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(57) **CLAIM**

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

DESCRIPTION

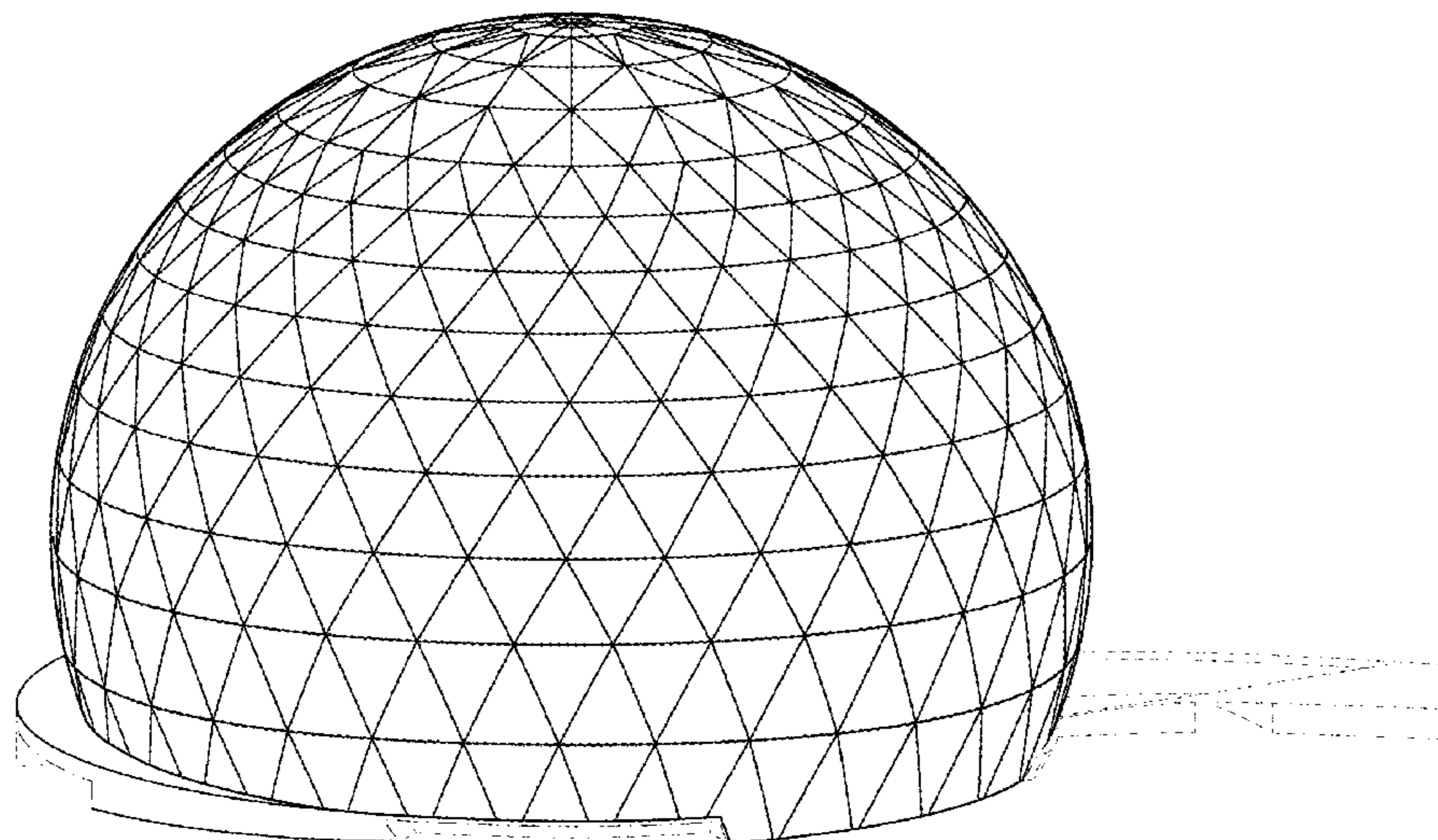
FIG. 1 is a top perspective view of a building showing the claimed design;
FIG. 2 is a rear view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a front view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a right side view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a left side view thereof; and,
FIG. 6 is a top view thereof.
