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Re: Youghiogheny River - New Fish population Study

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Fishidiot wrote:

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albatross wrote:

Troutbert,

I don't think electro-shocking works as well on big water like the Yough. On section 2 for example it's nothing to observe 20-30 rising fish in easy eyesight of a wading angler on a warm summer evening, so I'm sure the electro-shocking numbers don't accurately reflect the population. On the other hand, it is a fair comparison to look at the shocking results of one year compared to another. The time trends look good in nearly all of the plots.

Agree. It's data for comparison with past surveys.

But look at the numbers of smallmouth they found. The electrofishing techniques were efficient enough to turn up quite a lot of smallmouth.