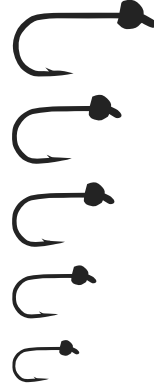


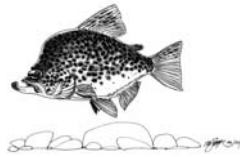
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GOLD HEADED LONG SHANK

After the launch last year of the GHH, we have been asked to produce the same hook but in a longer version. The hook is based on the YH1A nymph hook and the bead is super-glued to the hook.

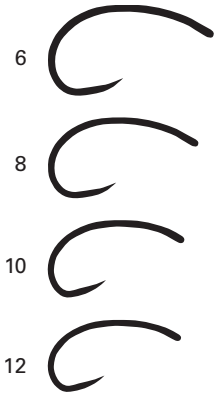


*Gold Ribbed Hare's Ear - Flashpoint GH.
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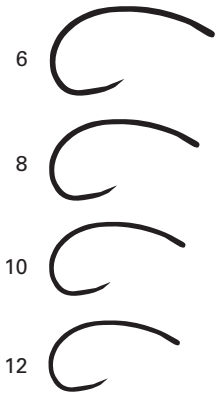
CZ *FLASH POINT*

AUTHENTIC CZECH NYMPH
 At last a pattern that matches the famous Czech nymph hooks used in the World Championships. The curved shank and in bold offset point are crucial to this design. The in curved and offset point gives very secure hookholds even though the design is barbless. These hooks are perfect for the weighted nymphs used in the "Czech" style of fishing. Finish Black Nickel.



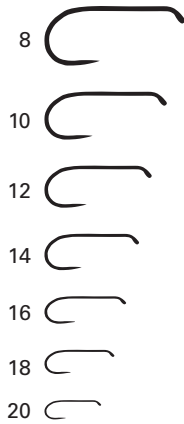
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FINE WIRE CZECH NYMPH
 When we introduced our now already popular CZ Czech nymph last year we were asked to provide the same but with finer wire, and here it is.



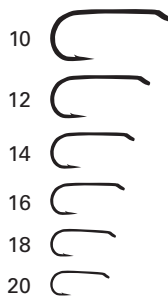
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THE IDEAL NYMPH BARBLESS
 As above but in a barbless version Finish Bronze Nickel.



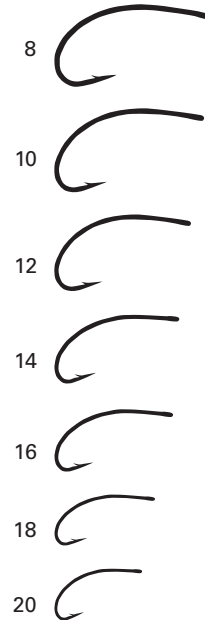
TDH *FLASH POINT*

THE DRY
 The name says it all a perfect dry fly hook Finish Bronze.



15BN *FLASH POINT*

KLINKHAMER
 The original design for the tying of the world famous Klinkhamer nymphs designed by Hans van Klinken the originator of the pattern. Also good for many emerger/buzzer patterns Finish Black Nickel.



15BNX *FLASH POINT*

KLINKHAMER EXTREME
 This hook is now exactly as designed by Hans van Klinken. It is now possible for us to make it according to the original plan.

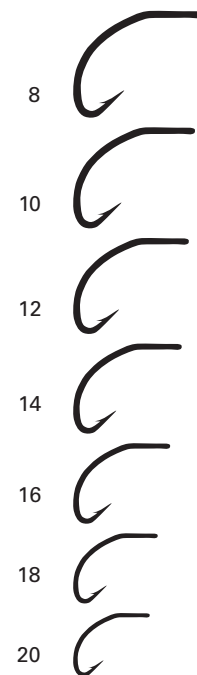


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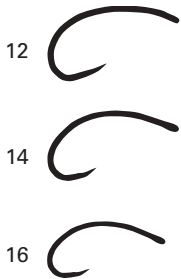


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BARBLESS SHRIMP

The same design as the Authentic Czech Nymph but in smaller sizes where it is found to make perfect barbless shrimp patterns Finish Black Nickel.

