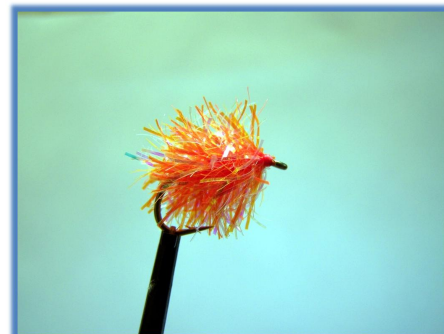


# The Blob

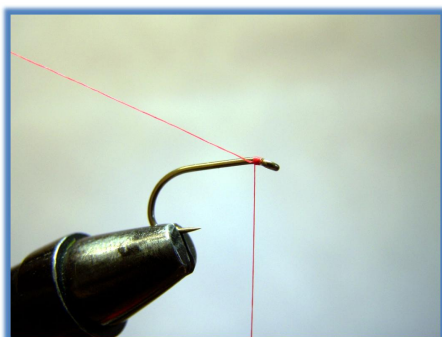
By Derek Young

*I'm not sure who created this fly but it's a cracker. Basically you tie on as much Fritz as the hook will allow and finish off with a nice neat head. Some tiers put in a short tail of pearl tinsel or crystal flash. It can be fished on any type of line - Floater, Intermediate or Sinking - they all work.*



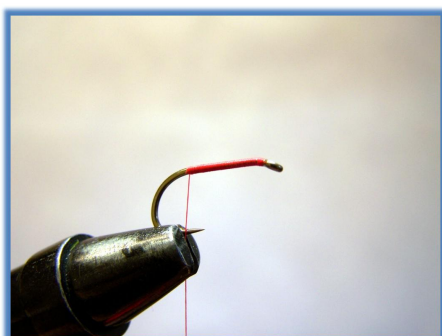
## Dressing

Hook	Kamasan B160 size 8	Head	Tying thread
Thread	Fire Orange 8 ough		Whip finish and varnish
Body	Orange 15mm Fritz		



### Step 1

Insert hook in the vice and catch on tying thread ...



### Step 2

... and continue the tying thread down the hook shank in touching turns to a point half way and above hook point and barb, then remove tying thread.



### Step 3

Prepare the Fritz by removing fritz fibres to expose the central core ...



**Step 4**

... and catch in on top of the hook shank using the “pinch & loop” technique.



**Step 5**

Advance the tying thread to eye and wind fritz up the hook shank, folding fibres rearwards to bend, to form body.



**Step 6**

Secure fritz with a few turns and remove excess.



**Step 7**

Whip finish.



**Step 8**

Form a neat head and add a touch of varnish to wraps.

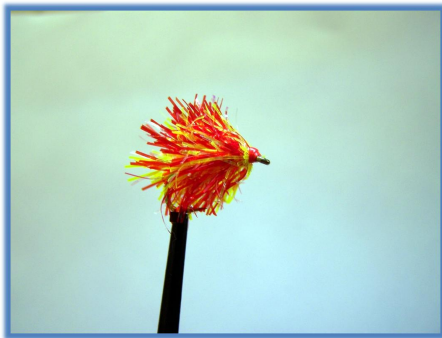


**The Finished Fly**

*Below are some colour variants*



One of my favourites – Red and Yellow.



The same colours wound together.



The Hulk



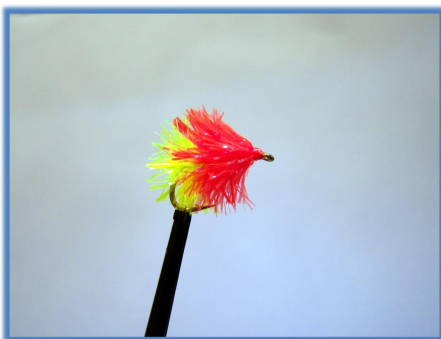
Reverse Hulk



Olive UV



Starburst



Hot Red and Chartreuse