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Re: New Zealand Mud Snails and felt sole boots

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I'm always shocked on this board by the number of "flyfishermen" who will offer literally any excuse or reason to circumvent statistical evidence on certain issues. Send me new boots, felt is not the only carrier, or basically it's too much trouble. MD, VT, New Zealand, many others and TU have either banned felt sole or advised against them. A recent quote from New Zealand, "Felt soled waders are believed to be an important vector in the spreading of microscopic aquatic pests, including didymo. Restricting their use may well inconvenience some people in the short term, but the potential benefit – decreasing the further spread of these pests, is surely worthwhile." My fishing days are drawing to a close but Good Luck to those whose future may be impacted by the don't give a damn attitude of some.