

V Rib Caddis Larvae

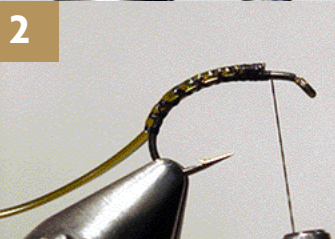
Hook: Larvae Hook Size # 10- #20
Thread: Black 6/0
Body: V-Rib (olive)
Head Peacock Herl

Tying Instructions

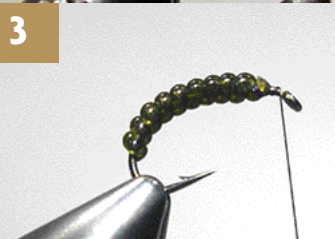
1. Attach thread to hook and tie in the v-rib near the eye of the hook.
2. Wrap the thread down the body and then back to a point two hook eye widths back from the eye of the hook.
3. Wrap the v-rib up to a point two hook eye widths from the eye of the hook with each wrap touching the previous wrap.
4. Tie off and trim the v-rib. Then tie in two peacock herls.
5. Make a loop of thread to help reinforce the peacock herl. Twist the Herl and thread together to form a rope.
6. Wrap the peacock herl to form a neat head. Then trim and tie off the thread.



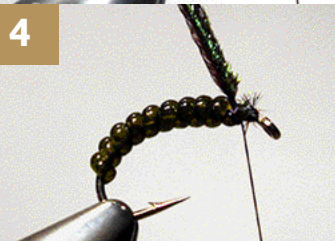
The underbody of the fly makes it a smooth fly.



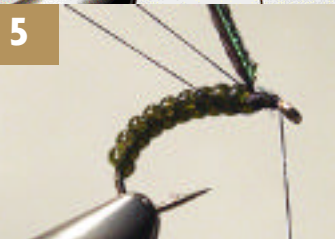
This fly can be tied in a variety of colors to match the local bugs.



The segmented translucent body imitates caddis larvae surprisingly well.



Peacock herl has a mottled iridescence that really attracts fish.



Making a loop of thread is an easy to complete reinforcement rib.



Twisting the herl and the thread together forms a reinforced rope. Rotating hackle pliers are great for this step.



This fly has a slender profile to help it sink fast and it realistically imitated a caddis larvae.



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