



# PASSPORT<sup>®</sup>

Professional Rods for the Global Angler



*Flying Fisherman*

**GOZIO**  
DESIGN



## DESIGN TEAM

### Juan Gozio

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Juan Gozio began fishing at the age of 3, thanks to his father who introduced him to the sport. For over 30 years, he's fished all over the world with passion, especially in Argentina, Latin America, the Caribbean and USA. He's the current IGFA rep for Argentina, former Rapala Pro Staff and Mel Krieger School of Fly Fishing casting instructor, former President of the Argentine Association of Fly Fishing, and founder of the Argentine Association of Lure Fishing.

Juan is also a five-time National Golden Dorado Fly Champion, four-time National Fly Casting champion, and holder of Argentina's National Fly Casting Distance record since 2009.

After a managerial career in the oil and gas industry, he decided to start his own fishing tackle company, creating TECH TACKLE, an Argentine manufacturer, designer and distributor of high performance fishing tackle. Juan has personally developed and tested more than 300 rods himself.

*"We created these rods thinking of the traveling angler who is not satisfied with cheap tackle just because it's packable. **PASSPORT**® rods provide high standards in quality and performance at an affordable price. Fish like a pro!"*

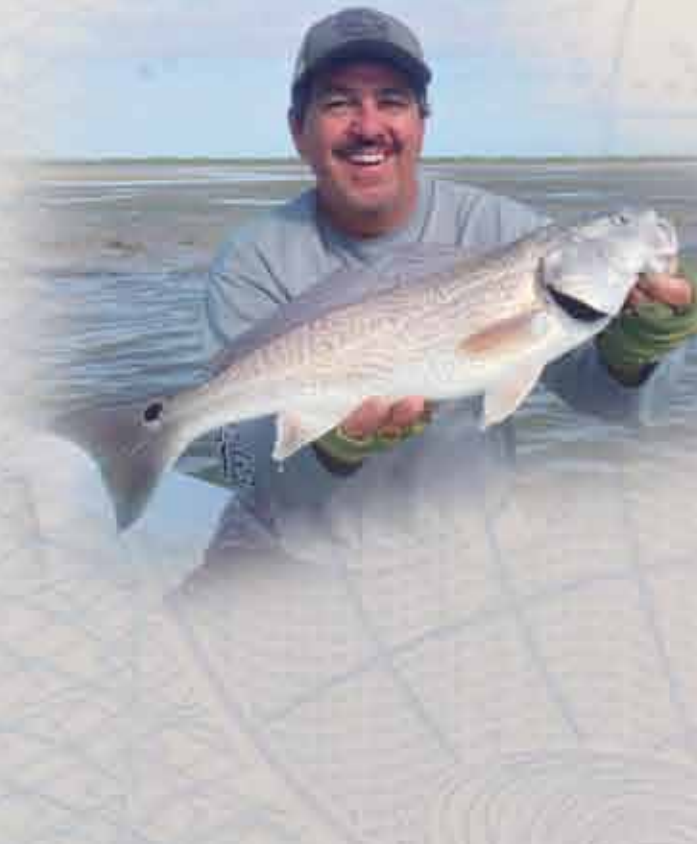
### Captain Randy Towe

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Raised in South Florida's sport fishing heaven, Capt. Randy Towe has had a passion for fishing ever since early childhood. At the age of 10, he didn't have the money for the top quality, custom rod he wanted, so he convinced his parents to buy the parts and built his own rod. It wasn't long after that his fishing career began, and building custom fishing rods became his second passion.

That was over 40 years and 160 tournament winnings ago, and counting. Randy has built more than 5,000 custom rods – from the smallest fly rod to the biggest game fish rods on the market today, and built them all to absolute perfection. He continues his rod building business today in Islamorada, Florida Keys where many local captains and guides use his custom rods each and every day. Randy made Islamorada his home 30 years ago and as a Florida Keys guide, fishes 200 days a year in the waters of the Atlantic ocean and Florida bay, proven testing grounds for making the best possible fishing rods.

*"I enjoy giving my all and striving to be the best at anything I choose to do. OK is never an option. And that philosophy inspired the **PASSPORT**® project, designed for the distinctly avid global angler."*



## IF YOU TRAVEL, YOU NEED A *PASSPORT*<sup>®</sup>

Made from the finest quality materials and components available in the market today. **PASSPORT**<sup>®</sup> is offered in a variety of fly and spinning rods to maximize angler performance in salt or fresh water.

