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We claim the ornamental design for a partition, as shown and described.

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FIG. 1 is a top front/right perspective view of a partition, showing a first embodiment of our new design;
FIG. 2 is a front perspective view of the partition thereof;
FIG. 3 is a front view of the partition thereof;
FIG. 4 is a rear view of the partition thereof;
FIG. 5 is a left side view of the partition thereof, the right side view is a mirror image of the left side view of FIG. 5;
FIG. 6 is a top view of the partition thereof;
FIG. 7 is a bottom view of the partition thereof;
FIG. 8 is a top front/right perspective view of a partition, showing a second embodiment of our new design;
FIG. 9 is a front perspective view of the partition thereof;
FIG. 10 is a front view of the partition thereof;
FIG. 11 is a rear view of the partition thereof;
FIG. 12 is a left side view of the partition thereof, the right side view is a mirror image of the left side view of FIG. 12;
FIG. 13 is a top view of the partition thereof; and,
FIG. 14 is a bottom view of the partition thereof.
The broken lines are for the purpose of showing portions of the partition that form no part of the claimed design.

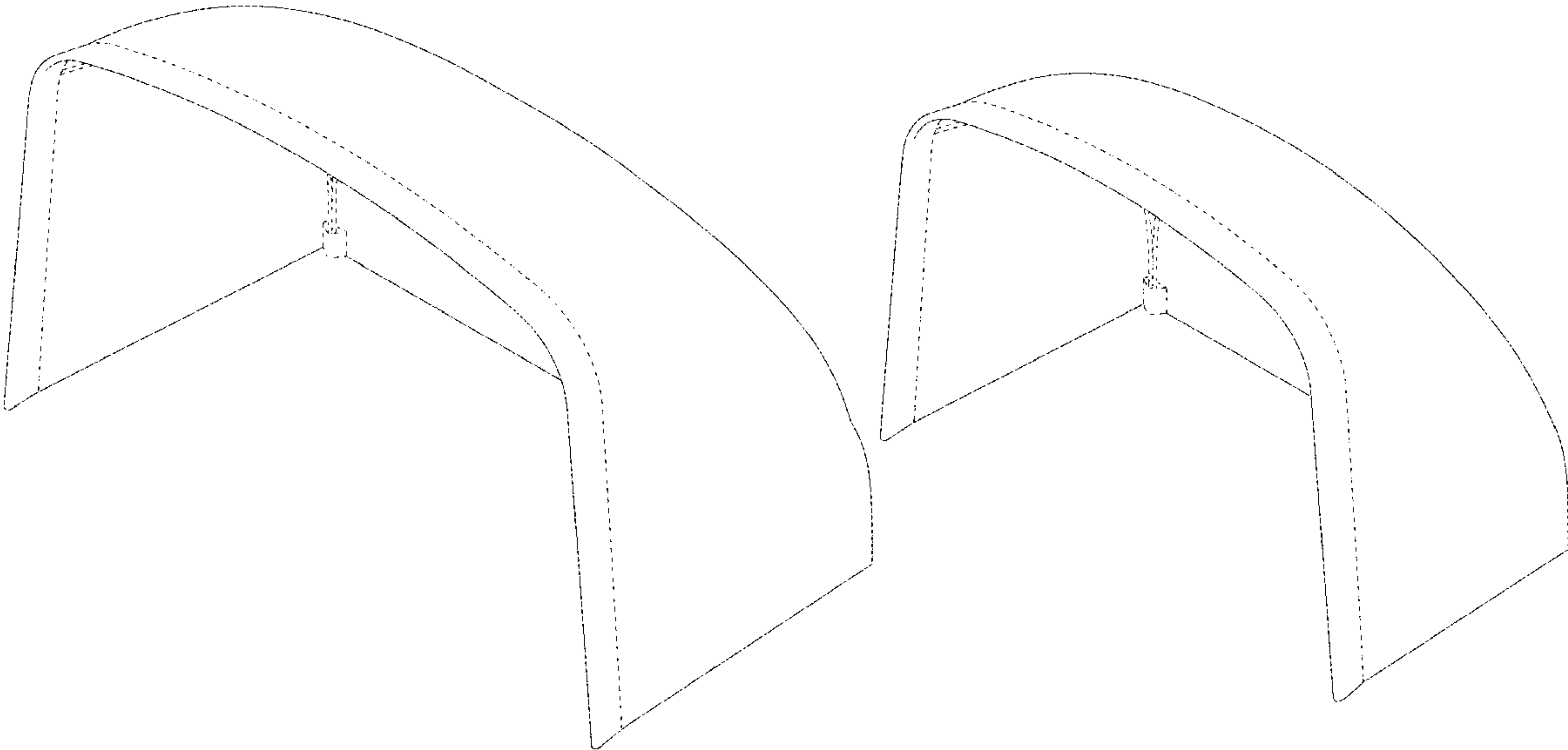
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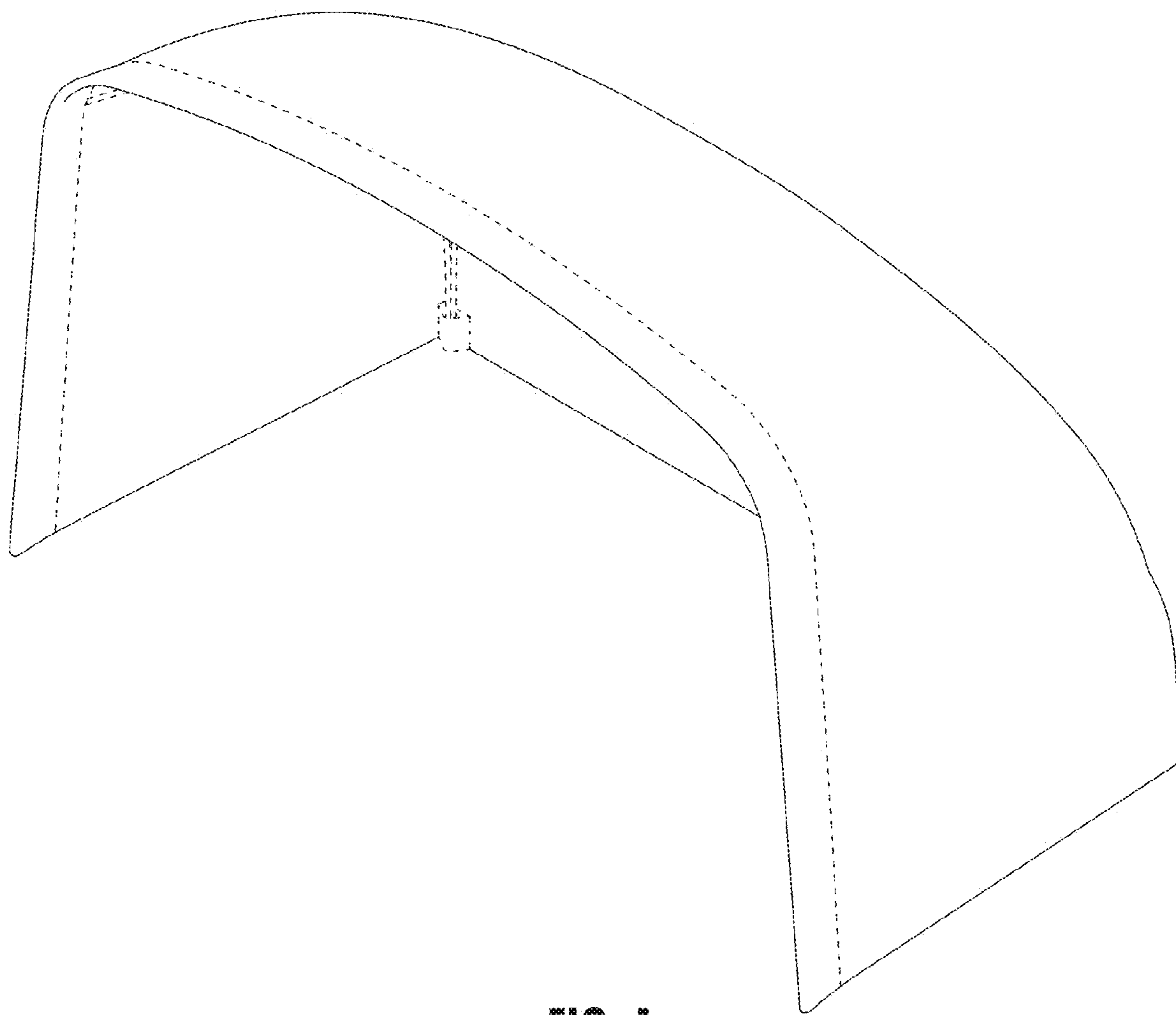


