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I find everything you say to be true, but I just don't got it in me to be a trophy hunter. Occasionally its cool for a change of pace, and if I run across a monster while "regular" fishing I will often schedule a return trip, at night or in the rain, with big junk.

I think my biggest problem is #2. I'd rather fish 20 different small streams than fish one big, good stream 20 times. Since our "big fish" is only a small percentage of our streams, I only run across them on occasion, and don't ever get to know them in the kind of detail you need to catch the big ones with any consistency.

Further, if I really want a big fish fix, I go to Erie, where the trout average 24" and 4-6 lbs, and 30+" isn't uncommon at all.