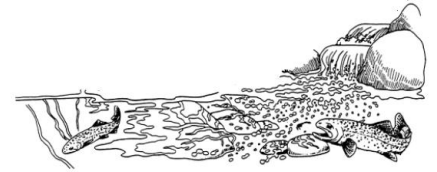


TROUT LIFE CYCLE QUESTIONNAIRE

1- What does the word "spawning" mean? (underline the right answer)

- a) **Going back to sea**
- b) **Laying eggs**
- c) **Feeding**



2 - What time of year do brown trout and sea-trout run up the burns?
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3 - What can push a Brown Trout to become a Sea-Trout?

4 - Where would a trout find the most food? (number highest to lowest)

- **a peaty burn (like most burns on Hoy)**
- **a shallow loch (like the Harray Loch)**
- **the sea**

5- How long does it take for eggs to hatch? Underline the right answer:

- a) **2 weeks** b) **5 weeks** c) **9 weeks** d) **9 months**

5- When they hatch, small trout have their own supply of food which can keep them going for 3 weeks; what is it called?

6 - What is a small trout which has just hatched called?

7 - What is a small trout with markings on it called?

8 - How big is a one year old trout (in a natural environment)? Underline the right answer:

- a) **3cm** b) **6cm** c) **12cm** d) **18cm** e) **25cm**