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(54) **FOLDED SUTURE NEEDLE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a folded suture needle, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a folded suture needle, showing my new design;

FIG. 2 is a right side view of the folded suture needle shown in FIG. 1;

FIG. 3 is a left side view of the folded suture needle shown in FIG. 1;

FIG. 4 is a distal end view of the folded suture needle shown in FIG. 1;

FIG. 5 is a proximal end view of the folded suture needle shown in FIG. 1;

FIG. 6 is a top plan view of the folded suture needle shown in FIG. 1;

FIG. 7 is a bottom view of the folded suture needle shown in FIG. 1;

FIG. 8 is a perspective view of a folded suture needle, showing another embodiment of my new design;

FIG. 9 is a right side view of the folded suture needle shown in FIG. 8;

FIG. 10 is a left side view of the folded suture needle shown in FIG. 8;

FIG. 11 is a distal end view of the folded suture needle shown in FIG. 8;

FIG. 12 is a proximal end view of the folded suture needle shown in FIG. 8;

FIG. 13 is a top plan view of the folded suture needle shown in FIG. 8;

FIG. 14 is a bottom view of the folded suture needle shown in FIG. 8.

FIG. 15 is a perspective view of a folded suture needle, showing another embodiment of my new design;

FIG. 16 is a right side view of the folded suture needle shown in FIG. 15;

FIG. 17 is a left side view of the folded suture needle shown in FIG. 15;

FIG. 18 is a distal end view of the folded suture needle shown in FIG. 15;

FIG. 19 is a proximal end view of the folded suture needle shown in FIG. 15;

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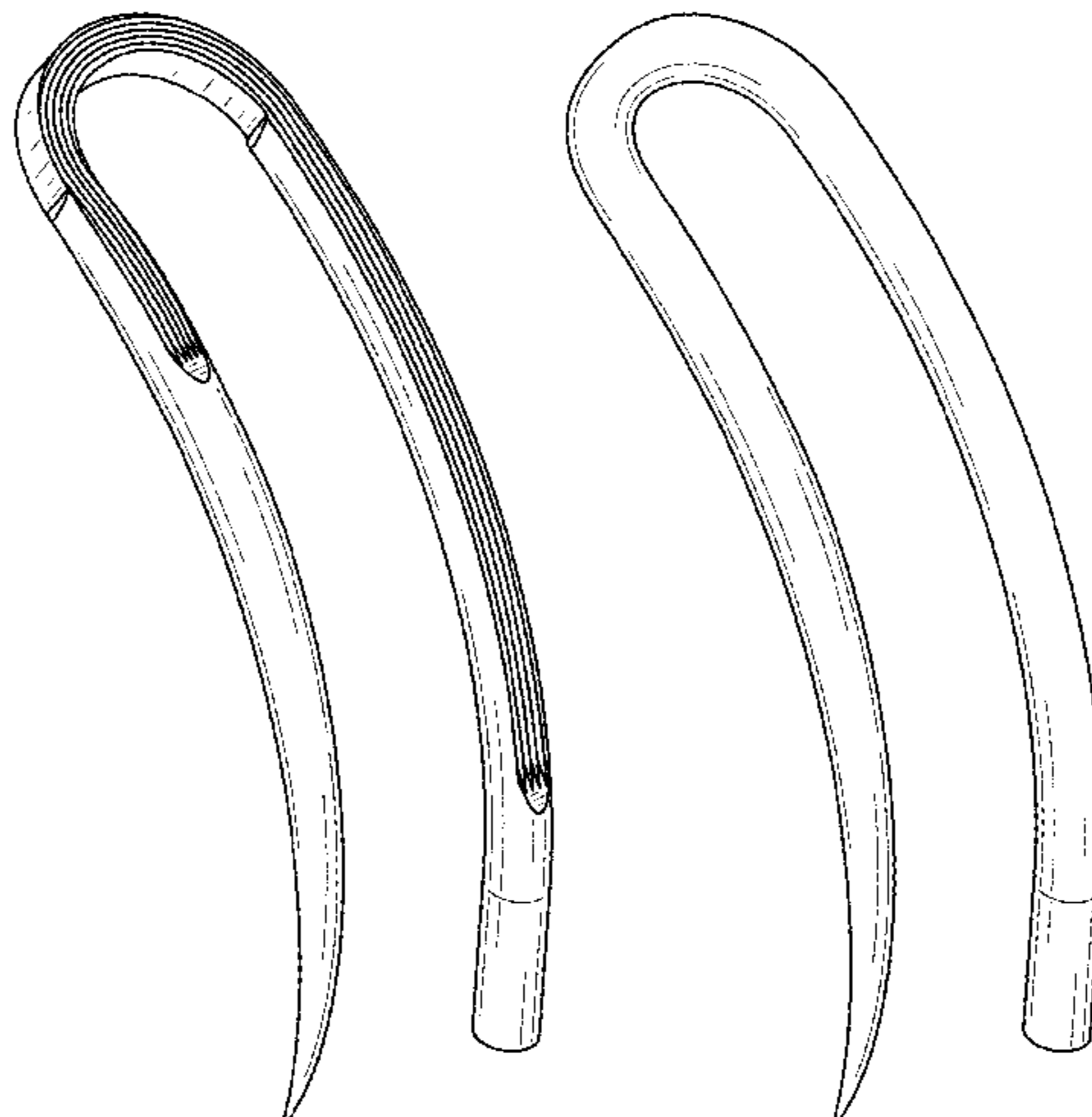


FIG. 20 is a top plan view of the folded suture needle shown in FIG. 15; and, FIG. 21 is a bottom view of the folded suture needle shown in FIG. 15.

The broken lines in the drawings form no part of the claimed design for a folded suture needle.

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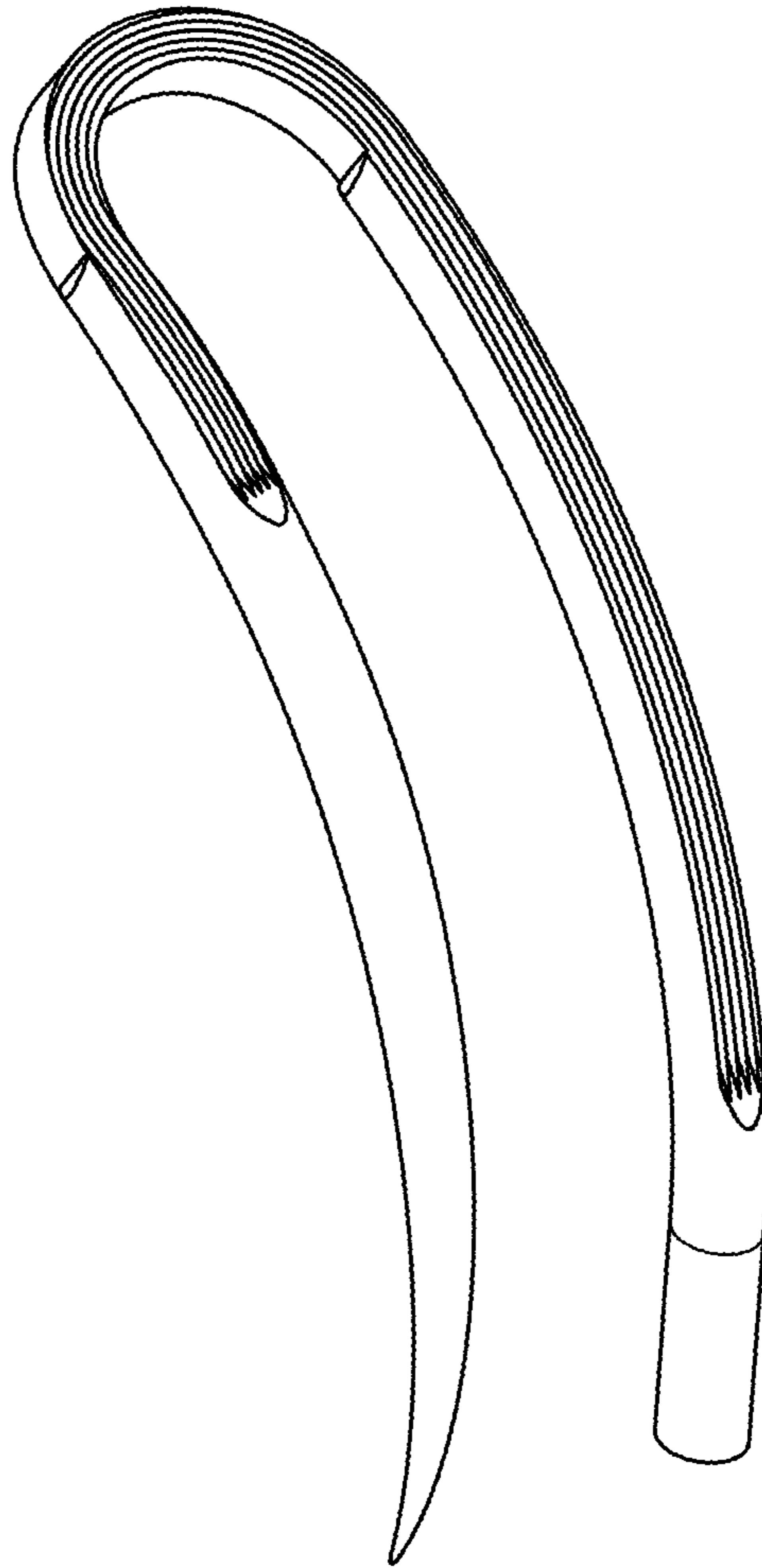