### **BORN ON THE WATER, ENGINEERED IN A LABORATORY AND MANUFACTURED WITH WORLD CLASS QUALITY TESTED WORLDWIDE**

**PASSPORT**<sup>®</sup>'s durable cordura case easily fits inside most standard luggage and allows you to combine any two rods of your choice when using the foam inserts, or up to twelve rods without the foam inserts.

Build your own custom set or combine a spinner and a fly rod to cover all mother nature throws at you.

#### **SPINNING RODS**

LIGHT	7 feet	8-14 lbs	¼ - 1 oz	Fast	3 PC
MEDIUM	7 feet	10-17 lbs	½ - 1 ¾ oz	Fast	3 PC
HEAVY	7 feet	12-25 lbs	¾ - 2 ½ oz	Fast	3 PC

#### **FLY RODS**

LIGHT	9 feet	#6 weight	Xfast	4 PC
MEDIUM	9 feet	#8 weight	Xfast	4 PC
HEAVY	9 feet	#10 weight	Xfast	4 PC



Removable foam inserts  
to pack up to 12 rods in bags or tubes.



Take out inserts and bring all  
your rods and tackle in the case.

Each rod comes  
in a black velvet bag



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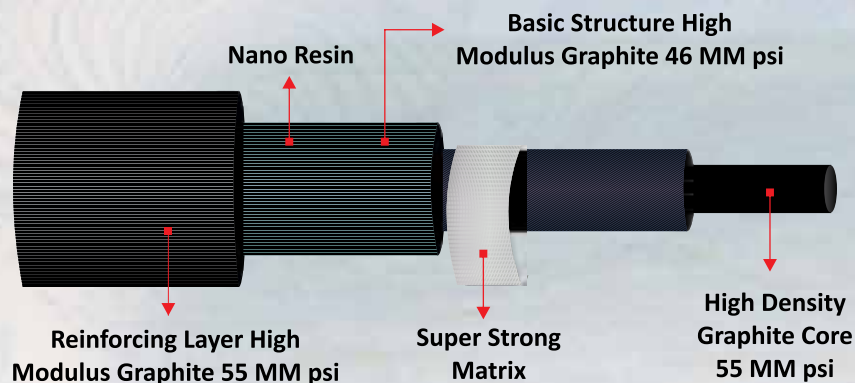
# FEATURES

- Blank taper designed to improve sensitivity, strength and performance.
- Extraordinary high Modulus / high strain Japanese graphite with nano resin.
- High quality Portuguese cork for better gripping.
- Connections reinforced with exotic carbon fibers.
- FUJI reel seat and super grade cork.
- High Quality FUJI and TX SIC guides and components.
- Durable, practical and stylish travel case.



To find the difference between a good rod and a great rod, you need look no further than the engineer sitting right beside the rod designer and both working within the manufacturing process. This is what we do to create **PASSPORT®** rods. Our design, prototype testing, sampling and final production process is held under high quality standards to assure the best quality with minimum costs.

We know that rod performance is only as good as the design behind it and rest assured, before we even think about sending a rod into production, we make sure we spend as much time as necessary in the design department and on the water for testing, to assure that each rod is engineered and developed to outperform all others, helping you to become a better fisherman. We use extremely efficient materials that add power to the blank with minimal weight, helping us to minimize blank diameter. These materials create the lightest, most sensitive and strongest multiple piece rods on the planet.



# PASSPORT® REPLACEMENT PROGRAM (PRP)

Professional fishermen know that even if you have the best fishing rod ever created in your hands, unexpected things can happen. Our rods are unbreakable under correct use, but big fish do go crazy, friends sometimes step on your rod, and we all know that accidents happen. We understand how disappointing having problems on the water can be, and it's why we created the **PRP: Passport® Replacement Program**.

PRP allows for immediate replacement of the broken piece. There's no need for excuses, we don't care how your rod broke, we just want you back on the water with your **Passport®** in hand asap.

## HOW TO PROCEED

Simply send the entire rod (not just the broken piece) to our Flying Fisherman® headquarters in Tavernier, Florida. We recommend packing properly and using a carrier that provides tracking information in case of a problem. Please be sure to include your return shipping address, contact info and a check for \$40 to cover the replacement piece, shipping and handling costs.

Your rod with the new replacement piece will be shipped back to you within a few days of receipt. Failure to include proper return shipping information may result in additional fees. This warranty is limited to the standard **Passport®** rods and does not cover custom rods or rods that were modified from their original design. Please contact us for more details at [flyingfisherman.com](http://flyingfisherman.com).



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