

Hexagenia Paradrake



Recipe

Hook:	Mustad #94831 Size: 8
Thread:	Yellow, 6/0
Tail:	Two Dark Moose Hairs
Wing:	Dark Gray Deer Hair Clump, tied post.
Body:	Olive Brown Dyed Elk Hair
Rib:	Yellow Thread
Hackle:	Grizzly Saddle Hackle, dyed Yellowish Tan, tied parachute

Tying Tips: I prefer a Mustad #94840 or #94833. Note that the deer hair body is not flared at the end of the shank.

Fishing Tips: Developed for the *Hexagenia* hatch.

Historical Note: The most difficult part of this research is the name. My research has revealed that it's called the *Hexagenia limbata* Paradrake, the *Hexagenia* Paradrake or just the Paracrake. The name of the original creator is unknown. The fly was developed in the mid or late 1970's.

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