

BAITING INSTRUCTIONS

ALWAYS BAIT TRAP BEFORE SETTING IT

Front Release 52975, 50450, 50063, 51690, 51700, 52000, 50590, 53124, 53130, 53136

1. Lift the door lock with one hand, 2. Push and hold front door lock rod against door and lift both together. (Fig. 1) 3. Reach into trap with free hand and place bait at rear of trap **Not On Bait Tray**. If you have difficulty reaching back of trap, place trap on its end and drop bait into it.

Slide Open Rear Release 52818, 52824, 52830, 52836, 52842, 52848, 52860, 52872, 53000, 53250, 53260

1. Push security lock wire off the handle. Lift handle to unlatch door. (Fig. 2) 2. Place bait at rear of trap **Not On Bait Tray**. 3. When closing slide door make sure handle latches are positioned under top wire of trap. Snap security lock wire over top of handle.

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1. Lift the door lock with one hand. 2. Push and hold front door lock rod against door and lift both together. (Fig. 1) 3. With free hand, reach inside trap and pull the trigger mechanism forward (Fig. 3) until the hook engages the wire of the door (Fig. 4). Hold trigger in place until after you release the door. 4. The trap is now set in ready position.

2. For the **Model 53000 Universal Trap**, remove the front sliding door to set flush against a structure or leave it in place for use over a burrow.

ANIMAL RELEASE

Front Release - Lift the door lock. Push front door lock rod against door and lift both together. To hold door in open position until animal leaves trap: a stick can be used to prop door open, or insert stick through the side wires and under the door.

Slide Open Rear Release - Push security lock wire off the handle and lift door out of slide. (Fig. 2)

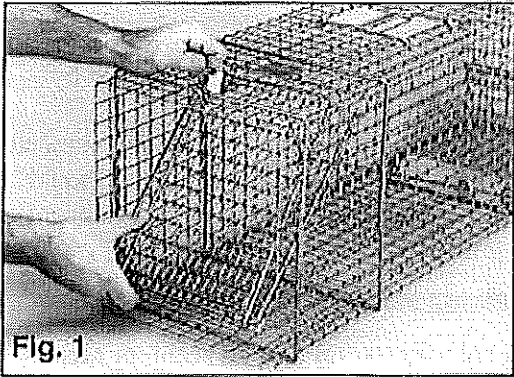


Fig. 1

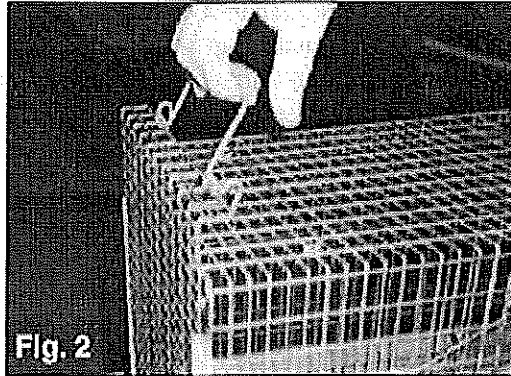


Fig. 2

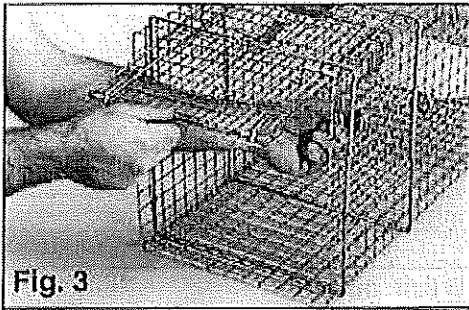


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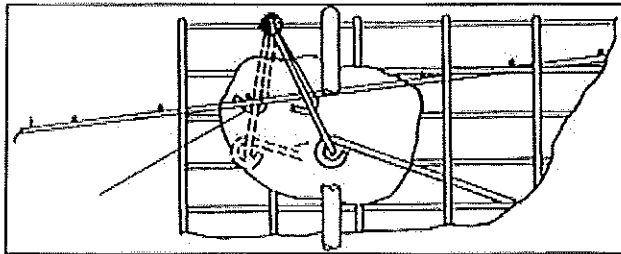


Fig. 4

Use extreme caution when releasing, transferring or moving a trapped animal.
Use of heavy leather or padded gloves is mandatory to help protect from being scratched or bitten.

When transferring an animal to a carrier, make sure trap and carrier are secured together to avoid animal escapes.

Product Information

Safeguard traps are secure, safe and strong. Constructed with heavy gauge corrosion resistant wire and reinforced with welded steel rods, they have been proven in the field by professionals to be efficient and dependable.

Your new Safeguard trap is inspected and tested before shipping. However, we recommend when unpacking the trap, you carefully examine it for any damage during shipment. Should you find damage please contact the carrier. Defects should be reported directly to Safeguard at 1-800-433-1819.

Trapping Tips

- We recommend you wash the trap with soap and hot water to rid it of all scent, or place outdoors for several days.
- When handling the trap, use gloves to prevent transferring human scent to the trap, and never handle bait with your bare hands.
- When setting your trap, make sure the trigger is set properly.
- The successful trapper also thoroughly learns the habits of the animals to be caught. This includes what they like to eat, where they look for food, and the trails they use.

Bait Guide

CAT	Fish, meat, cat food.
CHIPMUNK	Peanut butter, popcorn, grains, sunflower seeds.
DOG, COYOTES	Dog food, meat, bones.
FOX	Chicken entrails, prepared scented bait, mice.
GOPHER	Peanut butter and bread.
MARTIN	Meat scraps, chicken entrails.
MINK	Chicken entrails, fish, liver, vegetables, apples, crisp bacon.
MUSKRAT	Apples, carrots, parsnips.
PORCUPINE	Apples, salt, carrots.
RABBIT	Fresh vegetables like Brussels sprouts, cabbage, carrots, lettuce, apples, bread.
RACCOON	Fish, sweet corn, crisp bacon, marshmallows.
RAT	Peanut butter, cheese, grain, sandwich meat.
SKUNK	Entrails of chicken, fresh and canned fish.
SQUIRREL	Peanut butter, sunflower seeds, oatmeal, bread.
WEASELS	Fish, fresh liver, chicken entrails.
WOODCHUCK	String beans, corn, lettuce, peas, apples.



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