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(54) **BALL FOR SPORTS**

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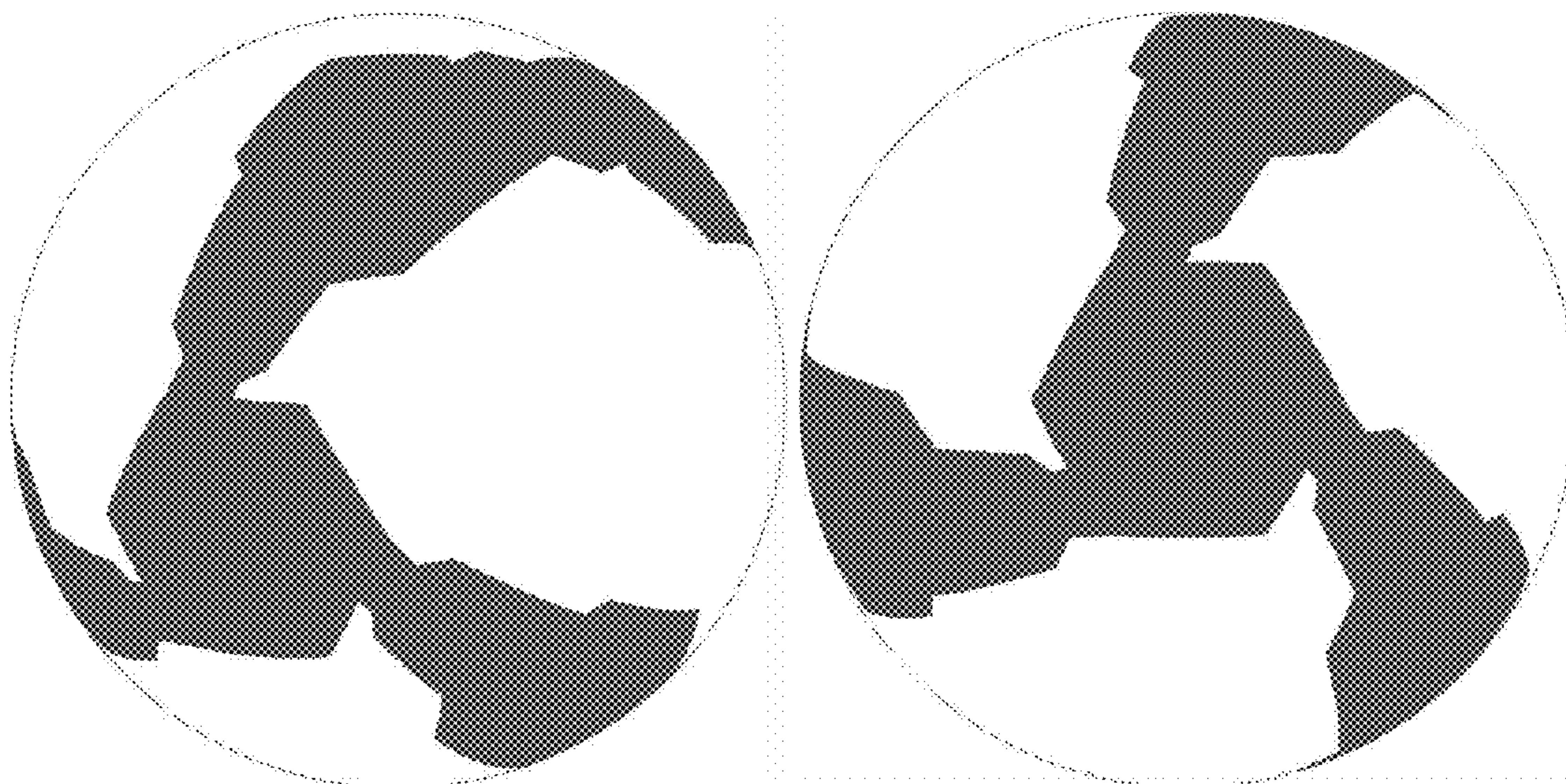
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a ball for sports, as shown and
described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front, top, right perspective view of a ball for
sports showing my new design;
FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a top plan view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a bottom plan view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a right side elevational view thereof; and,
FIG. 7 is a left side elevational view thereof.
