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Re: A beginners guide to fishing during spawning season

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I actually read an article on egg survival after wading through, then back through yesterday. Now to find it . . .

Was like 40% loss wading through and cumulative 75% when waded back through.

Quote:

However, this may be the MOST damaging time to wade over a redd, since it is in the period just before emergence from the gravel that the young are most vulnerable to getting squashed.

In addition to squashing there is the element of knocking the eggs loose from the substrate, as well as, disturbing the bottom resulting in siltation over the eggs which kills them as well.