

Green Machine

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- Tying Sequence -

Materials:

Hook: Mustad 9671 (2x long) size 10 (size 12 to 6) or Daiichi 1710 2x long

Thread: Black 6/0

Tail: Olive marabou (or black)

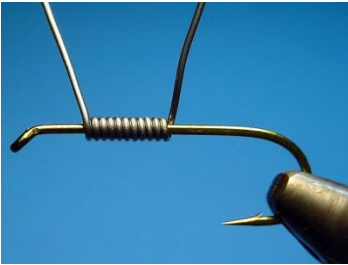
Body: Olive chenille (or peacock or twisted marabou)

Rib: Copper.008

Lead wire: .020

Hackle: Grizzly

Bead: Optional 1/8 gold or copper.



1. Cover the forward 2/3 hook shank with wraps of .020 lead wire.



2. Attach tying thread in front of the lead wire and form a thread dam, then wrap tying thread over lead wraps and create another dam at the rear of the lead wraps. Extend the tying thread to the beginning of the bend in hook and apply head cement.



3. Secure the marabou tail and a short section of copper ribbing wire.



4. Attach 2 pieces of crystal flash on each side of the tail.



5. Secure olive chenille (or 5 or 6 sections of marabou herl and form a rope by twisting.) Wrap the chenille (or marabou rope) forward anti-clockwise securing it 1/8 inch to the rear of the hook eye.



6. Attach hackle behind eye of the hook and wrap clockwise to the beginning of the bend in hook.



7. Hold the hackle tip in the left hand and secure by spiraling the copper wire forward through the hackle and secure with tying thread behind eye of hook.



8. Form a tapered head with tying thread, whip finish and apply head cement to complete the fly.