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TRUCATCH™

POWDER COATING

MANUFACTURING SYSTEMS, INC.

STEEL ♦ STAINLESS ♦ ALUMINUM

FABRICATION

♦ PROTO-TYPE DESIGN

COMPANY PROFILE

Since 1987, Tru-Catch has been the industry leader in creating quality humane live animal traps and carriers. Animal control officers, humane societies and volunteer relief groups across the country recognize our long-standing reputation for building traps that last and have a 98% catch rate.

All TruCatch Traps are made in America by our parent company, Manufacturing Systems, Inc.

Based in Belle Fourche, South Dakota, Manufacturing Systems, Inc. (MSI) encompasses several divisions, including Agricultural Products, the Automotive and Industrial Equipment Division, and Animal Care and Control. Each division is solely responsible for research/development of new product lines, and acquisition of other existing companies' products that need refinement, marketing or a distribution thrust.

MSI's distribution covers the entire United States. An aggressive marketing/advertising program is a vital part of all MSI product lines. The advertising efforts instill product awareness and build brand loyalty, which in turn builds bottom line sales.

An active dealer support program is an integral part of the backing given to handpicked dealers across the United States.

MSI will provide the best quality and durability to an ever-changing marketplace. Users appreciate the quality of construction, ease of operation, and the humane features of TruCatch Traps.

Our staff will be happy to answer any questions you may have, and look forward to doing business with you.

We would like to take a moment to remember our President and CEO, Cy Bidwell, who passed away in January of 2012. Cy made Tru-Catch what it is today and he will be dearly missed.

Thank you to all who knew Cy and appreciated his loyalty, business knowledge, and ability to help others.

Big things are happening at Tru-Catch and none of it would have been possible without Cy's leadership. 2022 is shaping up to be a busy year for Tru-Catch and we look forward to you all being a part of it.



Cyrus Bidwell





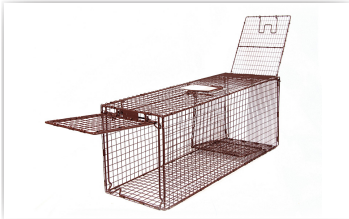
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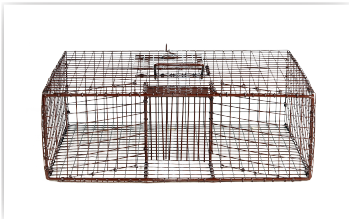
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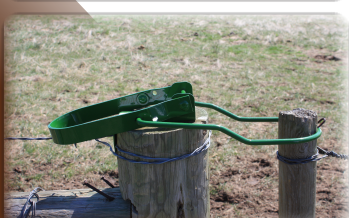
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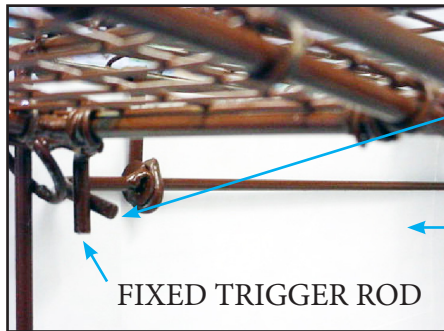
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SETTING YOUR TRU-CATCH TRAP:

1. Using your index fingers, raise both rings to the top of the door.
2. Use your middle finger to flip open and raise the door.
3. With your right hand, set the door on Variable Trigger Setting.
4. Your Tru-Catch Trap is now set and ready for bait.



ADJUSTABLE TRIGGER ROD
(moving it down creates a sensitive setting for lighter animals)



COMPREHENSIVE BAIT LIST:

ARMADILLO: Meal worms, maggots, sardines, or fish work great.

BIRDS: Sunflower seeds or scratch grain.

BOBCAT: Liver, lungs, other guts, fish, meats

CAT: Fish, Meats, oil of catnip or sardines.

CHIPMUNKS/SQUIRRELS: Prune pits, unroasted peanuts, corn, sunflower seeds, peanut butter, cereal, grains or popcorn.

COYOTE: Freezer burnt game meat, fresh mice, rotten eggs

DOGS: Dog food, cooked meats, leftovers/scraps

RED AND GRAY FOX: Rancid fish or meat, rotten hard boiled eggs, chicken.

GOPHERS: Peanut butter mixed with molasses, spread on whole wheat bread.

MICE/RATS: Cheese, bread and butter, small nuts, cherry pits, oatmeal, sunflower or similar seed, mixed peanut butter and oatmeal.

MINK/WEASELS/OTTER: chicken entrails, fresh fish, fish oil scent, parts of rabbit, fresh liver.

MUSKRATS: Fresh vegetables, parsnips, carrots, sweet apples, or musk from another muskrat.

NUTRIA: Muskmelon or cantaloupe rind, ripe bananas.

OPOSSUM: Vegetables, hotdogs, chicken entrails, sardines, lunch meat, bacon, canned cat food.

PORCUPINE: Apples, salt, carrots.

RABBIT: Fresh vegetables, brussels sprouts, cabbage, carrots, lettuce or apples. In the winter use bread. Spraying the inside of the trap with apple cider is effective.

RACCOON: Marshmallows, canned tuna, sardines, raw fish, smoked fish, sweet corn, fruit, peanut butter, honey/sugar covered vegetables, or dog food.

SKUNK: Chicken entrails, fresh or canned fish, insect larvae, crisp bacon, eggs, cat food.

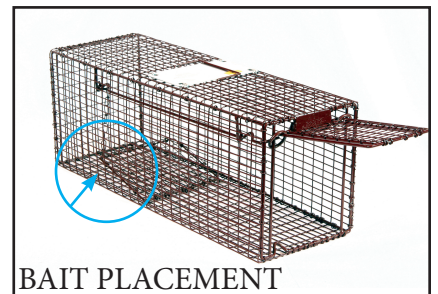
VOLES: Peanut butter mixed with molasses spread on whole wheat bread.

WOODCHUCK/GROUNDHOG: Broccoli, fresh string beans, sweet corn, lettuce, peas, cantaloupe, strawberries, cucumbers, peaches.

BAITING YOUR TRU-CATCH TRAP:

Place a small amount of bait approximately 3 to 4 feet in front of the trap, and again approximately 1 foot in front of the trap, and then a small amount just inside the trap door and a spoonful just behind the trip pan.

To release an unwanted animal from your Tru-Catch Trap, use the rear release door on the "D" models or simply turn the trap over on its top for the single door models and the door will automatically open for release.



ADJUSTING YOUR TRU-CATCH TRAP:



The Tru-Catch Trap Tool is used to make minor adjustments when a trap is not setting as it should.

If you don't have a trap tool just use a pair of pliers handles to apply upward or downward pressure, tweaking the door in the necessary direction.

Some traps need minor adjustments for optimal tripping and others that have been in use for some time occasionally need to be calibrated. This simple trick can have you back to trapping in no time.



When the trap is set, if the front door is too elevated, the trigger bar doesn't have enough friction to stay set.



If this is the case, use the tool or plier handles to pry **out** on the door frame using **upward** force.



When the trap is set, if the front door is too low, the trigger bar has too much friction and the trap will not trip.



If this is the case, use the tool or plier handles to pry **in** on the door frame using **downward** force.



Ultimately the door should be parallel with the ground with the trigger set.

