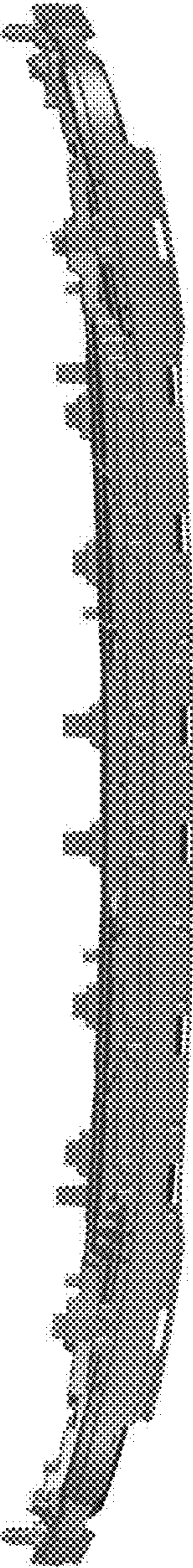


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