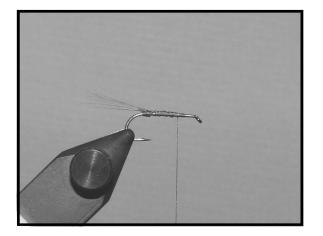
Compara Dun

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Material lists

Hook: Thread Tail/shuck: Body: Wing: TMC 100 or standard dry fly hook, 10 or 12 6/0 Brown or 8/0 Dark brown hackle Superfine dubbing, March Brown color Deer hair



Step 1: Mount hook in vise and wind thread back to bend of hook. And build a small ball of thread there. Tie in a few dark brown hackles for the tail using the ball of thread to split the tail, then wind the thread back to just a bit behind the eye.



Step 2: Cut and stack a small bunch of Deer hair equal in length to the hook shank. Tie in with the butt ends of the Deer hair toward the eye and wrap back about 1/3 the length of the hook.



Step 3: Pull the Deer hair forward and move the thread behind the wing. Make several wraps of thread there to stand the wing upright, then move the thread to the bend of the hook, apply dubbing, and dub the body ending with the thread behind the eye of the hook.



Step 4: build a thread head and whip finish. Then spread the wing out to form a fan around the top half of the hook. This pattern can be used to imitate any Mayfly Dun by varying the color of materials and size of hook.