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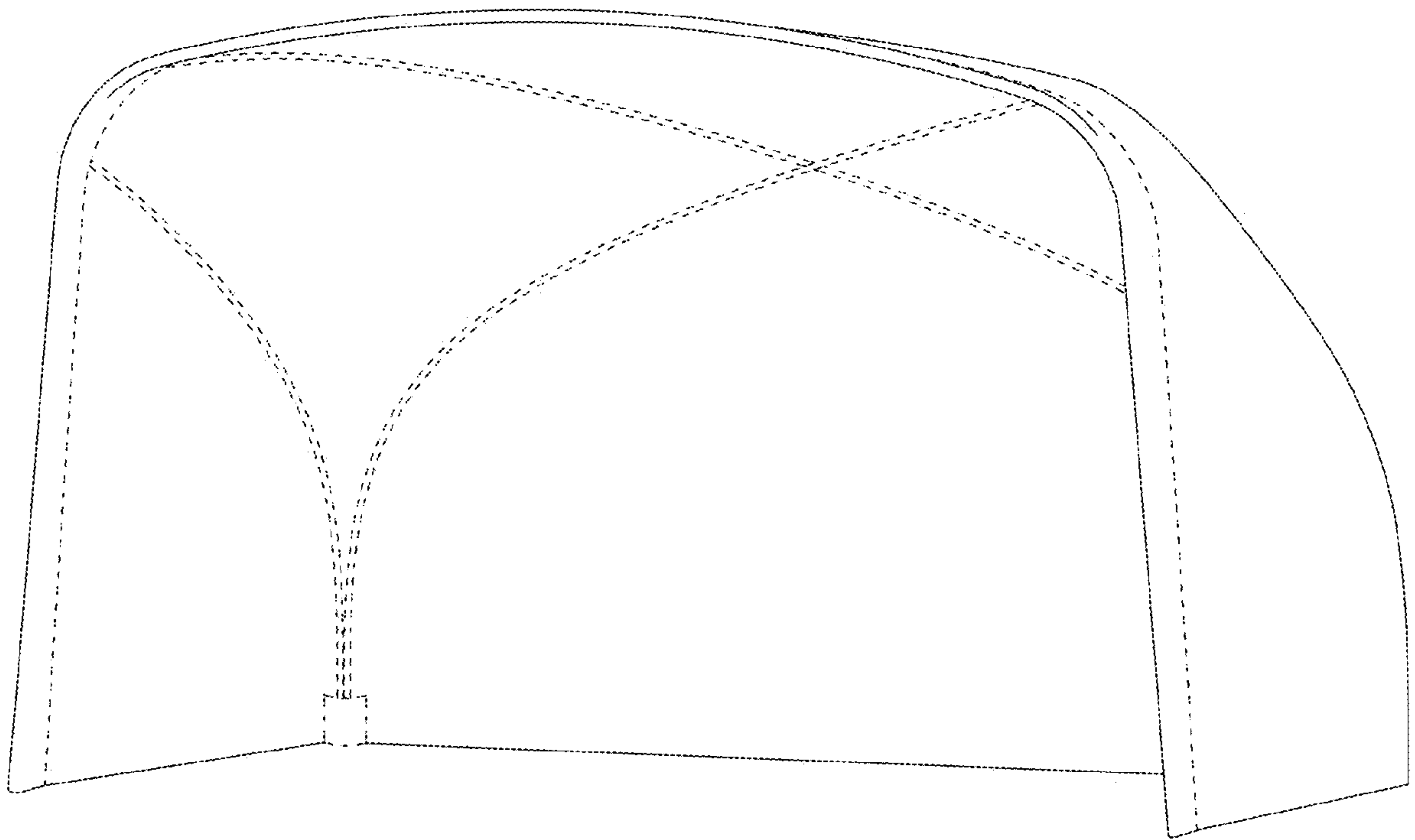


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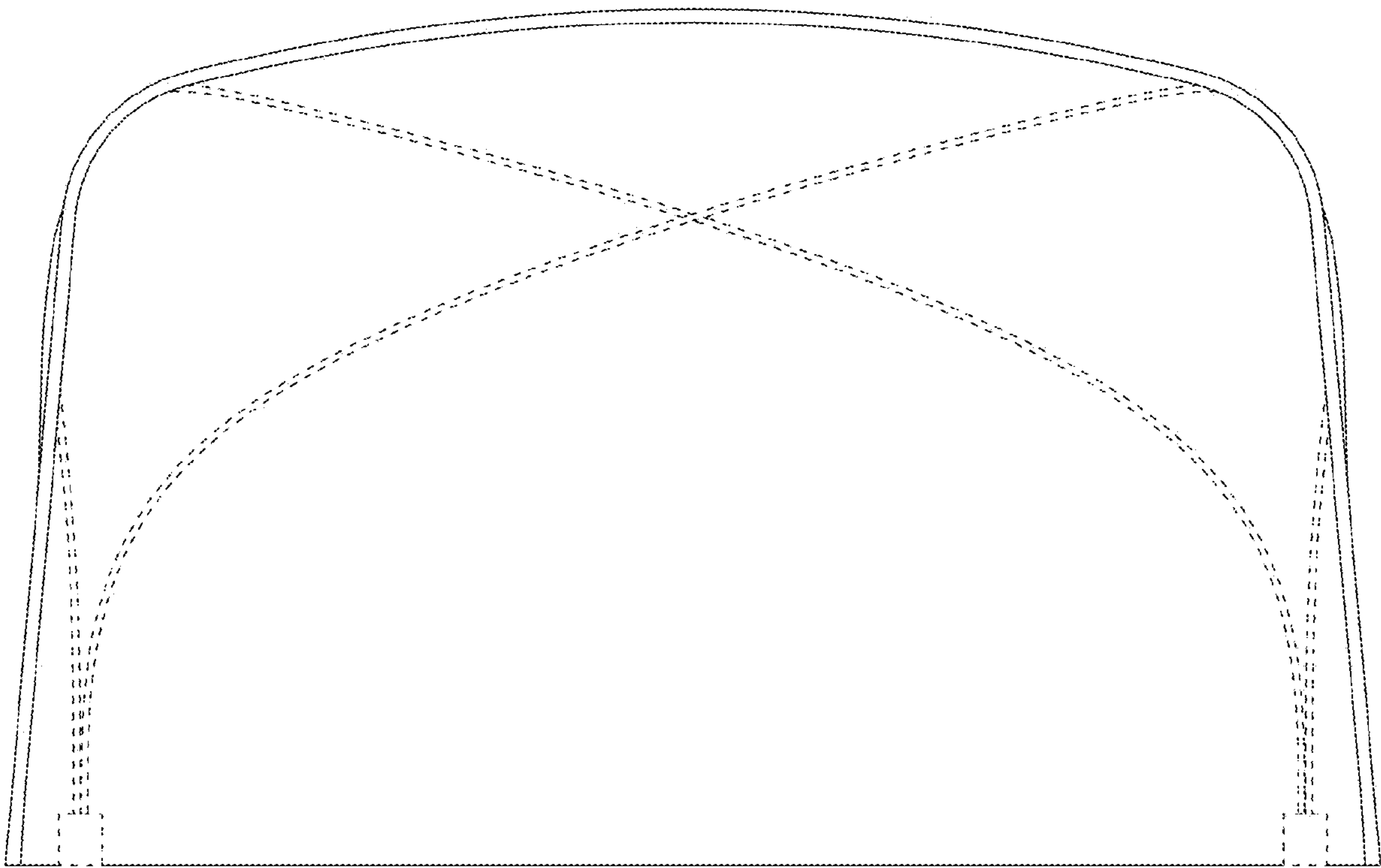


