CLAIMS

[Claim 1]

A reel seat comprising:

a seat body including:

a reel foot placing portion on which a reel foot of a fishing reel is placed,

a fixed hood provided in the rear of the reel foot placing portion in terms of the axial direction, and

a movable hood disposed in the front of the reel foot placing portion in terms of the axial direction,

wherein:

when the seat body is fixed to a rod, the position of the reel foot placing portion is offset in a direction that falls with respect to the position of the central axis of the rod;

the reel seat comprises an inclined surface that connects an upper end position of the fixed hood, which defines an opening of the fixed hood, and an upper surface of a grip gripped by a fisher in the rear of the fishing reel;

the inclined surface is provided in the rear of the fishing reel mounted and fixed on the reel foot placing portion of the seat body;

the inclined surface has, in a side view, an upward inclination angle of 45° or less, with respect to the upper end position of the fixed hood, at which the inclined surface rises from the upper end position of the fixed hood toward the upper surface of the grip, and a downward inclination angle of 35° or less, with respect to the upper surface of the grip, at which the inclined surface falls

from the upper surface of the grip;

the inclined surface has a surface cross-sectional shape of a concave portion with a depressed central area, in a direction perpendicular to the axial direction.

[Claim 2]

The reel seat according to claim 1, wherein the inclined surface is formed of a curved surface that, in a side view, rises up from the upper end position of the fixed hood and becomes less inclined as it extends closer to the upper surface of the grip.

[Claim 3]

The reel seat according to claim 1 or 2, wherein the surface of the inclined surface has a flat cross-sectional shape in a direction perpendicular to the axial direction.

[Claim 4]

A reel seat comprising:

a seat body including:

a reel foot placing portion on which a reel foot of a fishing reel is placed,

a fixed hood provided in the rear of the reel foot placing portion in terms of the axial direction, and

a movable hood disposed in the front of the reel foot placing portion in terms of the axial direction,

wherein:

when the seat body is fixed to a rod, the position of the reel foot placing portion is offset in a direction that falls with respect to the position of the central axis of the rod;

the reel seat comprises an inclined surface that connects an upper end position of the fixed hood, which defines an opening of the fixed hood, and an upper surface of a grip gripped by a fisher in the rear of the fishing reel;

the inclined surface is provided in the rear of the fishing reel mounted and fixed on the reel foot placing portion of the seat body;

the inclined surface has a surface cross-sectional shape of a concave portion with a depressed central area, in a direction perpendicular to the axial direction.

[Claim 5]

The reel seat according to any one of claims 1 to 4, further comprising a trigger that protrudes on the seat body on the side opposite to the upper surface of the grip, and the trigger is curved from a position corresponding to the upper end position of the fixed hood.

[Claim 6]

The reel seat according to any one of claims 1 to 5, wherein the seat body includes a hollow bulge that bulges radially along the axial direction, on the side opposite to the upper surface of the grip.

[Claim 7]

The reel seat according to any one of claims 1 to 6, wherein the seat body is integrally formed of a hard resin material or a fiber-reinforced resin material.

[Claim 8]

A fishing rod comprising a reel seat according to any one of claims 1 to 7 fixed thereto.