



## Exceptions to the General Line Charts: Single Hand Rods

\* Commando Heads are shorter, more dense, and have a larger diameter than other skagit lines. This allows us to utilize more line stick on the water, and in turn, lets us use a much lighter grain weight when compared to other companies. Please do not pair our lines based on rod manufacturer grain windows, unless it is specified for Commando Heads. If you are unsure about a line pairing, we recommend starting with the Exceptions chart to ensure your rod is not on there. Then move onto the General Line Charts. Please take into account the rod action, length, and personal preferences when choosing a weight within said window. For all tip recommendations for rods on the Exceptions Chart, please use the General Line Chart under the corresponding head grain weight (not rod weight).

\*\*\*Please note that we typically recommend dropping your head weight by 25 grains when fishing the Commando Groove. (When compared to the Original Commando). This will account for the added water tension created by the intermediate portion of the line.

Scott		Burkheimer		Thomas and Thomas	
F-Series Single Hand(Glass)		Single Hand Spey		Contact Euro Nymph	
<i>Model</i>	<i>Grains</i>	<i>Model</i>	<i>Grains</i>	<i>Model</i>	<i>Grains</i>
6624	N/A	5104	225-250	310	150
5834	N/A	6104	250-275	3109	150
6634	N/A	7104	275-300	4109	175
7235	N/A	8104	300-325	3112	150-175
7244	150			6108	225

Echo							
River Glass Rods		Gecko		Musky		Shadow X (euro nymph)	
<i>Model</i>	<i>Grains</i>	<i>Model</i>	<i>Grains</i>	<i>Model</i>	<i>Grains</i>	<i>Model</i>	<i>Grains</i>
269	N/A	479	150	1188	350	SHX-3100	150
369	N/A			1194	375	SHX-3106	150
476	150-175					SHX-3110	150-175
480	150-175						
580	175-200						
586	175-200						

Shadow II (Euro Nymph)		Carbon XL (Euro Nymph)	
<i>Model</i>	<i>Grains</i>	<i>Model</i>	<i>Grains</i>
3100	150	3100	150
4106	175	4100	175

Redington					
Strike Euro Nymph		Butterstick		Minnow	
<i>Model</i>	<i>Grains</i>	<i>Model</i>	<i>Grains</i>	<i>Model</i>	<i>Grains</i>
3100	175	159	N/A	580	175
3106	175	260	N/A		
3110	175	370	150		
4100	200	476	175-200		
4110	200	580	225-250		
		680	250-275		
		880	350-400		



SINGLE HAND MICRO SKAGIT OPST LINE / FLOATING TIP RECOMMENDATION CHART

Rod Weight	Rod Length	Commando Head	Smooth Line	Commando Groove (Intermediate)	OPST Floating Tips - Trout			OPST SHS Floating Tips	
					5'	7.5'	10'	7.5'	10'
#3	< 9ft	150grn	150grn	*	✓	✓	✓		
#3	> 10ft	175grn	150grn-175grn	*	✓	✓	✓		
#4	< 9ft	175grn	175grn	*	✓	✓	✓		
#4	> 10ft	200grn	175grn-200grn	*	✓	✓	✓		
#5	< 9ft	200grn	200grn	*	✓	✓	✓		
#5	> 10ft	225grn	200grn-225gr	*	✓	✓	✓		
#6	< 9ft	225grn	225grn	*	✓	✓	✓		
#6	> 10ft	250grn	225grn-250gr	*	✓	✓	✓		✓
#7	< 9ft	250grn	250grn	*	✓	✓	✓	✓	
#7	> 10ft	275grn	250grn-275grn	*	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
#8	< 9ft	275grn	275grn	*	✓	✓	✓	✓	
#8	> 10ft	300grn	275grn-300gr	*	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

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SINGLE HAND MICRO SKAGIT OPST LINE / SINK TIP RECOMMENDATION CHART

Rod Weight	Rod Length	Commando Head	Smooth Line	Commando Groove (Intermediate)	OPST Micro Sink Tips		OPST 10' Sink Tip	OPST Sink Tips - Dual Density
					5'/40gr	7.5'/60gr	10'/80gr	12'
#3	< 9ft	150grn	150grn	*	✓			
#3	> 10ft	175grn	150grn-175grn	*		✓		
#4	< 9ft	175grn	175grn	*	✓	✓		
#4	> 10ft	200grn	175grn-200grn	*		✓		
#5	< 9ft	200grn	200grn	*	✓	✓		
#5	> 10ft	225grn	200grn-225gr	*		✓		
#6	< 9ft	225grn	225grn	*	✓	✓		
#6	> 10ft	250grn	225grn-250gr	*		✓	✓	
#7	< 9ft	250grn	250grn	*		✓	✓	96grn
#7	> 10ft	275grn	250grn-275grn	*		✓	✓	96grn
#8	< 9ft	275grn	275grn	*		✓	✓	96grn
#8	> 10ft	300grn	275grn-300gr	*		✓	✓	96grn

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