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That was a great video, I have done a lot of research on building a bamboo rod on the net and this is the first video I have seen with this information. Thank you for posting it.

For those interested in making their own bamboo rod, you may want to spend some time on the rod building forum, <http://www.rodbuildingforum.com/>. There is a lot of good information there about building rods and lots of links to supplies also.

I built a boo rod a year ago, but I didn't do it from scratch. I ordered a blank from a guy on the rod building forum. It came with my choice of finish on it, and the ferrels installed. I had to do the rest of the work. Since I have built several graphite rods it wasn't all that hard to finish up a bamboo but it did require me to do somethings that I didn't have to do with the graphite rod blanks.

All in all it is a nice 7 1/2' 4 wt rod. I just hope I can get out more this year and give is a good workout. If nothing else I till get used to tease some blue gills and other pan fish.

Sam