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Re: Light Cured Adhesives

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whheff wrote:

I bought my light on Amazon. UV spectrum is not much different from one light to the other UV is UV. I agree with DUB about the tacky feel on some products. I used the knot sense and it was tacky too. Bug Bond thick is not tacky but I haven't used anything other than these 2 products. Google clear cure goo and watch their video on each product to see which on would be best for you.
Bill

Hey Bill I have to kindly disagree here...some adhesives react at different frequencies.

I have the tuffleye stuff...which I picked up on impulse without realizing there are cheaper options. So I bought a syringe of CCG and it won't cure at all with the Tuffleye light. I add to go the natural route and leave them in sunlight.

If there another gathering/Jam maybe we could all bring our glues and UV lights to see what works together...I know I'll be buying more glue but would rather not buy another light...

There is a reason for the tackiness and that is so additional layers will adhere. Which is necessary for multi layer flies like epoxies for salt but could be a pain if you're just doing a single layer like for a nymph wing case...if that's you're plan then you might try the hard as nails as mentioned by Afish