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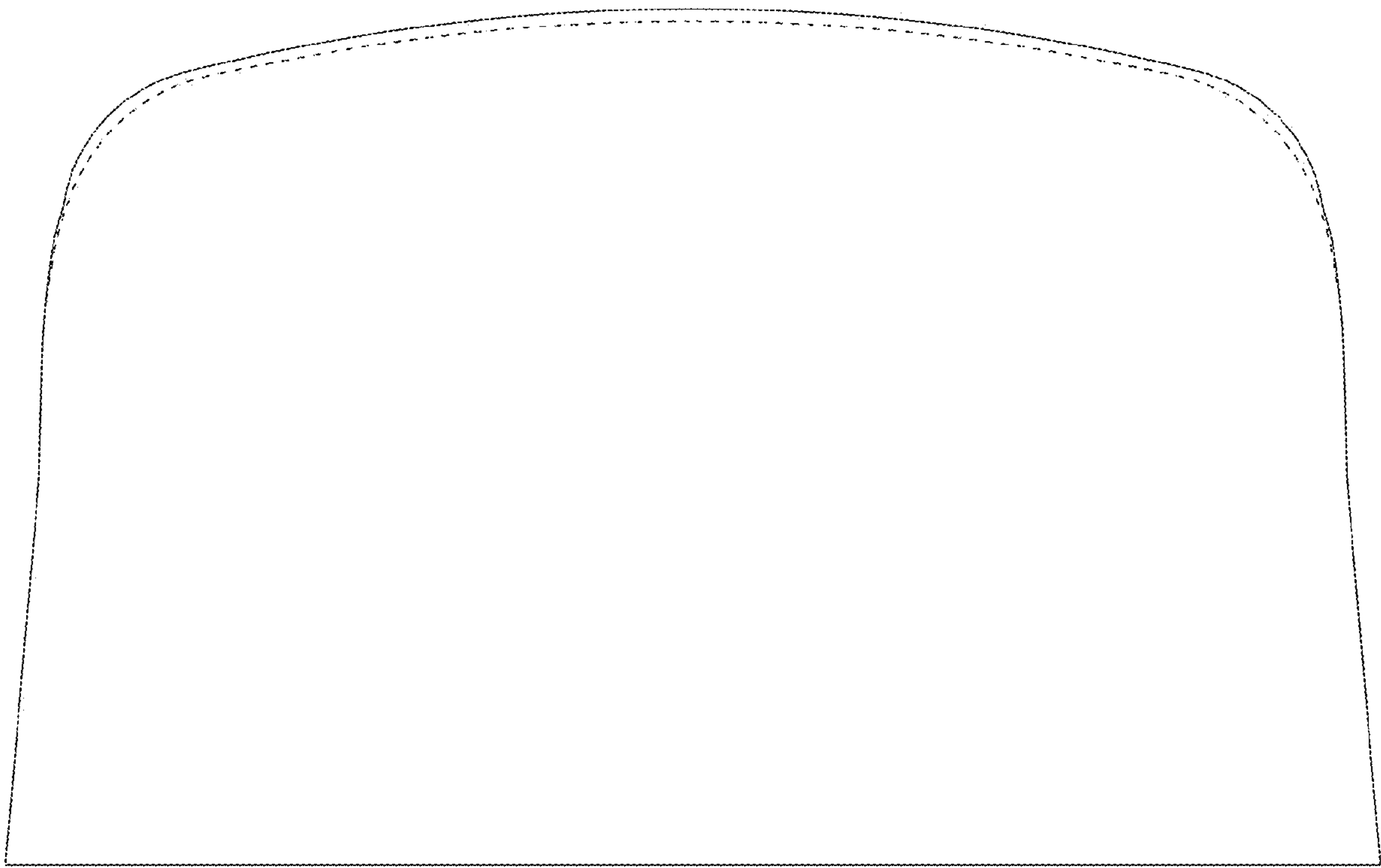


