FDG Salmon & Sea Trout Fly Course

Monkey Black & Yellow Conehead



Video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RT0zhFRJ4Go

Pattern / Materials

Outer Tube	25mm of 3.0mm OD (or 2.6mm OD) clear or gold glitter, one end cut diagonally
Inner Tube	25mm of 1.8mm OD (or 1.4mm OD)
Thread	Black 8/0 or 12/0
Tag	Medium Mirage mylar tinsel
Body	Medium or large Holographic Gold mylar tinsel
Hackle	Sunburst yellow hen or marabou hackle
Wing	Black Arctic Fox Tail (60mm long / twice body length)
Flash	Peacock Angel Hair (No 45) or similar
Cheeks	Medium Jungle Cock Eyes
Head	Silver Conehead (brass or Tungsten) -small 4mm wide x 3mm high, 1.4mm diam hole - medium 5mm x 4mm, 1.8mm or 1.4mm dia hole

Method

1. Cut one end of 25mm long outer tube diagonally and insert Inner Tube 15mm into it.
2. Put outer tube end onto a needle in the vice.
3. Tie on thread and bind down tight to form smooth joint between the tubes.
4. Tie on mirage mylar 10mm from end of outer tube and wind to form tag
5. Tie on gold tinsel (or braid) and wind overlapping turns to front of tube junction.
6. Tie in fluffy hackle and wind 4-5 turns at front of tube joint.
7. Tie in small bunch arctic fox fur to form tapered wing.
8. Tie in 6-7 strands Angel Hair slightly longer than wing (or micro Krystalflash or similar)
9. Tie in Jungle Cock eyes as cheeks.
10. Superglue head, cut off thread and remove from needle.
11. Coat inside with superglue and slide Conehead onto Inner Tube and push snug up on glued thread.
12. Burr end of Inner Tube and reinsert needle to ensure hole is clear until firm

---

Fly can be tied slimmer / smaller using 1.4mm OD Inner tube.

Tie with minimum quantity fur to ensure fly is 'translucent' in the water.
