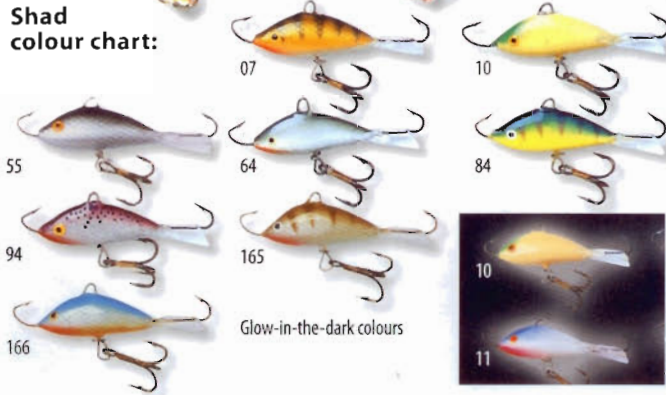


Rotinkainen colour chart:



Shad colour chart:



Designed by
Louise Kangas



Balance Jigger colour chart:



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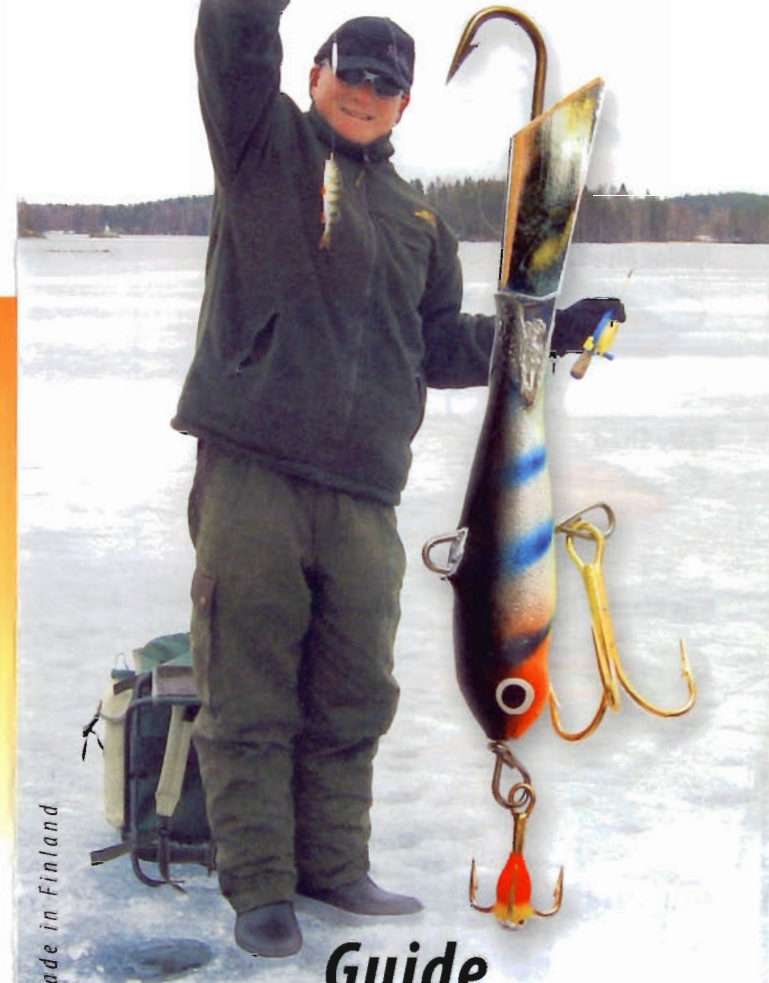


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Model

Rotinkainen

size weight

50 mm 4 g
70 mm 12 g

Designed by
Kaari Kangas

Jigging Shad

75 mm 28 g

Junior Shad

60 mm 16 g

Baby Shad

50 mm 8 g

Nils Master Jigger

Jigger-0 30 mm 4 g
Jigger-1 *45 mm 6 g
Jigger-2 *70 mm 15 g
Jigger-3 80 mm 25 g
Jigger-4 120 mm 45 g