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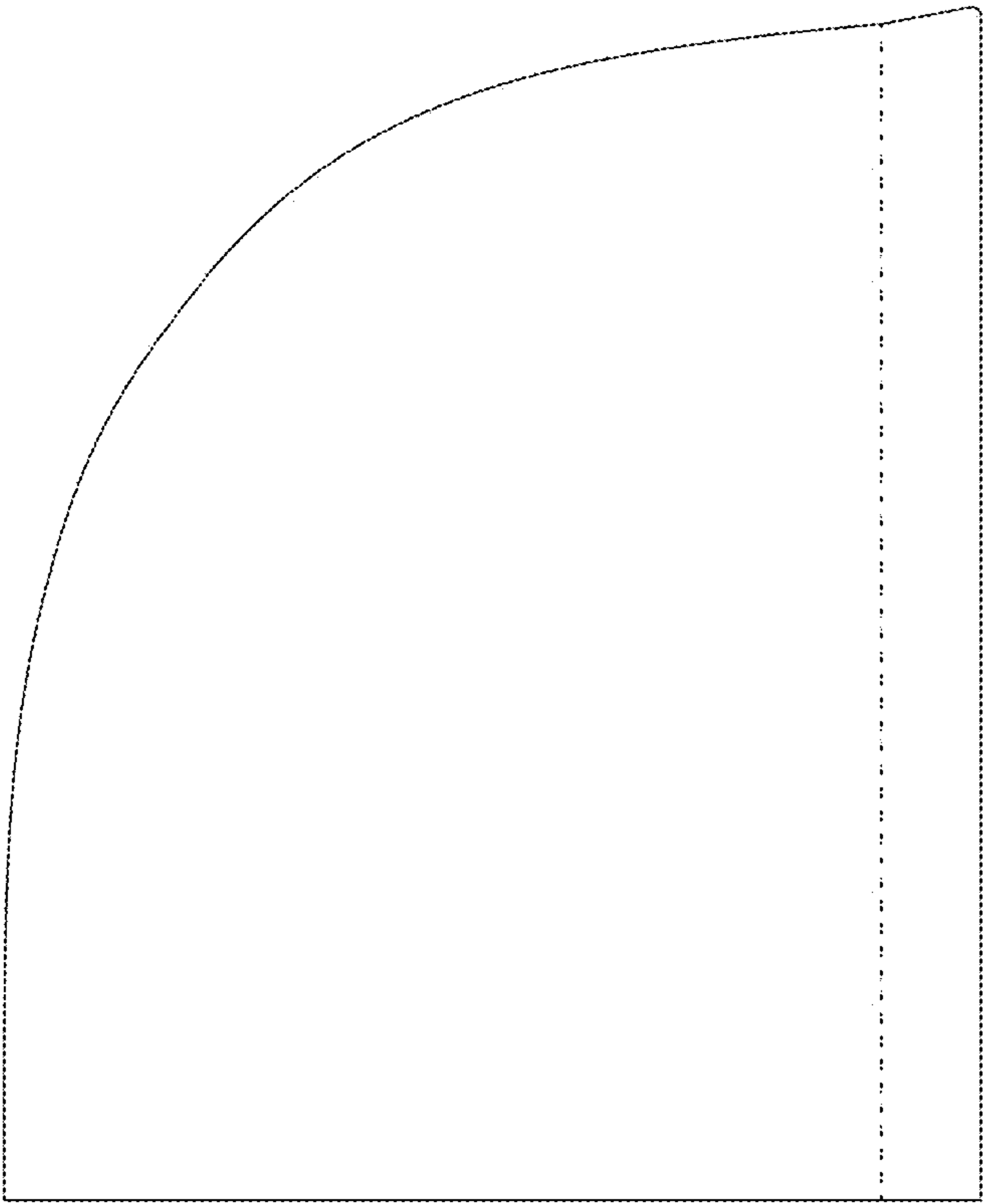


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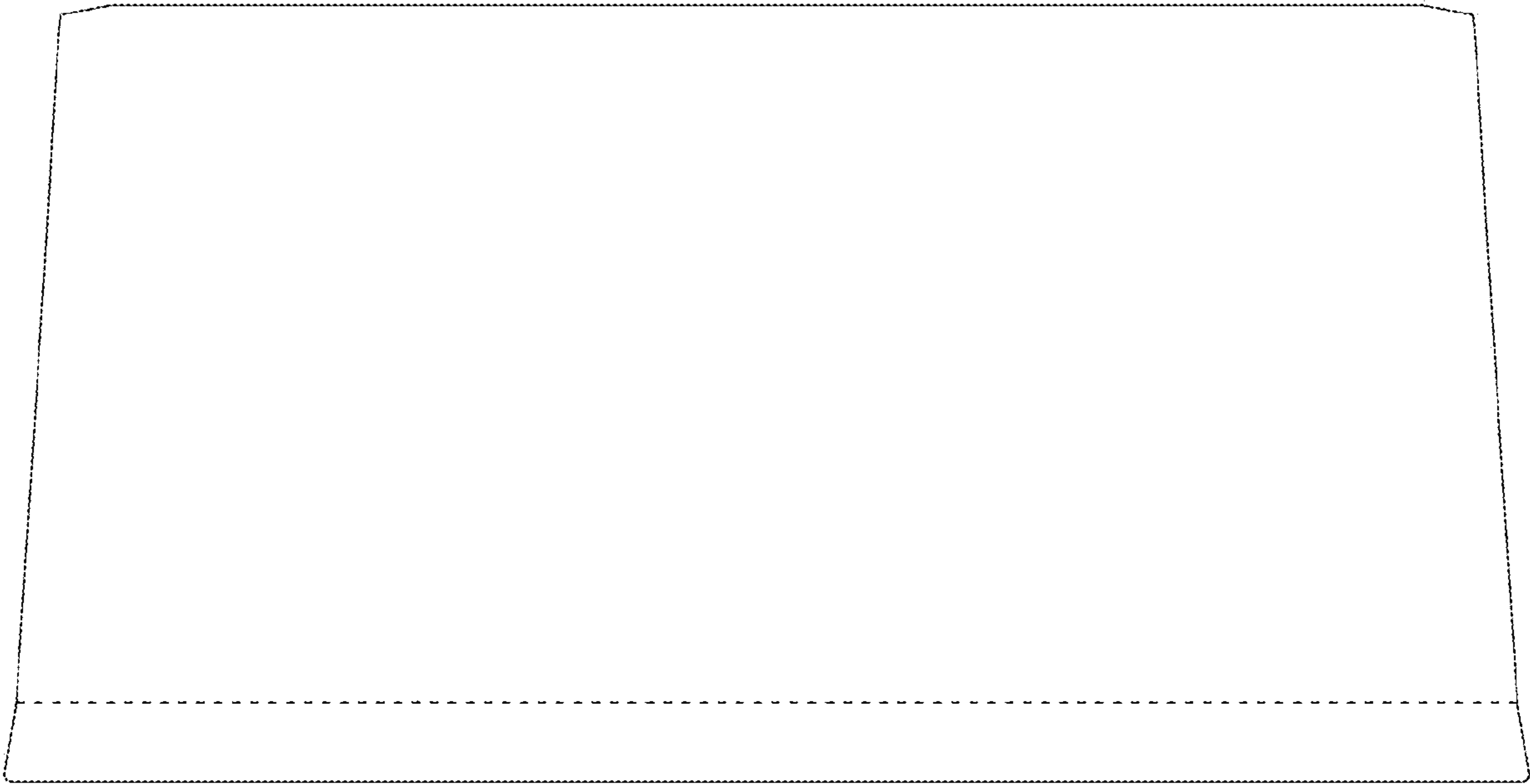


