SSG Bucktail Fly Pattern by Friday Night Flies



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Materials (substitute as necessary)

Hook:	3/0 Mustad Sproat Hook
Bead:	1/4 Gold Cone
Thread:	140 Ultra Thread Fluorescent Orange
Tail:	Hot-Spot Orange, UV Polar Chenille Large Chartreuse, UV Polar Chenille Silver
Body:	Flat Diamond Braid Root Beer, Cactus Chenille Medium Chartreuse
Wing:	Spirit River Tip Dyed Bucktail White/Blue, Peacock Herl
Throat:	Peacock Herl

Comments

The SSG Bucktail fly aka. "the Triple odd Bucktail" is a very good fly pattern for fly fishing for Coho Salmon and Chum Salmon in the Streams and Rivers of the Pacific Northwest. Coho and Chum Salmon find this pattern irresistible and it can also irritate them at the same time. It is a simple swing and strip pattern used on a sinking tip Fly line with a sink rate of type 3. Use a leader length between 6' - 9' of 15 LB tippet and this fly will produce both Chum and Coho Salmon. The reason we called this Fly pattern the SSG Bucktail, for the simple comparison to a shotgun shell. Once this Bucktail fly is thrown at the river, it hits everything!