

Trout Candy

Chironomid (under rib method)

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Hook: Size 20-18 Scud Hook

Thread: Black 6/0 UNI-Thread

Beads: 13/0 white, 13/0 translucent red

Body: .5mm Rose Red Powercord





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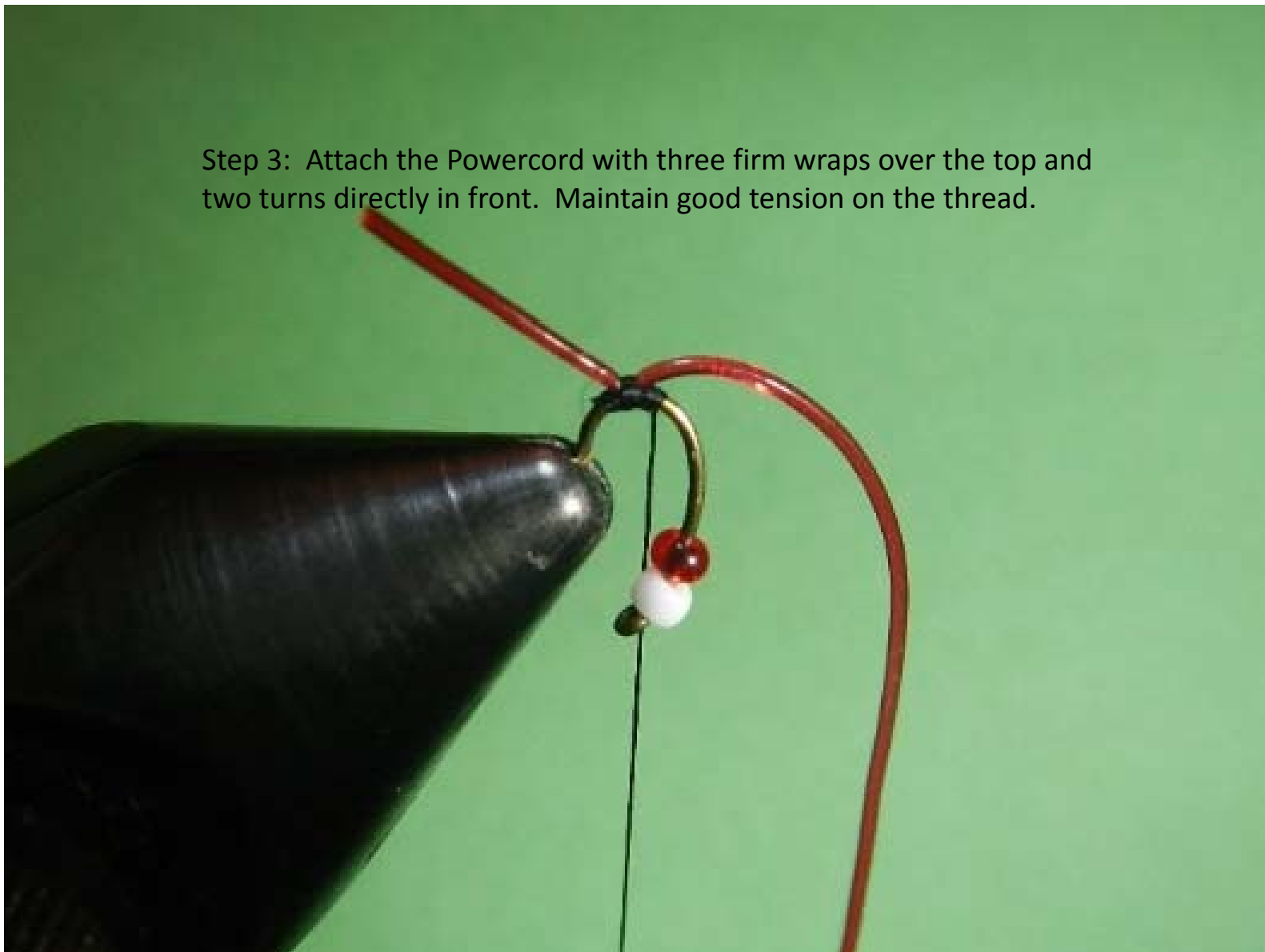
Step 1: Pinch barb and slide beads onto hook, white in front. Place hook in vise vertically.