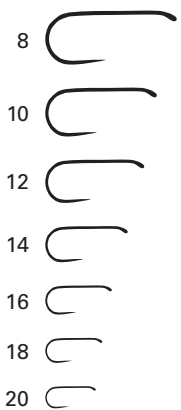


SUD



SUREHOLD UPWING DRY BARBLESS

The Surehold Upwing Dry Barbless A longer shank barbless hook designed for upwing patterns. The long "front" of the hook coupled with an exceptional point makes for excellent hooking. Perfect for most upwing and loop wing patterns. Finish Black Nickel.

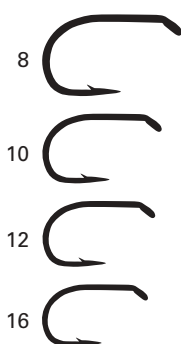


BMN



THE BIG MOUTH NYMPH

Perfect for the heavily dressed patterns or those that requires additional buoyancy such as boobies. These hooks also make great 'blob' flies The wide gape ensures that the point of the hook is not masked by the dressing Finish Black Nickel.

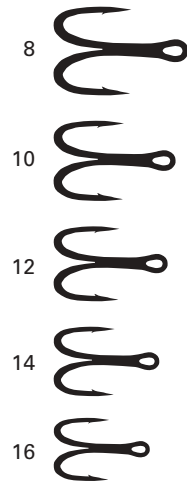


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THE BIG MOUTH DOUBLE

The same great design as the Big Mouth Nymph single but twice as good! Designed to conform to international rules and provide the weight to get deep Finish Black Nickel. Also a popular Tube Hook.

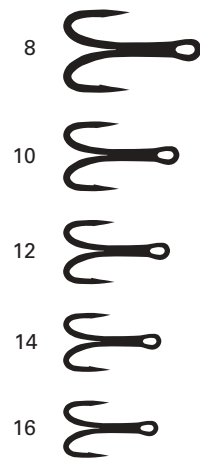


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HEAVY NYMPH DOUBLE

A double nymph hook that conforms to international rules and combines the traditional shape of a wet fly hook with the additional weight to get down to the fish Finish Black Nickel.



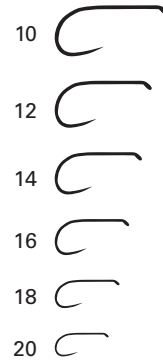
Buzzer - Flashpoint SHR.
Tied and photographed by Marvin Nolte.

SLD



SUREHOLD LIGHTNING DRY BARBLESS

Designed for lightweight dry flies. The barbless design coupled with the in curved point and down turned eye ensures superb penetration and positive hook holds. Ideal for dry/emergent pattern for Trout or Grayling. Finish Black Nickel.



D3STF



PARTRIDGE STRAIGHT EYE STREAMER HOOKS

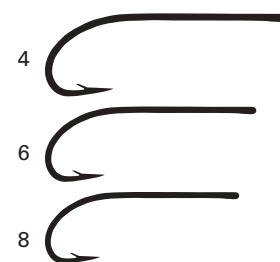
About 1982 this hook was made as a prototype carp hook, but it was thought that it was too long and not really strong enough.

It was at a time when "lure" hooks were being more widely used in the UK and it was recognised that this hook would be an excellent "lure" hook for such fly patterns with its long shank, its low water salmon bend and its straight eye. It was accordingly adopted as a "lure" hook.

However, since "lure" is used to describe all types of mono-fly baits outside the UK the description "lure" was dropped and replaced by its present name.

For streamer and large attractor flies. In smaller sizes also good for longer nymphs. Forged flat bend. Bronze finish.

The perfect pattern for bucktail or streamer flies. Wide gape 4XL shank, 1 extra heavy wire. Finish Bronze.





