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I would feel lost without a thermometer much of the time, and not just as a matter of avoiding heat stressed fish.

Water temps going up or down in trend; temps of at least 50F for certain hatches during Spring, or for a certain consecutive number of days; different parts of the same stream with surprisingly large differences in temperatures, etc.

Hook and Hackle sold a look-alike to this one shown in Lefty Kreh's book for \$2.50 so I bought a half dozen or so. But it no longer seems to be made so maybe it was Mercury based. Anyway, very light and compact if you can find it and reads very fast.

[Lefty Kreh Thermometer, page 51 of 101 Fly Fishing Tips](#)