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Re: Tenkara Fly Fishing

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tomgamber,

Sorry, I misunderstood and I guess I wasn't clear in what I wrote. Yes, the rods are telescopic. The two Tenkara USA rods that I have are both 12' when fully extended, and telescope down to about 21 1/2" (including the little plug that keeps it from extending when you don't want it to). The rod case that comes with the rod is 23 1/4" (nice case, too). Of the rods Tenkara USA sells, one model is 11' when fully extended. I don't have that one, but the website says it's 20 1/2" when collapsed, (including the little plug which would make it about 20" without the plug).

When I said they don't telescope to "any" length, I meant variable lengths. Each rod has a specific length and is designed to be fished when fully extended (11' for one model, 12' for the others).