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So I went out to scope some areas of Deer Creek that I have not fished before - looking for smallmouth. I didn't realize it, but the water was up, and still low visibility from the storms earlier in the week. When I got to the stream, the first thing I saw was these big white mayflies. Then I saw a sulphur, then some olives - all told, I think I saw probably 5 different species. I could not get pictures of all of them.

I included the blurry pic (taken before I switched to macro setting) so you could get a sense of the size as it related to my finger nail.

Are these the same "white flies" I hear about that smallmouth go crazy for on the big rivers?

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 **White Mayfly1.JPG** (140.17 KB)



 White Mayfly2.JPG (134.20 KB)

