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Many great success stories in Pa due to the management as wild fisheries for sure. Trout Unlimited is really the only group I know promoting these measures, maybe EBTJV. Here in NY many streams known for their populations of "wild" trout are still stocked. What really boogles my mind is the example of the West Branch Ausable River in Wilmington, NY. Known for its fast, cold, deep water in the beautiful mountains and its amazing population of wild brown, rainbow, and brook trout. Some say the best river on the east coast! So why then will close to 30,000 brown and brook trout between 8 and 15 inches be stocked this coming Spring...?? A place that should in my opinion be managed as a wild fishery, like the great streams of Montana.