FIG. 1

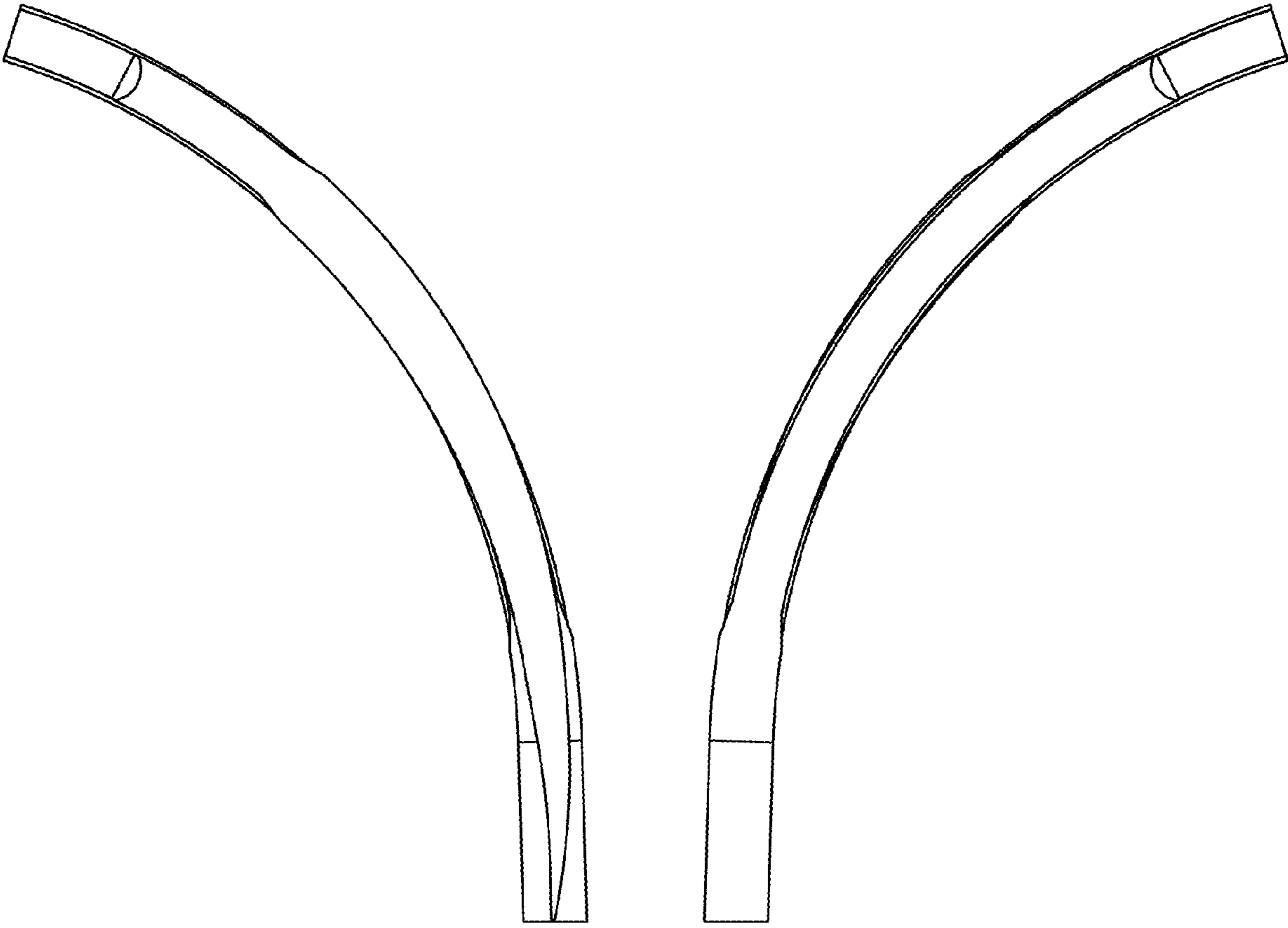


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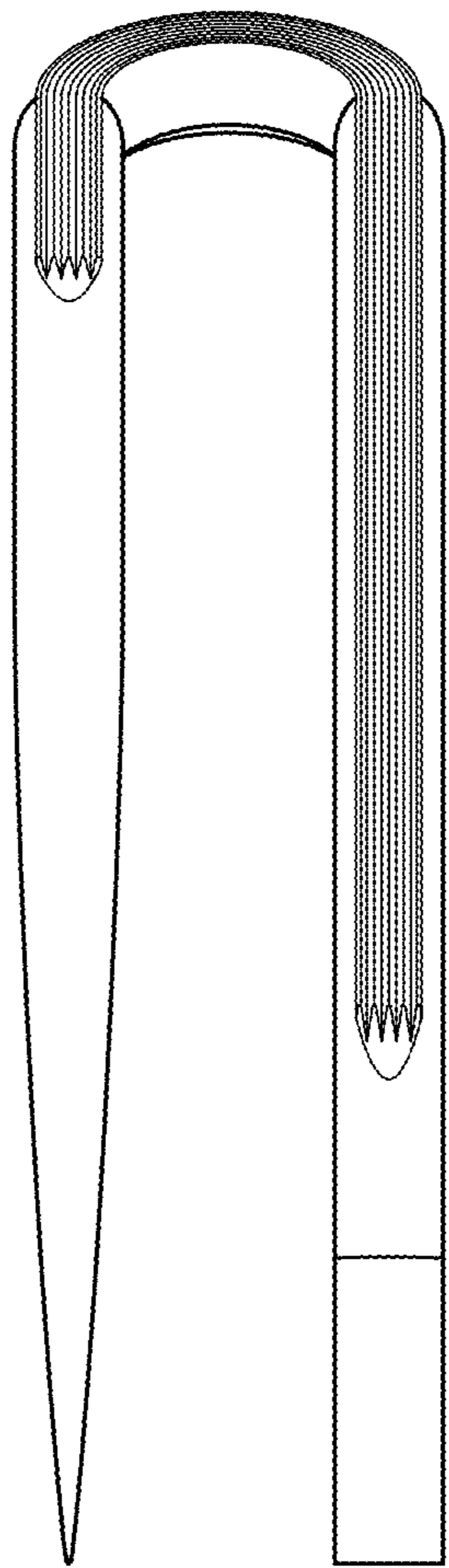


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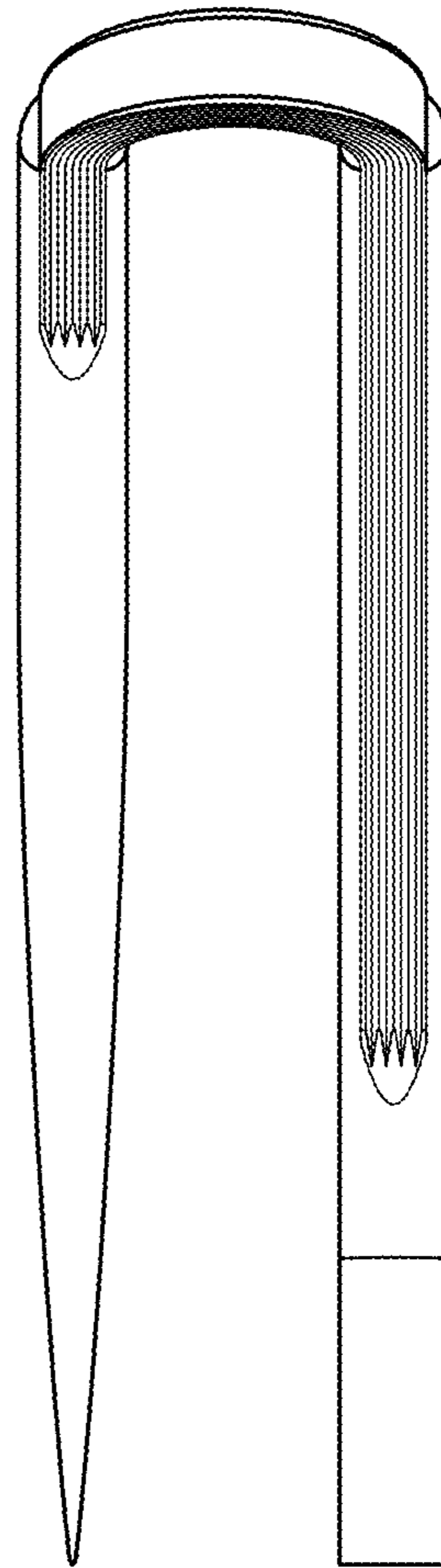