The figures are illustrated with white and gray shading to
show contrasting appearances. No particular color is
claimed.

1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets



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FIG.1

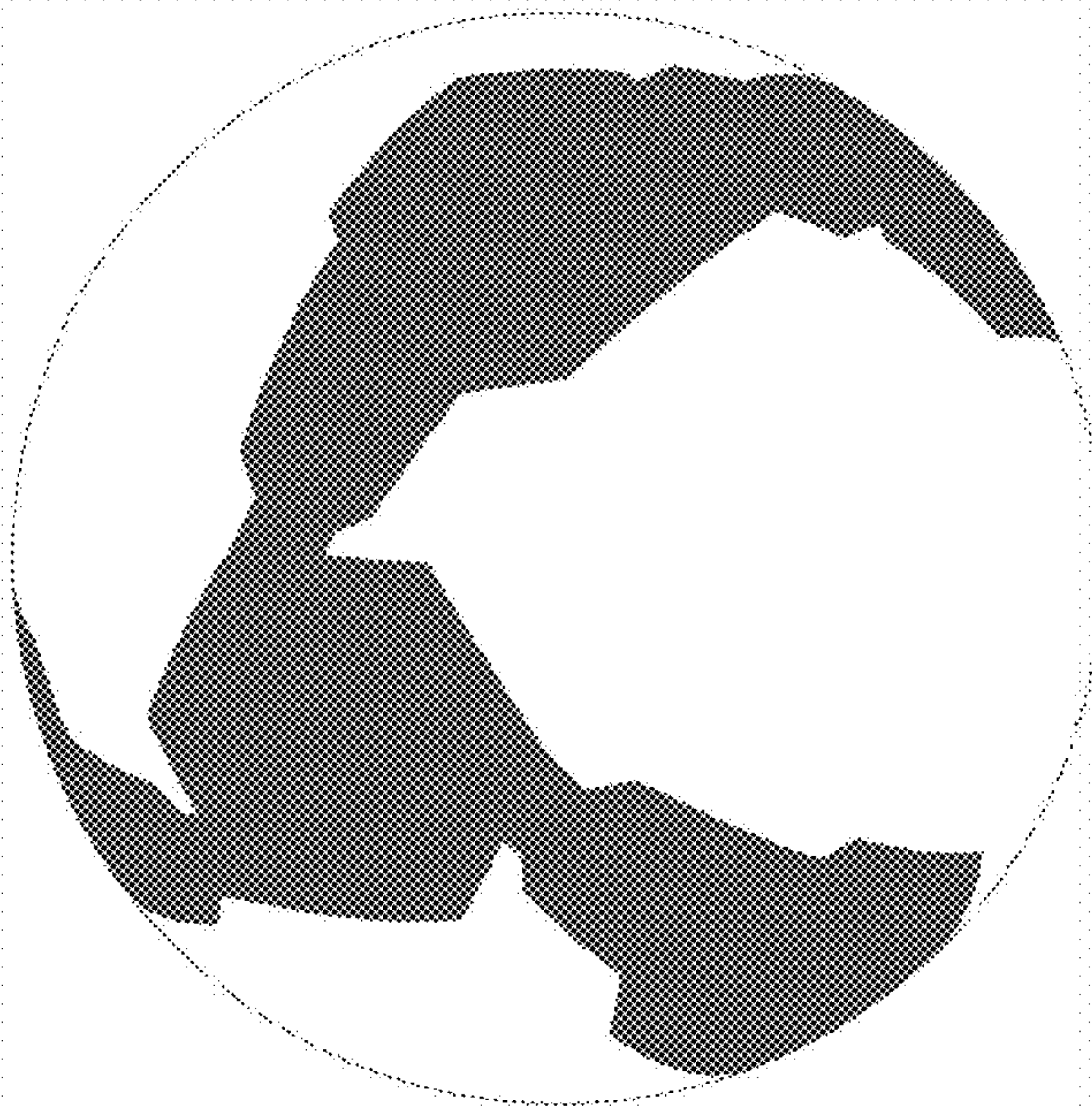


FIG.2

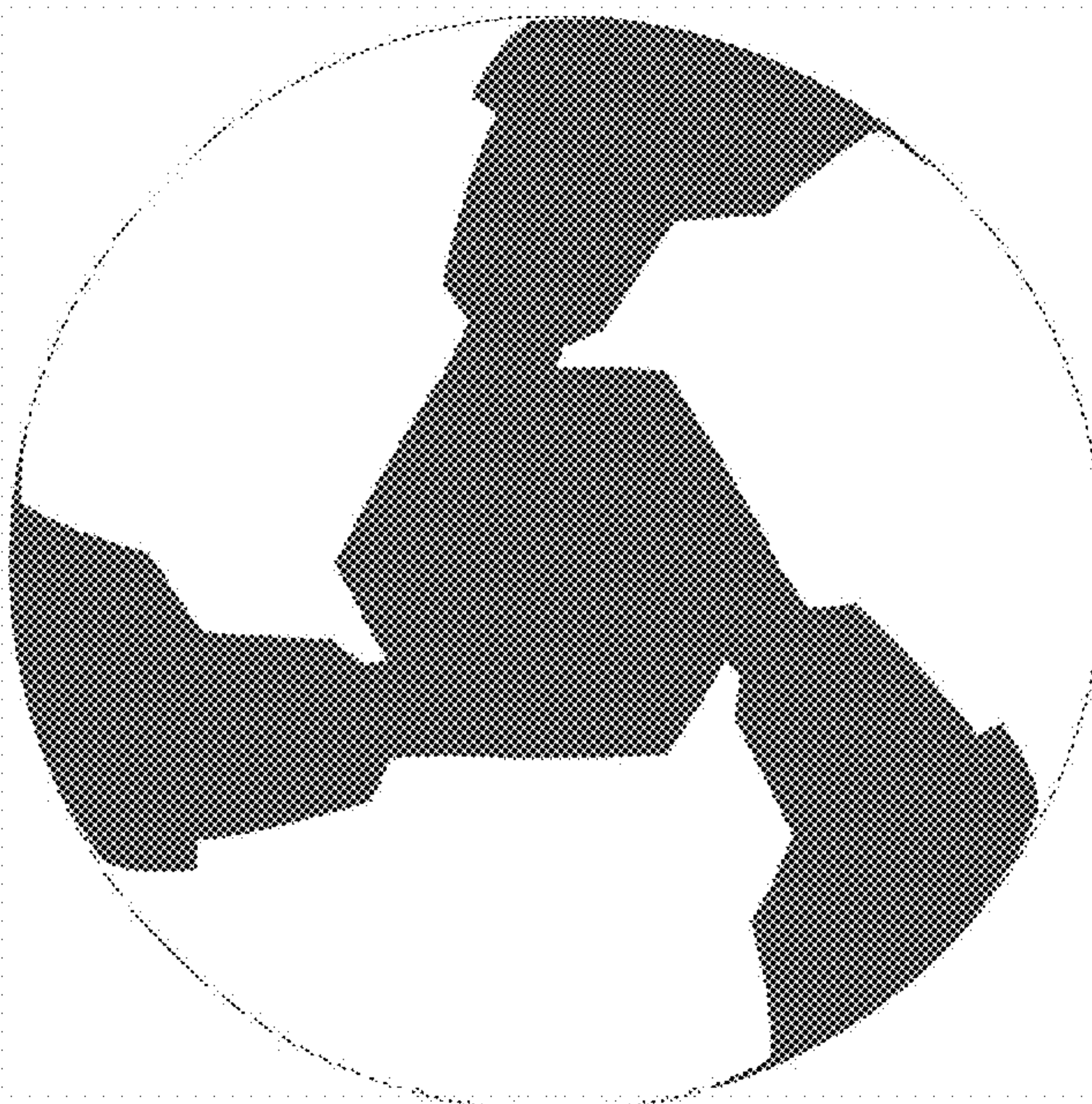