* long shank Hi-Carbon treble hook

Snub-Head

colours:

- C/B
- C/C
- B/B
- S/B
- S/C
- S/S
- S=silver
- C=copper
- B=brass

50 mm
60 mm
75 mm

Description

The Rotinkainen offers ice fishing enthusiasts two distinctive modes of ice fishing with one lure. Two-in-one Rotinkainen serves both as a balance jigger in the horizontal position and by attaching the line to the tail hook it can be used in a vertical position. This new addition to the Nils Master jiggering range is already gaining an excellent reputation for catching a large variety of fish species like pike perch, walleyes, pike, trout, and perch to name a few. For use in the vertical position leave the line attached to the body eyelet and then simply wrap the line 2-3 times around the tail hook.

The Nils Master jigging shad series is specifically designed for vertical jigging through ice or in open waters. Nils Master designed these lures after an article was written in the "In-Fisherman" magazine stating the fishing public needs a bulky, flatter bodied swimming bait. Proven to catch "monster" walleyes, pike, trout, salmon, Jumbo perch and bass. See colour chart for the range of colours available. Also available in glow-in-the-dark colours which are more visible in murky water conditions. These aggressive colour schemes provoke fish to strike.

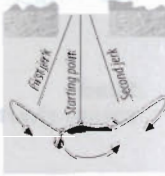
The Nils Master balance jigger has a special body design that is made for ice fishing or jigging in open waters. In the 1970's the Kangas brothers designed this jigger from their own ice fishing experiences and it has become a legend amongst fishing enthusiasts all around the world. The Nils Master Jigger swims in such a way that it appears to be searching for prey fish by turning back and darting through the starting point thus attracting fish to strike. It is - now available in 5 sizes - proven to catch a large variety of fish species. Excellent for pike, walleyes, perch, trout, salmon, bass. See colour chart for extensive selection of colours and also glow-in-the-dark colours.

The new shape of the Nils Master Snub-Head has a tapered body and is spoon like in appearance and comes with a two coloured treble hook. When lowered into water it sinks in a shimmering manner. The bright shinning effect of the body will arouse interest from near by fish and together with the colourful treble hook will tantalize fish to strike. The snub-head is available in 6 colour variations and 3 sizes. It is easy to use and highly effective for catching perch and pike and many other fish species.

User tips from Kalevi & Hannu Kangas



When fishing with "Rotinkainen" you need only a light jerk of the rod tip to activate the swimming action. We recommend using a thin line as it makes the bait swim lightly even in great depths. Rotinkainen has a quick darting action which is activated by a gentle twitch of the rod tip and the jigger leaps back and forth as naturally as a fish in water. See diagram.



Attach the line to the top eyelet and lower the shad to your desired depth and starting point. A slight jerk of the rod tip will activate the swimming action. Just a gentle repeated jerk of the rod tip is sufficient enough as the shads are specially balanced in their design to swim in a darting motion making graceful sweeps as you twitch the rod tip or raise and lower your arm alleviating the line.



Attach the line to the top eyelet and lower in the water to your desired depth and starting point. Then "twitch" it with a slight jerk of the rod tip and the jigger will dart forward like a small bait fish. By repeating this twitch procedure the jigger will turn back passing through the starting point. See diagram. One of the most proven techniques when using jiggers is to lower the jigger until you reach the bottom. Then reel-in about 30 cm and gently twitch the rod tip to arouse the fish. Then hold quite still. Often the fish will take the bait when the jigger has stopped.



There are many techniques for jigging with the snub-head and fishing enthusiasts will soon develop their own preferred style. Two methods we recommend to try: Attach your line through the top hole and lower in the water to your desired depth. Lift your arm and the line 30 cm and then allow the snub-head to return to the start point and then gently repeat a twitching of the rod tip a few times before doing the whole procedure again. Also we recommend lowering the snub-head to the bottom structure and reel-in the line about 30cm and gently twitch the rod tip causing the snub-head to shimmer.