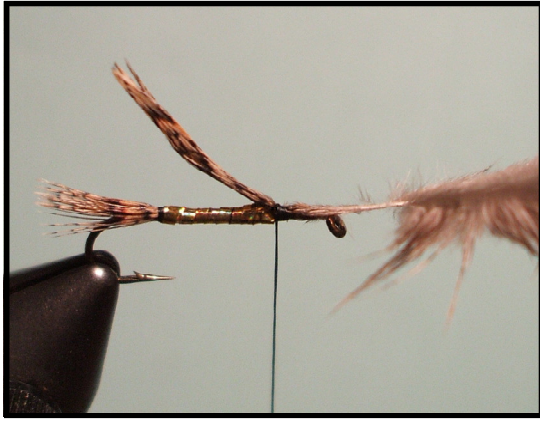


# Manistee Muddler

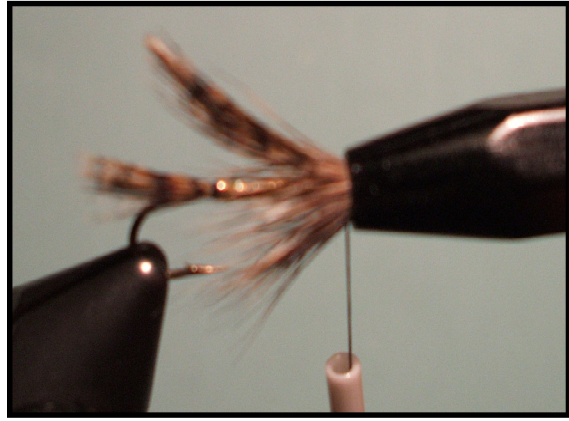
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Hook  
Thread  
Tail  
Body  
Wing  
Hackle

Mustad 94831 size 12  
Black 6/0  
Hungarian Partridge  
Gold holographic tinsel  
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Short deer hair, comparadun style



Step 1: Start thread 1/3 back from hook eye and wind back to hook point. Wet a Partridge feather and tie in for tail with curve up. Tail should be about 1/4" long. Wind thread back to starting point and tie in tinsel. Wrap tinsel back to tail and forward again. Tie off and cut tinsel.



Step 2: Select another Partridge feather and wet it. Tie it in just in front of the tinsel and wrap the thread back against the tinsel to force the wing feather up. Position thread in middle of bare section of hook and tie in a small clump of deer hair allowing it to spin to form a collar. Using a half hitch tool force the hair back.



Step 3: Bind the hair down so that it sweeps back toward the wing.



Step 4: Form a thread head and whip finish in the normal manner.