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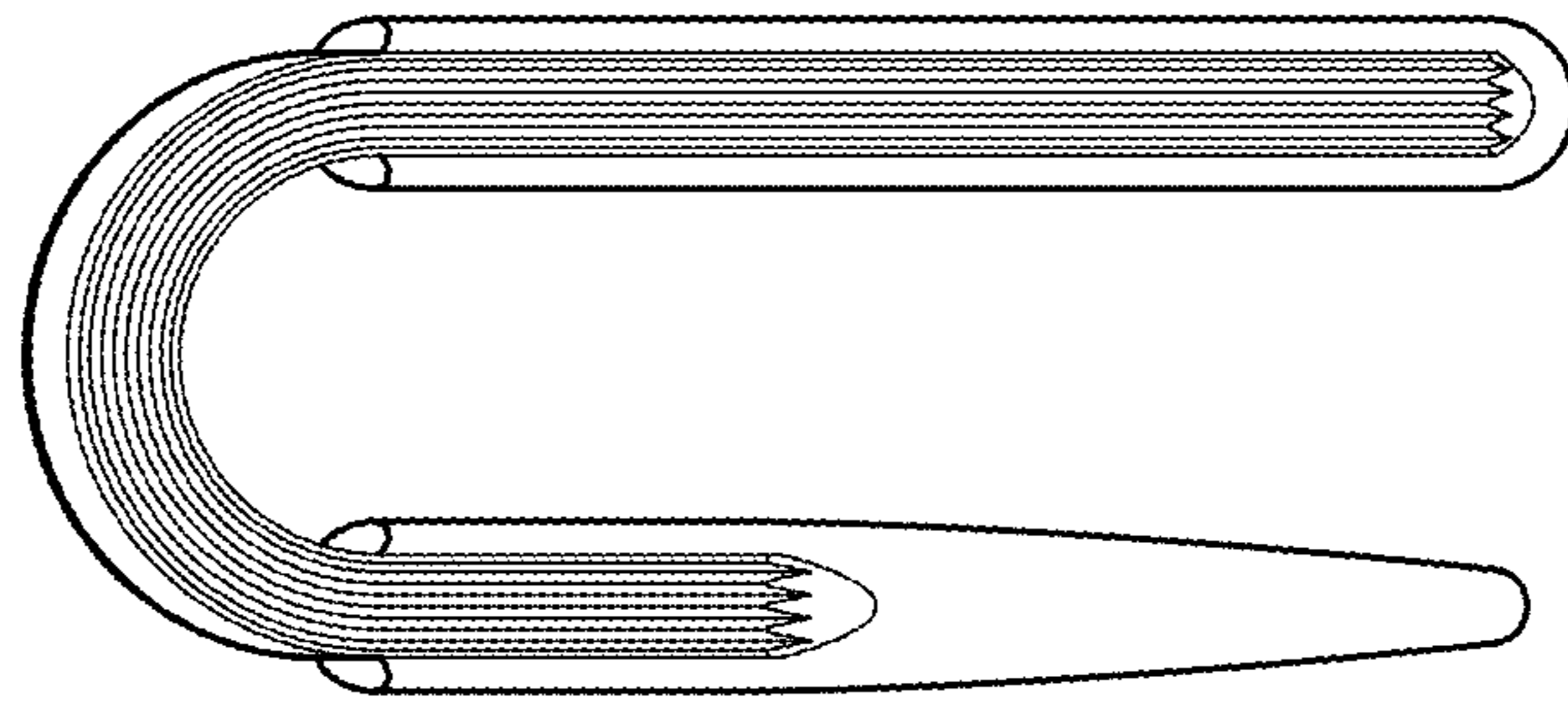


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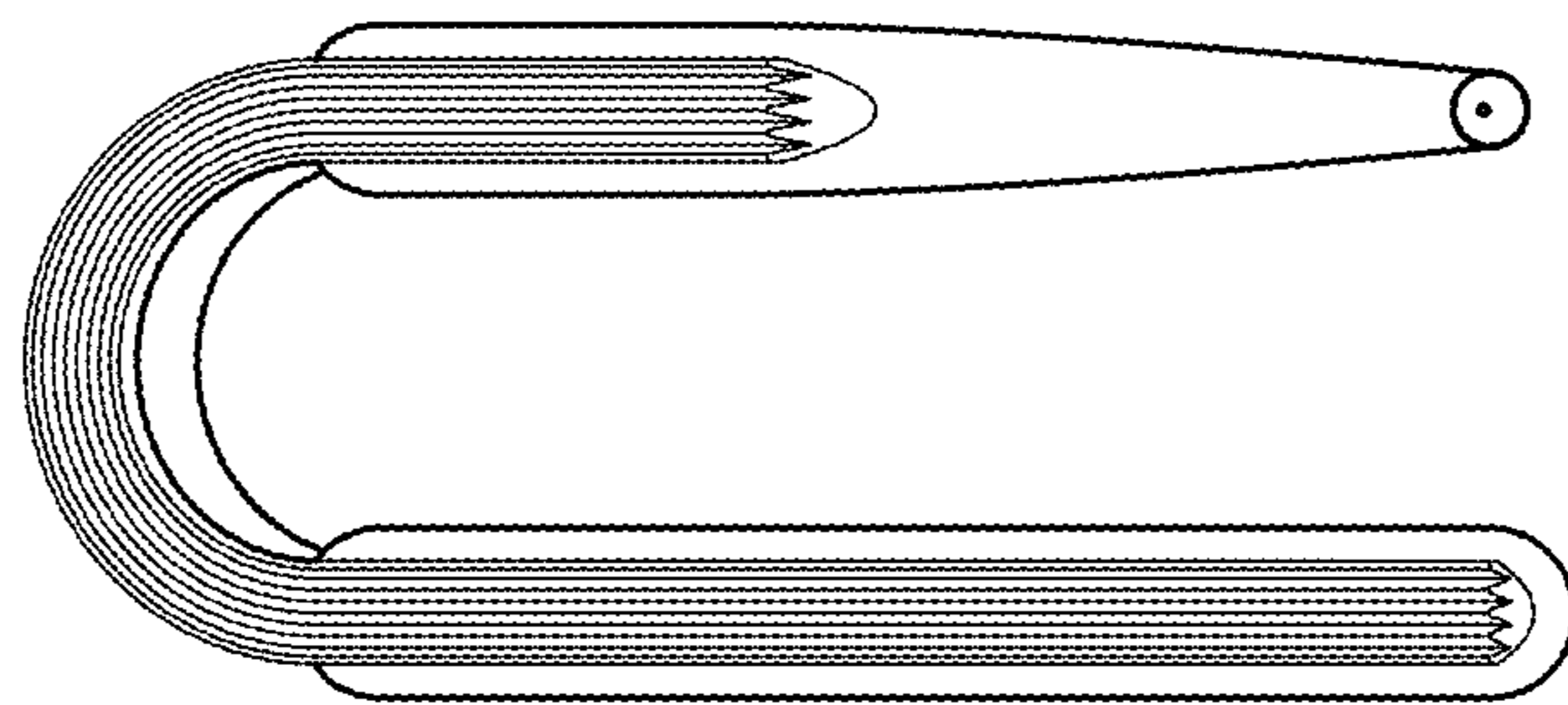


