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Personally, I'd try to find a friend to borrow a 7wt rod n reel and try it first.

Then if you like the style of fishing invest in some quality 2nd hand gear off spey pages, stripersonline or here (or eBay) . I agree with \$200 reel price target, and maybe \$150 (used) for an old Sage, TFO, Redington or T&T rod with a medium action in 10.5 or 11ft.

The reason I say borrow before you buy is because a few people don't like it - it can be crowded, cold and monotonous.

It can also be wild, peaceful and exhilarating - sometimes after cold blank days....

Andromous fishing is my zen, but it's not for everyone hence the dozens of bargains out there online !