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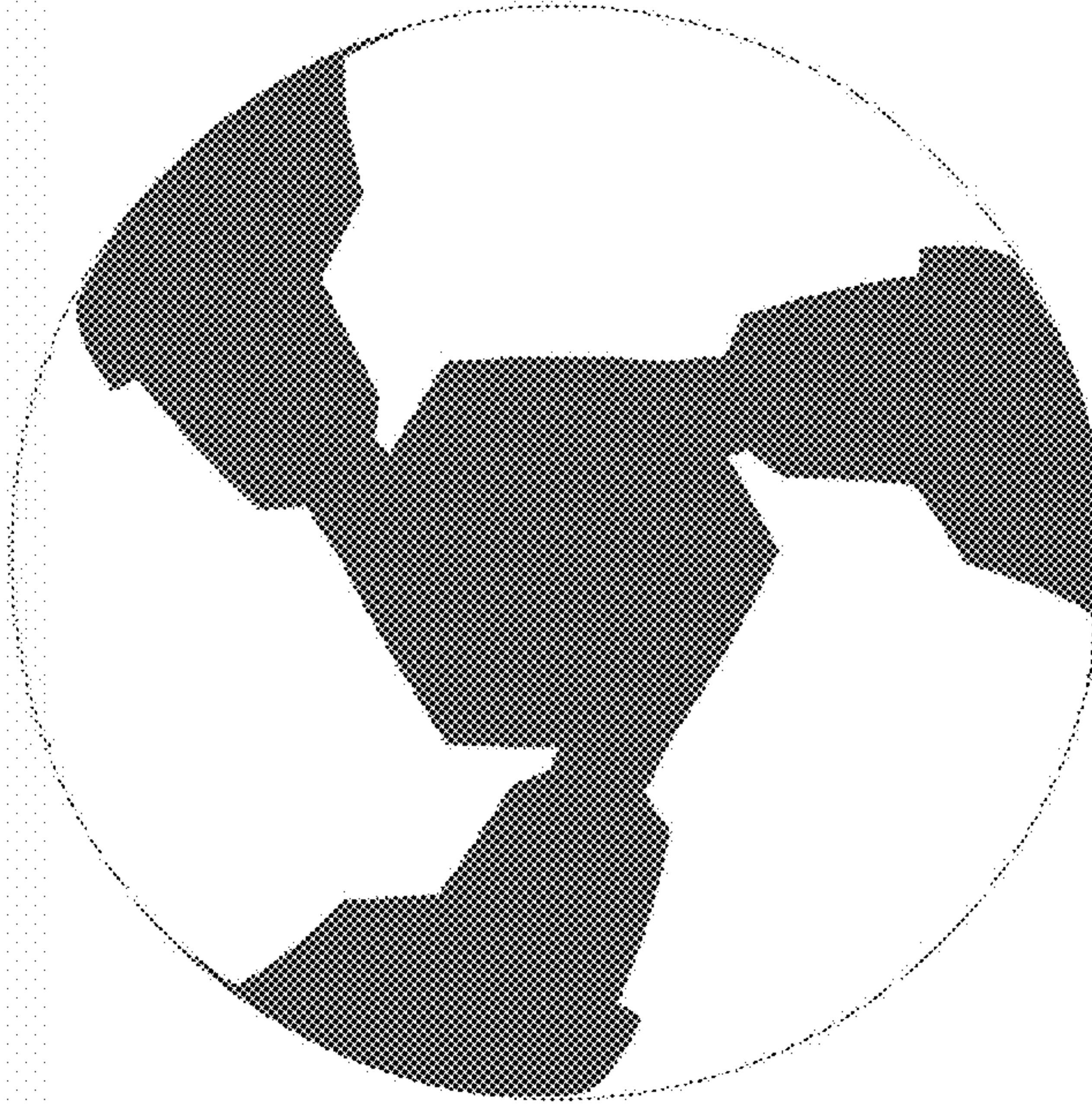


