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Dear burghwolfe,

The Force Fins do great once you are in the water and kicking around. They definitely move you around better than the Caddis fins, but in all honesty I personally don't think they are worth the \$ 170.00 upcharge.

Are you using diving fins? I could see where they could cause a strain on your foot and even your legs because they are a lot longer than most fins I've used for float tubing.

The Caddis fins I use are like the ones pictured in the link below. The front fin part is pretty flexible and if you snag it on a rock or other obstruction when you are getting in or out of the water you can easily power your foot through and keep moving.

The Force fins on the other hand do not bend and if you snag your foot and you aren't careful and lucky you will fall. I've bashed my shins on rocks enough times to know I like the Caddis fins better.

<http://assets.academy.com/mgen/32/10108132.jpg?is=500,500>

Regards,

Tim Murphy 😊