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The ability to quickly land a trout quickly has more to do with tippet size than line size. 8x tippet has the same breaking point under tension no matter whether it is on a 12' 12wt rod or a 6' 1wt and some rods are better suited for protecting light tippets. Tie on a 3x tippet to a 1wt rod and you can land the trout just as quickly as with a 6wt rod.