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**Andy Findlay**  
Commercial Match Ace



# HOOKS AND LINE

## MAXIMUM PERFORMANCE AND RELIABILITY

Line choice is a very personal thing and having confidence in what you use is vital. With the vast array of lines coming onto the market there's a temptation to keep swapping and changing, but is this really the right thing to do? Most top match anglers tend to use the same line for hooklengths and pole rigs and a different line for float and feeder fishing. And from what we know, very few change.

### Small Choice, Big Confidence

Preston don't have a large selection of lines to choose from, but the ones we sell are totally reliable and can be trusted to perform how you expect them to, all of the time. We know this because we thoroughly tested them before they were released and they have been around for enough years for us to know they are right.

### Hooklengths

For hooklengths and pole rig lines look no further than REFLO® Power™. It's the UK's leading selling hooklength line and is also perfect for rigs which is why we sell it on 100m spools. Clear and supple, REFLO® Power™ is incredibly strong for its diameter and totally reliable. It's also a tough line that knots well and can withstand the battering it gets when catching large weights. Shots can also be moved about on it without too much detrimental effect. All things considered REFLO® Power™ offers the perfect compromise between strength, diameter and toughness. And as a testament to its performance and reliability even after being in the market place for 10 years sales are still increasing as more and more anglers come to appreciate it. Exceed has been developed as an ultra accurate hooklength and rig line its supple nature and low diameters mean its suitable for situations where more finesse is required it has been parallel spooled on to wide diameter spools to reduce the effects of line memory. Its smooth abrasion resistant properties mean that knots can be tied whilst still maintaining maximum strength and reliability. Its instant acceptance by our consultants who fish at International level just goes to prove its quality.

### Reel Lines

If you already use Direct Mono you'll notice that the packaging has changed and so has the spool size. You now get 150m on each spool instead of 100m. Direct Mono is a low stretch mono (up to 50% less than some mono lines) which shows up bites better and is more direct on the strike. It isn't as instant as braid and when playing fish you won't notice much difference between normal mono and direct mono. It is a tough line too (which makes it good for feeder fishing) and doesn't require any special knots.



REFLO® XCEED



**REFLO® XCEED RIG & HOOKLENGTH LINE**

Xceed is an extremely high quality, accurately calibrated, low diameter line from Japan. Extremely strong for its diameter, Xceed is soft and supple whilst offering high abrasion resistance making it perfectly suited for use as hooklengths and pole rig main lines.

**NEW**

Diameter	Breaking Strain Kg	Breaking Strain lbs
0.090mm	0.716kg	1.5lb
0.104mm	0.944kg	2.1lb
0.117mm	1.115kg	2.6lb
0.128mm	1.405kg	3.1lb
0.148mm	1.771kg	3.9lb
0.165mm	2.239kg	5.0lb
0.185mm	2.564kg	5.7lb
0.205mm	3.463kg	7.7lb
0.220mm	4.034kg	8.9lb
0.235mm	4.361kg	9.6lb



REFLO® POWER™



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The UK's fastest selling line, REFLO® Power™ is exceptionally strong, supple and clear. Designed with built-in stretch also makes it an excellent line for pole rigs. Available in 12 sizes REFLO® Power™ has quickly become the first choice hooklength and rig line for top match anglers.

Diameter	Breaking Strain Kg	Breaking Strain lbs
0.5mm	0.297kg	10oz
0.6mm	0.374kg	12oz
0.7mm	0.434kg	1.0lb
0.8mm	0.812kg	1lb 12oz
0.9mm	0.967kg	2lb 2oz
0.10mm	1.205kg	2lb 10oz
0.11mm	1.521kg	3lb 6oz
0.13mm	2.136kg	4lb 12oz
0.15mm	2.683kg	5lb 14oz
0.17mm	3.088kg	6lb 12oz
0.19mm	3.355kg	7lb 6oz
0.21mm	4.062kg	8lb 15oz

**DIRECT MONO**

Designed for today's modern methods and with up to 50% less stretch than most mono line, Direct Mono is exceptionally good at registering bites. The controlled stretch provides much safer fish-playing than unforgiving braid, it requires no special knots to retain its strength. Perfect for all feeder and float fishing, Direct Mono really does live up to its name.

Diameter	Breaking Strain Kg	Breaking Strain lbs
0.13mm	1.40kg	3.0lb
0.15mm	1.70kg	3.5lb
0.17mm	2.00kg	4.5lb
0.19mm	2.50kg	5.5lb
0.21mm	3.00kg	7.0lb
0.23mm	3.60kg	8.0lb

“The reduced stretch of Direct Mono makes it perfect for casting and fishing tight to islands.”

LES THOMPSON



**BRAIDCAST TAPERED MONO LEADER**

Tapered mono shock leader designed to be used with braid. The mono absorbs shock, preventing crack offs and reducing hook pulls when using braid.

