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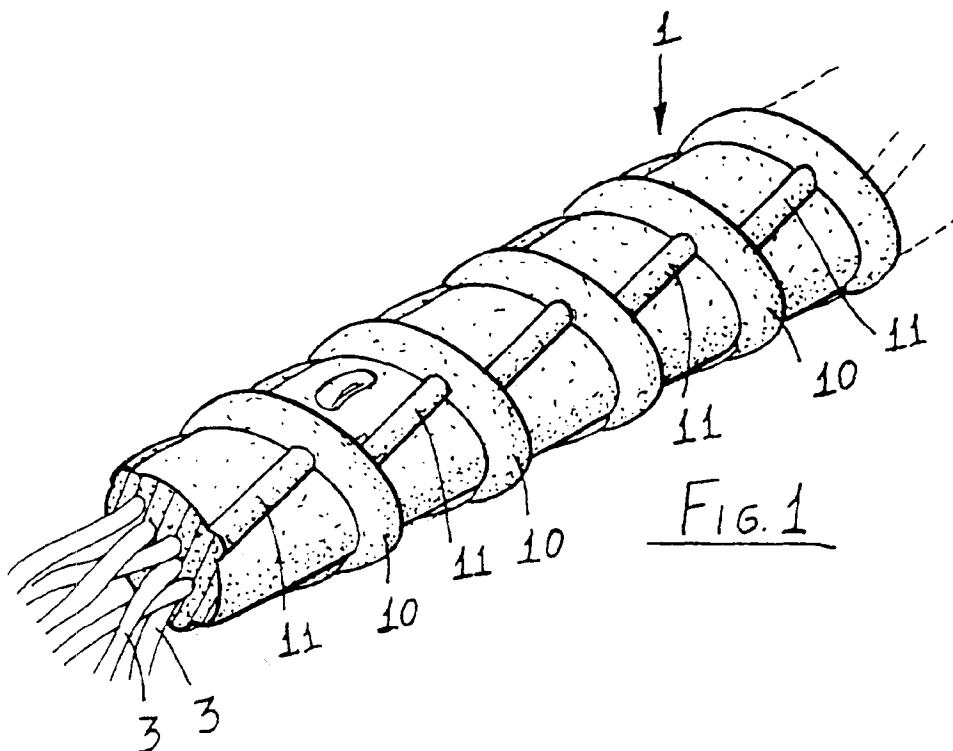
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**(54) Continuous protecting sheath for coating an electric cable bundle**

(57) The present invention relates to a continuous protecting sheath for coating an electric cable bundle, which comprises a foamed coating including an electric cable bundle.

The main feature of the invention is that on the outer surface of the coating are formed projecting portions adapted to protect the individual cables of the cable bundle which individual cables can be exposed at or project from the surface of the coating.



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