ADJUSTMENTS

Weight: 5 lbs

MODEL 24 TUFFY



1" x 1/2" wire mesh prevents small animals from squeezing out of the trap.



\$60.99

- Kittens
- Mink
- Weasels
- Squirrels

Powder coated for durability and long trap life.





Our best-selling trap is used by:

- Humane Societies
- Animal Shelters
- Animal Control
- Rescue Organizations
- Trap-Neuter-Return programs

\$86.99



- Feral Cats
- Kittens
- Rabbits
- Other small animals

*Features an optional divider and trap tray listed on page 23-24.

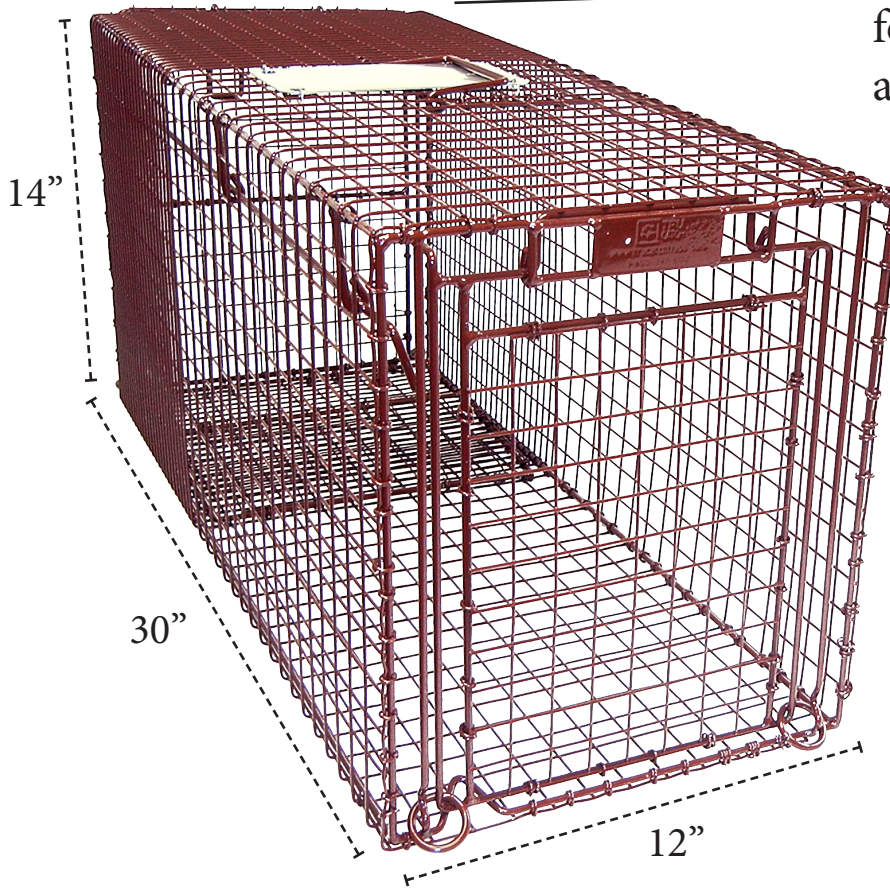


MODEL 30LTD LIGHT DUTY



Weight: 12 lbs

MODEL 30FCD FAT CAT



Features a rear door for easy baiting and animal release.

\$110.99

- Feral Cats
- Kittens
- Large Cats
- Small Dogs

The 30-Fat Cat will accommodate those cats that are simply too big for our 30-LTD trap. It allows the animal more room to move around while captive and is suitable for smaller cats as well.

The Fat Cat Model retains the lightness and user-friendliness of the 30-LTD.



*Features an optional divider and trap tray listed on page 23-24.



TNR T-SHIRT

Tru Catch Traps encourages TNR, or “Trap-Neuter-Return” programs for feral cat population management. Show your support with a Tru Catch T-N-R shirt!



Sizes Available: Medium, Large, Extra-Large

TNR PET FOOD COVER



\$4.99

This Canned Pet Food Cover is a promotional item designed by Tru Catch Traps. The Cover fits 3 Can Sizes from 3oz to larger family size cans.

While being Top Rack Dishwasher safe makes cleanup an ease, they are also stack-able to reduce space when not in use. Also features a very convenient Pull-tab for easy removal.

Overall Dimensions are 3.75” by 0.50”.

TNR AWARENESS MAGNET

Tru Catch Traps supports TNR, or “Trap-Neuter-Return” programs for feral cat population management. Show your support with a brand new Awareness Ribbon Magnet!

Place this TNR Awareness Ribbon on your vehicle or anywhere else to show your support and dedication for the local feral cat colonies.

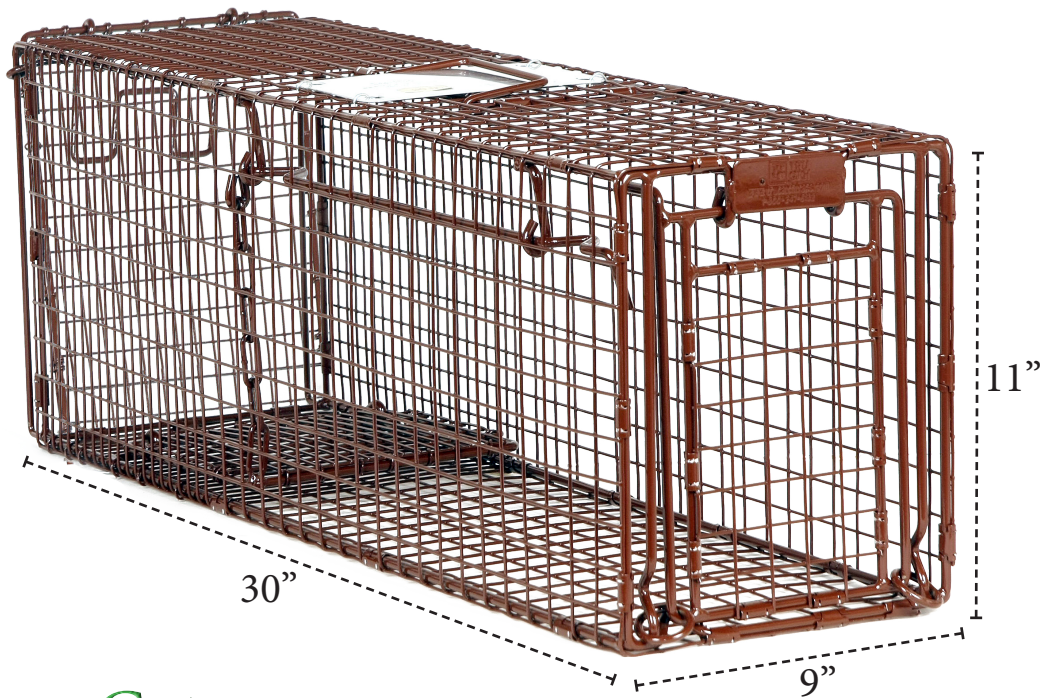
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TRAP-NEUTER-RETURN