- 15 metre lengths allow leaders to be customised.
- 5 leaders per spool
- 0.18mm – 0.32mm (5 – 12lb)



**BRAIDCAST SUPERIOR SINKING BRAID**

Braidcast has been designed especially for feeder fishing. Its awesome casting performance makes long range fishing easier and combined with the Braidcast Tapered Mono Leader hook-pulls at close range are almost totally eliminated.

- Quick Sinking Reel Line Braid
- Ultra Low Diameter
- Minimum Stretch
- Low Visibility
- 150m Spool For Distance Fishing
- Available in 0.8mm - 0.10mm

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REFLO™ DIRECT MONO

## COMPETITION MATCH HOOKS

“The PR Competition range are designed for anglers who prefer to fish with a barbed hook (where fishery rules allow). Made to the same high standards as the original PR range.”



**PR322**  
Micro barb, wide gape, crystal bend, in-turned point, fine wire. Nickel finish..

SIZES AVAILABLE					
12	14	16	18	20	22



**PR311**  
Micro barb, wide gape, crystal bend, in-turned point, fine wire. Bronze finish.

SIZES AVAILABLE					
14	16	18	20	22	24



**PR333**  
Micro barb, wide gape, crystal bend, in-turned beaked point, medium fine wire. Bronze finish.

SIZES AVAILABLE					
12	14	16	18	20	22



**PR344**  
Micro barb, wide gape, crystal bend, in-turned beaked point, medium wire. Bronze finish.

SIZES AVAILABLE					
10	12	14	16	18	



**PR355**  
Micro barb, wide gape, crystal bend, in-turned point, medium heavy wire. Bronze finish..

SIZES AVAILABLE					
6	8	10	12	14	16 18

# PR HOOKS

## Why is the PR36 so good?

The out-turned eye of the PR36 has been developed to improve hooking performance when using hair-rigs, the knotless knot and small hooks (size 10 and smaller).

The knotless knot is the easiest way to make a hair-rig and it produces an angle at the eye of the hook that can improve hooking performance, especially on larger hooks. But when the knot is used on smaller hooks with a straight eye, the angle is too great and this can actually impair hooking efficiency.

The point of the straight-eyed carp hook is almost at 90° to the angle of pull whereas the point of the PR36 is more in-line with the angle of pull. This is because the PR36 has a slightly out-turned eye. In fishing situations this means that when a fish picks up the bait and moves off the point is more exposed and more likely to prick the fish. Once this happens the fish bolts, or you strike, and the hook penetrates immediately.



## PR HOOKS

“PR Hooks are strong and totally reliable. The first choice for many top anglers there are a wide range of styles to suit just about all match situations. When you need a good hook hold you can trust PR hooks.”



**PR27**  
Eyed, barbless, round bend. Bronze finish.

SIZES AVAILABLE					
10	12	14	16	18	



**PR36**  
Barbless eyed hook with out-turned eye. Ideal for hair-rigging for match carp.

SIZES AVAILABLE					
10	12	14	16	18	



**PR38**  
Same pattern as a PR36 but with stronger wire to suit all match carp applications.

SIZES AVAILABLE					
10	12	14	16		



**PR39**  
Same thicker wire as the PR38 but with a barb for situations where barbed hooks are allowed.

SIZES AVAILABLE					
10	12	14	16		



**PR24**  
Barbless, in-turned point. Bronze finish.

SIZES AVAILABLE					
10	12	14	16	18	



**PR29**  
Barbless, crystal bend, medium shank. Bronze finish.

SIZES AVAILABLE					
12	14	16	18		



**PR30**  
Barbless, crystal bend, medium wire, bronze. Bronze finish.

SIZES AVAILABLE					
18	20	22	24	26	



**PR31**  
Crystal type bend, fine wire for squatt, joker and bloodworm. Bronze finish.

SIZES AVAILABLE					
20	22	24	26		



**PR32**  
Barbless, hybrid crystal bend, long in-turned point. Bronze finish.

SIZES AVAILABLE					
12	14	16	18	20	22



**PR33**  
Barbless, wide crystal bend, in-turned point. Bronze finish.

SIZES AVAILABLE					
12	14	16	18		



**PR35**  
Micro barbed, wide gape. Bronze finish.

SIZES AVAILABLE					
14	16	18	20	22	24

PR 36 BARBLESS HAIR RIGS

Constructed using the PR36 Hook which, due to its out-turned eye, gives vastly improved presentation and hooking characteristics. Our pre-tied rigs offer the opportunity of hair-rigging to anglers of all abilities. Supplied in two sizes, 15" to suit normal feeder fishing situations and the shorter 4" version for Method feeder fishing.