Step 2: Wrap a small thread pad on the bend of the hook for an attachment point for the Powercord.



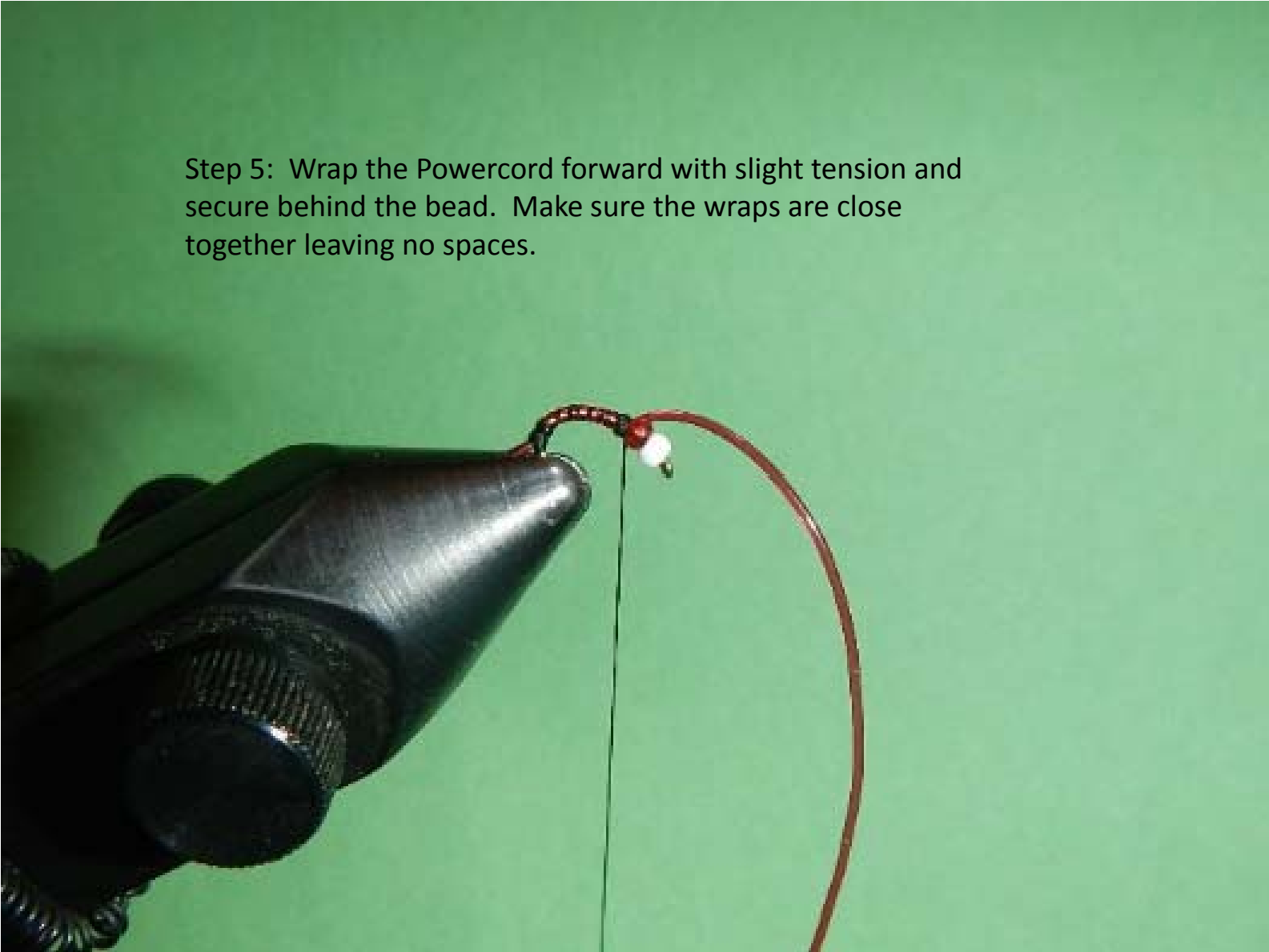
Step 3: Attach the Powercord with three firm wraps over the top and two turns directly in front. Maintain good tension on the thread.