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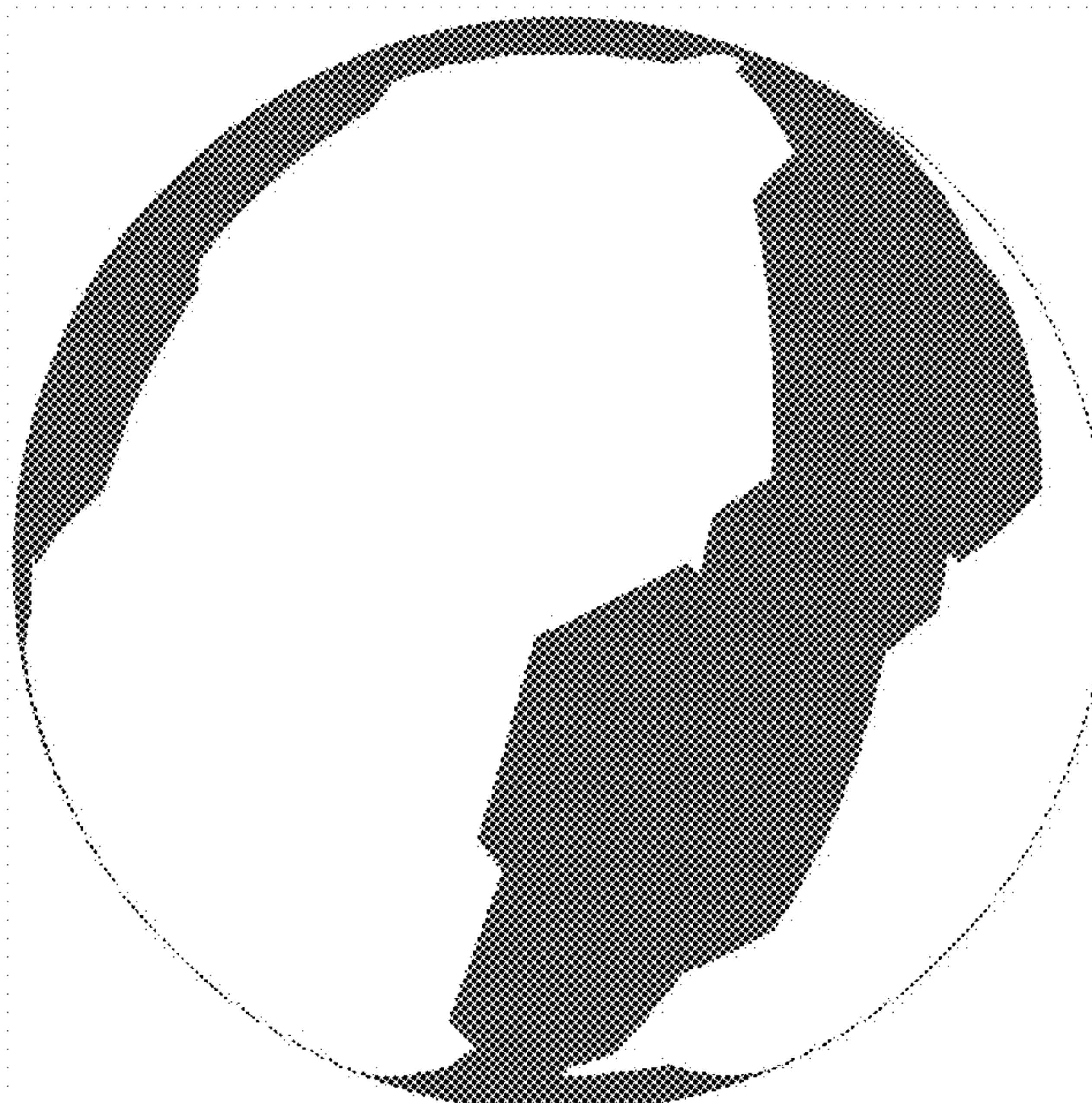


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