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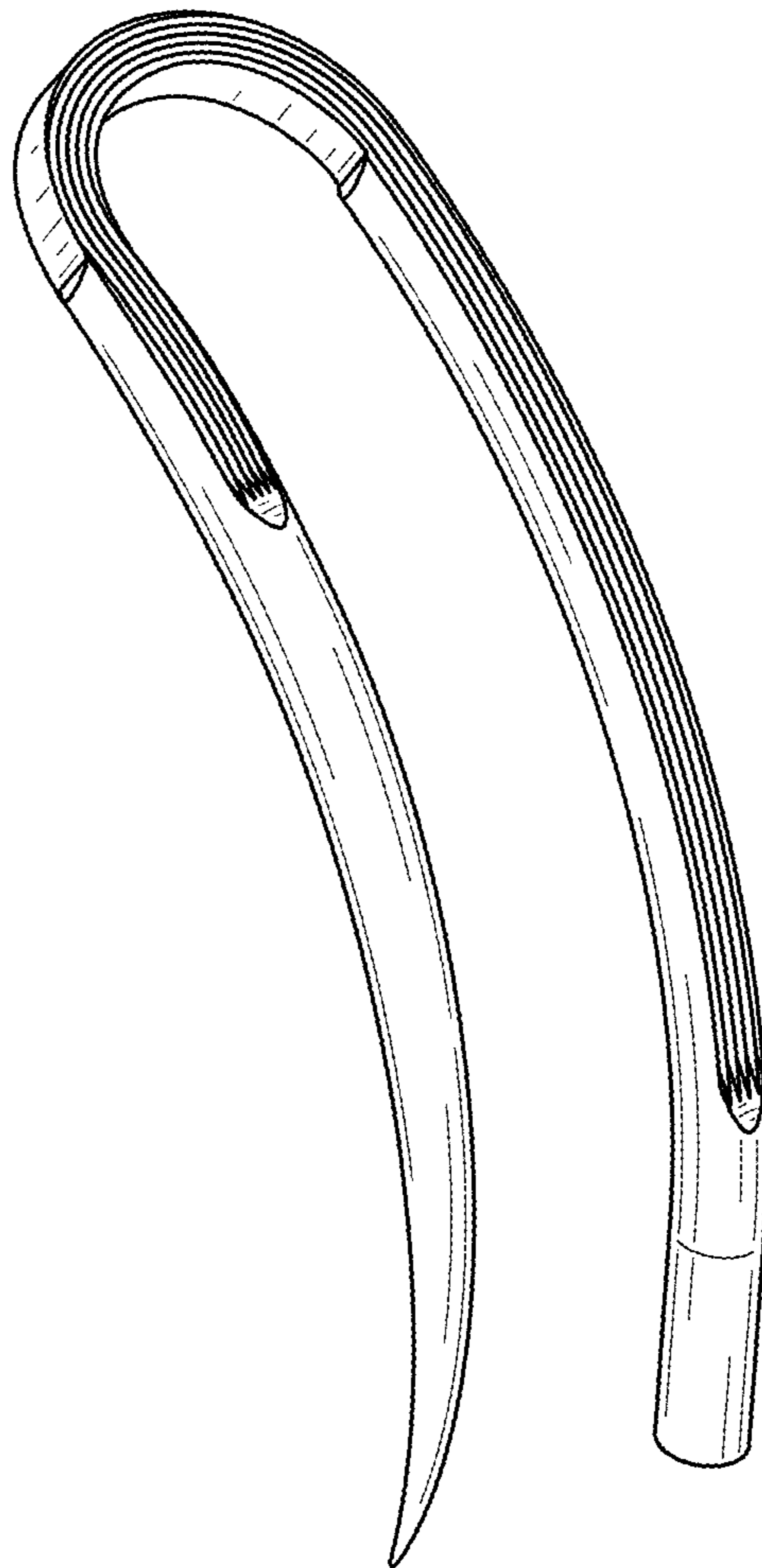


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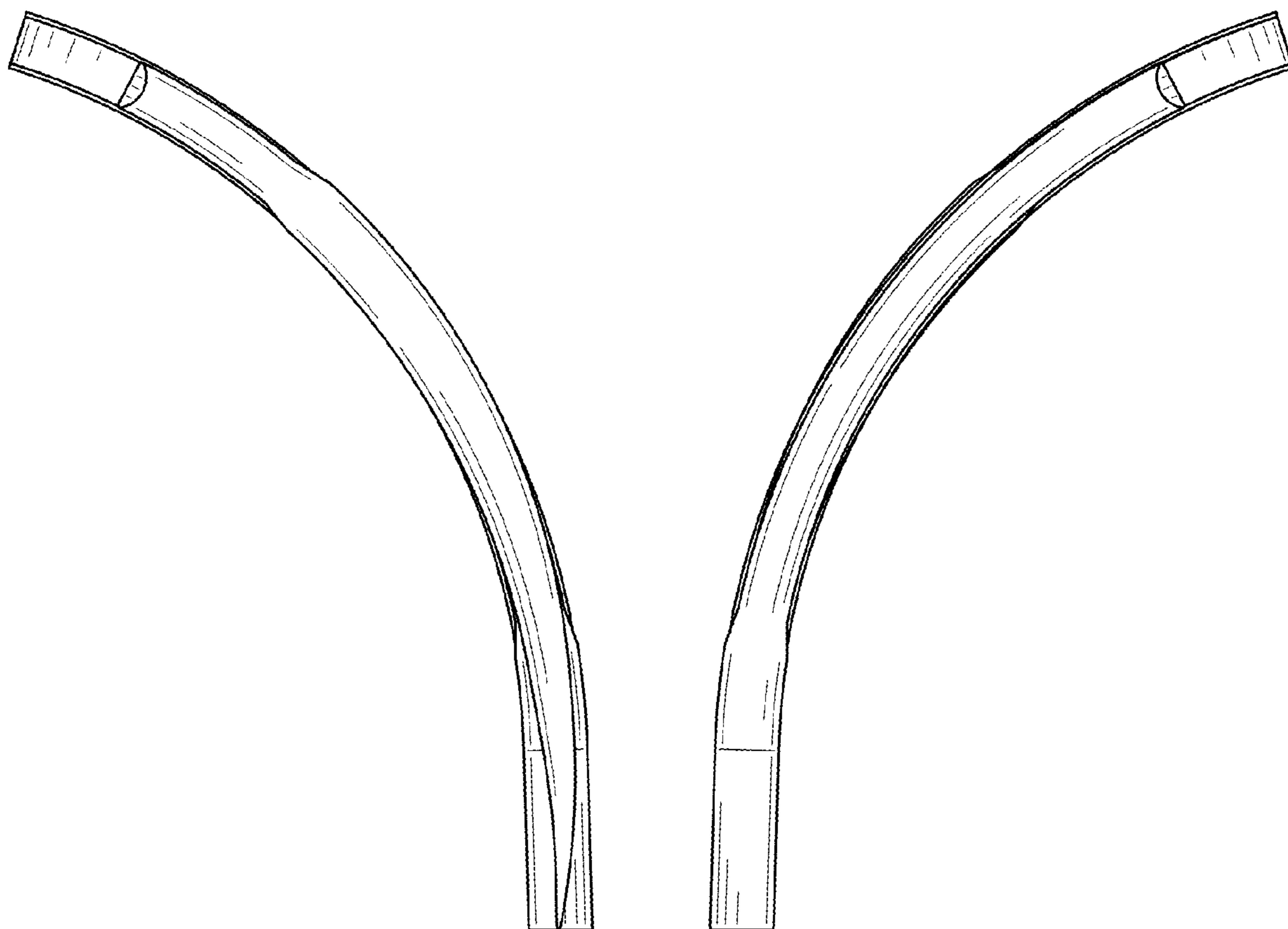


