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Re: monster trout.

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Agree with most info so far. There very well might be 20" and larger browns right by you or in the waters you fish. If you are out mid-day....you'll never see them. Most have transitioned to nocturnal / hard food feeders. Those big boys hide in log jams, under cut banks or hug the bottom in the deepest pools. Low light (after sunset or 90 minutes before sunrise) will greatly improve your odds. Crappy weather is typically big brown weather (cold, overcast, rain). No magic fly, no magic water or easy answers. You have to try, experiment, put in your time and they will come. Some waters will help you improve the chances as they provide habitat that draws big fish or hold larger numbers of fish over 20". There are more of them out there than you probably realize and persistence will put a 20"-24" in your net. There are a few times and places that will give up 20"+ fish on dries or nymphs but those are rare. It becomes a streamer game and a good 6-7 weight will help you get the job done. Don't be surprised if you spend 3 days covering 5 miles of water just to get 1 take. It's not like you will be nailing one after another doing this type of angling. Enjoy the journey just as much as the trophy at the end of the journey.