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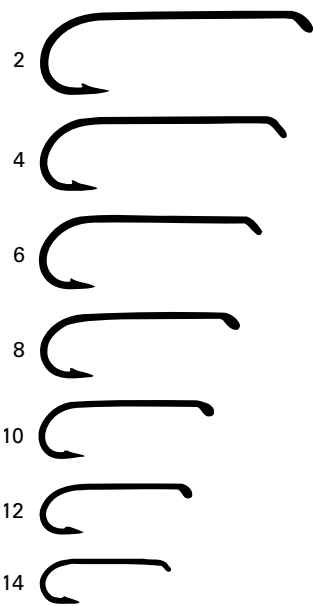
FLASH POINT

PARTRIDGE BUCKTAIL/STREAMER HOOKS

This range of hooks arose from the forged long shank hooks which had been Partridge's standard hook for all types of long shank flies.

The hook was made out of heavier wire and incorporates a wide gape.

This hook is now suitable for all types of traditional streamer, bucktail and long attractor flies. The wide gape makes it good for flies like muddler minnows and other larger bodied flies. Traditional down eye. Bronze finish.

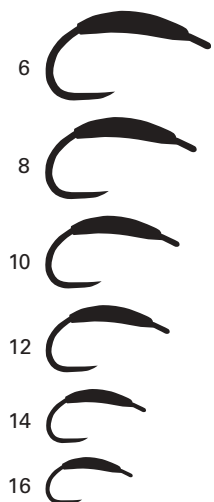


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NEW LEADED CZECH NYMPH

This hook made its debut last year and proved to be an instant success. An obvious one to be introduced in a leaded version.

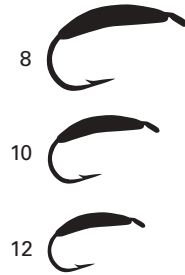


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FLASH POINT

NEW LEADED WIDE GAPE NYMPH HOOK

A wide gap hook allowing for a lot of dubbing on the body without obstructing the point is essential. The leaded version also gives the body a rounded shape making the tying of the nymph an easier task.

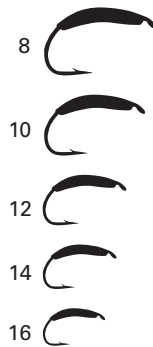


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NEW LEADED GRUB SHRIMP HOOK

The reversed grub hook with a wide gap that gives a live action by twisting in the waters was a third obvious choice.



All Flashpoint hooks are supplied in plastic boxes that chip together to help the Flytier organize their hooks.

FLASH POINT



Mayfly - Flashpoint SLD.
Tied and photographed by Marvin Nolte.

WET FLY HOOKS

The following charts for you the various ranges of Partridge hooks which can be used for wet fly, trout and grayling patterns. Many can also be used for nymph imitations.

Some of these wet fly hooks are also used for medium weight, dry flies. Some of the heavier weight hooks are used for salmon and sea trout flies.

CAPTAIN HAMILTON SERIES

YL2A

BLACK & WHITE SERIES

CAPTAIN HAMILTON WET FLY HOOKS

The ideal hook for all types of wet flies and nymphs. This is the standard wet fly hook that we recommend for beginners

Forged Hamilton bend. Bronze finish.

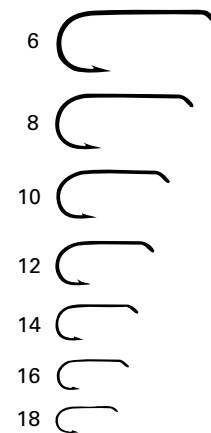


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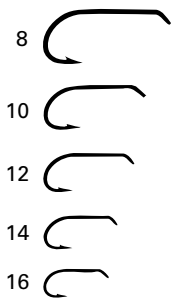
TRADITIONAL WET FLY HOOKS

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BLACK & WHITE SERIES

ALBERT PARTRIDGE WIDE GAPE DOWN EYE HOOKS

This was probably the first range of hooks which were specifically designed by Albert Partridge as fly hooks. They were made with two varieties - down eye and up eye.



