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(54) **PACKAGED INFLATABLE BALL**

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CLAIM

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

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of a packaged inflatable ball showing my new design;

FIG. 2 is a rear perspective view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a front elevational view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a rear elevational view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a left-side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 6 is a right-side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 7 is a top plan view thereof; and,

FIG. 8 is a bottom plan view thereof.

The dash-dot-dash broken lines are boundary lines that form no part of the claimed design. The remaining evenly spaced broken lines depict portions of the packaged inflatable ball that form no part of the claimed design.

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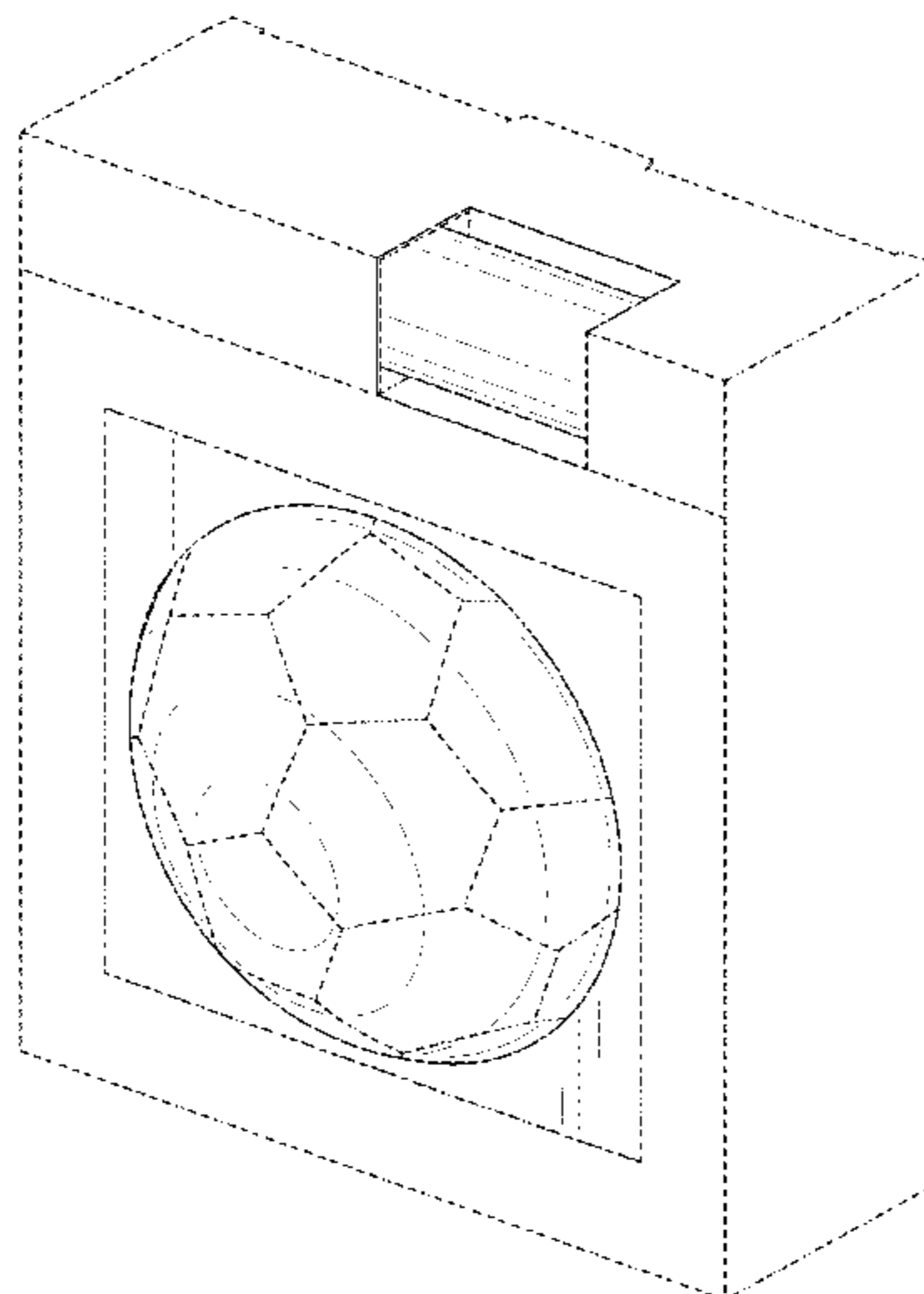
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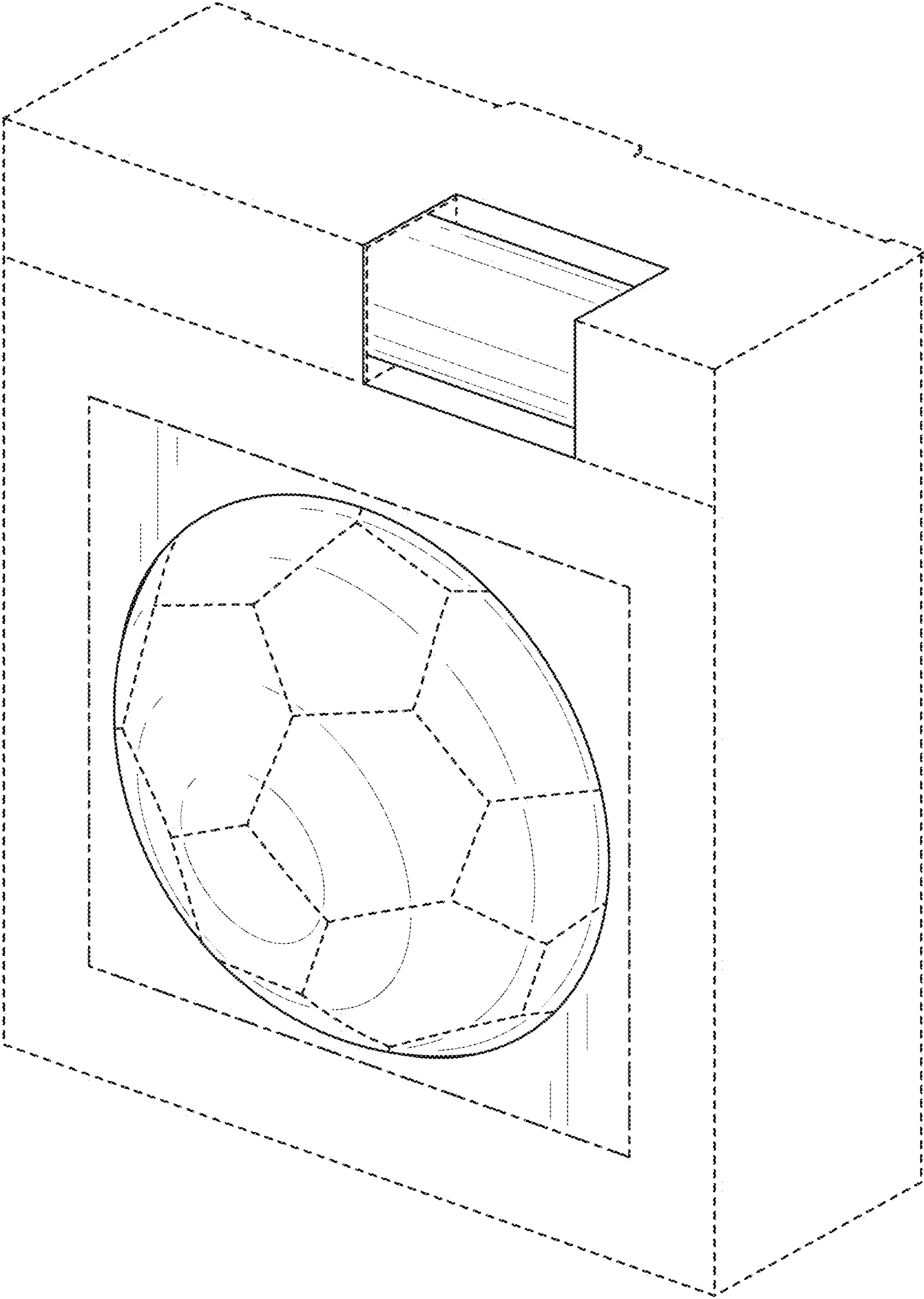