Weight: 11 lbs

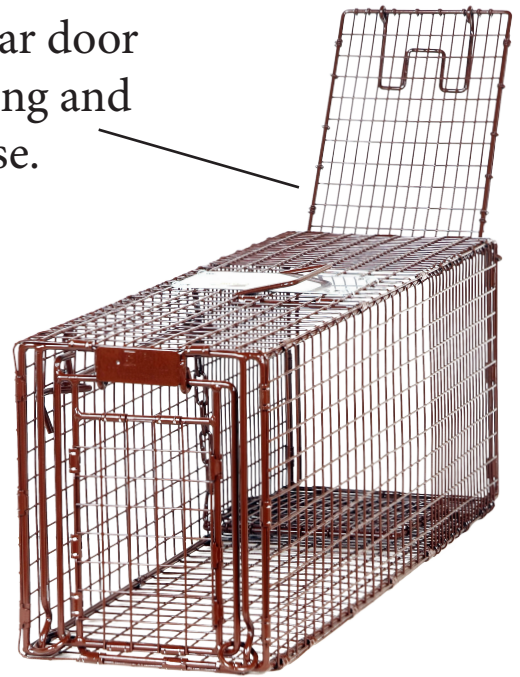
MODEL 30D WILDCAT DELUXE



- Cats
- Skunks
- Rabbits
- Raccoons

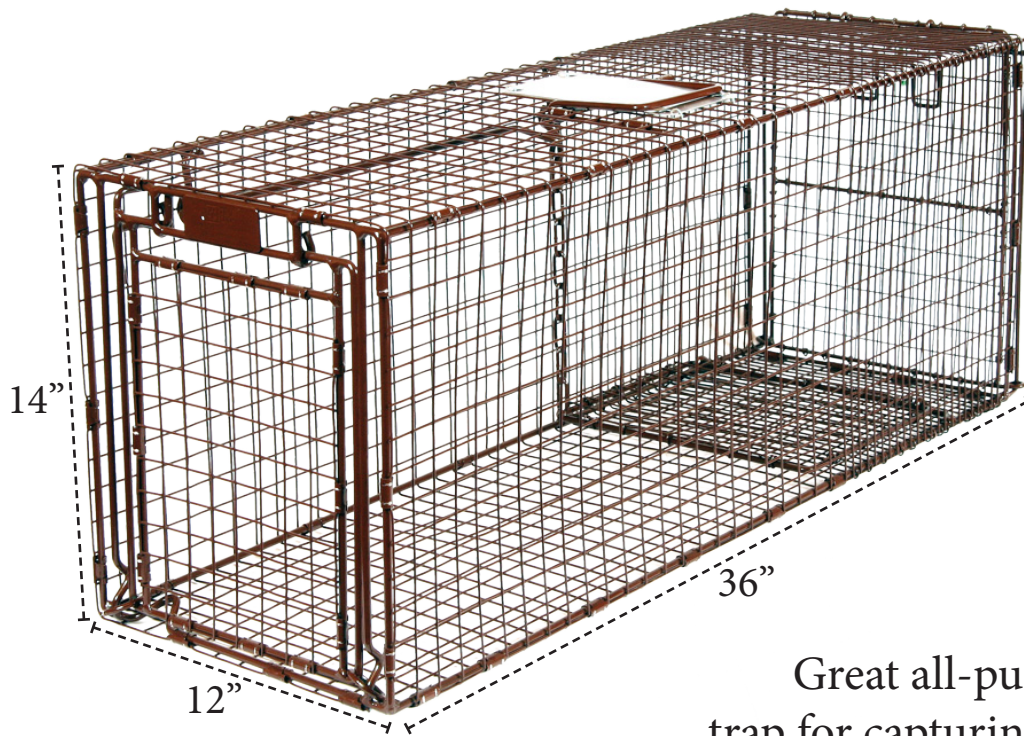
Features a rear door for easy baiting and animal release.

\$104.99



*Features an optional divider and trap tray listed on page 23-24.





- Raccoons
- Skunks
- Cats
- Small dogs



Great all-purpose trap for capturing and transporting medium sized animals.



\$121.99

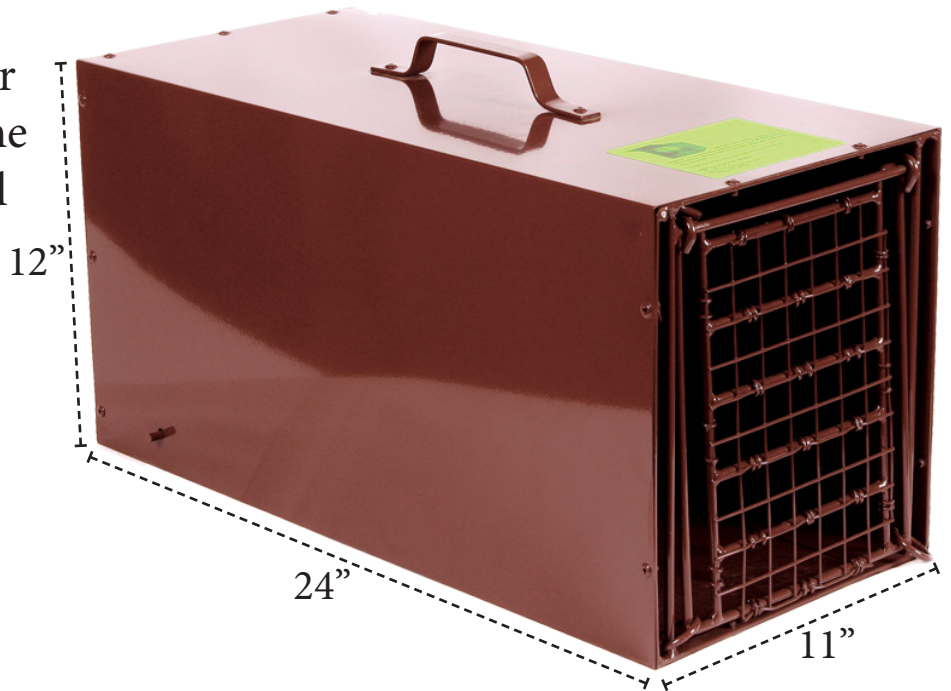


MODEL 36D CLASSIC DELUXE

Weight: 15 lbs

MODEL R24 RESISTER-SKUNK TRAP

Contains no springs or hinges that increase the chance for mechanical failure.



\$121.99

- Skunks
- Armadillos

Our ring-door closure design and adjustable trigger system ensure high catch rates.