The up eye version was dropped as an offset hook was introduced in the "E" series in 1993 with a finer wire.

The down eye version is still widely used for wet flies and dries.

It was field tested by Datus Proper in his book "What the Trout Said", and came out on top of his list for strength. The Code A has a wide gape and an offset bend. Surprisingly it is not forged, but is made from medium weight wire which accounts for its strength.

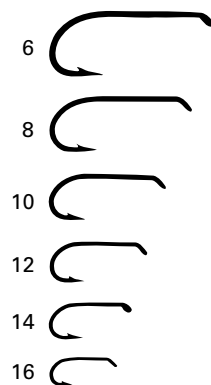
This range is normally used for wet flies and nymph imitations, but a number of experts recommended them as very strong and effective dry fly hooks. The bend is offset. Bronze finish.

YG3A

BLACK & WHITE SERIES

SPROAT FORGED WET FLY HOOKS

This old style of wet fly hooks is very well established in the Partridge range.



The original name came from a Mr Sproat who went to Hutchinson's of Kendal (Hook-makers) about 1880 and persuaded them to make a hook of this shape.

On April Fool's day in 1980 the Managing Director of Partridge decided that the "De Sproat" hooks were developed by a Swiss Admiral of that name. The "De Sproat" hooks were specifically designed for fishing flies in glacial streams and they were fished upstream. The fishermen ran along the bank to keep the flies in their position.

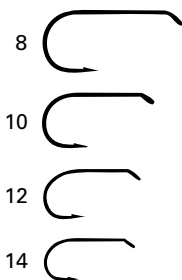
SPECIAL WET FLY HOOKS

YMM2A

BLACK & WHITE SERIES

BOB CHURCH GOLDHEAD HOOKS

Wide gape wet fly hooks which can take the gold (or silver) beads which are now popular as the heads on many wet fly patterns. Forged bend. Bronze finish.

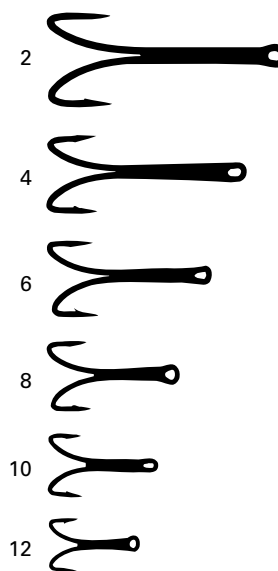


DOUBLE WET FLY HOOKS

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PARTRIDGE DOUBLE LIMERICK HOOKS

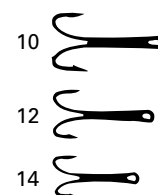
For trout (salmon and sea trout) wet flies. Traditional limerick bend. Bronze finish.



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PARTRIDGE OUTPOINT DOUBLE HOOKS

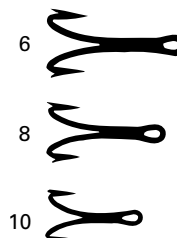
The traditional "wee doubles" with an outpoint. For trout wet flies (and small sea trout flies). Down eye. Bronze finish.



R3HF / BN

HUGH FALKUS HOLDFAST OUTBARB DOUBLE HOOKS

Originally designed for salmon and sea trout flies, these hooks with strong wire are excellent for trout wet flies to be fished deeper or as a point fly. Straight eye. Outbarbs and forged bend. Black finish. Black nickel.





DRY FLY HOOKS

The following shows you the various ranges of Partridge hooks that can be used for dry fly, trout and grayling patterns. Most of them are made out of fine wire, but one or two are medium weight hooks which can be used for heavily hackled dry flies, palmered or deerhair styles. Many of the light-wire hooks are good for emergers and certain nymphs.

THE CAPTAIN HAMILTON "L" SERIES
 Captain Hamilton was a Scot who emigrated to New Zealand in about 1860. He fished regularly over there having stocked his nearby river with trout in about 1875. The fish in the New Zealand river grew to average over 2lb in weight. (He compares this with 132 trout taken on a fly in his youth - total weight just over 30lbs!).

