



MEASURING PROPORTIONS FOR CONSISTENCY

Tying nicely proportioned flies consistently involves a lot of factors besides workmanship. The amount and size of the materials and their proper position are key also. Most of these elements, tail length, body size its position, wing length, hackle size, etc are traditionally specified as a function of the hook dimensions. The dimensions for these elements are expressed in terms of the hooks gap, length, or eye diameter. Because such dimensions are not consistent for all size 2 or 12 or 20 hooks, develop a habit of measuring these elements using a small scale, it will really pay off.

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