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Re: Casting to the other Side

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I don't disagree, but just to throw a wrench into this:

1. On the side the wind is blowing FROM, the surface waters are blown off and the deep water upwells to replace it. Especially in mid-summer, that deep water is colder. For fish that like it colder than the rest of the lake, they can turn on there!
  2. Sun often plays a roll. Regardless of wind, if one side of the lake is sunny and the other shady, that can have as large an effect.
  3. Obviously, structure. A lot of lakes, especially those which are impoundments, have a deep channel side with a steep depth gradient, and a shallow side with a slow gradient.
- i.e. the wind stuff above is correct. As always, there's just more than one variable. But yes, I think it's pretty obvious that it's actually fairly rare for both sides of a lake or river to fish equally.