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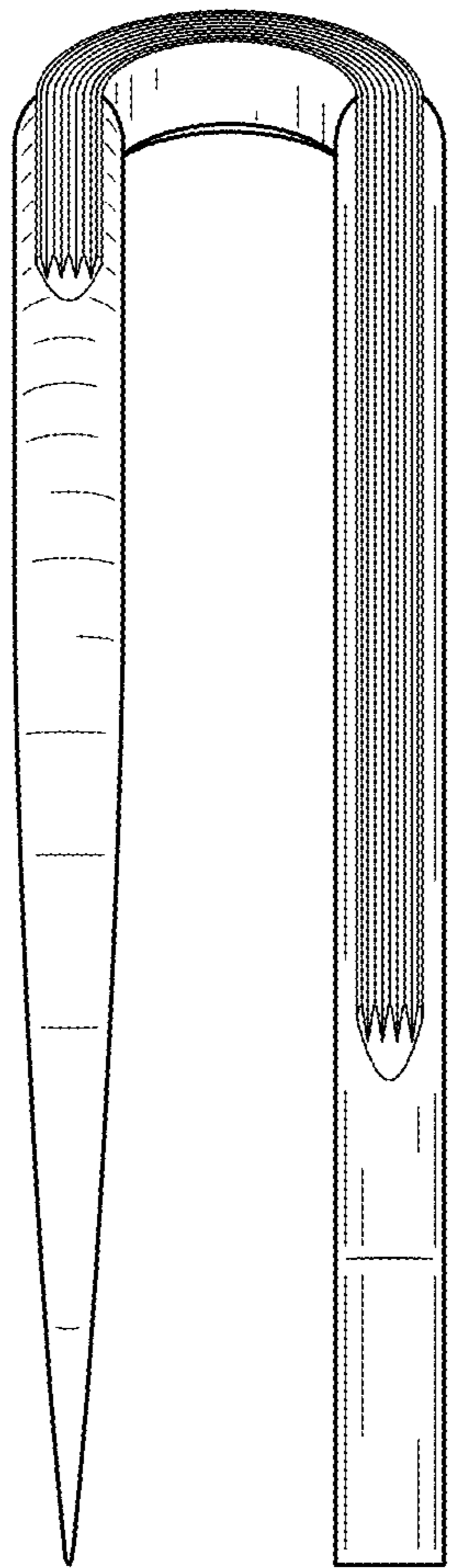


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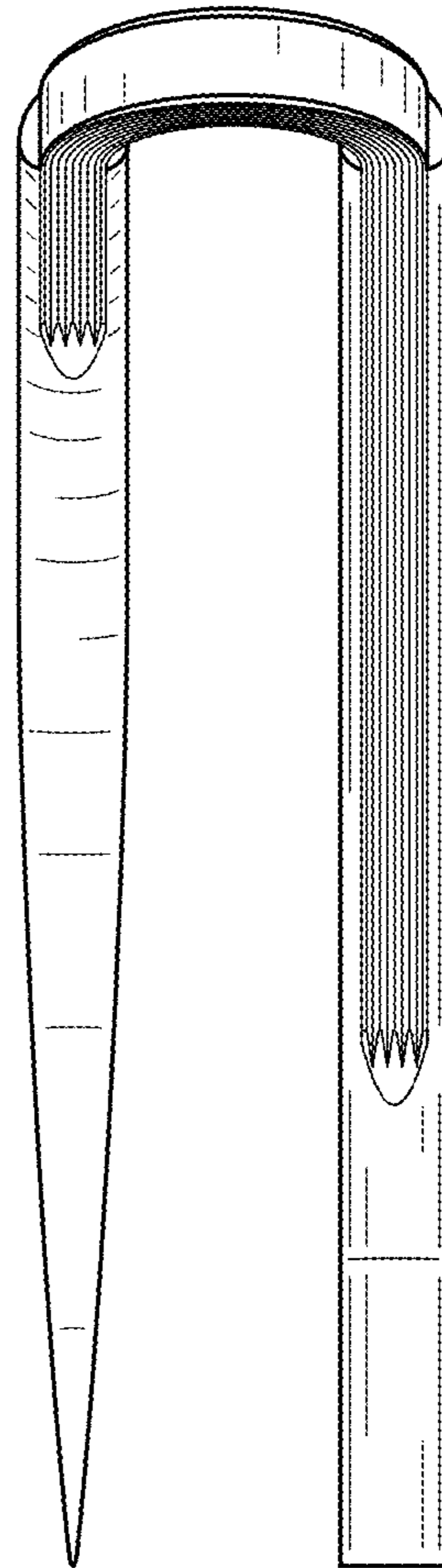


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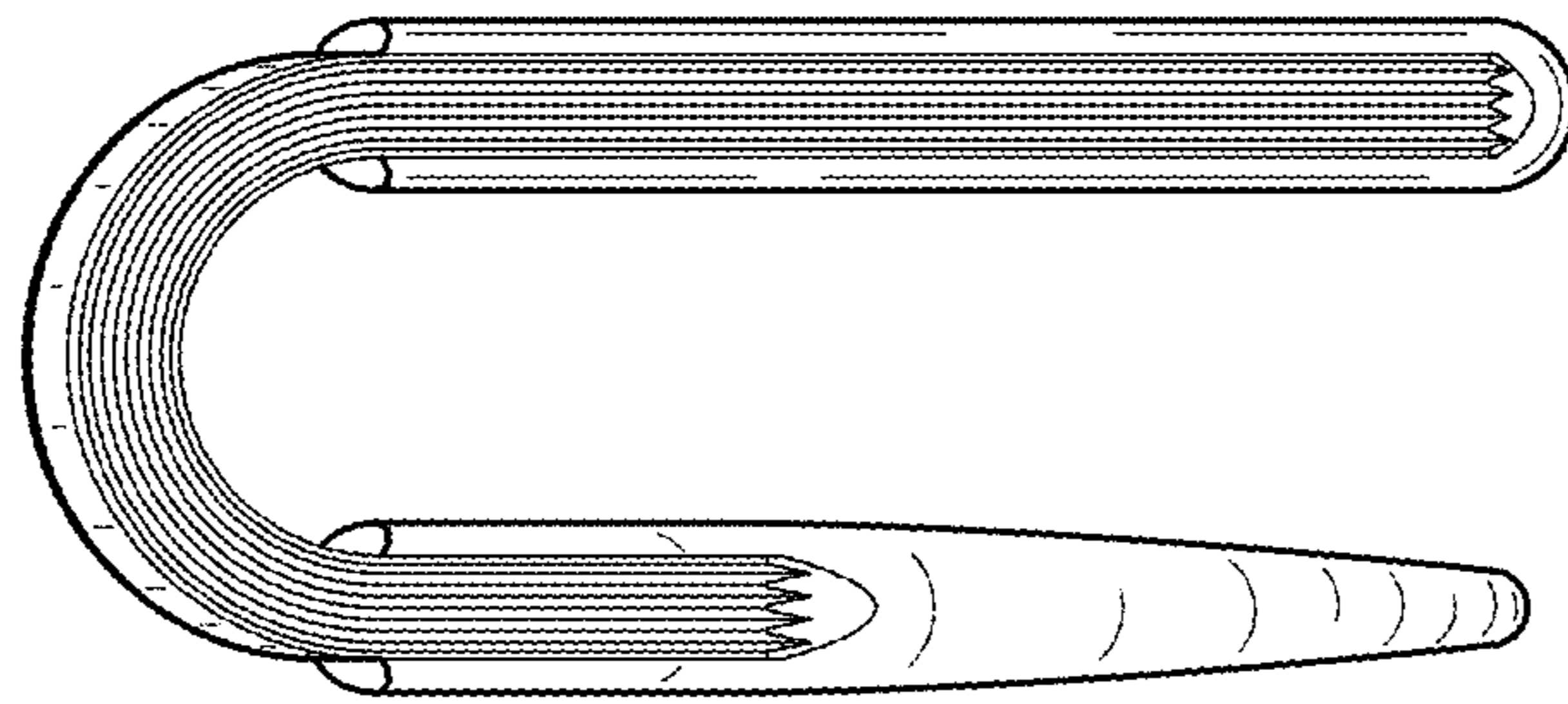