The broken lines in the figures show portions of the building that form no part of the claimed design.
The dot-dash broken lines in the figures show boundaries that form no part of the claimed design.

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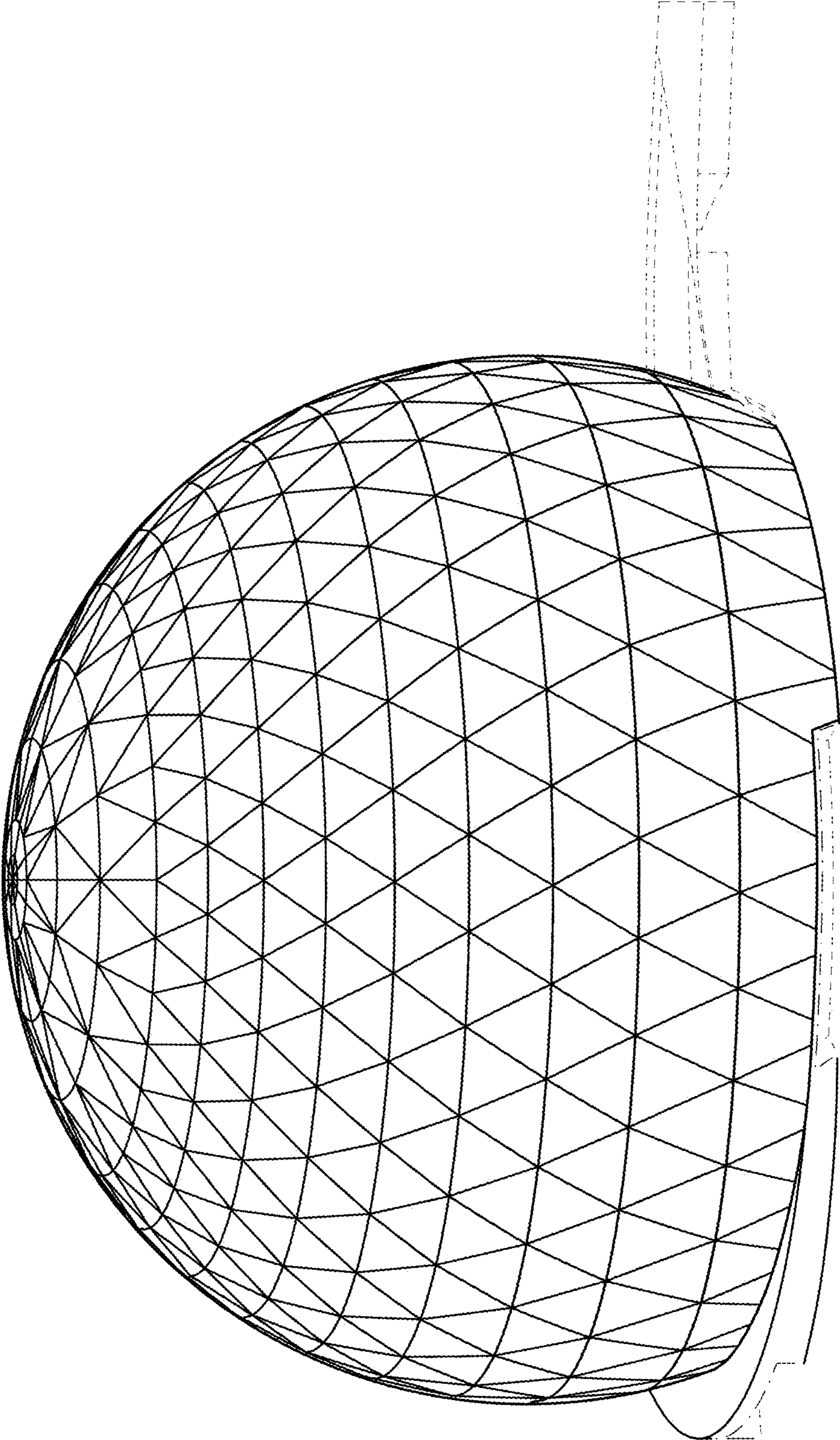


FIG. 1

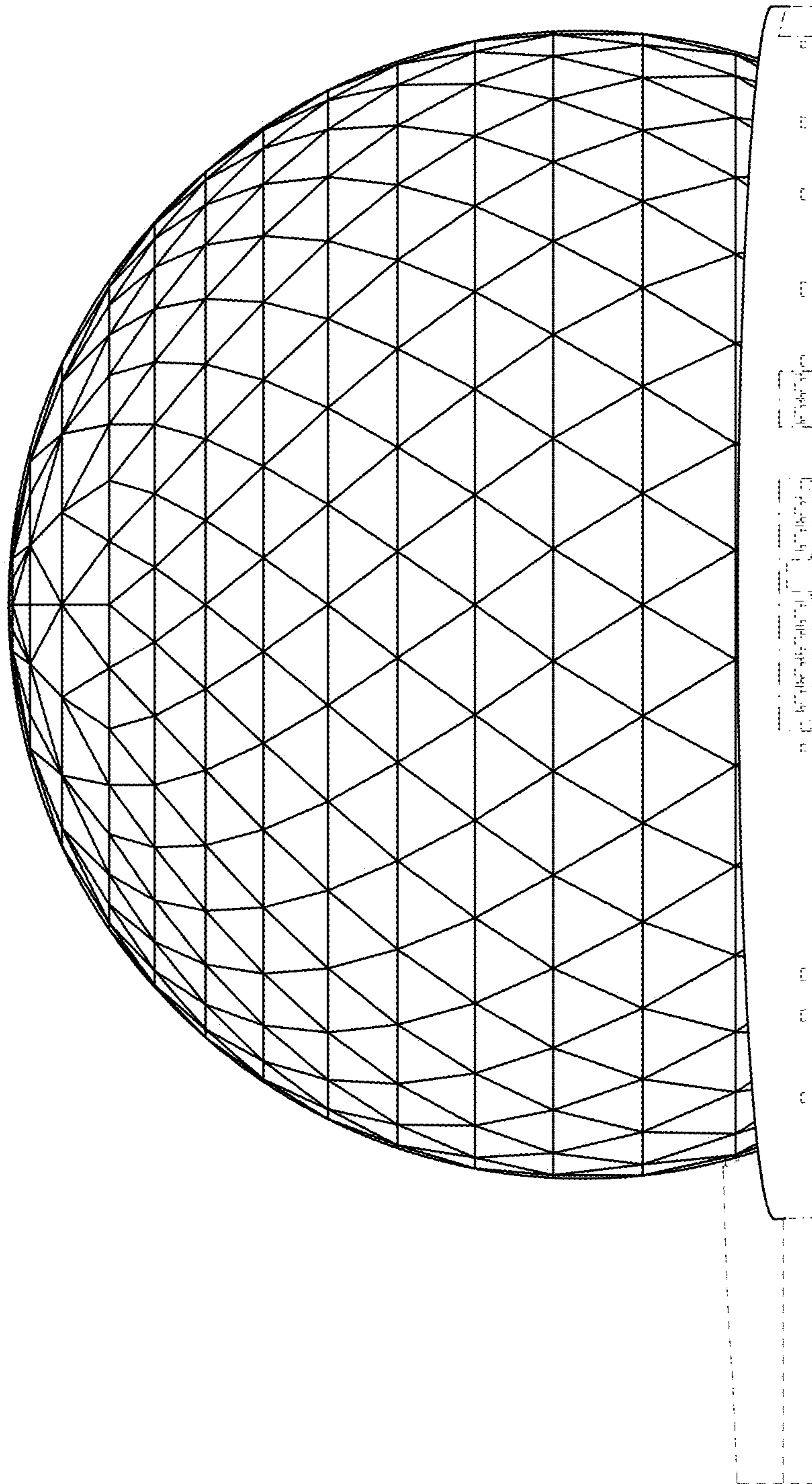