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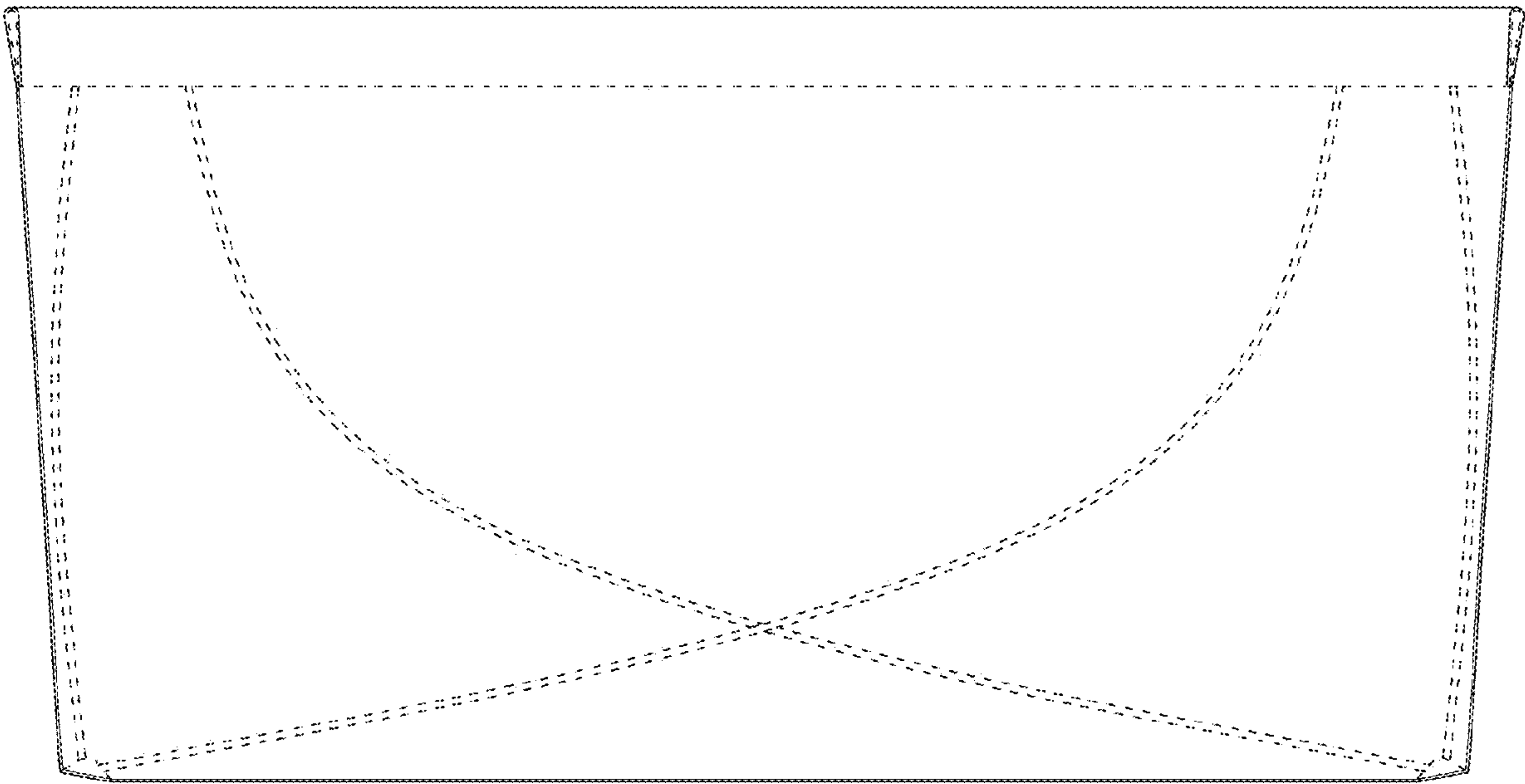


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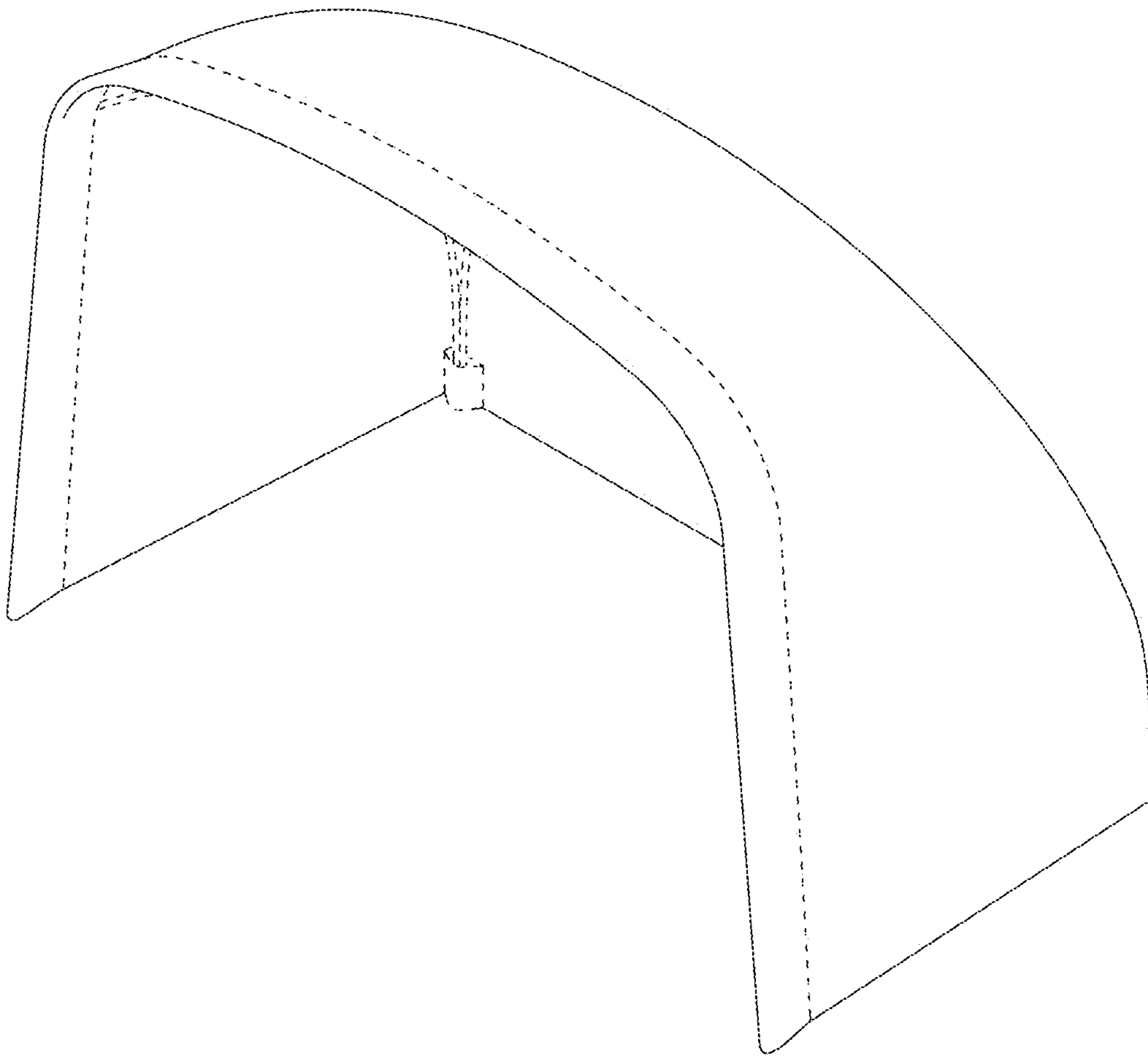


