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Re: pool-bound brookies?

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I imagine they are only stuck temporarily or depending on how badly they want out...if the pool suites their needs they probably don't have a reason to leave. On a few occasions I've seen trout move through some amazing obstacles.

Near my home there is a dam about 5 feet high. I saw a trout almost clear it in several attempts. I'm sure when the water is a little higher, it could make it. I think height is more of a restriction than water flow/velocity. On another recent occasion I watched 2 large browns 20"+ leave a pool through a tiny riffle (maybe 1" of water) for the next pool. Watching them maneuver with their backs exposed was pretty awesome.

Looking at your picture I'd think that they might be stuck only until the next big rain comes along.