FIG. 1

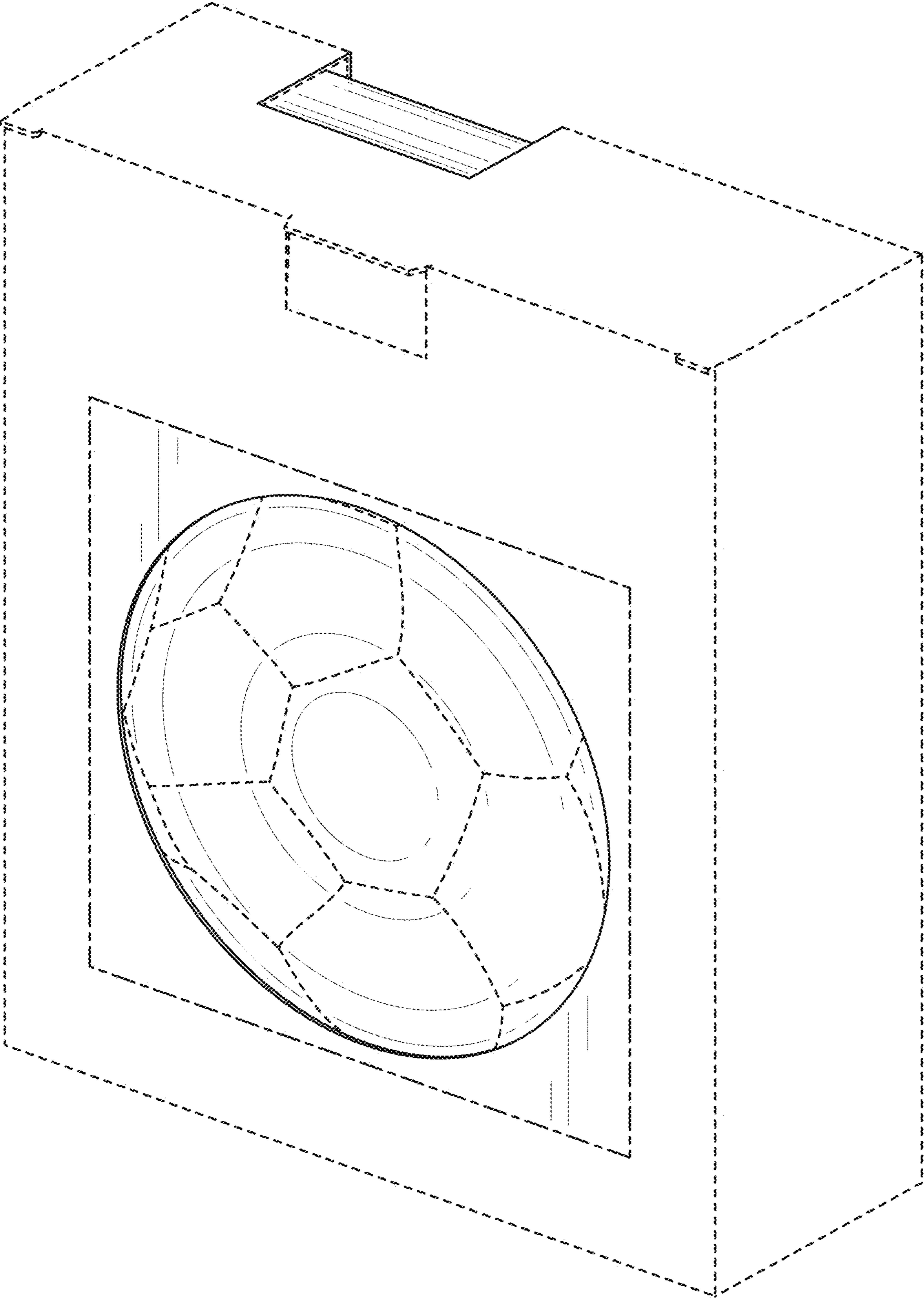