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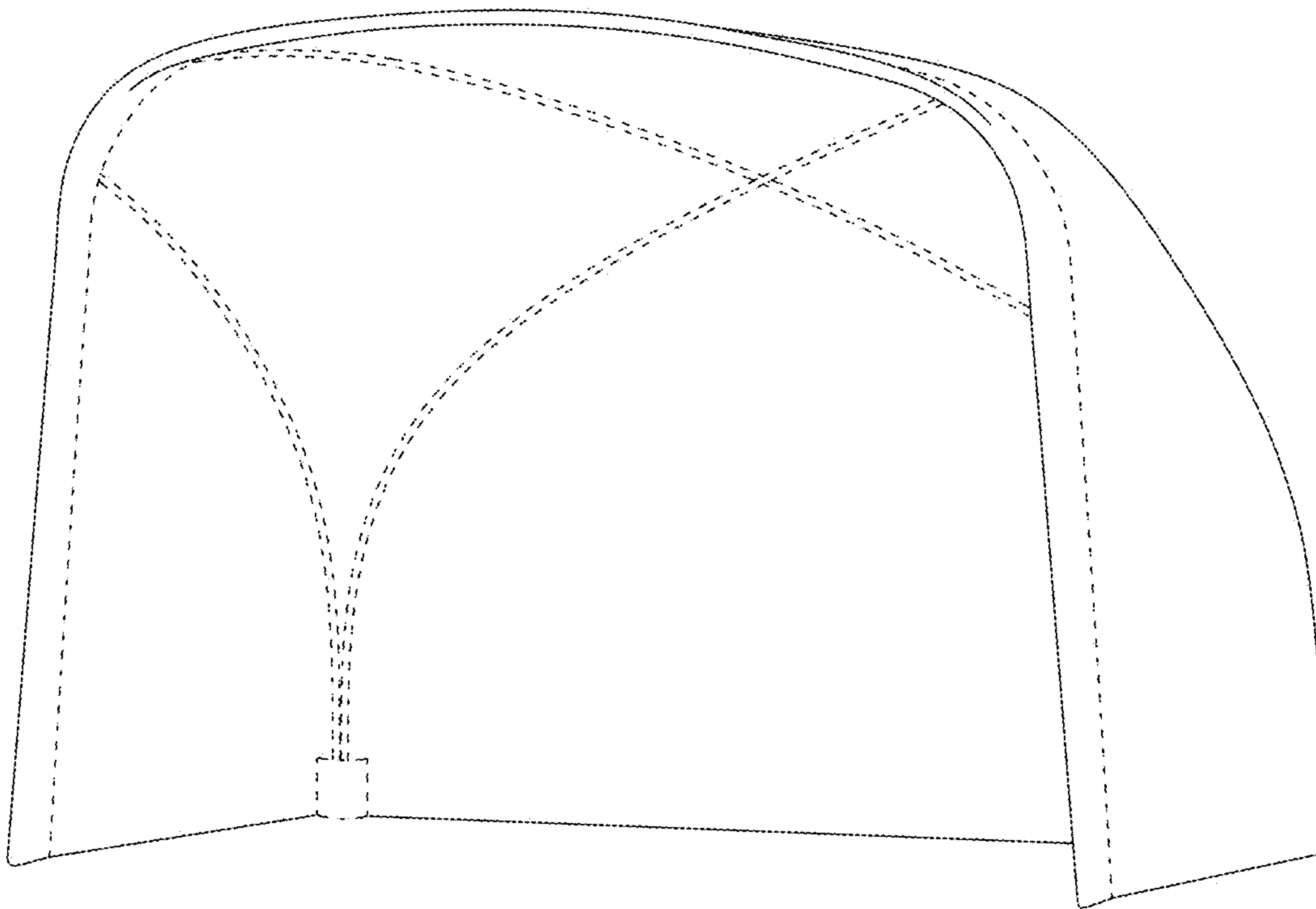


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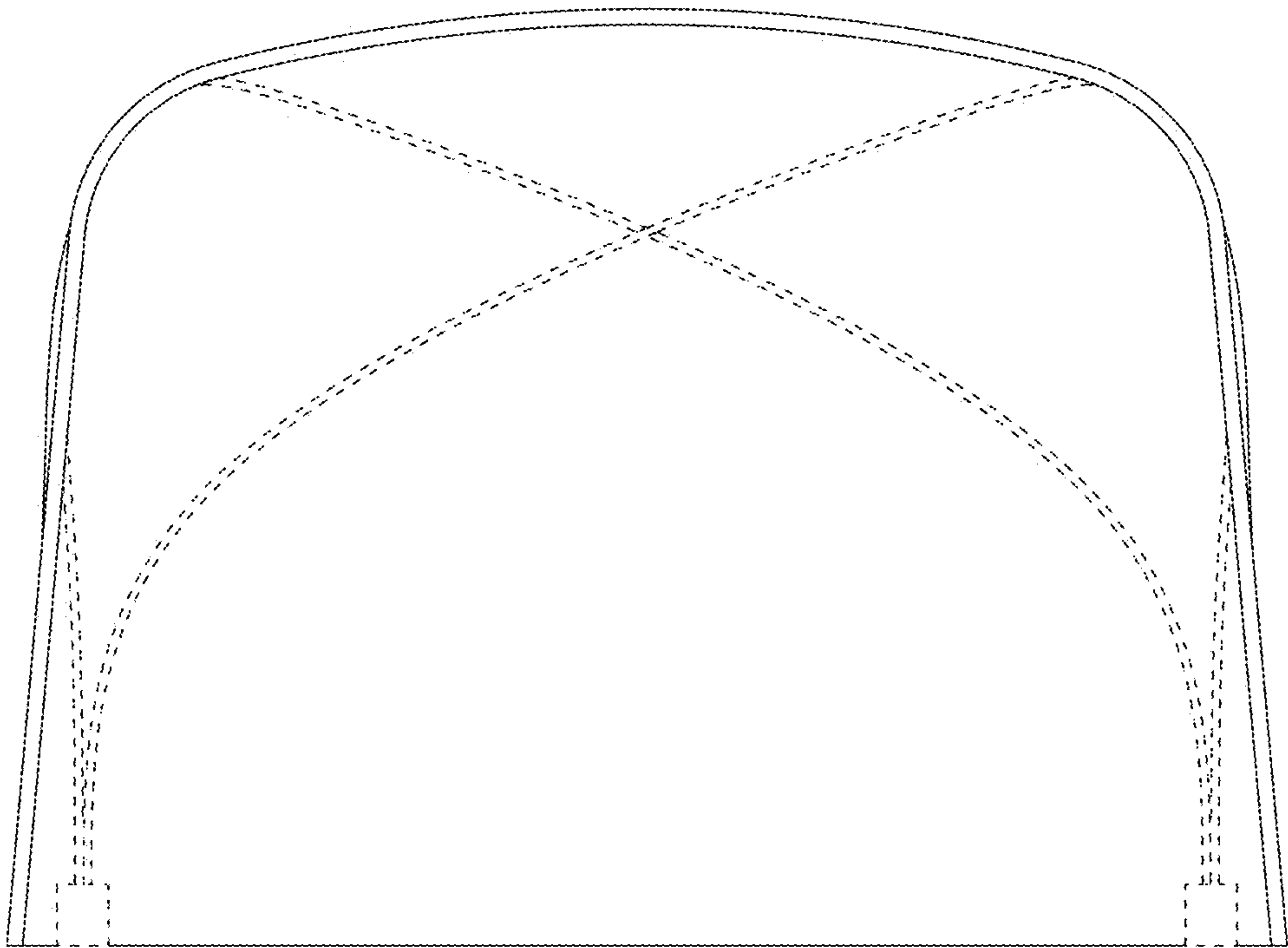