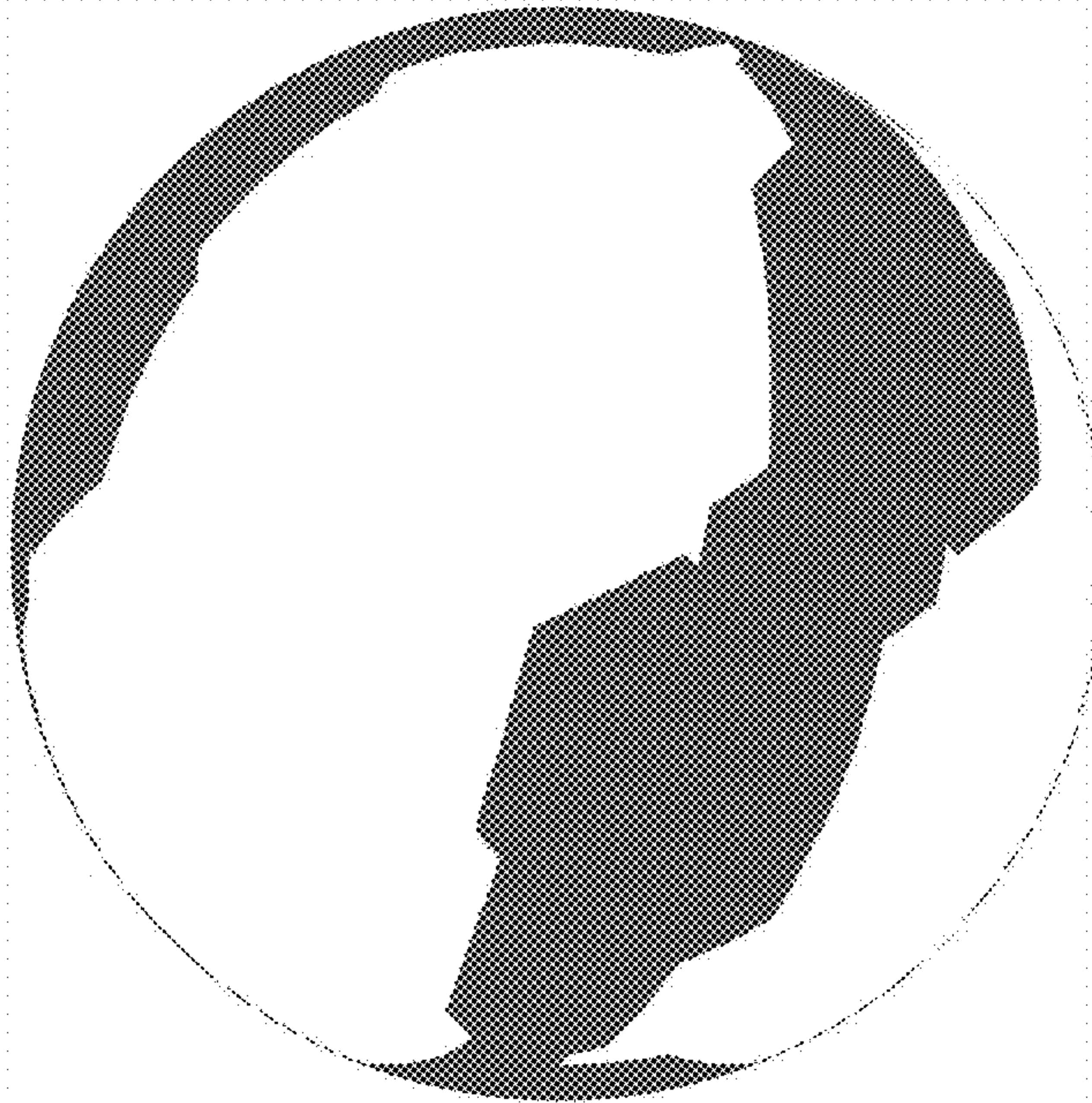


FIG.6

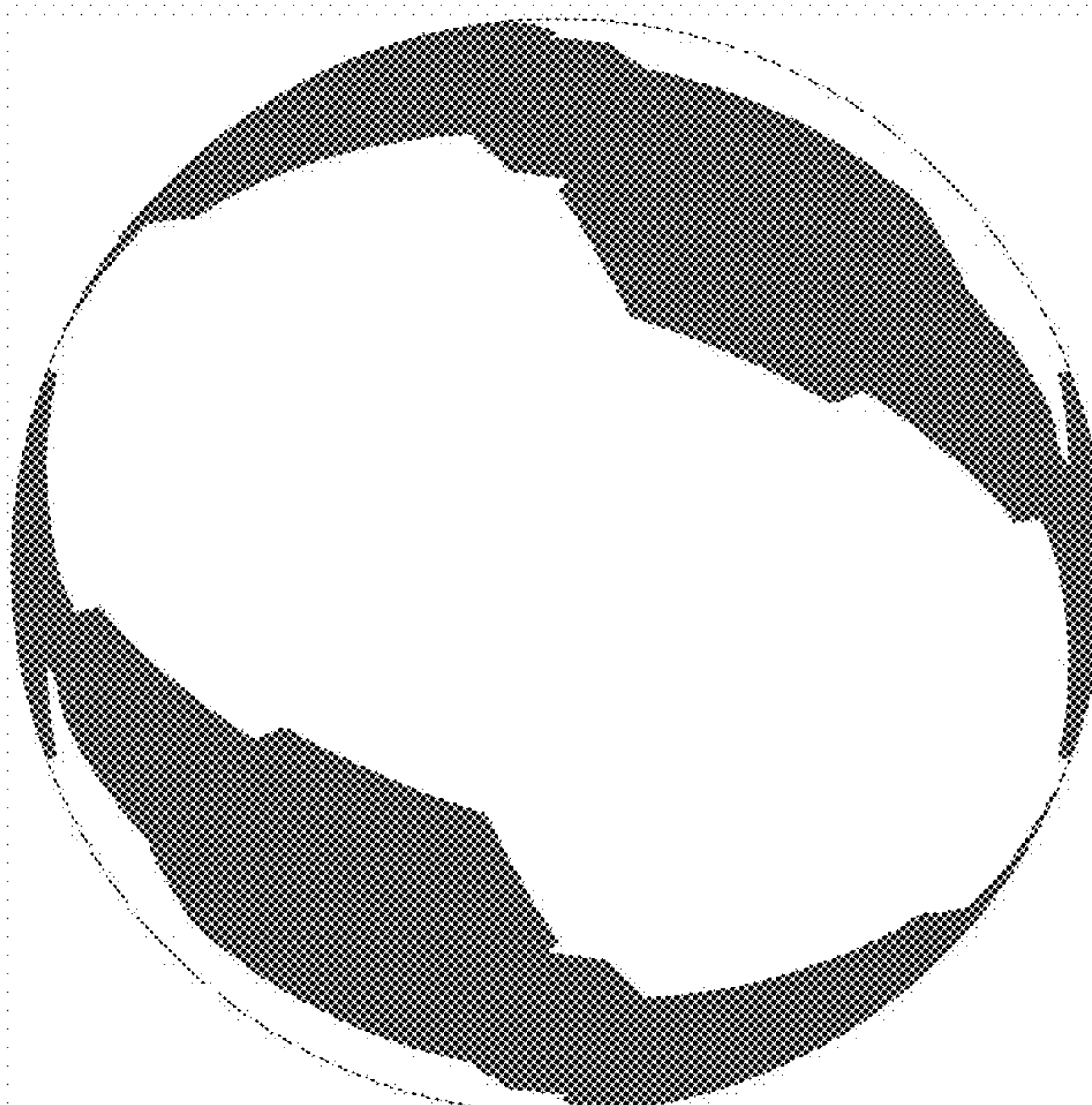


FIG.7