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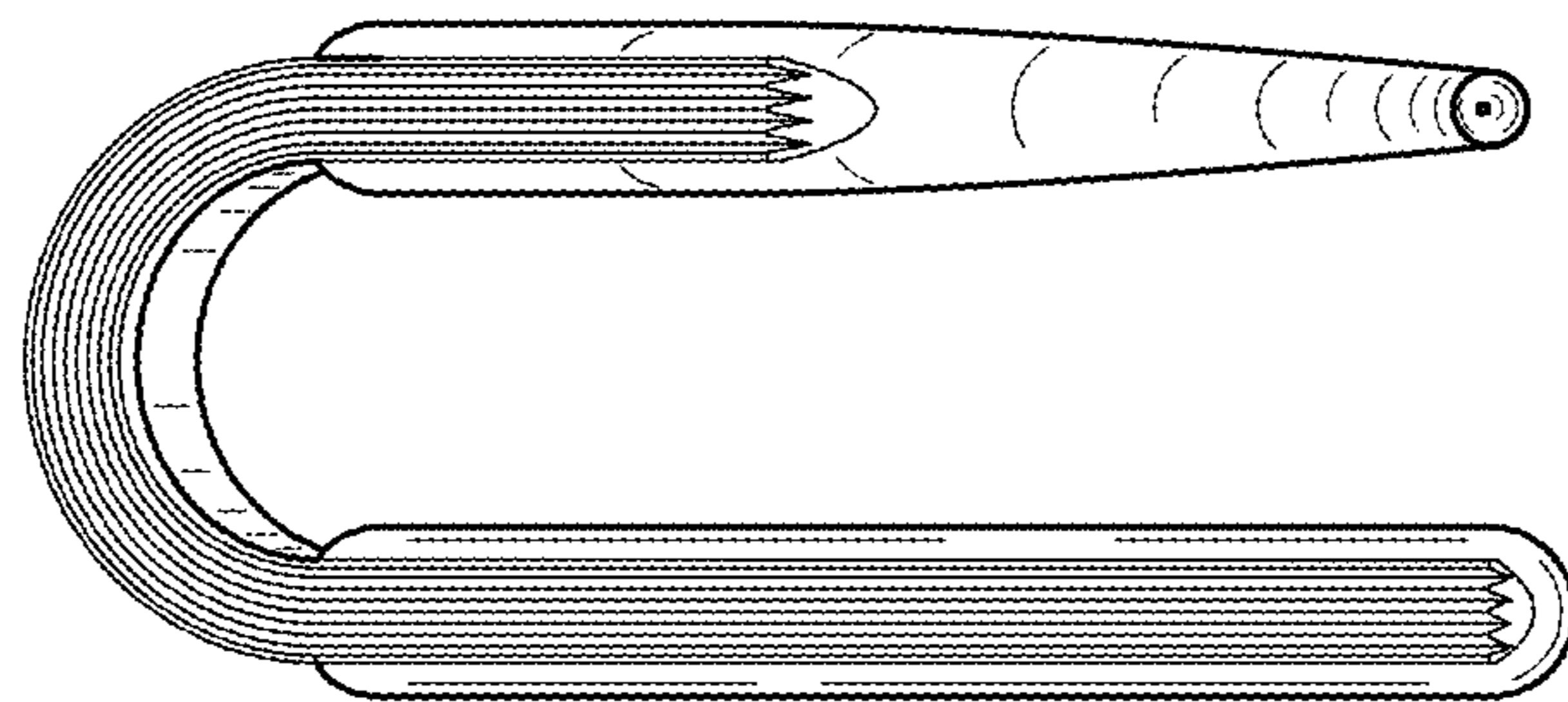


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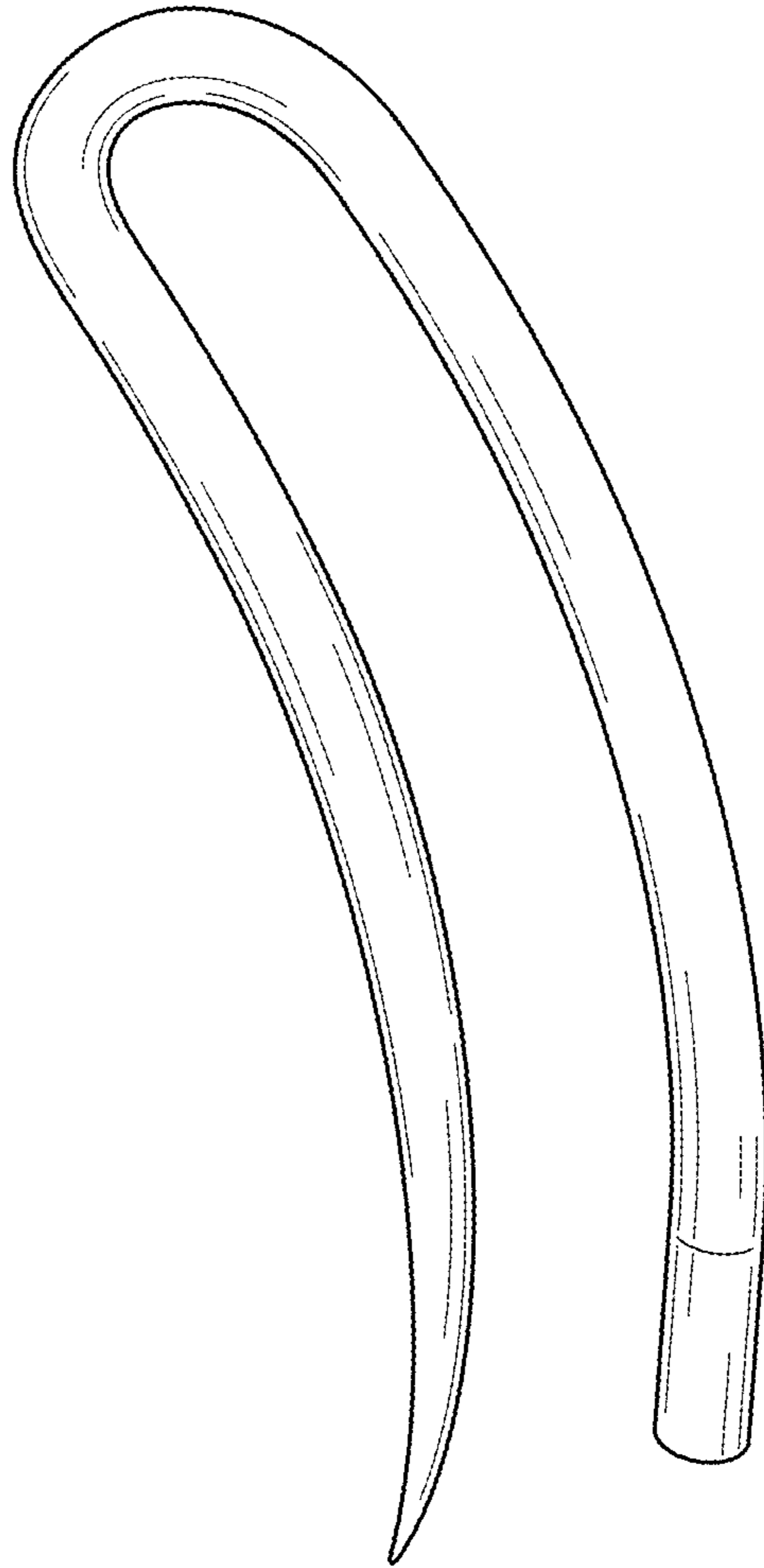


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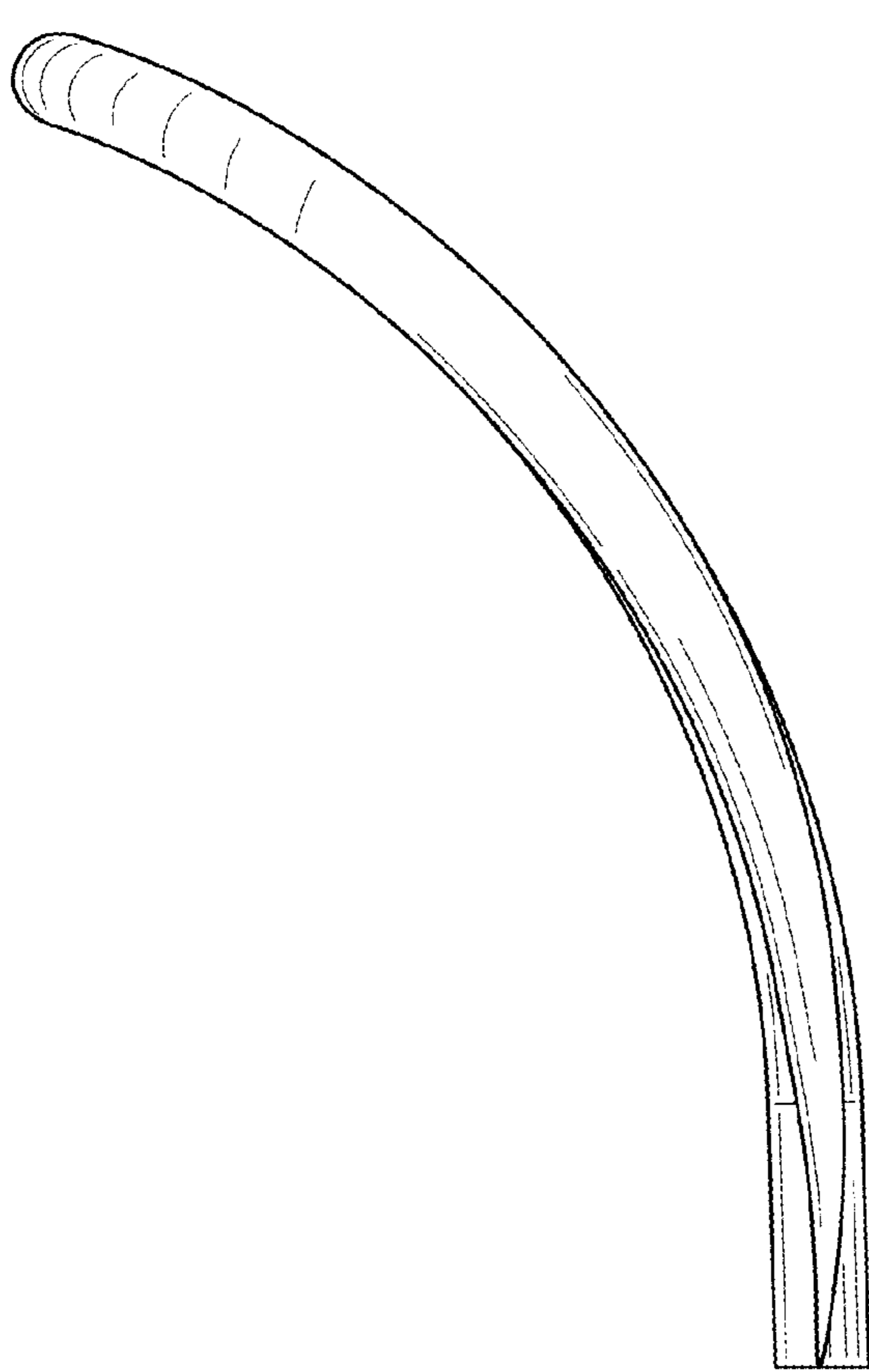