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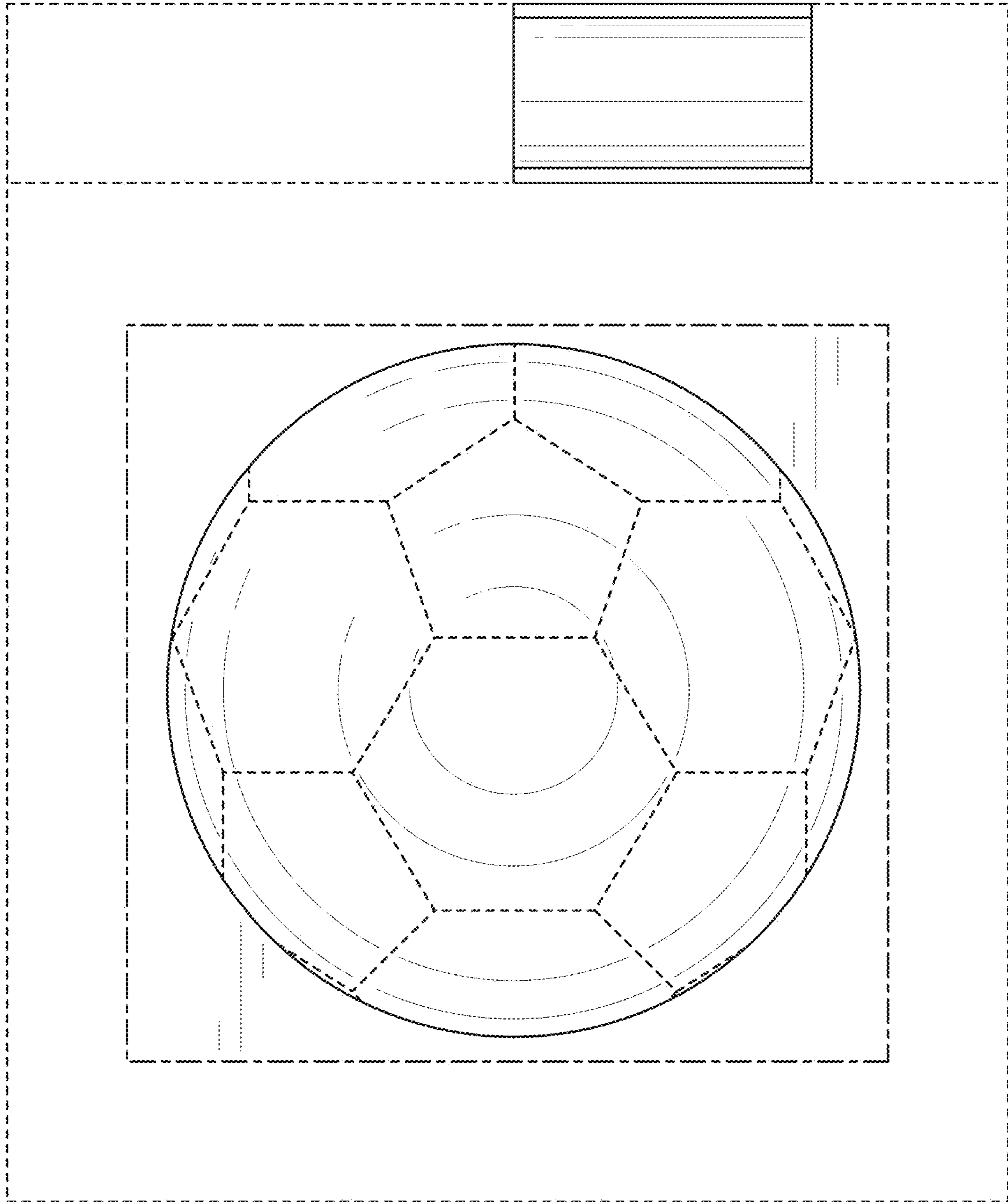


