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Re: simulated hatch

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afishinado wrote:

I really haven't had much luck with it. Sooner or later, you're gunna make a clunker of a cast or drag the fly and put the fish down.

Agree.

Many times I've drifted a dry fly over a trout - a caddis, ant, or mayfly imitation - and thought to myself that the fish might eventually rise thinking that a hatch was starting. I don't think it ever turned out that way.

Now, if a fish rises in the water column to inspect your fly and doesn't take.....this is more promising (but a different situation). If you see a trout and he doesn't move after a couple good drifts over him.....try a nymph or wet fly.