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It's a little outside of the smokies (in Pisgah National Forrest), and about an hour outside of Asheville, but if you get a chance try to fish the Davidson. It's a wild Brown, Rainbow, and Brooke stream that gets runoff water from a hatchery right next to it. This hatchery runoff water is nutrient rich, so the trout there get HUGE. Thats where I cought the Brown in my avatar, and it was one of the med-sized ones. There were a few we saw that were easily over 30".

These fish are wild, and although they are not very skiddish, they are extreemly picky. One area my buddy showed me (which he referred to as the humble hole) had about 70 fish, but I only got 3 in 8 hours (he is a guide and only got 2).