

FARRARS SQUID FLY



Farrar's Squid Fly:

This fly was originated by Steve Farrar of N.J., a great fly tier and a great guy. This fly excels when fishing it on a sinking line over boulders and humps around Block Island or in front of Newport. I generally tie them in Red, Burnt Orange, and a Tan / Brown from 3" all the way up to 8" in length. There are always squid around Southern New England waters during the summer months and this fly has pulled many large stripers off structure even when blind fishing.

Farrar's Squid recipe:

Hook: Eagle Claw 254SS #2/0-7/0

Tail: 5-6 Short Saddle Hackles (colors to match) tied onto a piece of 80lb mono and pulled through the E-Z Body tubing.

Body: Large - 3/4" E-Z Body tubing (size to match) colored with various colored permanent markers, pointillism style.

Wing: A blend of synthetic hair and flash such as Steve Farrar's Flash Blend by H2o

Eyes: Large Prismatic

Farrar's Squid online instruction - <http://www.aswf.info/images/squidfly.pdf>