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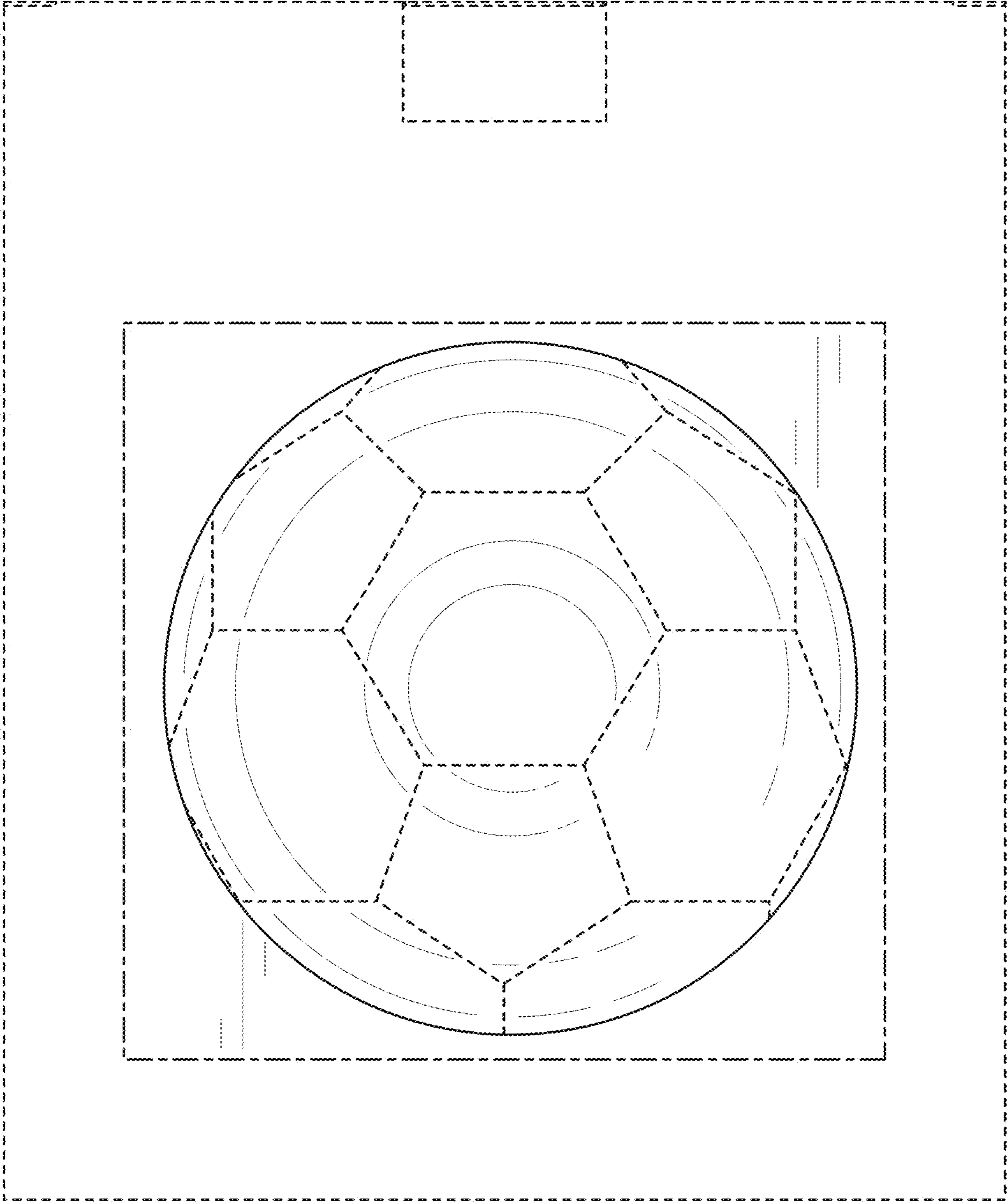