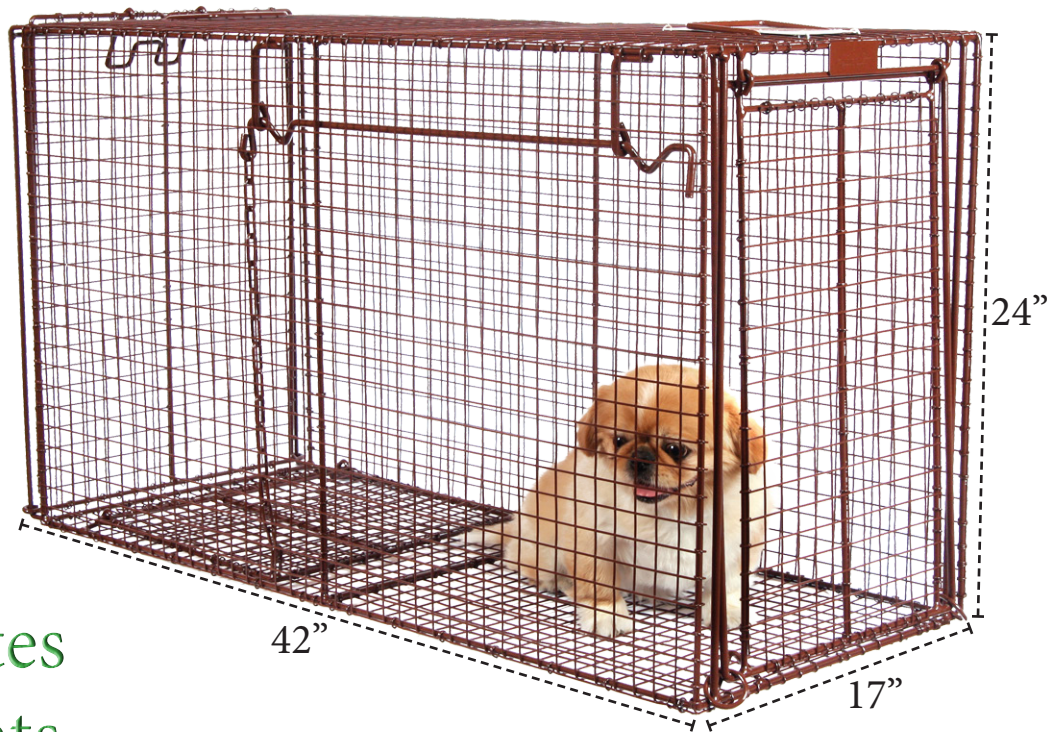


The steel panel body protects the handler from being sprayed or scratched.

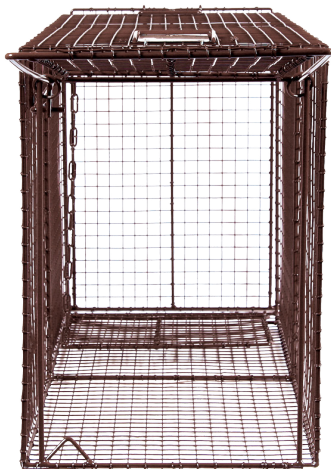


MODEL 42D HOMESTEADER DELUXE

- Dogs
- Coyotes
- Bobcats
- Similar Wildlife



\$194.99

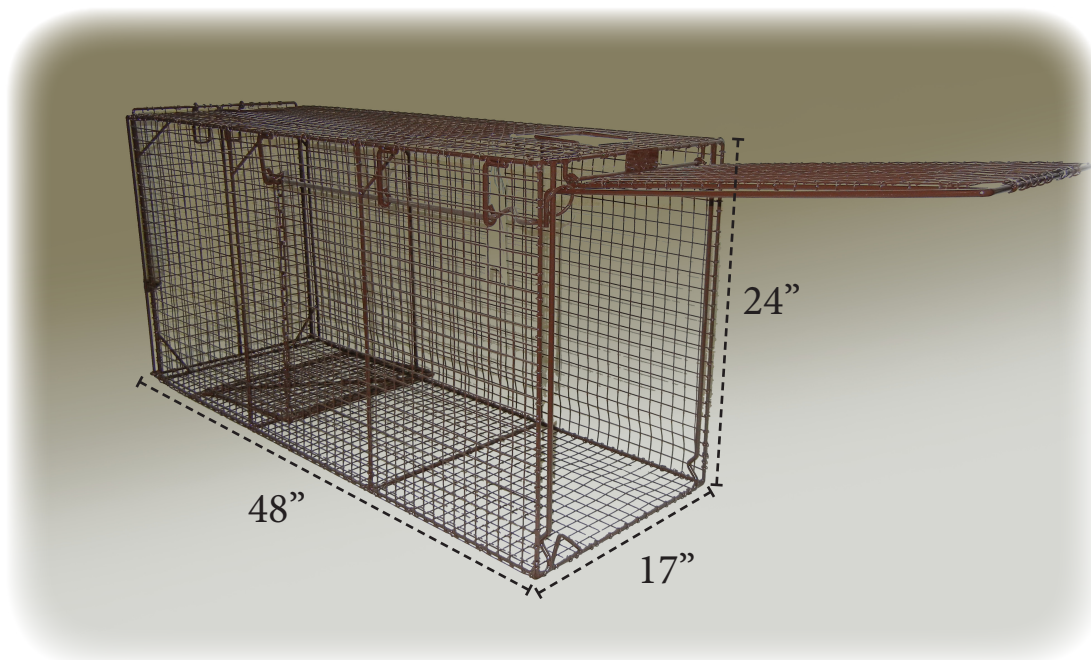


Designed for capturing
and transporting small
to medium-sized dogs.



