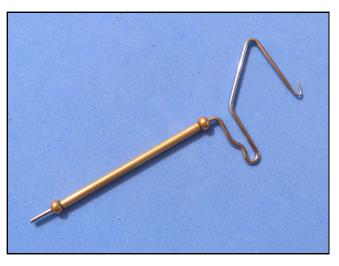
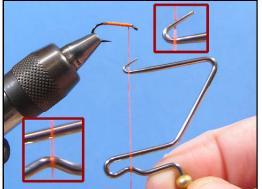
A step at a time: <u>MATARELLI WHIP-FINISH</u>

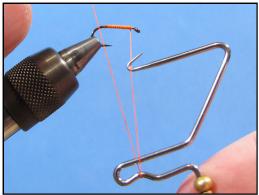


Step 1

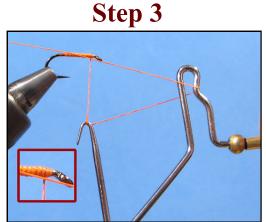


Come in with the tool from behind. Catch the thread with the top hook and the dent in the lower bend.





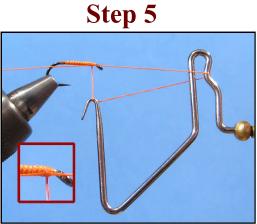
Bring the bobbin up behind the tool.



Rotate the tool 180 degrees clockwise and move it up to a horizontal position, forming the "whipfinish triangle".

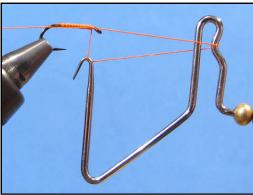


Then start wrapping with the tool. It will follow your wraps and you don't have to concentrate on rotating it.

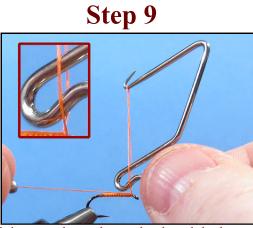


One wrap done. Was that simple or what??

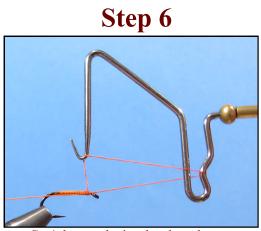
Step 7



... almost criminal!!



Push it upwards, so the top hook and the lower bend switch places in the loop.

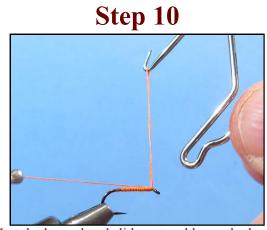


Can't be much simpler than that...

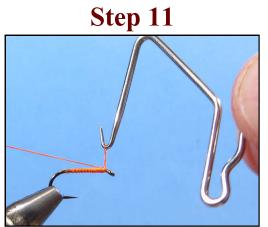
Step 8



After a few wraps, bring the tool down to a position perpendicular to the hook.

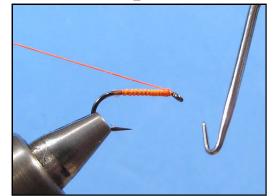


Let the lower bend slide out and leave the loop.



Pull the bobbin and start tightening the loop.

Step 12



Loop gone ... knot done!!