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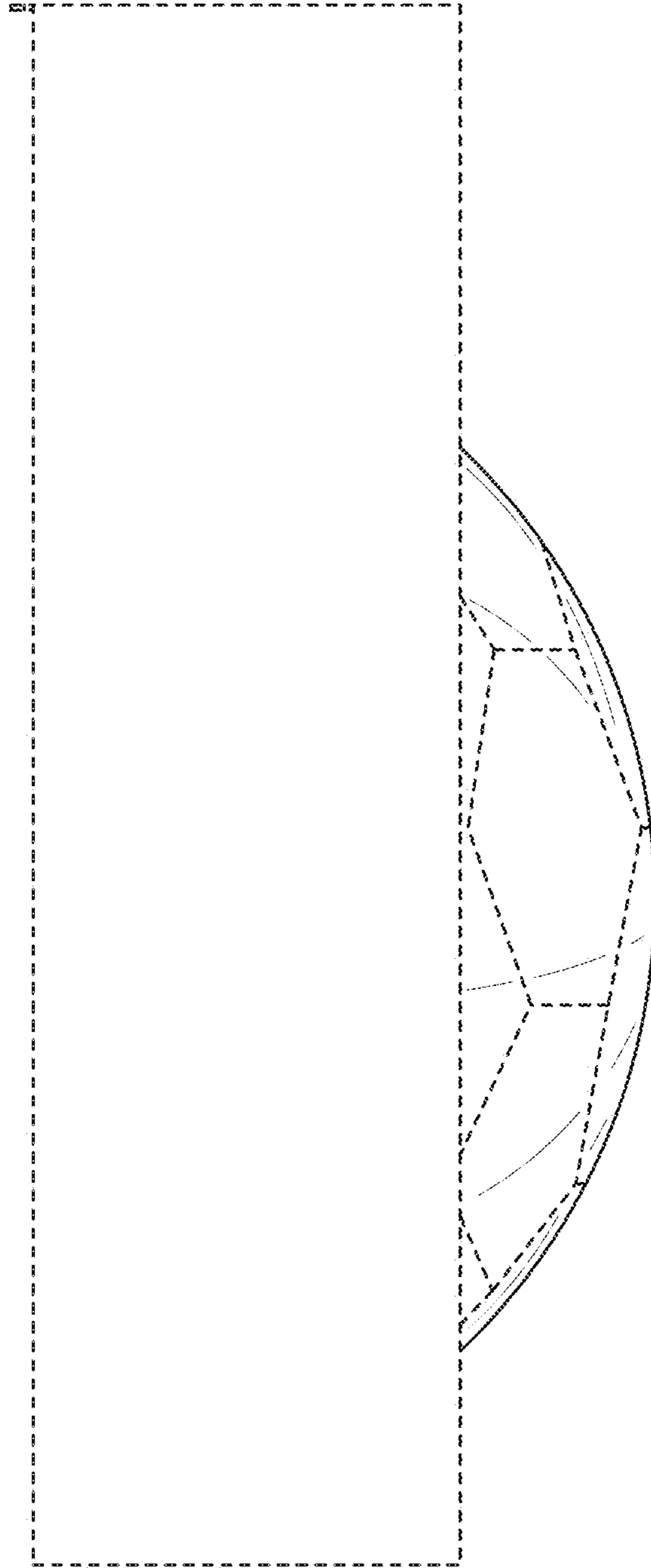


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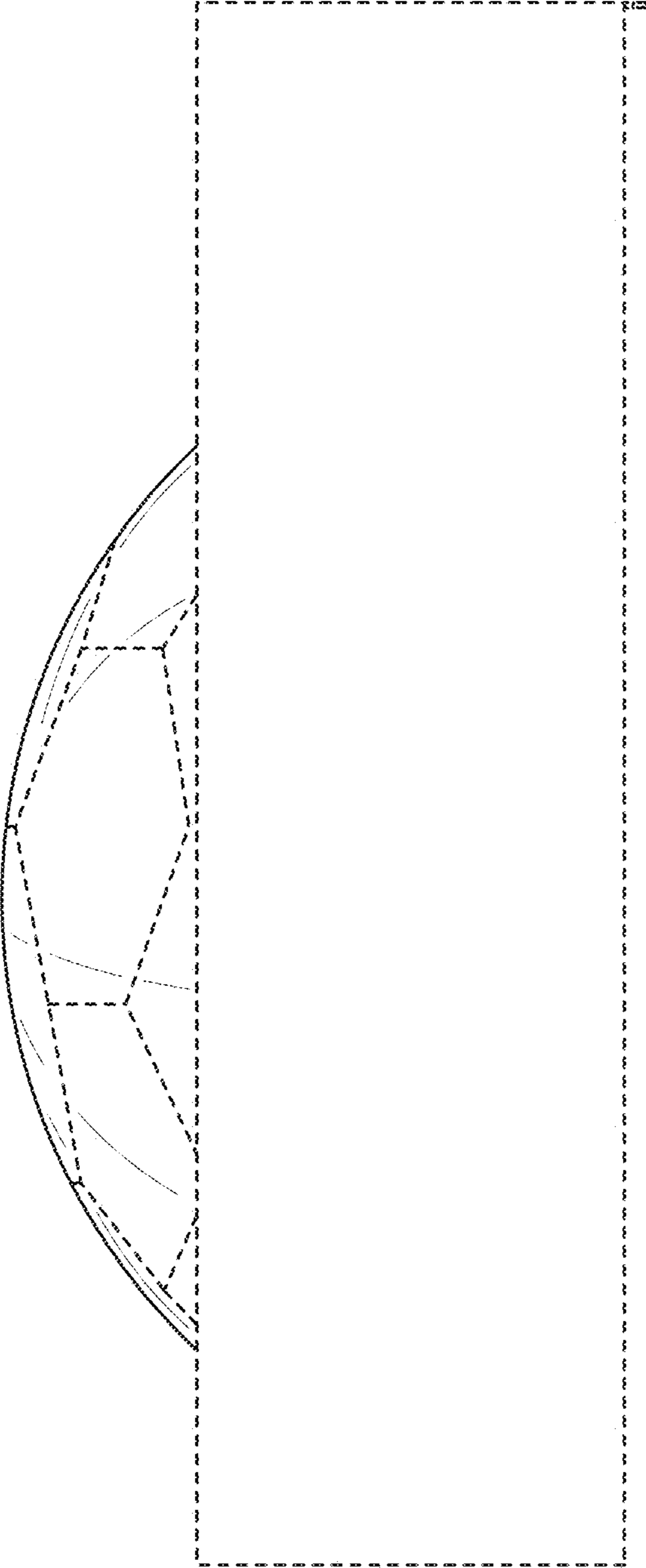


