

Pest



Recipe

Hook: TMC #100 Size 14-16
Thread: Black, 6/0 or 3/0
Body: Peacock Herl
Shellback: Yellow Closed Cell Foam, trimmed to shape.
Wings: Holographic Tinsel, divided, spent, and swept back.
Hackle: Yellow

Tying Tips: No special techniques are required. The original was tied with a Dun, Hi-Vis wing material and with a Grizzly Hackle. He now ties it in this variation of his own pattern.

Fishing Tips: The fly's silhouette might easily represent a beetle, blowfly or deerfly pattern. I would suggest that this might also be an excellent bluegill pattern.

Historical Note: This fly was developed by Dennis Potter of Grand Rapids, Michigan around 1995. Dennis notes that this is one of his favorite warm water searching patterns.

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