

ODYSSEY XXX BASE MIX - Tim Richardson

Below are pictures of my homemade Odyssey XXX base mix baits. There are many kinds, both uniform and odd shaped, sinking, balanced and pop-up versions demonstrating the versatility this base mix provides.

You can alter it and personalise it with absolute confidence knowing the advanced design of this bait is the cornerstone of your baits success.



On the left - homemade standard Odyssey XXX. On the right - homemade pop-ups!

The standard Odyssey XXX base mix is already a legendary bait and I always like to personalise my baits just to be different. If all you do is add high levels of CC Moore Feedstim XP your bait will be super-boosted; I just go a little bit further because so many of CC Moore's additives and liquids are natural and have no inclusion limit so I take as much advantage of this as possible to pack in as much natural attraction as I can. I find the standard base mix makes nice firm resilient and very highly productive baits whose effects grow the more you use the bait!

It was only due to crayfish problems that I made my standard baits much harder but even then I could have used the especially hard bait Odyssey XXX Hard Hookbait Mix available (and for Meteor and Live System too!) But then I considered that adding different ingredients and additives makes my bait totally unique and introduces a different nutritional attraction, diverse tastes and smells and other factors compared to standard base mix baits!

You can harden your baits in many ways using various ingredients and additives etc in different combinations. For example with caseins, whey protein concentrate, blood powder and CLO, whey gel, egg albumin and whole egg powder, limestone powder, crushed oyster shell, Supernaturals, crunchy kelp meal, hemp seed, Super Gold 60, maize meal and maize flour, etc. All these and more have varying physical impacts on bait hardness, weight and textural feel, (quite apart from other aspects of bait performance!)

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All change! These variously shaped baits are all versions of slightly different baits made using Odyssey XXX base mix.



The standard Odyssey XXX base mix is already legendary and is pure confidence! Baits made from it still work hard to stimulate and attract fish long after more soluble liquids, flavours, oils or powder or meal ingredients and additives have already been washed out! On the hardest waters with big very wary carp you can leave bait out for very long periods with full confidence!

It is such an outstanding long-term food bait yet in my experience it also works instantly!

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Prepared, homemade, super-boosted Odyssey XXX base mix dough, ready for any big carp!

Such baits can be utilised for fishing rivers for specimen Barbell and Chub or lakes for specimen Carp, Tench, Bream or Catfish.

Note: Experimenting with ingredients and liquids additives, flavours etc will assist in making your baits even more species-specific!