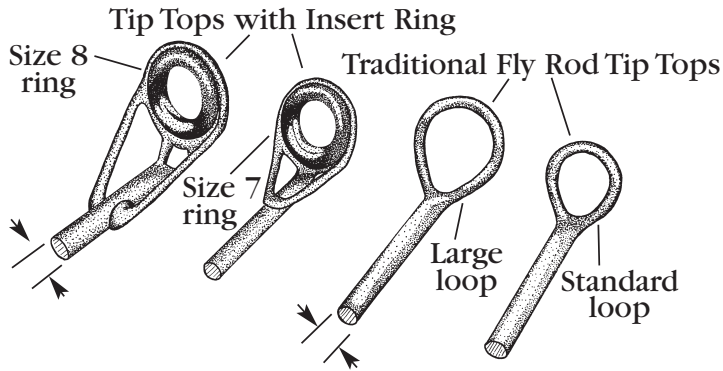


Notes on Tip Tops and Guides

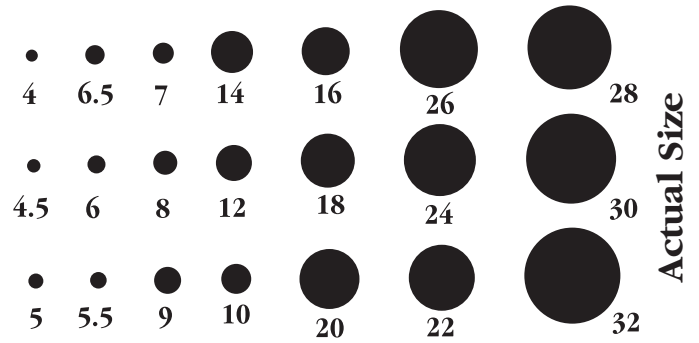
Rod tip tops are identified by first the size of the ring and then secondly the tube in 64ths of an inch. For example, a tip top identified as an 8(6.0), has a ring size of 8

millimeters and a tube size of 6/64ths of an inch. The tip top tube size measurement should match the rod blank tip size given by the manufacturer in their catalogs.



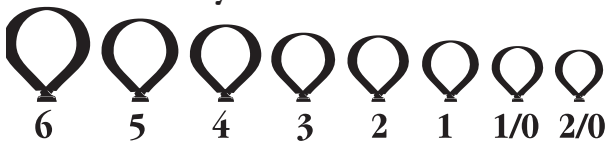
Tip Tube sizes measured in 64ths of an inch

Tip Tubes Sizes Measured in 64ths of an inch



This chart can be used to determine rod tip sizes

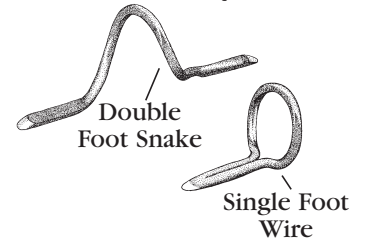
Fly Guide Size Chart



Numbers assigned to guides by early wire guide manufacturers Actual Size

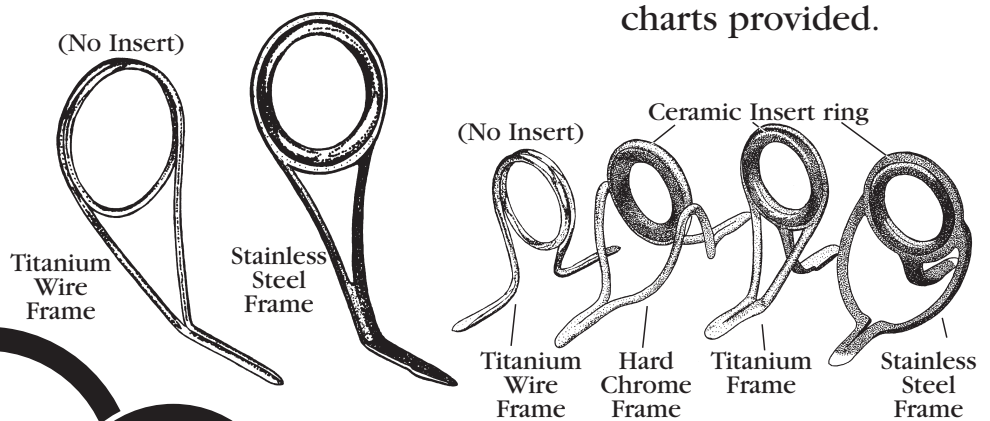
Wire Fly Guides are available in both traditional double foot, commonly known as **snake guides**, and single foot styles. These guides also come in a variety of finishes. Wire guide sizes generally include 6,5,4,3,2,1,1/0 and 2/0 with 6 being the largest.

Traditional Fly Guides

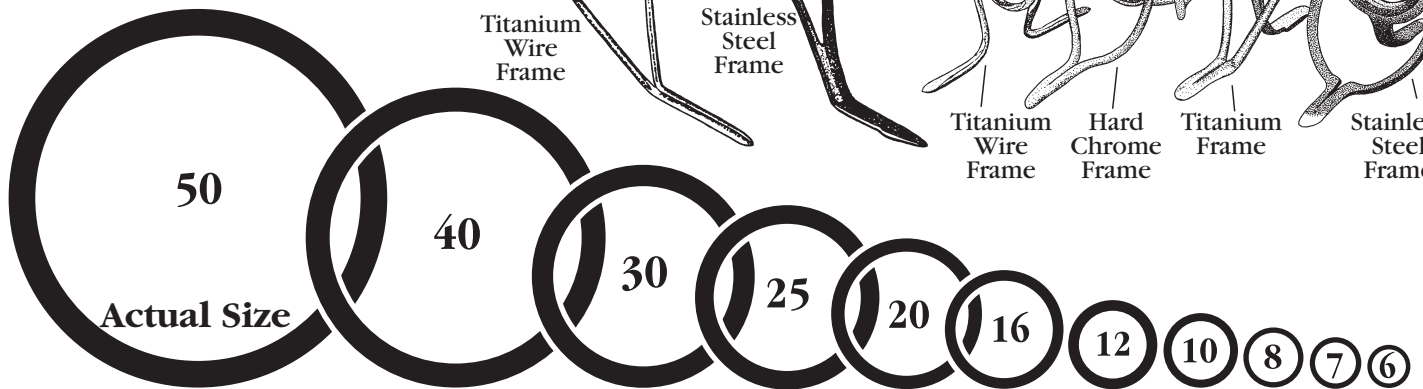


Casting and Spinning Guides are available in a variety of frame designs, frame materials and coatings. They are identified by their ring size measured in millimeters. For example, a #30 guide has a ring that is approximately 30 mm in diameter.

Ceramic Insert ring



NOTE: For accuracy, use a caliper that measures in thousandths and the charts provided.



Guide Rings Measured in Millimeters.

Actual size may vary depending on manufacturer.