FIG. 2

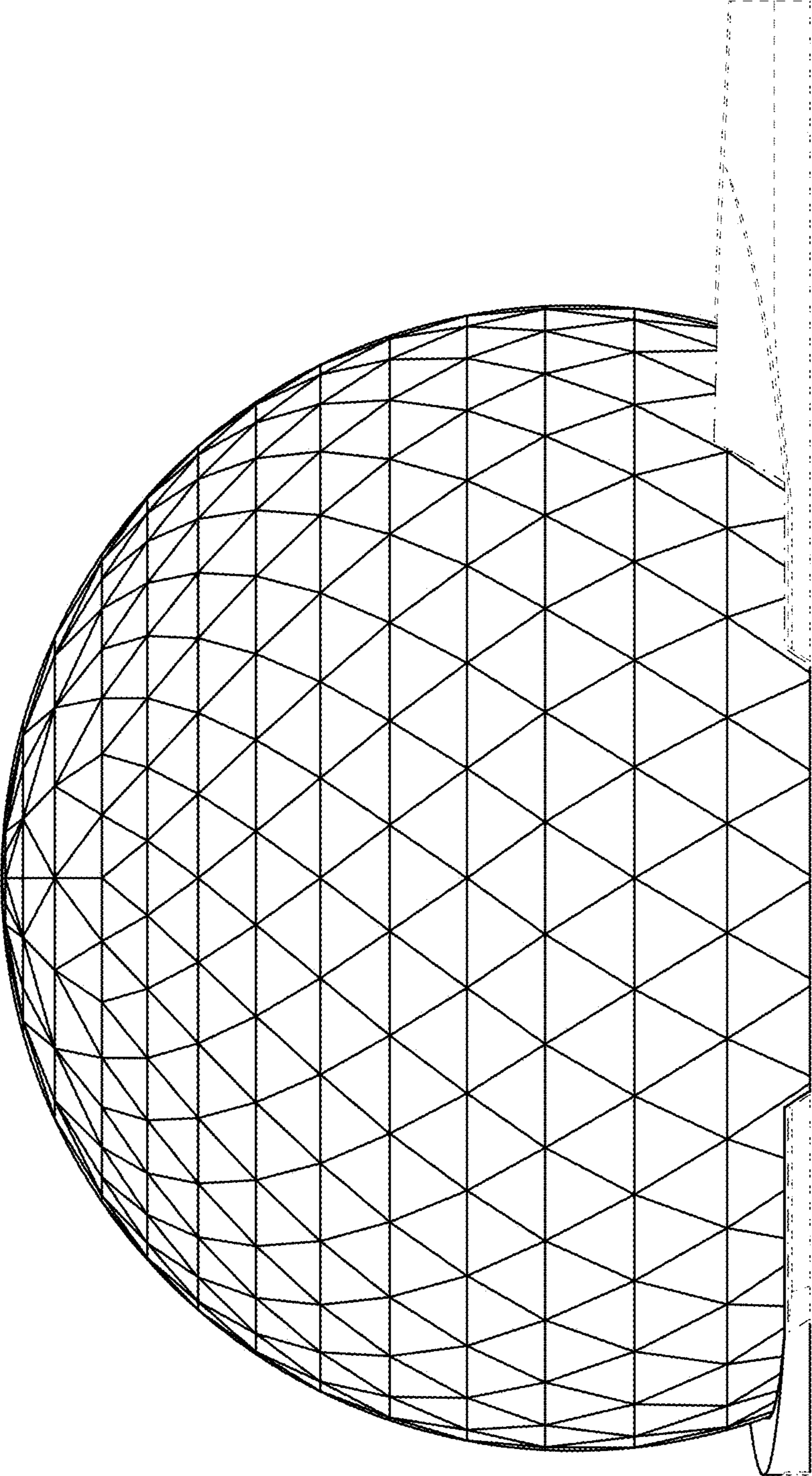


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