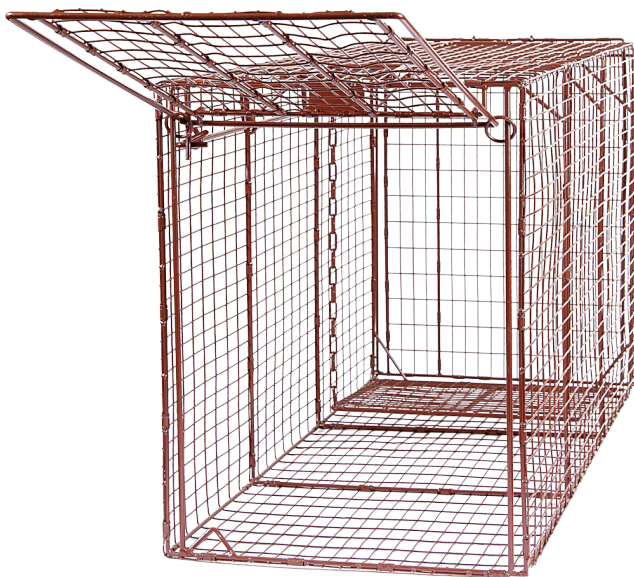
Weight: 34 lbs

MODEL 48S COYOTE DELUXE



\$269.99

- Coyotes
- Dogs
- Bobcats
- Similar Wildlife

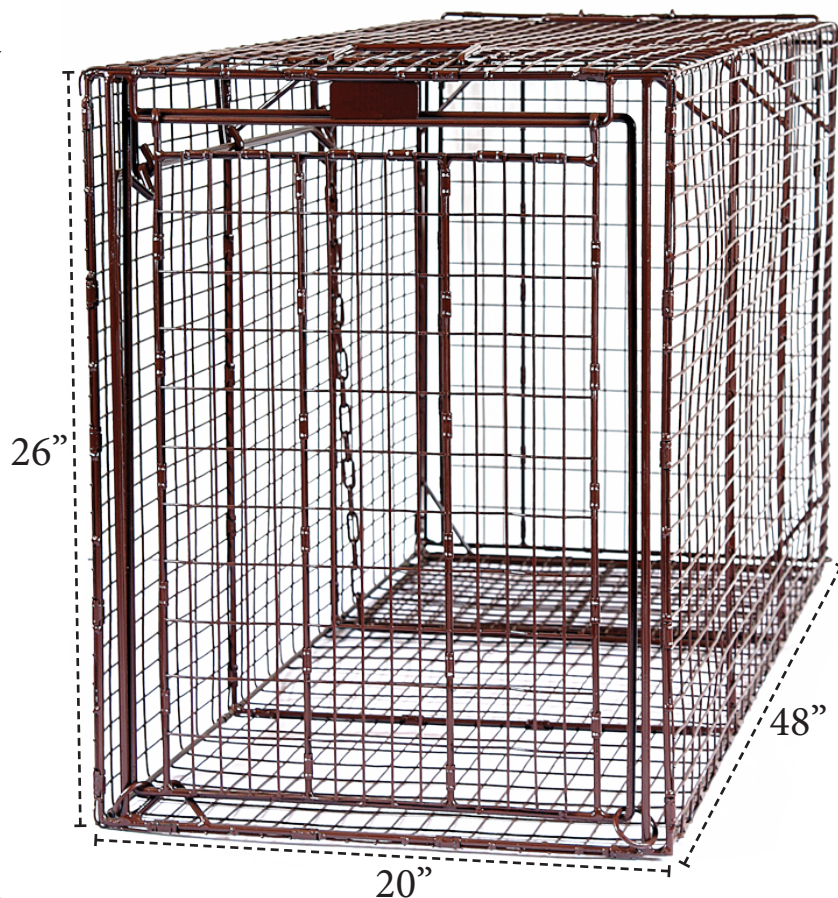
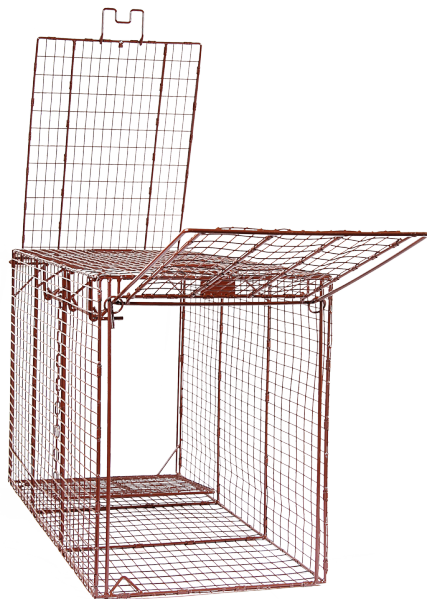


We merged our 42D and 48D to create a Hybrid built specifically for Coyotes!



Weight: 40 lbs

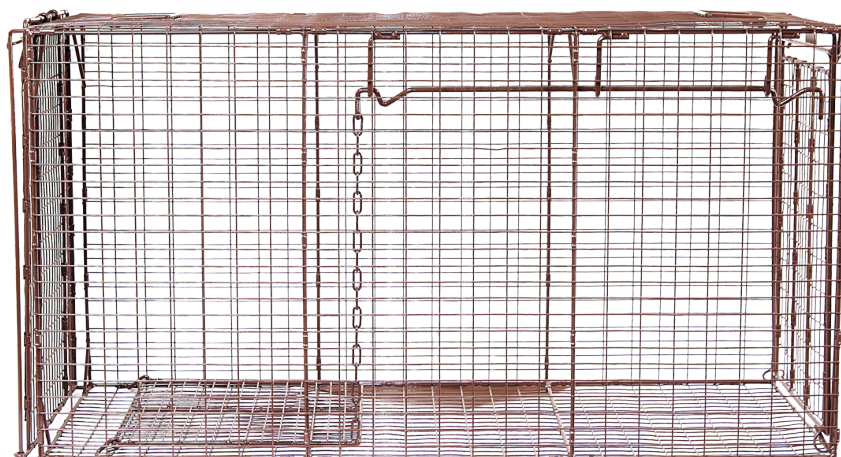
Features rear door for easy baiting and animal release.



\$339.99

Designed for capturing and transporting large dogs.

- Large dogs
- Other similar sized animals both wild and domestic

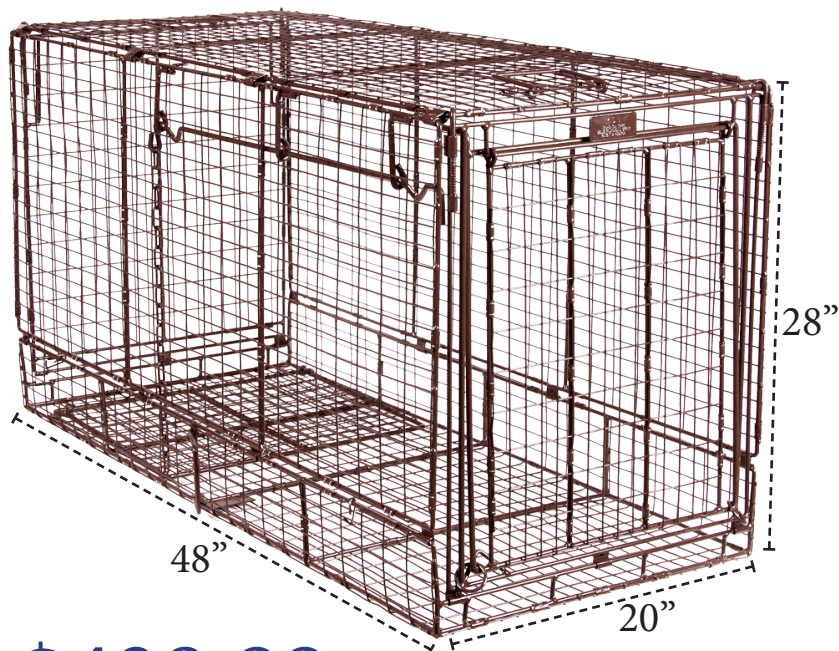


MODEL 48D ELITE DELUXE



Weight: 42 lbs

MODEL 48F FOLDING TRAP

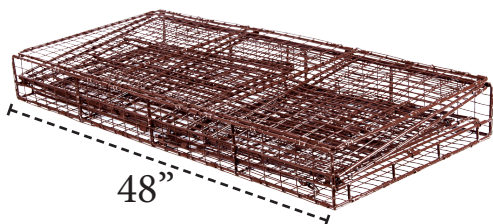


\$428.99

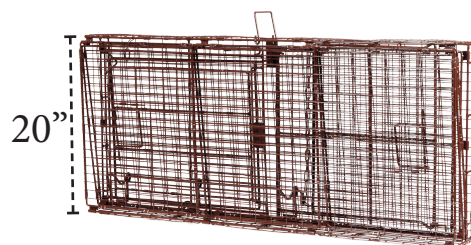
The folding version of our popular 48-HD trap.