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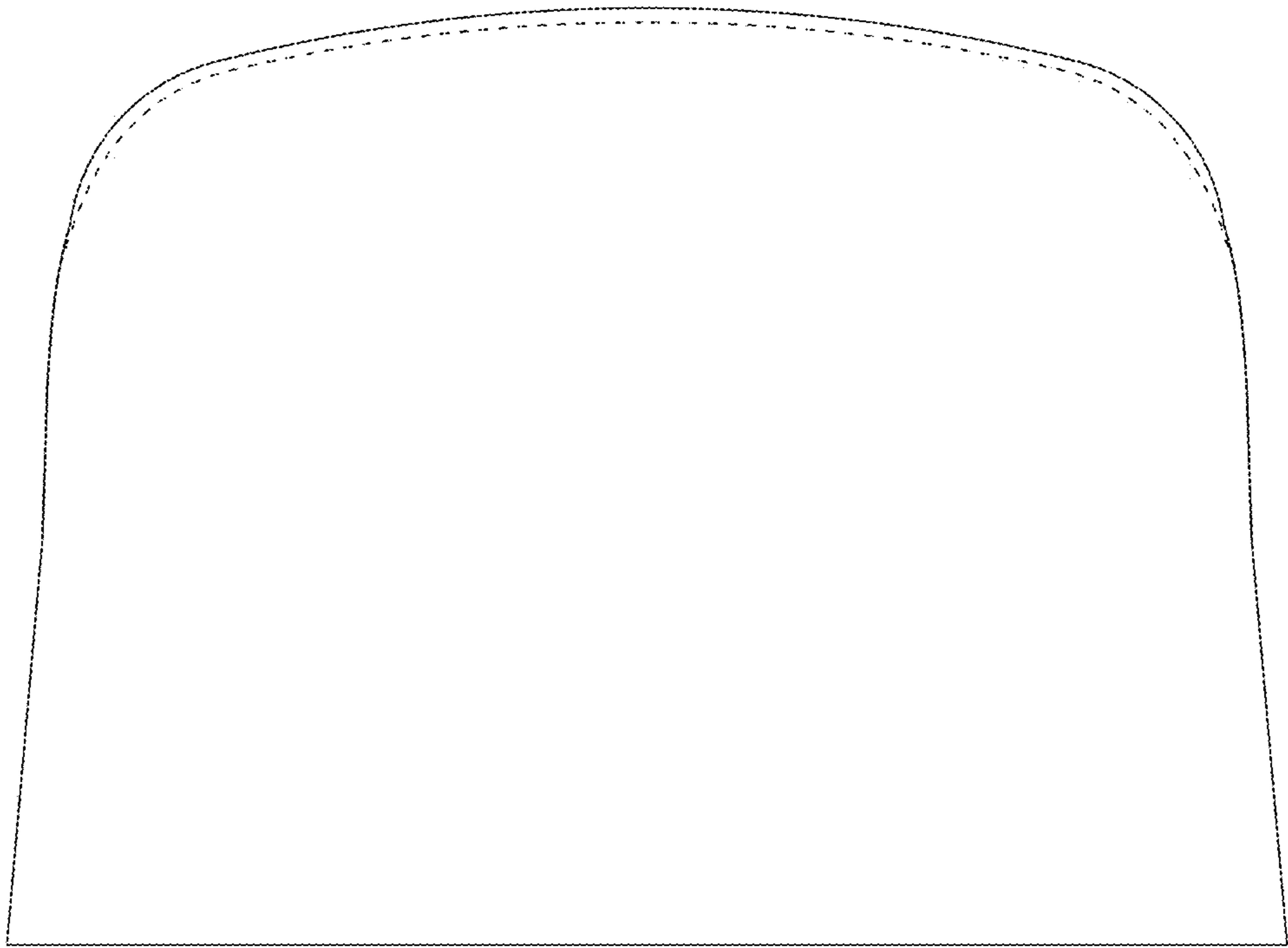


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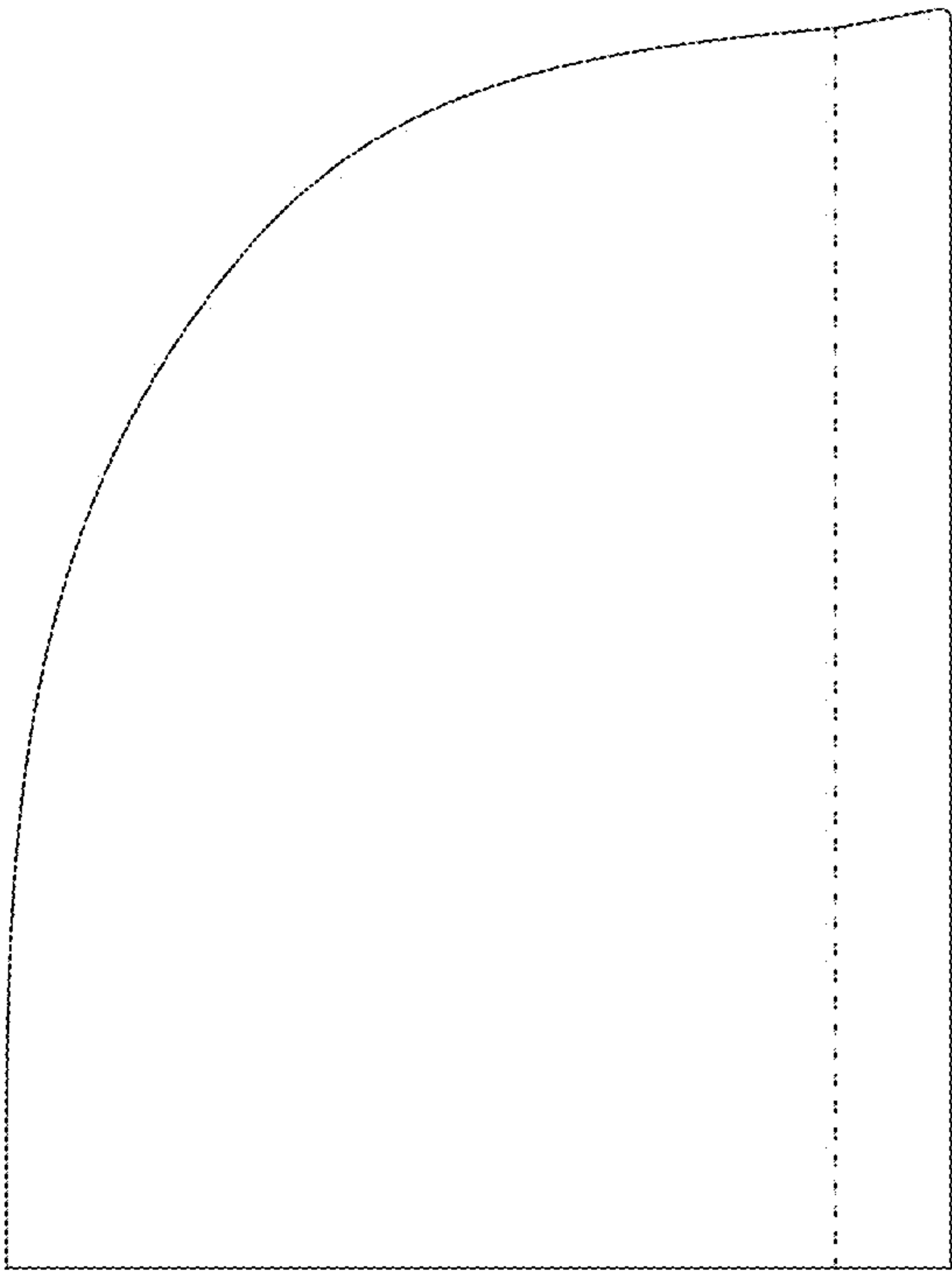