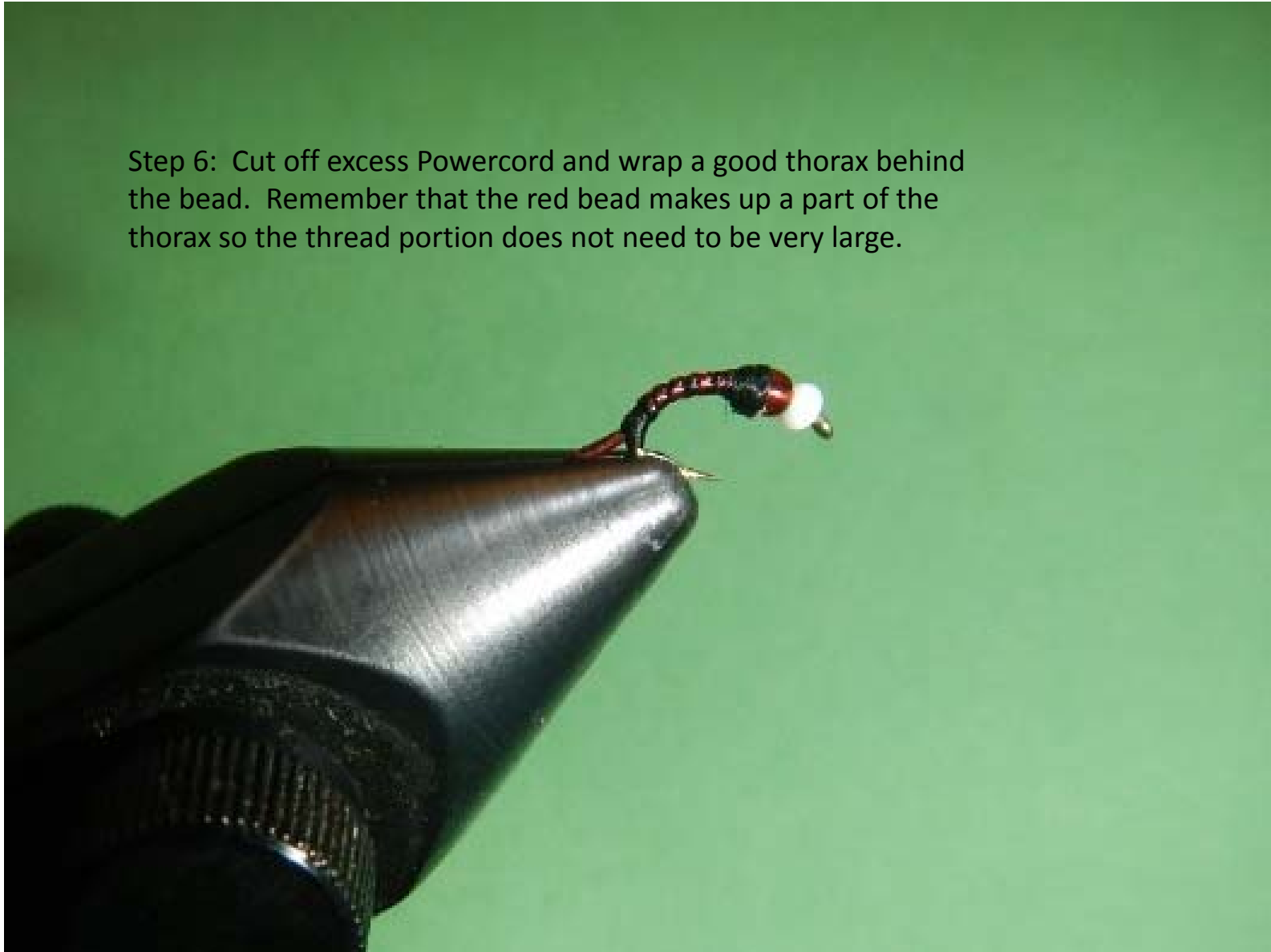
Step 4: Reposition the hook into normal horizontal tying position. Wrap the thread forward leaving even spaces between the wraps to rib the hook. Make several wraps behind the beads to secure the beads. Be careful not to pinch the thread in the vise when you reposition the hook.