- Large dogs
- Other similar sized animals both wild and domestic

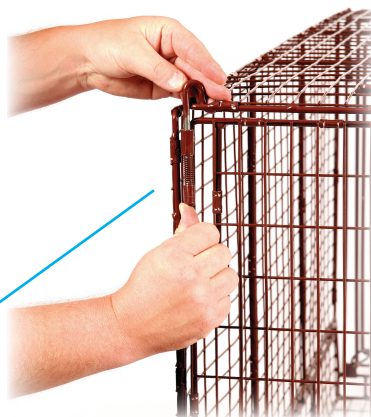
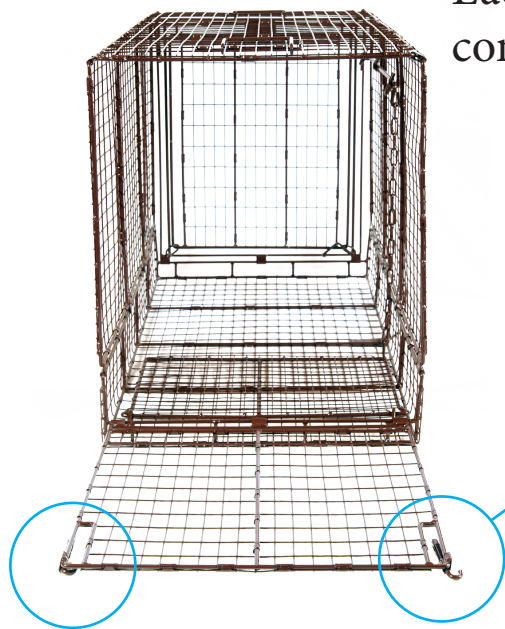
The folded trap is compact and easy to transport.



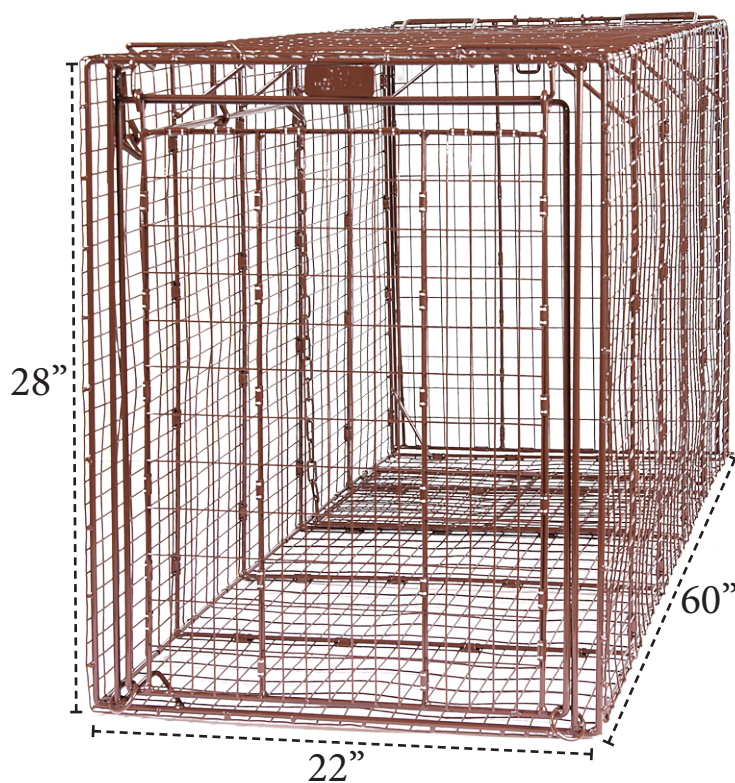
Unfolded and Set-Up in less than 3 minutes.



Each door utilizes two convenient hook locks.

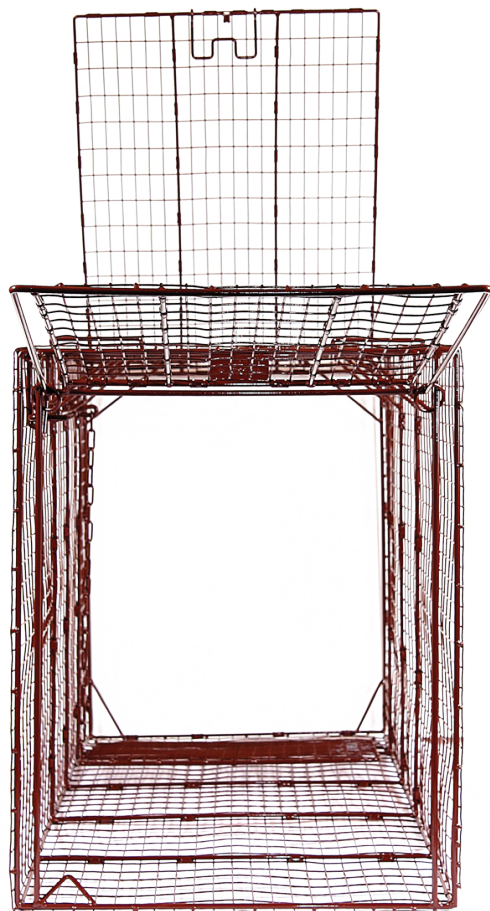


MODEL 60D MAXIE DELUXE

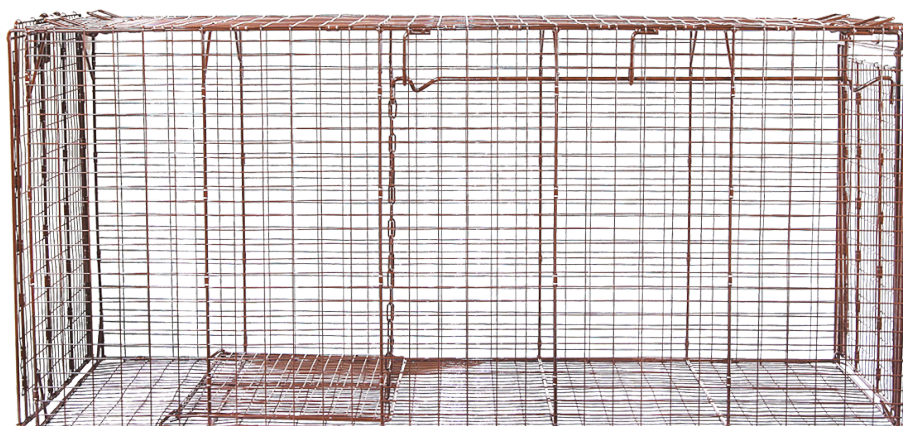


\$495.99

- Large dogs
- Other similar sized animals both wild and domestic

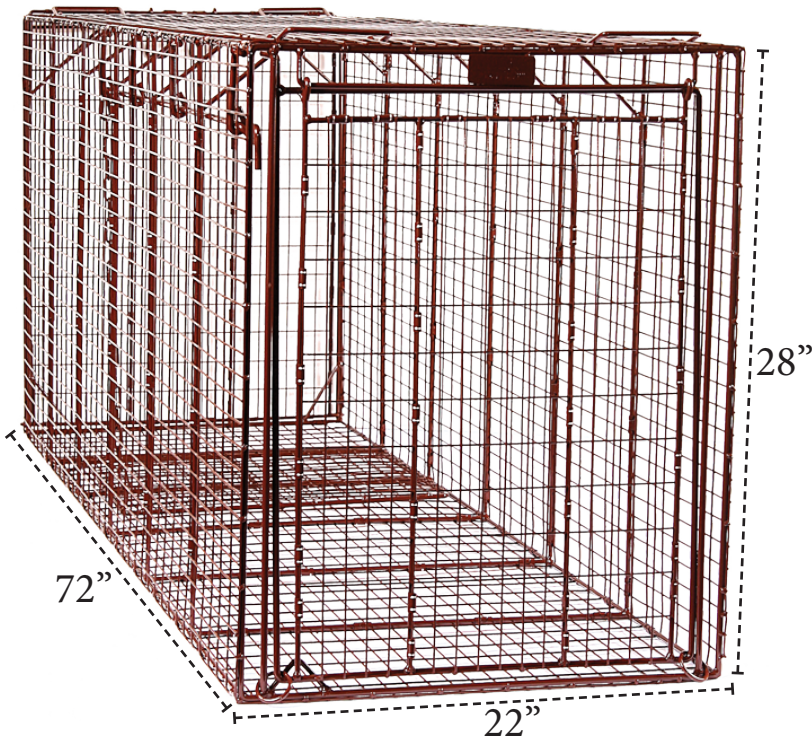


Features rear door for easy baiting and animal release.



