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Re: CDC Trico Comparadun

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John, as someone who was in this position last year, (see Afishinado's post) let me see if I can mitigate or at least explain H-A's tone. I was the focus of his ire last year because I stated that I used 9X on a certain pool on a certain stream. I took offense to the comments by both guys who have answered you. What they both explained to me was that we just don't want newbies to start thinking lighter tippet is the way to better fishing. For you and me, 9X has its place although not for me any longer. I'm honestly tired of the way 7X tippet and lower curls up so easy after either catching fish or stinging them and having the hook shoot back at me. I saw the light two weeks ago when I watched fish after fish refuse my Trico only to have those same fish take that same fly on that same tippet once I got the proper drift.

To get to my point (often not my strong suit), very light tippet and advocating the use of it is simply a "hot bottom" issue for a few well respected members on this forum. My major gripe last year, much as is yours this year, was the tone of the posts. After private conversations with both Afishinado and H-A, we worked things out and we all realize where we stand. I know H-A meant no disrespect to your years of experience on the water and just try to understand how we all react (which is the key word) when our hot button is pressed. Maybe I made the first mistake in posting anything about your post so if my comment stirred the pot, I apologize to both you and H-A.

Tight lines to all!