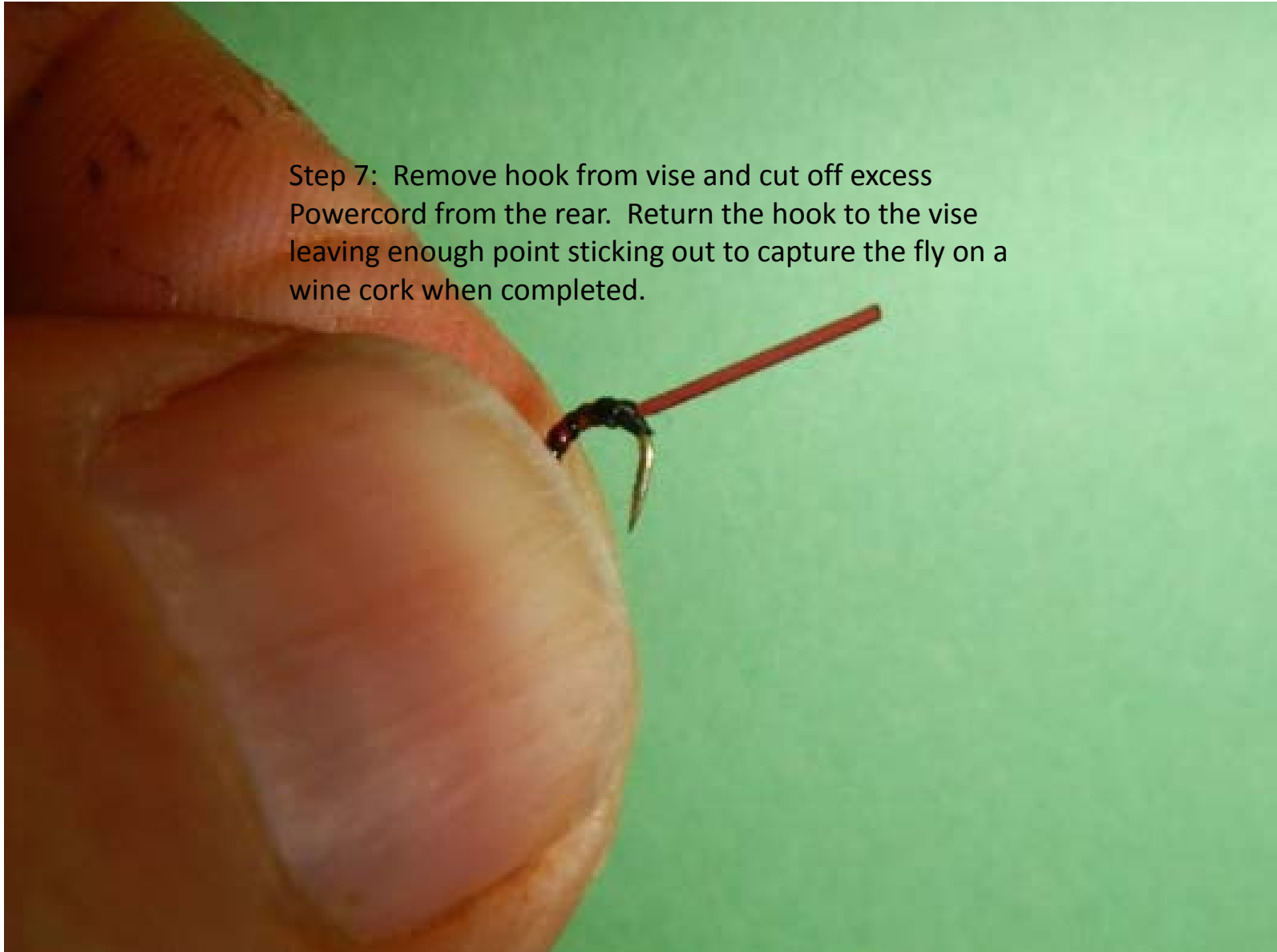
Step 5: Wrap the Powercord forward with slight tension and secure behind the bead. Make sure the wraps are close together leaving no spaces.



Step 6: Cut off excess Powercord and wrap a good thorax behind the bead. Remember that the red bead makes up a part of the thorax so the thread portion does not need to be very large.



Step 7: Remove hook from vise and cut off excess Powercord from the rear. Return the hook to the vise leaving enough point sticking out to capture the fly on a wine cork when completed.



Step 8: Apply head cement evenly over the thread thorax. No need to apply anything to the remainder of the fly.



Step 9: Remove on a wine cork and allow to dry.



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