In 1904 Captain Hamilton published a book on "Trout Fishing and Sport in Maoriland". Shortly afterwards he approached Hardy's for them to supply a new range of hooks for the large trout in New Zealand.

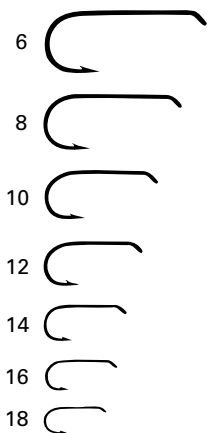
The main features of the hooks were:

- An almost round bend
- Point with neat barb
- A wider gape to take a larger "bite" and hold the fish better.

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BLACK & WHITE SERIES

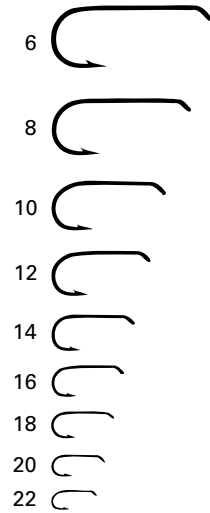
CAPTAIN HAMILTON WET FLY HOOKS
 Medium weight hooks often used for dry flies where large strong fish may be hooked in weedy conditions or fast water. A superb wet fly hook. Forged bend. Bronze finish.



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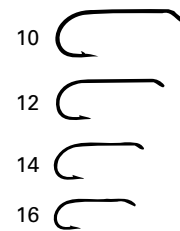
CAPTAIN HAMILTON DRY FLY HOOKS
 The finest dry fly hook we have ever made. Almost round forged Hamilton bend. Wide gape.



SPECIAL DRY FLY HOOKS

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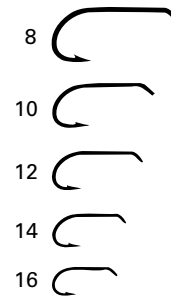
HOOPER L/S 4X FINE DRY FLY HOOKS
 Slightly longer shank dry fly hooks. (Also excellent for buzzers). Forged "Redditch" bend for extra strength. Bronze finish.



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BLACK & WHITE SERIES

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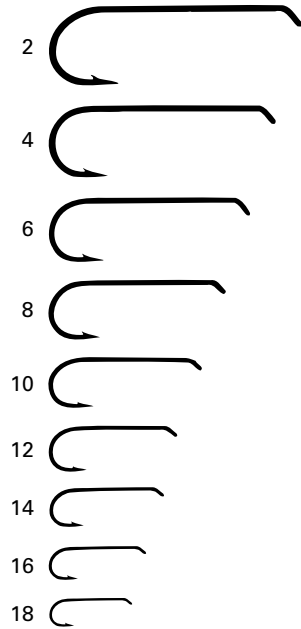


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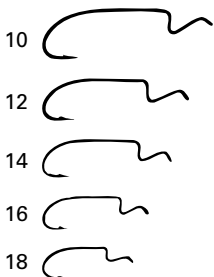
CAPTAIN HAMILTON NYMPH HOOKS
These medium weight 2X long shank hooks are often used for larger dry flies including mayflies, hoppers and other terrestrial imitations. Forged wide gape bend. Bronze finish.



K3A

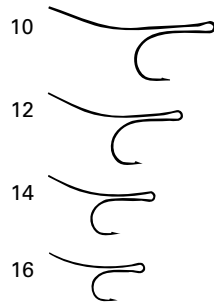
SWEDISH DRY FLY HOOKS
For all types of dry fly patterns normally tied upside down. The Swedish dry fly hooks were designed in Sweden by Nils Eriksson and Gunnar Johnson who were well known Swedish fly tyers. Partridge first made them in 1979.

Gary Lafontaine in his book "Caddis Flies" recommends them for a variety of Caddis (Sedge) dry fly imitations. Forged wide gape bend. Bronze finish.



K10

YORKSHIRE FLY BODY HOOKS
Special dry fly hook developed with Peter MacKenzie-Philips in the 1970s. Bronze finish.