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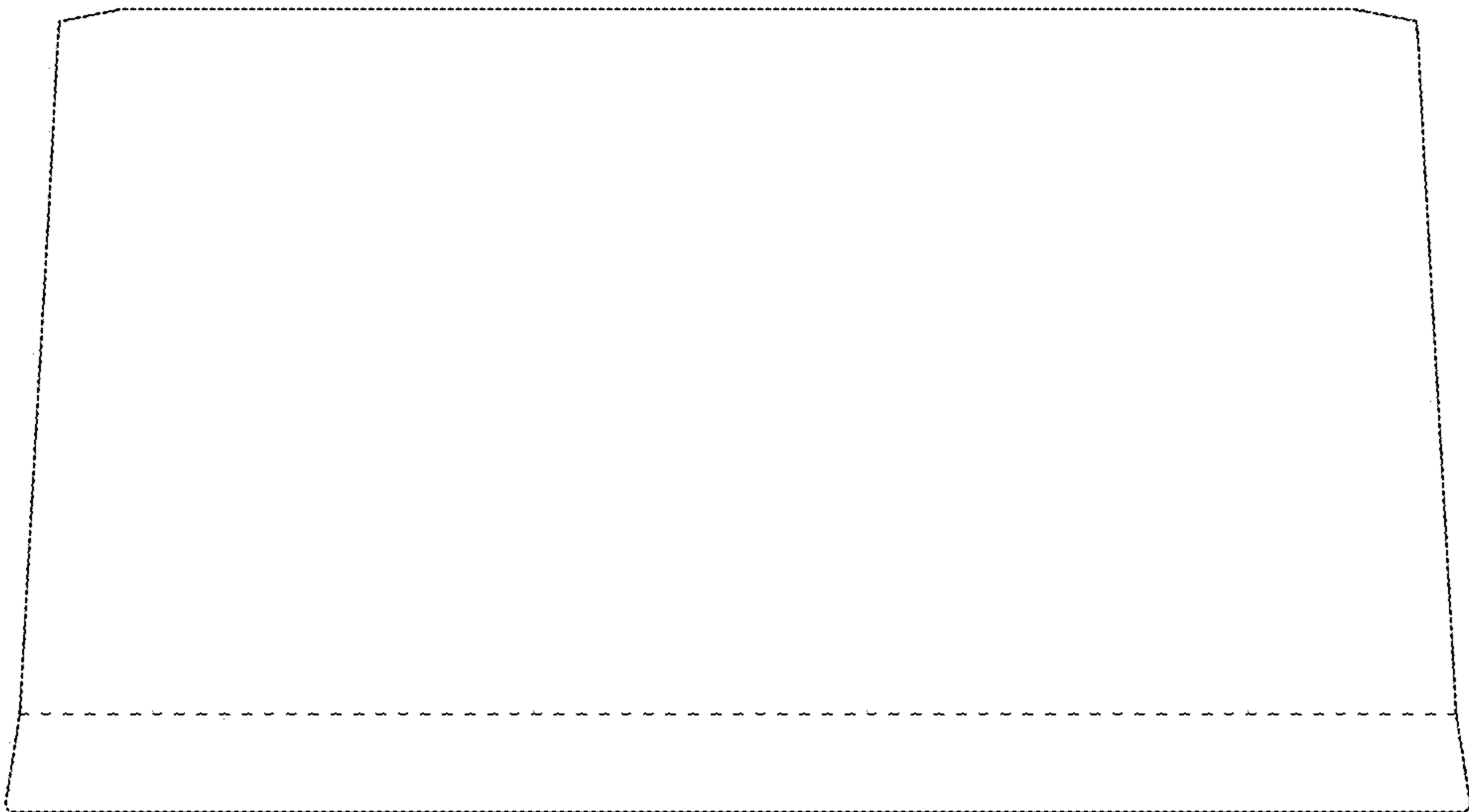


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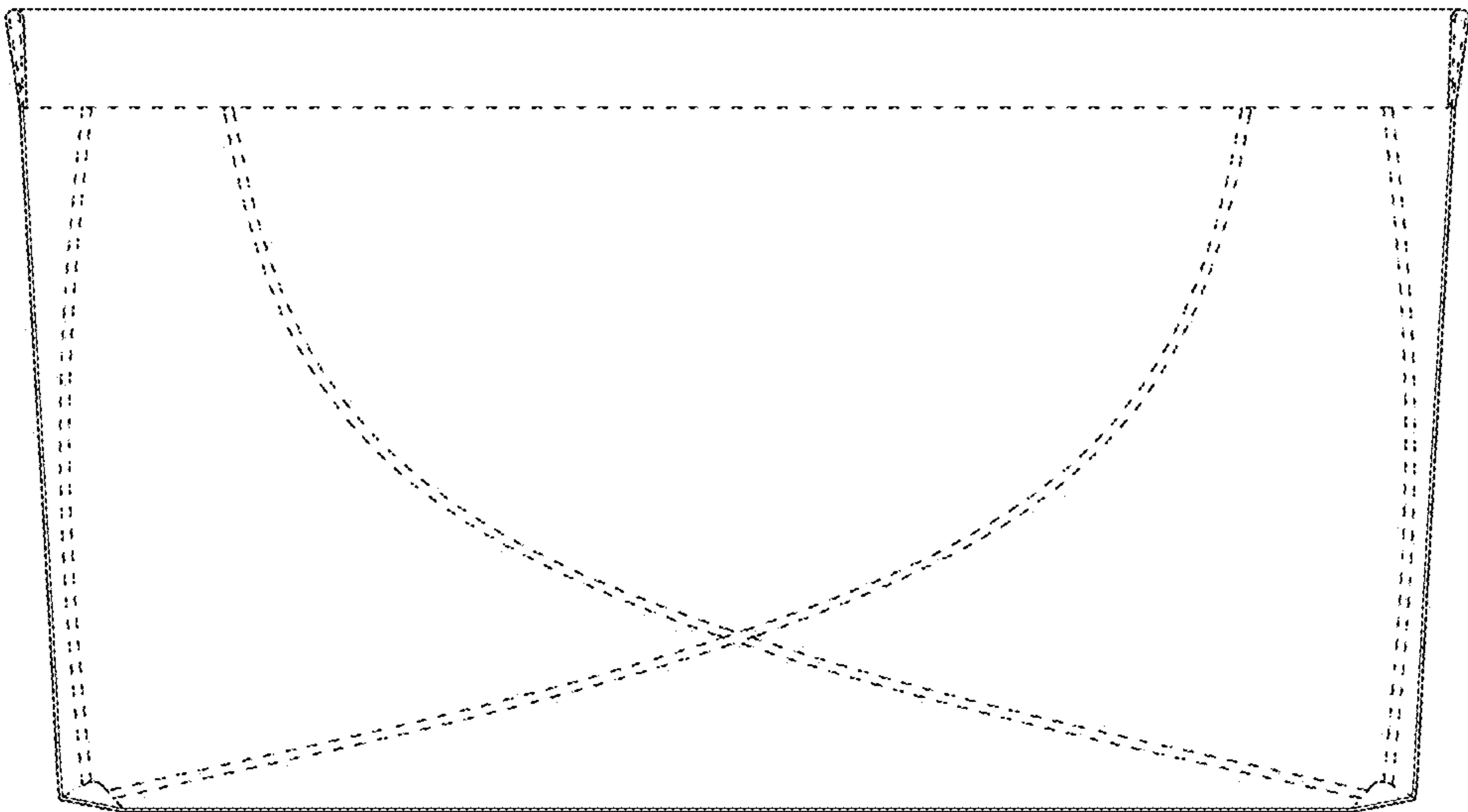


FIG. 14