

KLINKHAMMER WET FLY

HOOK: Klinkhammer Emerger Size 14 -16

THREAD: Brown 8/0

BODY: 8/0 Brown Thread

WING: White EP Fibers

HACKLE: Brown

THORAX: Dubbing Black Rabbit



Tying steps:

1. Pinch the hook barb flat and mount the hook in the vise.
2. Start the thread a few hook eye lengths back from the eye.
3. Build a tapered thread body to $\frac{1}{2}$ way around the bend of the hook. The upper end of the body should be a bit larger than the hook eye. Twist your bobbin and thread counter-clockwise to flatten the thread to make a smoother body.
4. Use a small bundle of the EP Fibers (about the size of the hook eye) Tie the Wing fibers to the top of the hook right where the body ends with a few figure 8 wraps. Hold the wing straight up and POST the wing 1 short way up.
5. Select a hackle feather that is equal to the hook gap. Strip a few barbules from the stem and tie the hackle to the wing.
6. Make a small dubbing noodle. Wrap the dubbing at the wing tie in point to form the Thorax, ending at the bottom of the wing.
7. Wrap the hackle around the wing 6 times (3 times up, then 3 times down). Tie the hackle off with a few wraps of thread ending at the hook eye.
8. Form a small head at the hook eye and whip finish. Cut the thread loose and add a drop of head cement.
9. Trim the EP wing fibers to equal the body length.