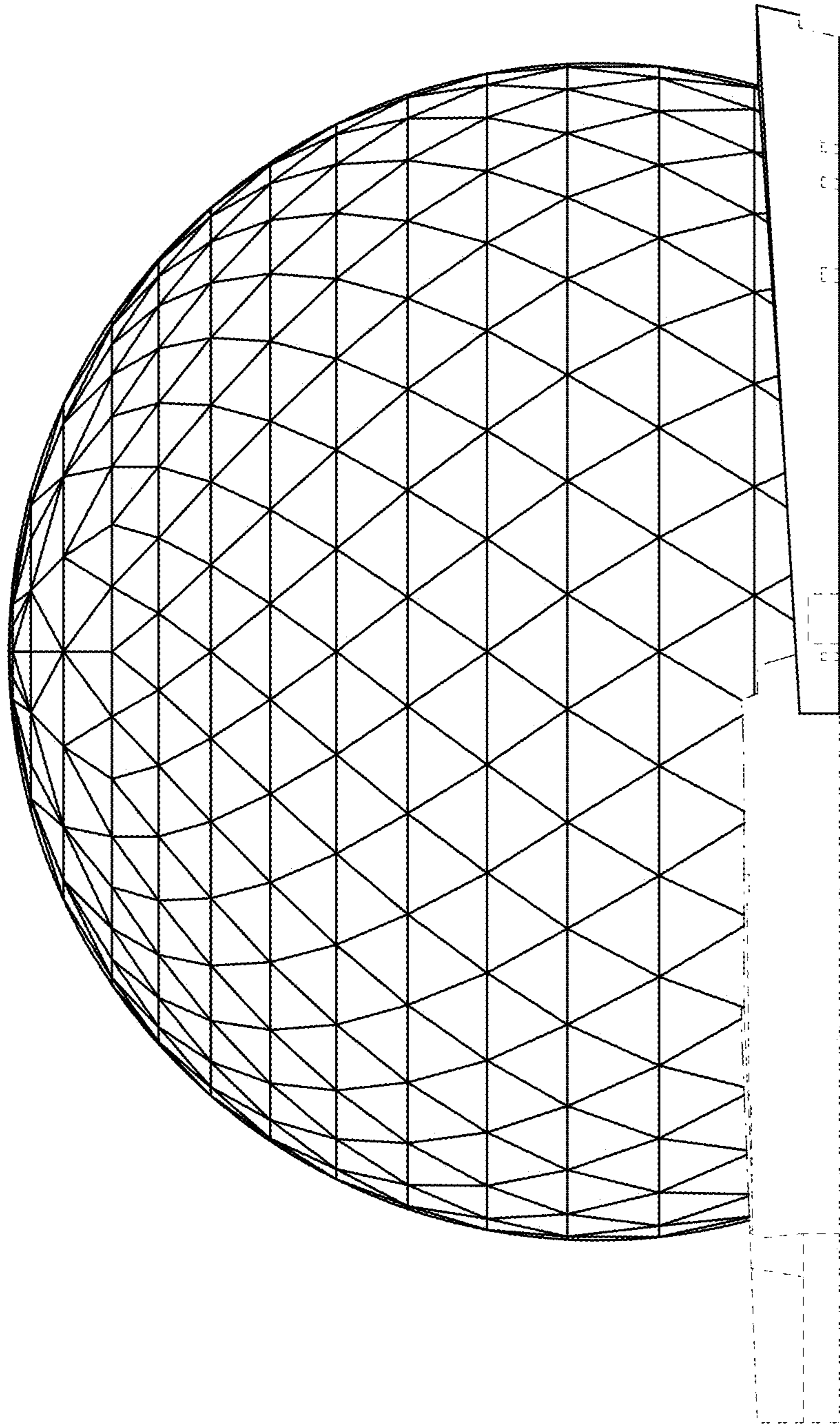


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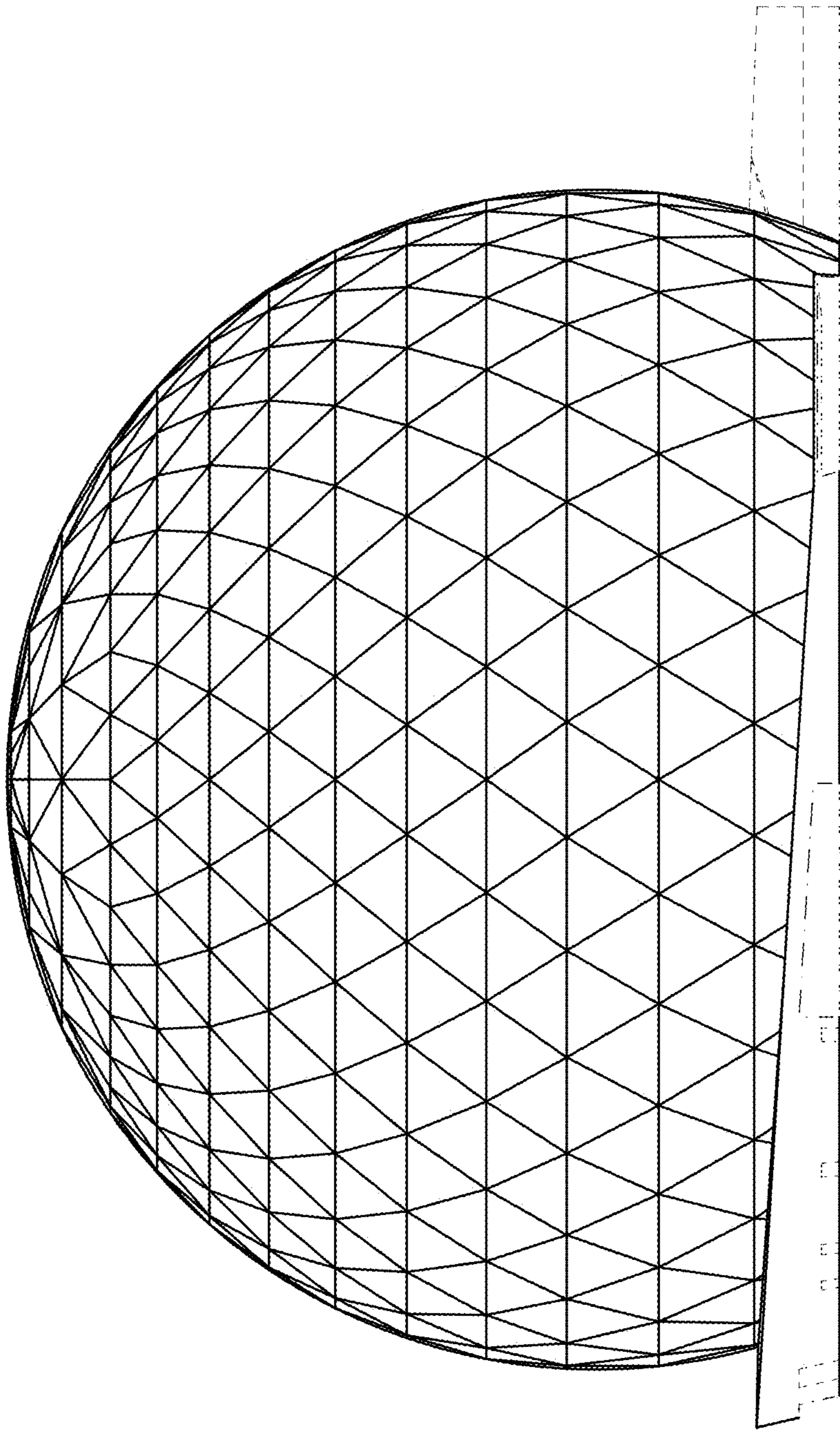