Weight: 60 lbs

MODEL 72-D EXTRA LARGE

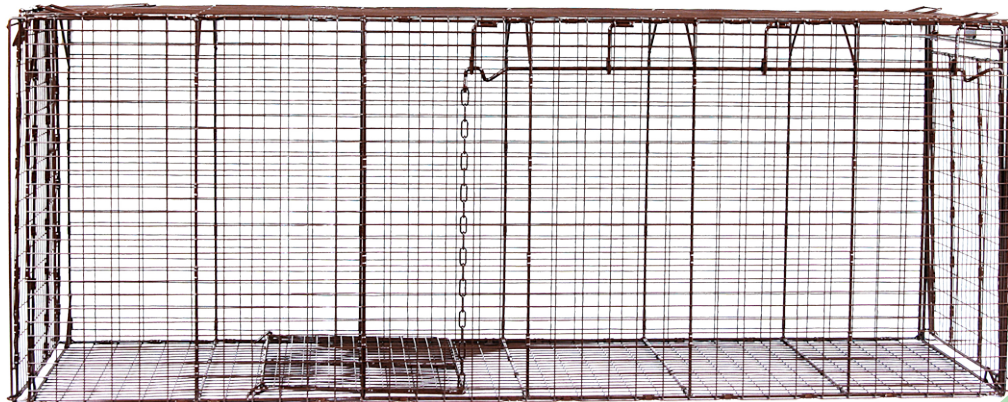
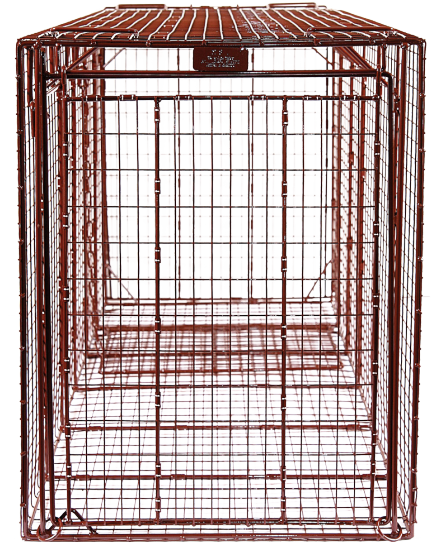


Our largest production trap is a full six feet long. It has proven effective for relocating alligators, mountain lion, and other large animals.



\$654.99

- Very large dogs
- Other large animals both wild and domestic



*Larger Models Available by Special Order Only.
Call us today for more information.



Weight: 10 lbs

MODEL B-26D

Pigeon Trap

Top door for releasing bird

\$95.44



One-way front door
for bird entry

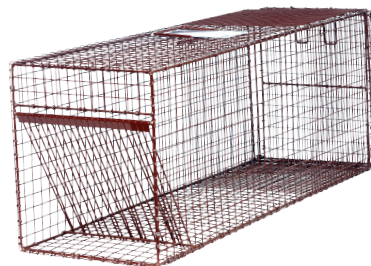
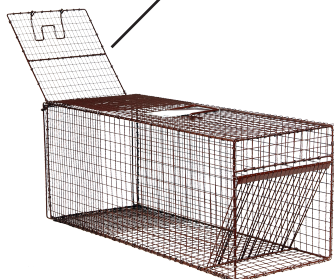
- Dimensions: 24" x 20" x 8"

Weight: 13 lbs

MODEL 36-RD

Rooster and Chicken Trap

Rear door for
releasing bird



\$135.89

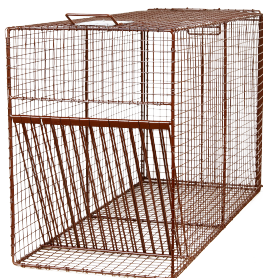
- Dimensions: 36" x 12" x 14"

Weight: 27 lbs

MODEL 42-RD

Rooster and Chicken Trap

Rear door for
releasing bird



\$228.84

- Dimensions: 42" x 17" x 24"



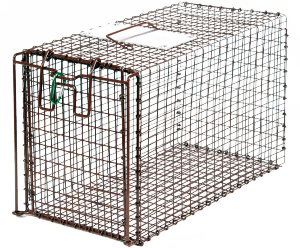
BIRD TRAPS

MODEL T-18E

Weight: 4 lbs



\$59.99



Compatible

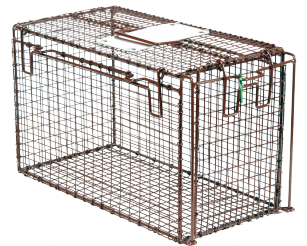
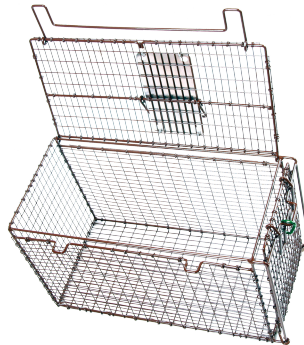
- 30LTD
- 30D
- Single door animal carrier
- Dimensions: 18" x 9" x 11"

MODEL T-18TE

Weight: 6 lbs



\$73.99

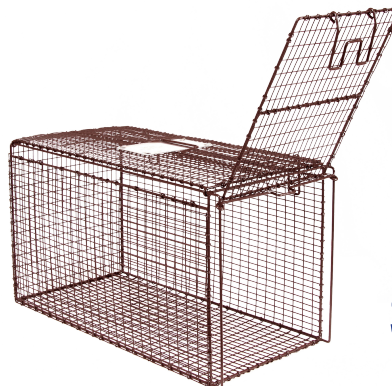
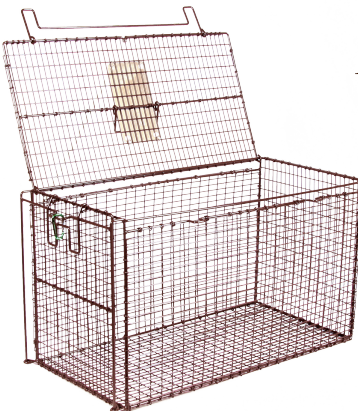


Compatible

- 30LTD
- 30D
- Features both top and end doors
- Dimensions: 18" x 9" x 11"

MODEL T-24TE

Weight: 9 lbs



\$93.99

Compatible

- 30FCD
- 36D
- Features both top and end doors
- Dimensions: 24" x 12" x 14"



Weight: 22 lbs

MODEL T-42E

\$139.99

Compatible

- 42D
- 48S

- Single door animal carrier
- Dimensions: 42" x 17" x 24"



