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Re: Favorite tandem/ threesome

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littlehigh wrote:

For the life of me I can't figure out how tying to the bend of the hook still allows the first fly to be productive, I mean the fish has to feel the line going to the second fly before you have a chance to set the hook no?

My hook set ratio drops when I use a dry/indicator fly as the first fly in tandem. The tippet between flies -- no matter how thin -- acts as a barrier on some takes. Either the fish can't completely engulf the fly or the line actually pushes the lead fly a bit.

But I still fish it because when I go to this tandem the fishing is always slow on top. Most of my takes are on the trailer anyway.