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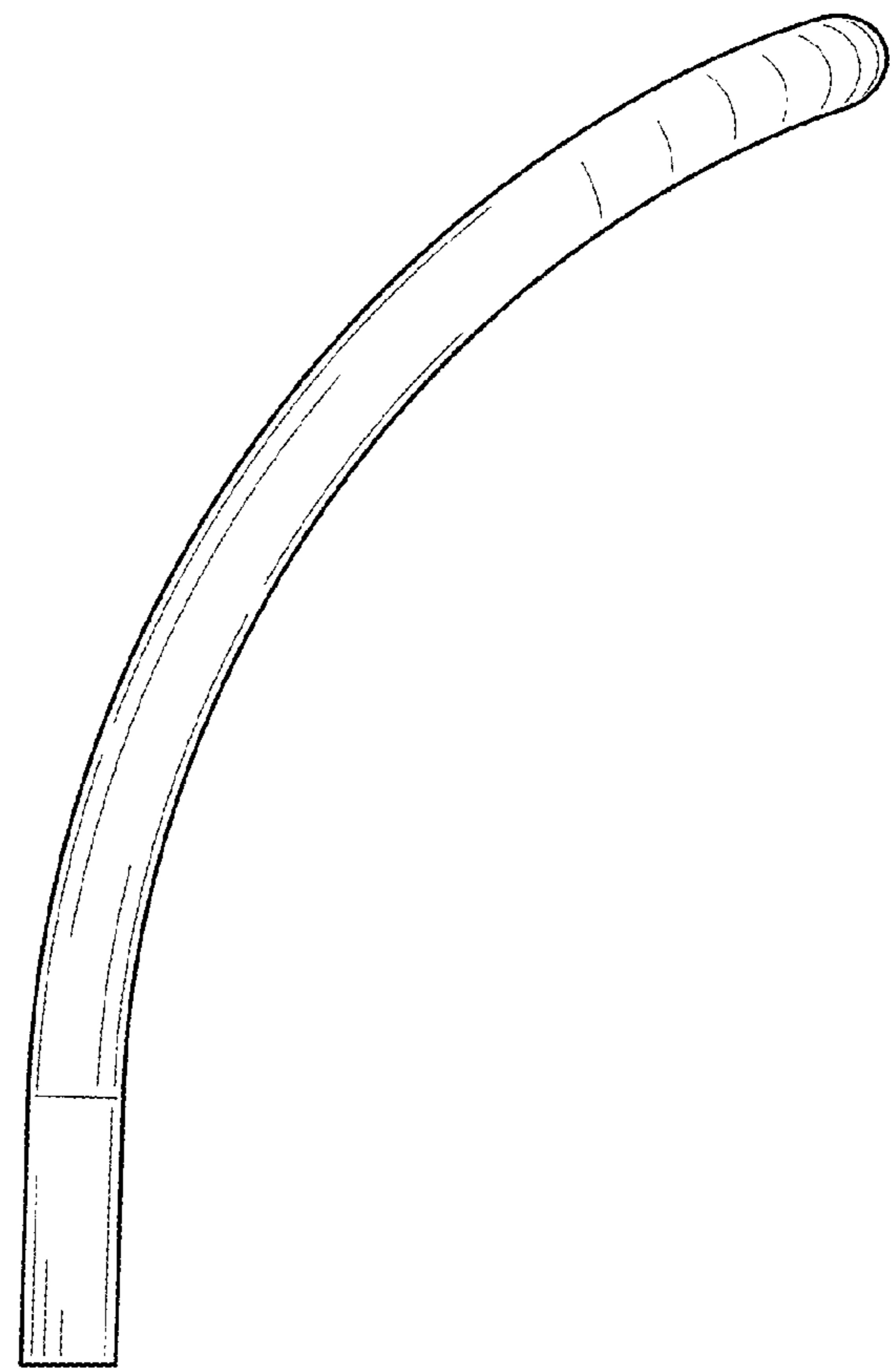


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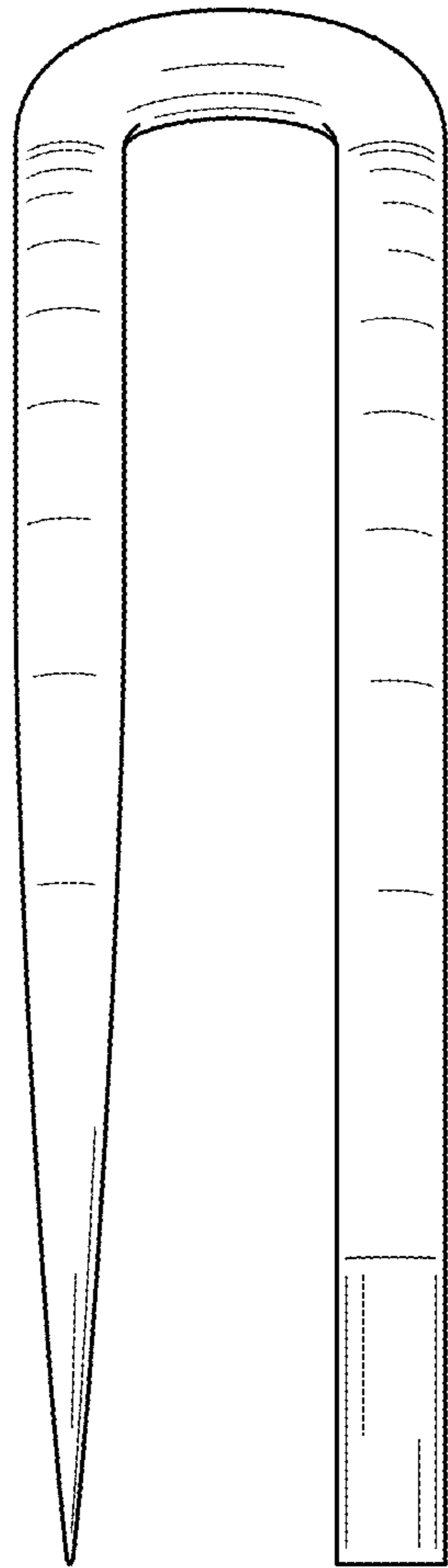


