

# Fish-Skull® CrawBody Architecture

THIS DIAGRAM PROVIDES YOU WITH A SIMPLE DESIGN TOOL TO HELP YOU DETERMINE THE CORRECT COMBINATION OF FISH-SKULL® CRAWBODY SIZES + HOOK SIZES + WEIGHTING OPTIONS FOR YOUR FLY. IT IS DRAWN TO SCALE SO PLEASE **PRINT IT OUT** TO HELP YOU IN THE FLY DESIGN PROCESS.

## SIZES

## SOME WEIGHTING OPTIONS

## HOOK SIZE EXAMPLES

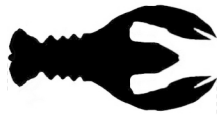
### THE BASIC TYING APPROACH

A crayfish fly is created by tying down the CrawBody exoskeleton over a hook that has a dubbed underbody and has been weighted:

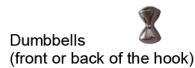
1. Typically, the fly is tied in a **hook upwards** position.
2. The fly is **weighted** using either a Sculpin Helmet (for the head), or alternatively a small dumbbell at either the front/back of the hook. Another easy option is to wrap the length of the hook or alternatively wrap lead wire around the hook shank.
3. Tie the Crawbody **in first** by the tip of the head, pull it to one side and dub a nice underbody. Adding rubber legs for antenna and/or legs is a good idea.
4. Once the underbody is completed, pull the CrawBody **down over the underbody** (like a wingcase) and work your way back towards the eye of the hook creating neat body segments with your thread as you go. Tie off the fly at the hook eye like normal.
5. Go fishing. Catch a Big Fish!

### SMALL

28mm (1.1")



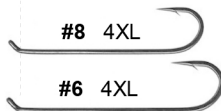
Shrimp/cray tails small



Dumbbells  
(front or back of the hook)

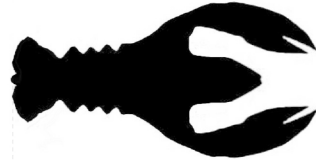


Leads wraps



### MEDIUM

41mm (1.6")



Shrimp/cray tails small or medium



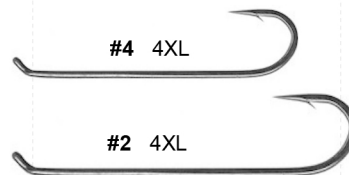
Dumbbells  
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Leads wraps

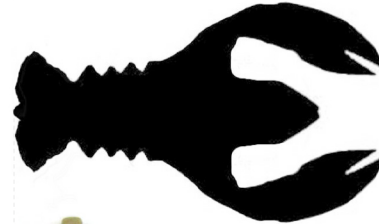


Mini-size Sculpin Helmet



### LARGE

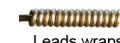
50mm (2.0")



Shrimp/cray tails small or medium



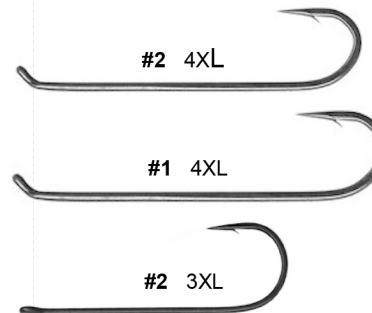
Dumbbells  
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Leads wraps

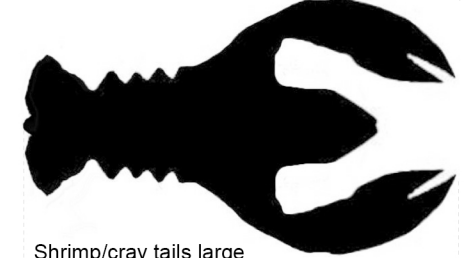


Mini or Small-size Sculpin Helmet

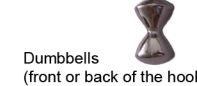


### X-LARGE

58mm (2.3")



Shrimp/cray tails large



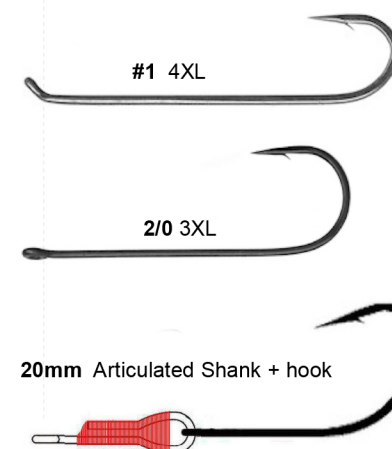
Dumbbells  
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Leads wraps



Small or Large-size Sculpin Helmet



**NOTE: shrimp/cray tails are NOT real size!**