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Re: Wet flies...???

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Quote:

zenherper wrote:

Is it a fairly common practice for some of you to fish the wets dropped off of your dry flies? If so, how deep do you usually fish them? That is, how much tippet do you tie off of your dry to the wet? I admit, I have never spent much time fishing wet flies, and I know I am missing a lot of opportunities to catch more fish.

there's a million answers for that.

if you use the dry like a bobber or strike indicator, a common measurement is one and a half times the depth of the stream.

i often, however, measure tippet by armspan and tie my flies fairly evenly spaced on that. so if i have three flies, and the bob fly is dry the next fly is a little closer than one third the way to the last fly.

however, sometimes i fish the dropper as a damp fly in the surface film, so that might just be about a foot to sixteen inches away from the first fly.

for me the even spacing (sometimes a little more distance for the bottom dropper) and keeping distances short means less tangles