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I like yard casting, but I think it's a good idea to measure how far you are yard casting because a 40 ft cast looks much longer on a small trout stream vs your open yard. On small streams you will often catch fish at 15-30 ft, which looks like nothing in an open yard. If you set up your rod and line for fun 50 ft and longer yard casts, it wont be set up for the 10-30 ft casts you usually make on a small stream. On most pools in really small scale streams it is often impossible to use a 40 ft cast, youd cast past the start of a pool.

I often wind up overlining rods by one or two weights if I plan to use them on small streams.