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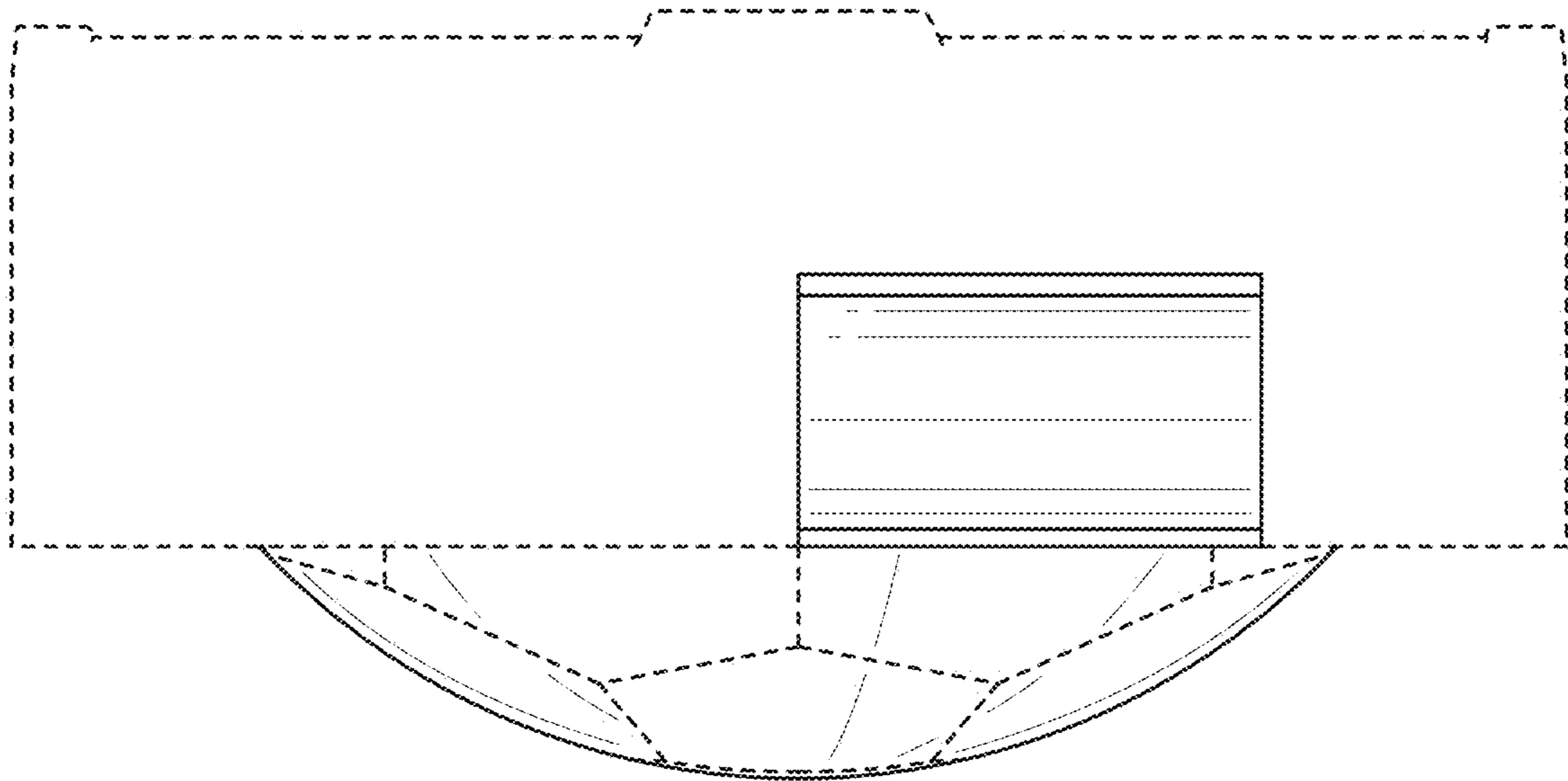


