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CaptMatt wrote:

Also the first several times you tie a new pattern it will take you longer to tie. Keep with a pattern until your familiar with it and then move on to something else. That will also make you more proficient.

Probably the best advice anyone could give you.

When I first started tying I used to hop from pattern to pattern, size to size and it took me a LONG time to complete a fly. Now I do what the Cap'n recommends and I stick with one pattern and size until I get 16, (my minimum) tied in each size. It may be boring at times; but these days with proper advanced preparation I can usually easily complete my 16 flies in an hour.

But it ain't a race unless you are doing it for money so enjoy the experience.