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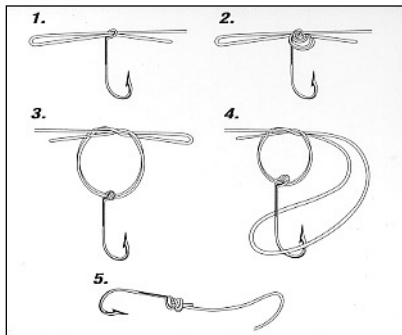
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Needed KNOTS - PowerPro

What: Knots for Newer Lines

Many of the newer lines like Power Pro and P-Line have a super slick outer layer. This means that regular clinch knots will not hold when used on these lines. Luckily, there are a few simple knots that will let you use these newer, thinner diameter, super-slick lines. Use these knots for these lines.

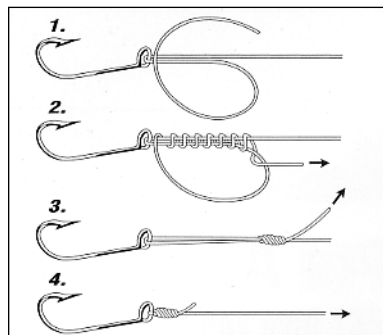
Palomar Knot (General use - easier)



- 1 - Make a 10" loop in the line, then pass it through the eye of your hook.
- 2 - If the eye is big enough, pass the loop through a second time.
- 3 - Tie a simple overhand knot, but do not pull it tight yet.
- 4 - Pass your tackle through the loop.
- 5 - Pull the standing line to tighten the knot, then trim the tag end.

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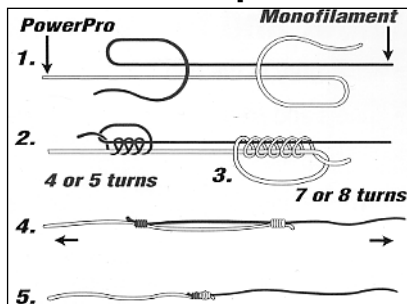
Uni Knot (General use - stronger)



- 1 - Pass the line through the eye of your tackle at least twice, leaving 12" for your knot.
- 2 - Loop the tag end around the standing line, then pass the tag end through your loop 8 to 10 times.
- 3 - Pull the tag end to tighten the knot, making sure the 8-10 wraps snug down neatly.
- 4 - Pull the standing line to jam the knot against your tackle

eye, then trim the tag end.

Uni to Uni Splice Knot



(For tying PowerPro to mono of similar diameter)

- 1 - Lay PowerPro and mono parallel, with 12-18" tag ends facing opposite directions.
- 2 - Loop the tag end of the mono around both lines, then pass the tag end through your loop 5 to 6 more times. Pull the tag

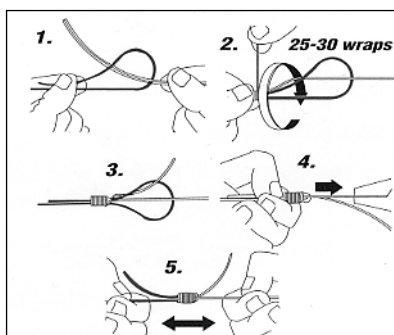
end to tighten the knot, making sure the wraps snug down neatly.

3 - Repeat step #2 using the PowerPro tag end, but use 8 to 10 wraps.

4 - Pull on the standing lines to jam the two knots together tightly.

5 - Trim the PowerPro tag end about 1/8" past the knot. Trim the mono tag end as close to the knot as possible.

Albright Knot



(For tying PowerPro to mono of larger diameter - stronger)

- 1 - Make a loop in the mono, and hold it with your left hand. Double 30" of PowerPro to create a 15" two-strand section. Pass this through the mono loop.
- 2 - Wrap the PowerPro loosely around the fingertip you're using to hold the mono, then

wrap the PowerPro around itself and the mono 20 to 25 times. Work toward the end of the loop, keeping your wraps tight and snug.

3 - Run the PowerPro back through the mono loop so it exits on the same side it entered.

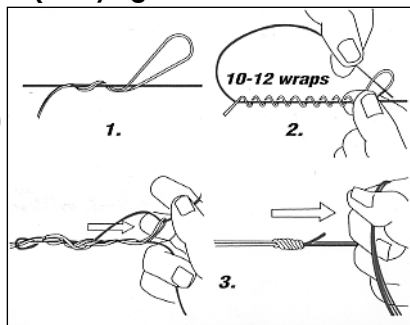
4 - Wet the PowerPro and tug on the standing line and tag end to jam your wraps tightly together, moving them toward the end of the loop.

5 - Pull both standing lines to tighten the knot, then use **soft-jawed pliers or a gloved hand** to pull the knot together. Pull both standing lines at once to make sure the knot is secure.

6 - Tie a **LOCK KNOT** (see below).

Reverse Albright Knot

(For tying PowerPro to mono of larger diameter - easier)

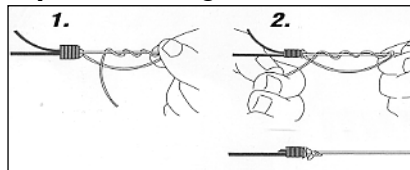


- 1 - Double your PowerPro, leaving a 1/2" loop at the end. Wrap the PowerPro around the mono 10 to 12 times, leaving your loop open and opposite the mono tag end.
- 2 - Pass the mono tag end through the PowerPro loop.
- 3 - Pull on both lines to tighten the knot, jamming the wraps together.

4 - Tie a **LOCK KNOT** (see below).

Lock Knot

(To finish Albright/Reverse Albright - required)



- 1 - Loop the PowerPro tag end around the standing PowerPro, then pass the tag end through this loop three times.
- 2 - Pull the tag end to tight-

en the wraps, then trim tag ends.

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