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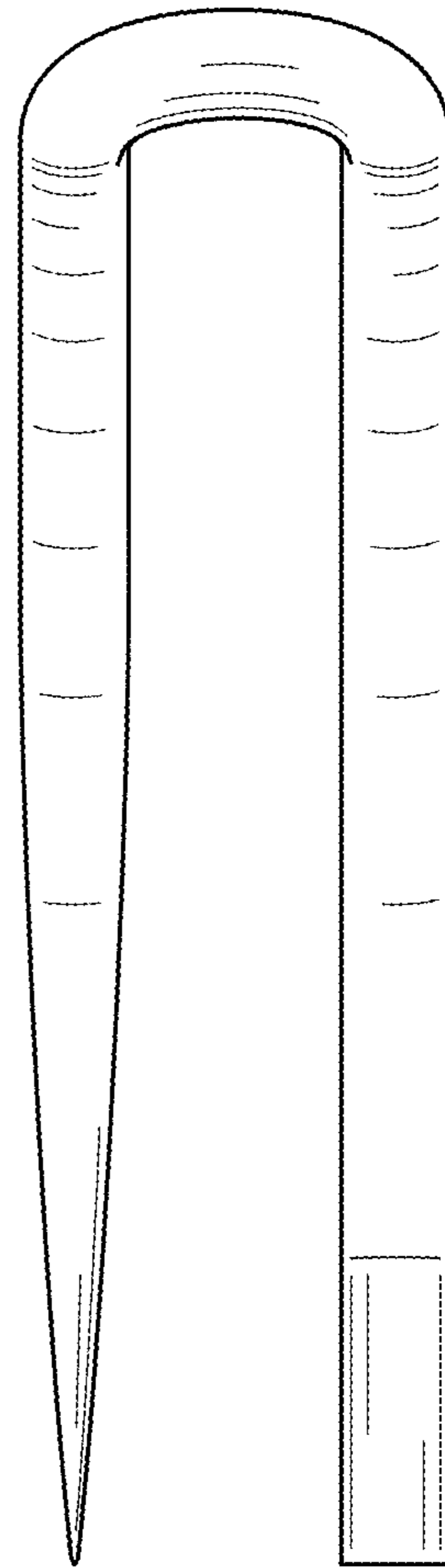


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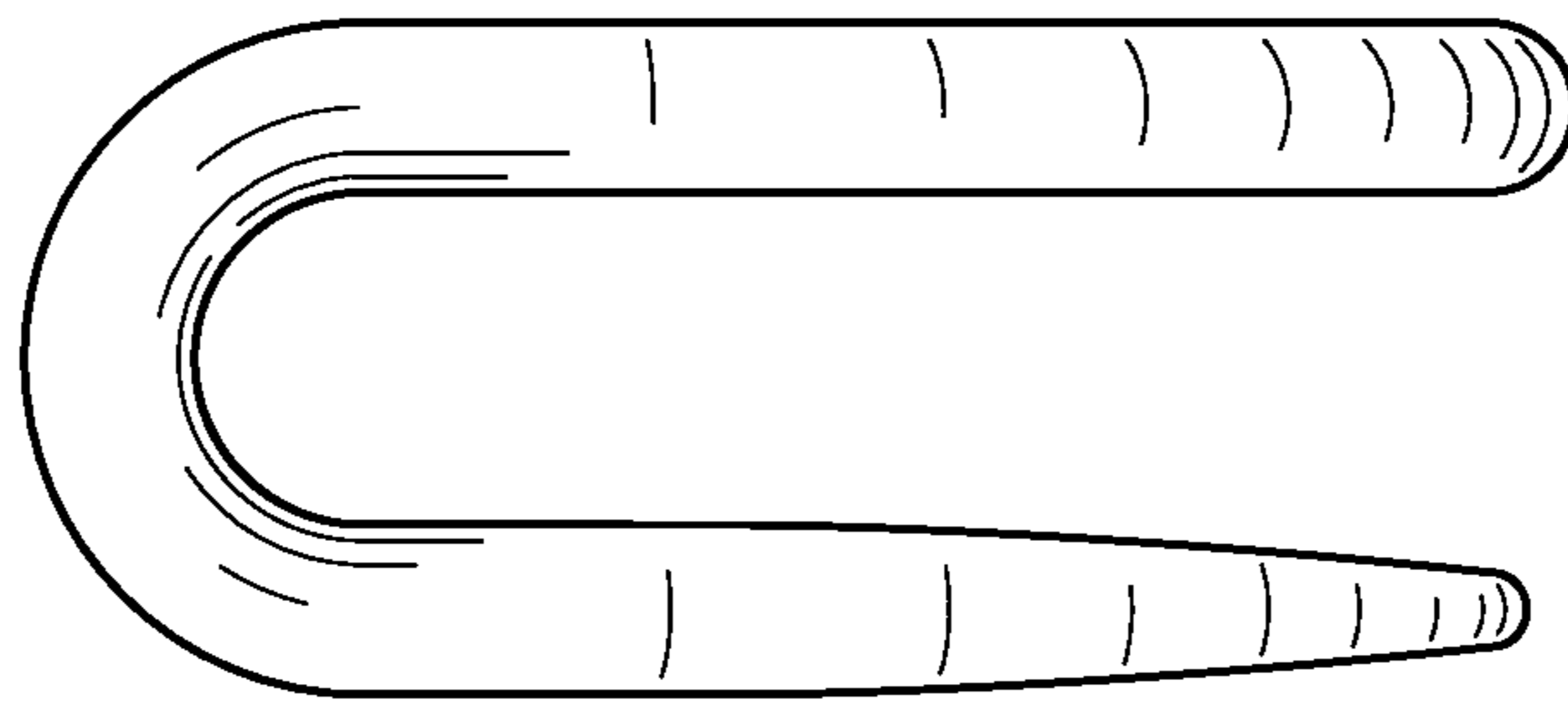


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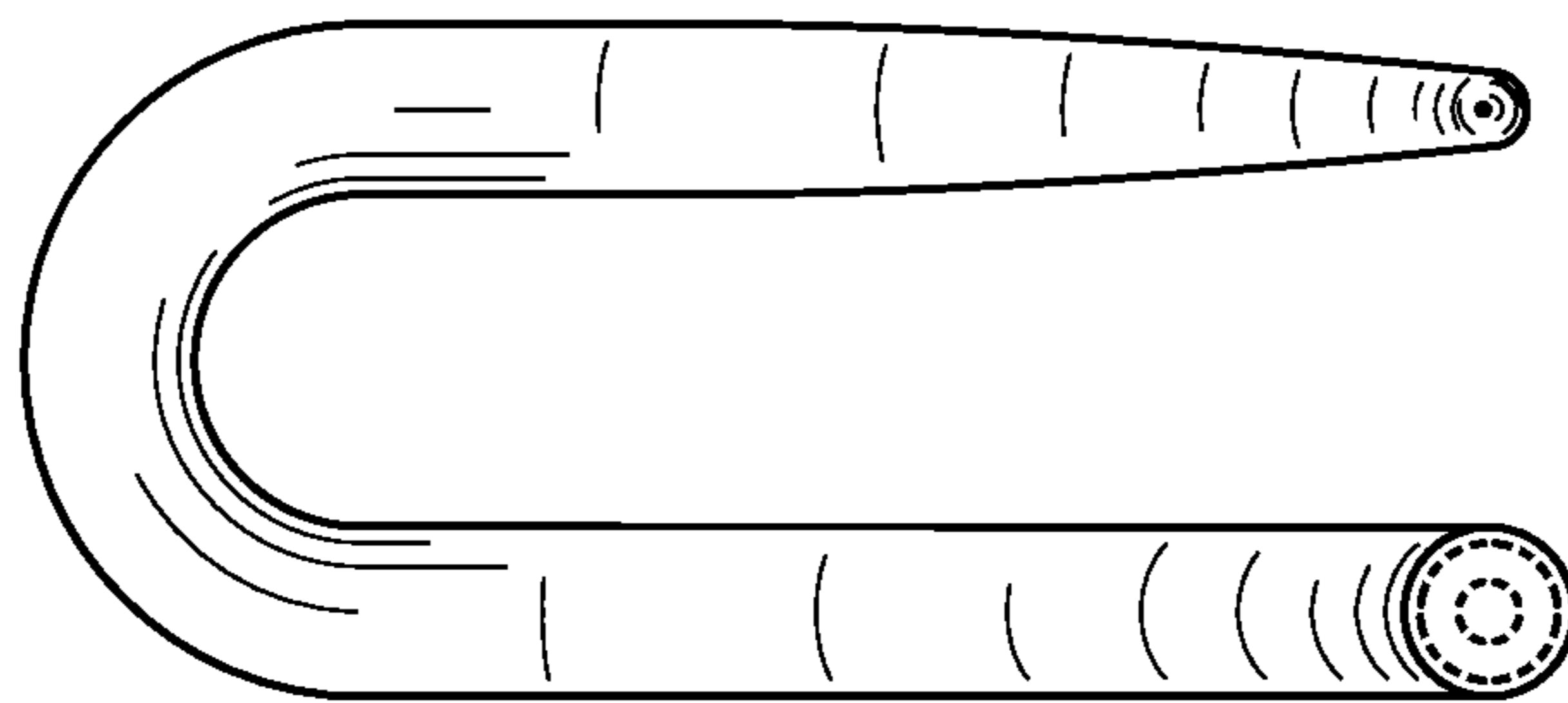


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