Size	Strength	Diameter
10	10lb	0.25
12	8lb	0.23
14	8lb	0.23
16	7lb	0.20
18	6lb	0.18



HAIR RIGS WITH BAIT BANDS

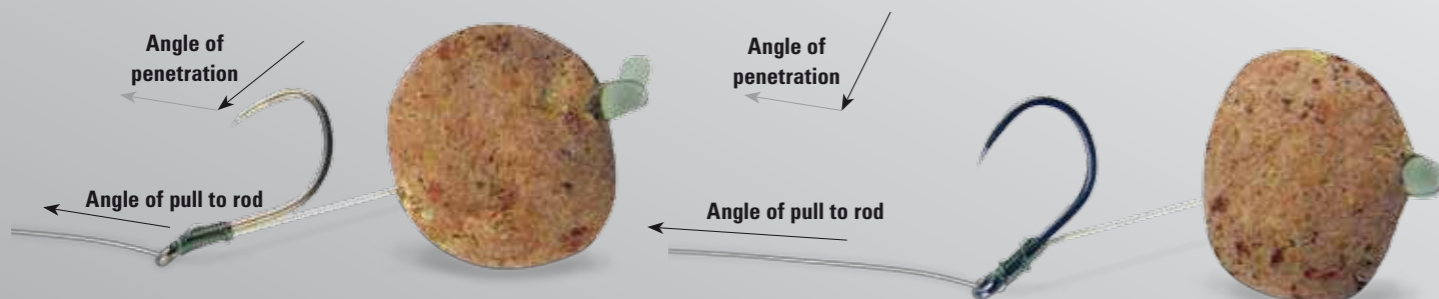
The Hair Rigs with Bait Bands are constructed using our famous PR36 barbless hook and ultra strong clear mono. The latex bait bands will stretch to accommodate most pellet sizes and can also be 'pulled' into pre-drilled pellets. Available in 4" for the Method feeder and 15" for normal feeders and pole rigs..

Size	Strength	Diameter
10	10lb	0.25
12	8lb	0.23
14	8lb	0.23
16	7lb	0.20
18	6lb	0.18



PR36 With Out-Turned Eye

Carp Hook With Straight eye



Hair Rigging

Barbless Hair Rigs are perfect for presenting a wide variety of baits. Here's how to mount a soft pellet.



Expertly tied straight from the packet, the hair is the correct length for a wide variety of baits.

Push a baiting needle through the pellet ready to mount on the hair. You can use the same method for boilies and sweetcorn.

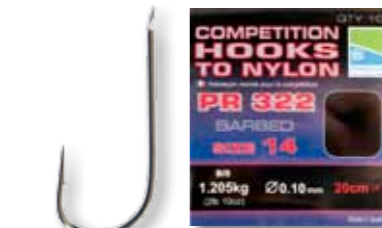
Hook the baiting needle onto the loop of the hair and pull through moving the bait onto the hair.

Remove the baiting needle and insert a bait stop into hair loop. Use a bait stop that's either clear or the same colour as the bait.

Gently ease the pellet down the hair until it sits on the bait stop. This will prevent the stop falling out on the cast.

BARBED PR COMPETITION HOOKS TO NYLON

Top quality PR Competition hooks tied to REFLO® Power™. 322 and 333 are tied to 20cm (8") of line for pole fishing. 344 and 355 are tied to 80cm (32") of mono making them ideal for feeder fishing hooklengths.



Size	Strength	Length	Diameter
14	2lb 10oz / 1.205kg	20cm	0.10
16	2lb 2oz / 0.967kg	20cm	0.09
18	1lb 12oz / 0.812kg	20cm	0.08
20	1lb 12oz / 0.812kg	20cm	0.08



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14	2lb 10oz / 1.205kg	20cm	0.10
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18	1lb 12oz / 0.812kg	20cm	0.08
20	1lb 12oz / 0.812kg	20cm	0.08
22	1lb 12oz / 0.812kg	20cm	0.08



Size	Strength	Length	Diameter
10	4lb 12oz / 2.136kg	80cm	0.13
12	4lb 12oz / 2.136kg	80cm	0.13
14	3lb 6oz / 1.521kg	80cm	0.11
16	3lb 6oz / 1.521kg	80cm	0.11



Size	Strength	Length	Diameter
10	5lb 14oz / 2.683kg	80cm	0.15
12	5lb 14oz / 2.683kg	80cm	0.15
14	4lb 12oz / 2.136kg	80cm	0.13
16	4lb 12oz / 2.136kg	80cm	0.13

HOOKS TO NYLON TIED TO REFLO® POWER™

High quality PR hooks, professionally tied, to ultra strong REFLO® Power™.



Barbless, wide crystal bend. Bronze finish.

SIZE	12	14	16	18
DIA	0.15	0.13	0.11	0.10



Barbless, wide crystal bend. Bronze finish.

SIZE	10	12	14	16
DIA	0.19	0.17	0.15	0.13



Barbless, crystal bend, medium shank. Bronze finish.

SIZE	12	14	16	18
DIA	0.17	0.15	0.13	0.13

STRONG & XTRA STRONG CARP BARBLESS HOOKS TO NYLON

With the increasing size of the average carp in commercial fisheries, we have recognised the need for some seriously strong hooklengths. The Strong and Xtra Strong patterns use high quality hooks, suited to the range of baits used on commercial fisheries and a tough reliable hooklength line.



SIZE	14	16	18	20
STRENGTH lb	5	4	3	2.5



SIZE	12	14	16	18
STRENGTH lb	8	6	5	4