

Beel's March Brown



Recipe

Hook: Mustad #94840 Size: 10-12
Thread: Tan, Veevus 16/0
Tail: Mallard Flank, natural, small clump
Body: UV2 Fine & Dry Dubbing, pale morning dun
Rib: Dark Brown, 3/0 Monocord
Post: White Poly Yarn
Hackle: Grizzly, tied parachute

Tying Tips: Standard techniques. The monocord rib should be crisscrossed the length of the body.

Fishing Tips: Developed for the March Brown hatch (*Stenonema vicarium*) on Michigan's Au Sable River. Should be fished around dusk. This fly has also been productive for bass.

Historical Note: This fly was created by Paul Beel who hails from Terre Haute, Indiana. While fishing the Au Sable he was having trouble finding flies that exactly matched the hatch, so he created his own. Paul's a new comer to the sport. He created this fly in 2013. He is also the proprietor of the website "Frankenfly," www.frankenfly.com .

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