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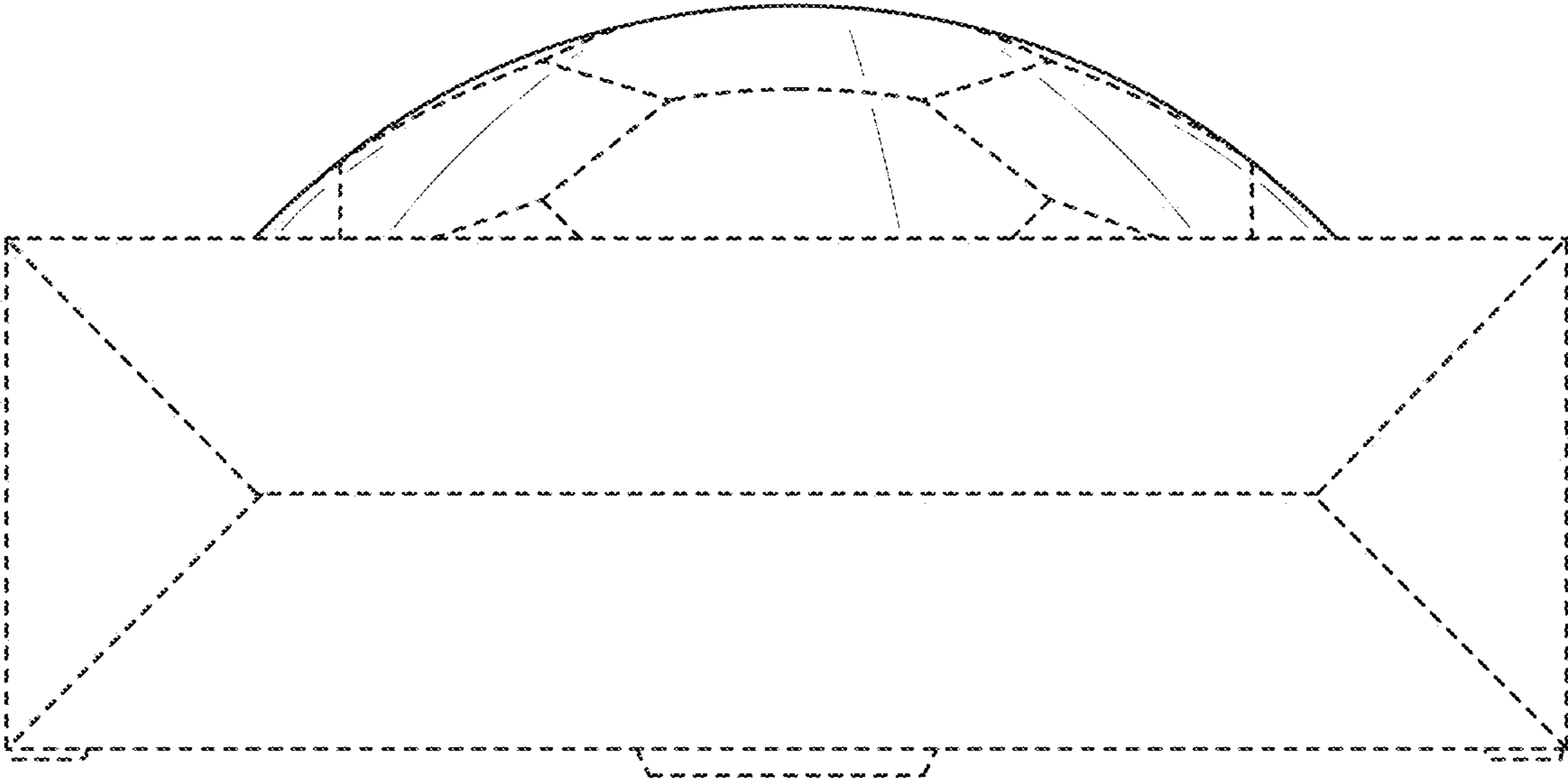


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