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tomgamber wrote:

Its the tail and the biots where you save time. Its just a simpler fly. Depends where your priorities lie.

Exactly. Anything that involves positioning individual pieces of material on the hook like that adds time and complexity. The tails and biots on a prince are a PITA compared to the rest of the fly. A zug bug has all of the same important features (triggers to the fish), minus the complexity. Prince nymphs have just been marketed better.

When tying attractors, substitutions can be made pretty easily.