



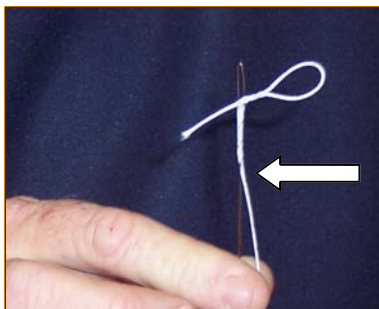
Here's just ONE WAY to make a... "WIND ON"

There are lot's of ways to do this. This is the method I use and I've never had one fail. I was conscripted by Karen Foley & Donna Nicolosi to show you.

If you give it a go and have problems, come in and I'll help you. The wind on that I'm attempting to teach is for light tackle.

WHAT YOU NEED

- * A 10 inch piece of 50lb Dacron
- * A pre-measured piece of mono leader — I used 100lb, you can use up to 150lb
- * A piece of Game Wire about 18cm long. Bend this over to make a 'V' Shape. This is to be your tool
- * Aqua Glue—don't use Supa Glue this deteriorates the line. You need an Aqua Glue with some flexibility
- * A piece of Sandpaper
- * Some Wax Thread—yes



STEP THREE

- * Lay the tag against the main line.
- * Insert the 'V' end of your tool just below where the tag finishes. Carefully push the tool up through the main line and bring the 'V' out where you finished the

splicing.

- * Insert the tag into the 'V' loop. Now pull the tag end back through the Dacron.
- * Remove the tool, your tag is now anchored and held within the Dacron.

STEP FOUR

You need to attach the mono leader.

- * Cut one end of the mono on an Angle so that it's like a needle point.
- * Rough the end up (3/4 of the length of the Dacron) with the sandpaper. Make sure you do this from the top of the leader in a downwards motion. Don't rough it up both-ways.
- * Push the mono, needle end first, up to where the tag is hidden in the Dacron.
- * When pushing the mono through the Dacron, hold the mono firmly and squeeze the Dacron just in front of the Mono as you are pushing. This helps open up the Dacron. If you pierce the Dacron pull the mono back, then try again.



STEP ONE

- * Fold over your Dacron to form a loop.
- * The loop should be no larger than 1cm.
- * Make Sure you leave yourself a long tag

STEP TWO

We need to splice the Dacron to form and secure the loop

- * Push the 'V' end of your tool all the way through the main line at the cross-over in your loop. Pass the tag end through the 'V' and pull it back through the main line.

- * Repeat this process but alternate it ie.

Push the V of your tool through the tag and pull through the main line. Make the entry about 1mm below the last

- * You need to repeat this step alternately 10 times ie. Pull the tag end through the main line 5 times and the main line through the tag 5 times.

When you finish this process your tag should be about 2 to 3cm long

STEP FIVE

- * Loop the Dacron Loop around something to anchor it. Do the same to the other end of the mono. *The leader needs to be secure for this step.*
- * With waxed thread, Whip a small section (approx 5cm) where the mono and Dacron meet. Whipping is a separate lesson. With all tackle there are lots of methods. If you don't know how to whip come into Tackle World and I'll show you my way.
- * Once you've finished the whipping, grab a cigarette lighter and lightly heat the wax thread. Work with your fingers to make sure it's smooth and welded. Danger don't overdo this!

STEP SIX

- * Place a smear of Aqua Glue over the whipping. Mould it with your fingers making sure the end result is smooth. You're finished. Not quite, don't forget to add a swivel.

Tackle World, Townsville are MORE than happy to supply you with manufactured 'Wind Ons'. Making 'Wind Ons' is fiddly at first, it's defiantly not hard. Once you've done a few it's REALLY EASY. When you start making your own I recommend that you set yourself up with a production line ie. Do the splicing first, then the next step, then the next step.

I'll quote Danny, PLAY SAFE & GOOD LUCK

Garry Neill