

## Butterfly Trap Basic J Reg J Lge

- Practical full-length vertical zip, useful for general maintenance and access
- Sturdy, easy to clean landing platform
- Adjustable platform cord lock system removes the need to struggle with knots and strings
- Johnson trap may be easily converted into a closed-environment hanging observation cage

## **Contents:**

## **Assembly**

- 1. Feed each white support cord through the hanging loops sewn onto the lower trap ring, leaving an equal amount of cord on each side of the loop.
- 2. Remove the protective covering on the landing platform and put a cord through the pre-drilled hole. Then put the cord through the cord lock. Repeat for the other three cords. To avoid any possibility of the cord ends snagging the net, dismantle for transport or when not in use.
- 3. The height of the landing platform can then be adjusted from 3/4" (2cm) to up to 5" (13cm). To avoid any possibility of the sealed cord ends snagging the net, dismantle for transport or when not in use.
- 4. The bait dish is placed on top of the platform. If preferred, use a jig-saw to cut a hole into which your dish can be inserted without falling through. Ensure the cut hole is smooth. Maximum hole size 20cm (8") diameter if circular, or 15x15cm (6") square.
- 5. Hang the trap; monofilament fishing line can be used which may help reduce ant predation.
- 6. Adjust the height of the landing platform as required, and add the bait. With the Johnson Trap, the bait can be easily changed without disturbing the upper part of the trap by simply lifting the lower skirt.
- 7. The Johnson trap can also be used as a hanging observation cage by removing the platform, pulling the skirt drawstring completely closed and securing with the cord lock.

## <u>Care</u>

- Over time our fabrics will be affected by UV rays and sunlight. When not in use disassemble and store in a
  cool, dry, dark place; this will maximise the life of your product. Ensure all parts are clean and dry before
  packing away.
- The product may be hand washed in warm (not hot) water with a mild detergent. Ensure it is thoroughly rinsed after washing. To sterilise against disease, use sterilising tablets or liquid (for example Milton®) prepared and used as per the manufacturer's instructions. Afterwards, rinse thoroughly with clean water. Repeated sterilisation may cause some minor bleaching of black net over time. Allow to air dry. Do not tumble dry. Do not iron.
- Some chemicals including phenols, alkalis, iodine and acids are likely to damage our products. This is not an exhaustive list, so if you plan to use any chemicals with our products we recommend you check a sample with the test netting we have enclosed with your order. Chemical damage can sometimes take significant take time to develop and may not be immediately obvious to the naked eye.
- Predatory or aggressive species may be encountered which are capable of chewing, biting, tearing or otherwise damaging the textile(s) of which this product is made. Wherever possible, site to minimise or remove this risk.
- If small holes are accidentally made in the fabric, a temporary repair may be made in-situ using adhesive tape pressed onto both sides of the hole. Minor damage can be repaired later by hand darning. More significant damage will require patching.