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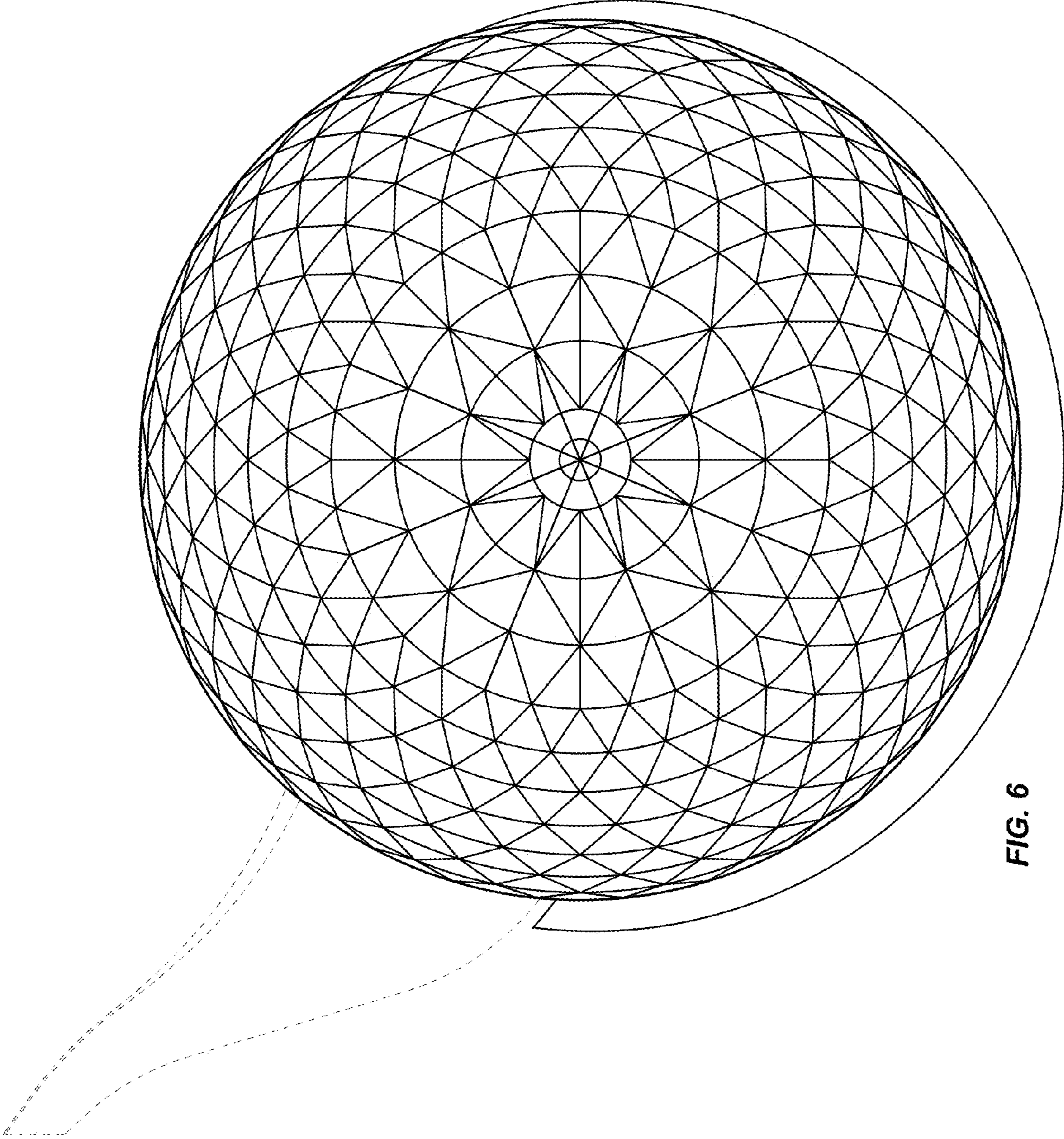


FIG. 6