

PIGLET SHRIMP

Hook - Double
Thread - Uni Fire Orange
Tag - Gold Oval
Tail - Orange Boar Bristles
Rib - Gold Oval
Body - Orange Pig fur
Mid Wing - Orange Boar Bristles
Mid Hackle - Orange Badger
Body - Orange Pig fur
Head Hackle - Orange Badger
Eyes - Jungle cock



Secure the hook in the vice. Tie in the thread and wind down to the point tying in a length of Oval Gold. Wind the Oval 4 turns backwards to form a tag, take the Oval between the 2 hooks and pull back towards the head. Secure with the thread and trim off. Tie in four Orange Boar Bristles twice the length of the hook, arrange them so that they splay out a bit. Tie in two more bristles three quarters the length of the first ones. Once the bristles are in the correct position apply a drop of superglue to the waste ends and bind down tightly to the midpoint and trim off the waste. Take the thread back to the tail tying in a length of Oval Gold tinsel. Dub the thread with some of the under fur from the boar pelt, if you just have loose bristles use dark Orange seal, and wind the thread back to halfway forming the rear body. Rib the body with the Oval and trim off. Tie in an Orange Badger cock hackle by the tip, double it and wind 3 turns. Tie in three Orange Boar Bristles half the length of the tail. Tie in a length of Oval Gold apply a drop of superglue and bind down tightly to the head and trim off the waste. Return the thread back to the midpoint. Dub the thread with some more of the under fur and wind the thread to the head forming the front body. Rib the body with the Oval and trim off. Prepare a pair of Jungle Cock eyes and tie in as long as the body. Trim off and form a smooth bed. Tie in an Orange Badger cock hackle by the tip, double and wind 4 turns. Tie in and trim off. Form a neat small head and whip finish. Now apply several coats of thin clear varnish to produce a smooth shiny head.