Peter MacKenzie-Philips started his fly fishing business on the success of the Yorkshire Fly Body hooks. They captured the imagination of the fly tyers throughout the world and gave Peter a boost in 1973.

Slowly they lost their initial impact and it was not until they were slightly redesigned in 1991 that they became somewhat popular again. The redesign incorporated a larger hook which made it easier to hook and hold a fish. The Fly Body hooks are best used for upwinged dry flies or for hooked patterns.

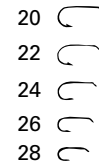
The Yorkshire Fly Body hook will enable you to tie better balanced dry flies, with a better chance of hiding the hook.

Dressing flies on Fly Body hooks is a two stage operation. Put the hook in the vice with the eye to the left. Start the thread on the point of the body, and tie in the tails and body materials. Complete the body, working to the left, until the top of the shank is reached, tie a half-hitch and then take the hook out of the vice. Put the hook into the vice with the eye pointing to the right, and complete the fly in the normal way.

MIDGE AND SMALL FLY HOOKS

K1A

VINCE MARINARO MIDGE HOOKS
In about 1978 these hooks were very carefully developed with Vince Marinaro as the almost perfect hook for small dry fly patterns.



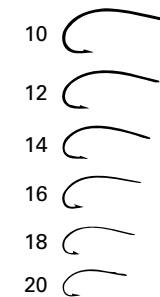
They were offset because Vince felt that they hooked better, and they had a down turned eye which he felt allowed him to move the fly on the water in the right way.

He strongly recommended tying them on with a turle knot which he believed did not lengthen the fly.

They have a Bronze finish and a wide gape.

K14ST

OLIVER EDWARDS NYMPH/EMERGER HOOKS
Oliver Edwards recommends these hooks in his book "Masterclass". They were developed specially for his small nymph and emerger patterns, but they are also good for dry flies. The Silver finish reflects the colours of the sub-surface world of the Trout and Grayling. Straight eye.





NYMPH FLY HOOKS

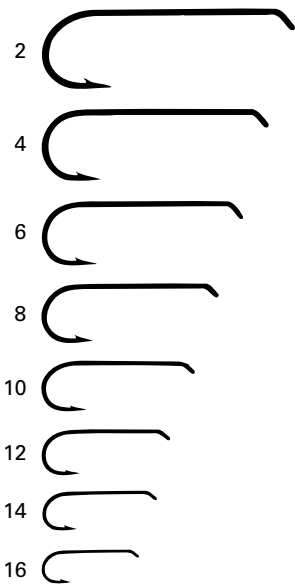
The following section shows you the different ranges of Partridge fly hooks for all types of nymph, shrimp, scud, grub, corixa and beetle patterns for trout and grayling. Some of the ranges can be used for wet fly patterns and for shorter traditional streamer and attractor flies. Many standard dry fly hooks and wet fly hooks are often suitable for nymph patterns. You should therefore check out the hooks shown under the sections for Dry Fly and Wet Fly hooks as well.

CAPTAIN HAMILTON SERIES

YH1A

BLACK & WHITE SERIES

CAPTAIN HAMILTON NYMPH HOOKS
The basic nymph hook - about 2X long shank. (Also suitable for shorter streamer and attractor flies and for some larger dries). Forged bend. Bronze finish.



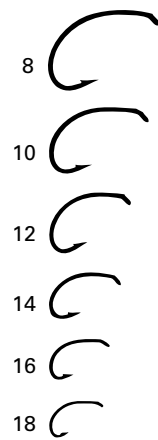
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BLACK & WHITE SERIES

JOHN VENIARD GRUB/SHRIMP HOOKS
These grub/shrimp hooks were derived from a small fine-wire plain shank hook which was used in Italy for plastic bloodworm imitations.

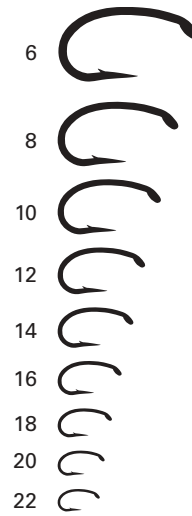
John Veniard, the world famous fly tyer, and author, recognised their versatility, when Partridge developed them as fly hooks in 1976.

