Hardy Perfect Replica 3" Brass Face Fishing Reel

Hardy Bros.

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Height: 7.5 cm (3")

Width: 6.7 cm (2.6")

Depth: 3.6 cm (1.4")

Description

Hardy Perfect All-Brass 3? Diameter Replica Fly Reel.
This reel, made by Hardy Bros. Ltd., Alnwick, England, is an all-brass construction with a lovely dark patina. Features include a composite handle, pierced brass foot, brass-bridged rim tensioner, and the early 1896 check mechanism. The faceplate is stamped "Hardy's Pat, Perfect Reel" and bears two Hardy logos: the Rod in Hand logo and Hardy's oval logo.

We believe this reel was released as part of Hardy's 125th Anniversary celebration.
For reference, Hardy did produce a limited edition All-Brass Perfect 125th Anniversary Fly Reel in the late 1990s. A total of 1,000 individually numbered reels were made. Each reel was supplied in a leather case, packed inside a cardboard box, and accompanied by a small booklet.

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