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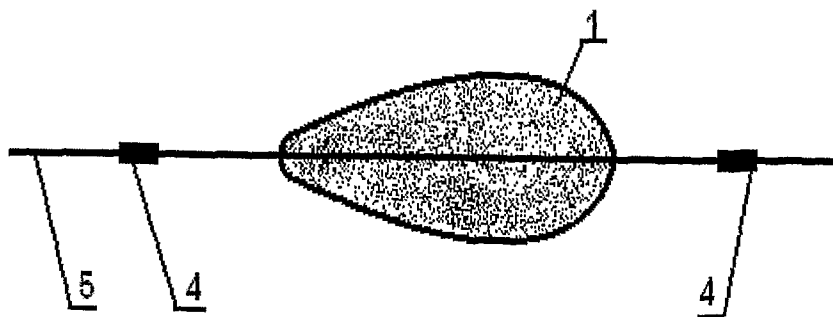
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(57) Abstract: This invention is a fishing float which is used in hobby or sportfishing as well as in deep-sea and river fishing. The float is made of elastic, microporous material and is rotary floating body (1) to which the standard fishing accessories and additional elements are mounted. The floating body (1) and the antenna (6), if there is any, can be lacquered. The body (1) can be covered with a thin elastic film. The advantages of the float are that when it is

stepped on or when it has endured some other involuntary human action it is not smashed or broken and can recover its original shape repeatedly. The float has low prime cost because the materials of which it is made are not expensive and more treatable in comparison with the cork. The new float is water-resistant during a long stay in the water.



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