They were given a down eye with an offset bend which made them good hooks and suitable for all types of grub, shrimp, curved body and some emerger patterns. Bronze finish.



K5A

EXTRA HEAVY GRUB HOOK



YK12ST

BLACK & WHITE SERIES

LONG SHANK SEDGE/CADDIS HOOKS
Sweeping bend for flies like caddis and emerger patterns. Straight eye. Black finish. (Also in Grey Shadow finish GRS12ST, sizes 8-10-12-14).

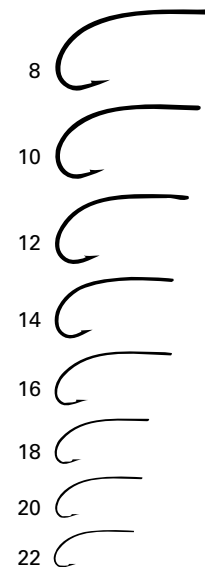


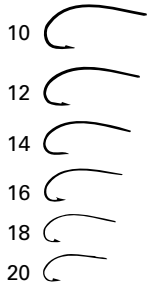
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OLIVER EDWARDS NYMPH/EMERGER HOOKS

Specially designed for nymph and emerger patterns. Straight eye.



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The silver finish reflects the colours of the sub-surface world of the Trout and Grayling.

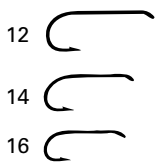
They have a straight eye.

SPECIAL NYMPH HOOKS

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L/S 4X FINE DRY FLY HOOKS

A lightweight, slightly longer than standard hook which is ideal for emerger patterns such as buzzers. Forged bend. Bronze finish.

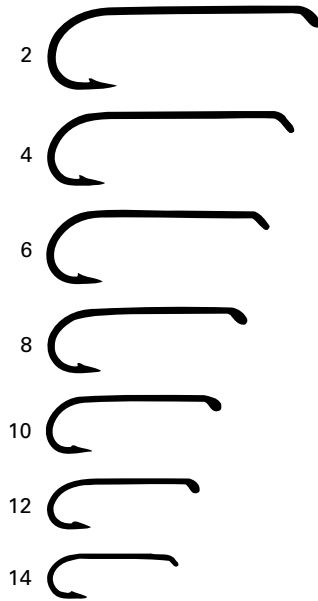


LONG SHANK NYMPH HOOKS

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PARTRIDGE BUCKTAIL/STREAMER HOOKS

Another hook developed for streamer flies, but now used widely for longer shank nymphs in smaller sizes. Down eye. Bronze finish.



This range of hooks arose from the forged long shank hooks which had been Partridge's standard hook for all types of long shank flies. The hook was made out of heavier wire and incorporates a wide gape. It is now suitable for all types of traditional streamer and bucktail and long attractor flies. The wide gape makes it good for flies like muddler minnows and other larger bodied flies.

GREY SHADOW NYMPH HOOKS

GRS12ST

GREY SHADOW EMERGER/NYPH HOOKS

The K12ST long shank Sedge/Caddis hooks with a Grey Shadow finish.

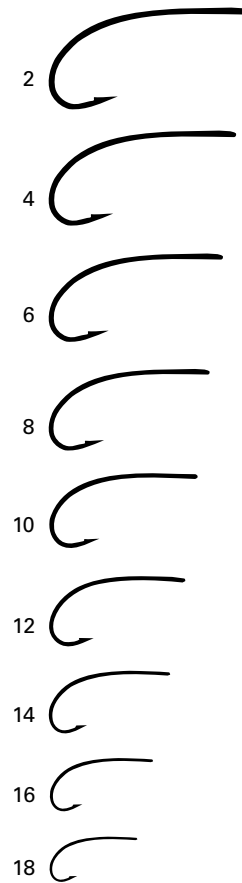


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