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Right now I only have three rods and three reels. I have broken one in the past and given another away.

TfO finesse 7'9" 4 weight with a Redington CD 3/4 reel.

White River 7' 5 weight with a White river UL 3/4 reel.

Guide Series Plateau 9' 7 weight with an Okuma Integrity 5/6 reel.

I use mt TfO the most, my 7 weight the least but I really would like to use my 7 weight more, got the rod on clearance last winter for $42 which was a small fraction of the original price. And the Okuma has a nice drag for the price.

The Plateau was the premium model of the Guide Series fly rods Gander Mtn. put out, it is a four piece and has a great gray finish ,nice wood seat, excellent cork and and a fighting butt and good hardware. I take it out and look at if I haven't fished it in a while, just because I like the way it looks even if it is a lower end rod from Gander Mtn., who are not known for producing fly rods.

My Tfo however is my workhorse and it has some scratches and I've repaired two of the guides myself, which I rewrapped in brown instead of the factory green color, so it has character. I got away with using head cement to repair the guides and I've had no trouble with them in the year that has gone by since repairing them.