ANIMAL CARRIERS

Weight: 24 lbs

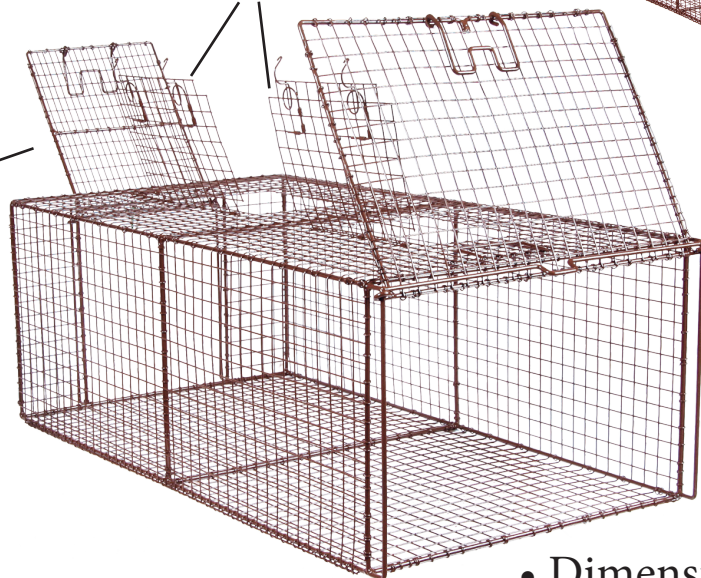
MODEL FC-RC Feral Cat Recovery Cage

\$190.89

Two top loading doors

*Features an optional divider and cage tray listed on page 23.

Rear transfer door for moving cats from a trap to the recovery cage



Front access door

- Dimensions: 40" x 22" x 15"



Purchase our FCRC Set for:

\$282.98

Which includes the Recovery Cage and Tray!



MODEL RC-18

Weight: 8 lbs

Compatible

- 30LTD
- 30D



\$117.99

- Features both top and end doors
- Dimensions: 18" x 9" x 11"

Tru-Catch Restraint Carriers allow the handler to restrict the animal to one side of the cage for vaccinations. It also allows easy transfer from a Tru-Catch Trap or Carrier.

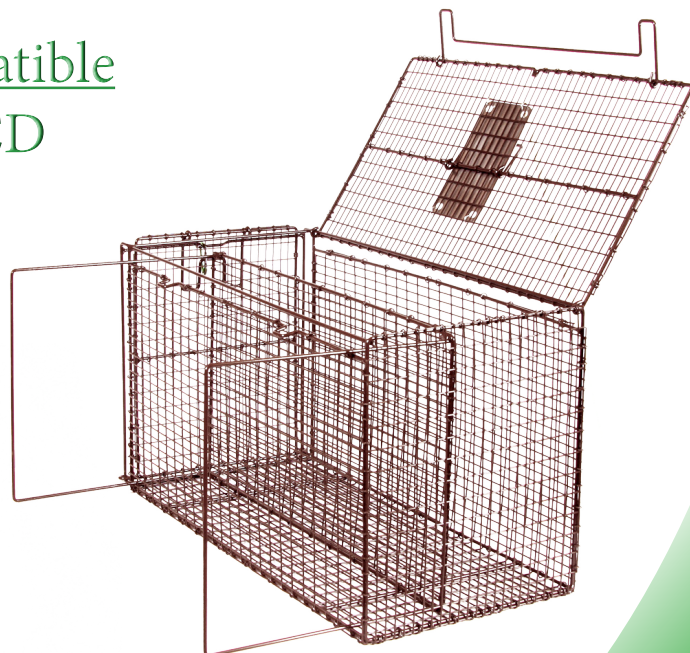


MODEL RC-24

Weight: 11 lbs

Compatible

- 30FCD
- 36D



\$143.99

- Features both top and end doors
- Dimensions: 24" x 12" x 14"



TD-2 SMALL TRAP DIVIDER

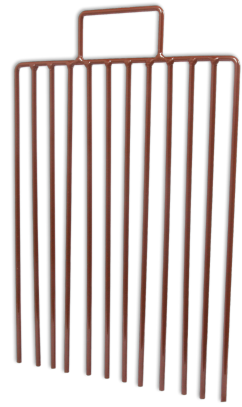
\$25.99

This divider allows animals to be moved in a carrier or trap for feeding or clinical treatment. The divider is for use with models 30LTD, 30D, 36D carriers. Proper use of TD-2: slide horizontally through the trap.

The divider also permits easy release by keeping the animal in one end of the trap.

Dimensions: 17" x 12" x 1/4"

Weight: 3 lbs



FC-1T TRAY

Designed to fit inside our Feral Cat Recovery Cage (FCRC). The Tray slides into the bottom of the cage and makes cleanup much easier after cats have been in the cage.

Dimensions: 39" x 21" x 1/2"

Weight: 12 lbs

\$91.99



Purchase our FCRC Set for:

\$282.88

Which includes the Recovery Cage and Tray!

TD-1 LARGE TRAP DIVIDER

\$35.99

This trap divider works for several models including the 42D, 48HD, 48F, 60HD, and 72D, as well as the FC-RC Recovery Cage.

The divider also permits easy release by keeping the animal in one end of the trap.

Dimensions: 26" x 21" x 5/16"

Weight: 7 lbs



TRAP ACCESSORIES



SMALL TRAP TRAYS



This steel tray prevents messy situations from reaching your car upholstery, carpet, or wherever you are transporting an animal. It cleans easily and is powder coated for a lasting finish. Trap Trays are not to be used while trapping.

We now have trays for the following models: 30LTD, 30FCD, 30D, and 36D. 4 bungee cords attach the tray to the underside of a trap or carrier to keep things together when moving.



\$53.99

MODEL 30 TRAY

Designed to fit under our 30-LTD & 30D Traps and will also work with our T-18E & T-18TE Carriers.

Dimensions: 32" x 10" x 1"

\$59.99

MODEL 30 FAT CAT TRAY

Designed to fit under our 30-FCD Fat Cat Trap and will also work with our T-24TE Carrier.

Dimensions: 32" x 13" x 1"

\$66.99

MODEL 36 TRAY

Designed to fit under our 36D Trap and will also work with our T-24TE Carrier.

Dimensions: 38" x 13" x 1"



TRAP COVER

Trap covers are also available for 30LTD, 30D and 36D traps. It is used to hold trap liners in place and to keep the captured animal calm while in the trap.

Model 30 Trap Cover **\$36.00**

Model 30FCD Trap Cover **\$38.00**

Model 36 Trap Cover **\$42.00**



TRU-CATCH CARABINER CLIP

\$0.99

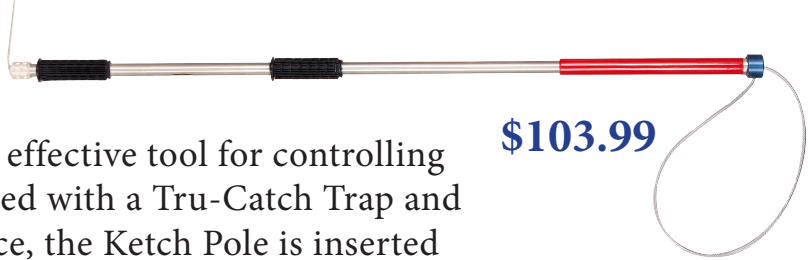
The Tru-Catch Carabiner Clip is intended to secure the trap's rear door to prevent accidental release of a captured animal in the event that the door handle is improperly used as a carry handle.



KETCH-ALL POLE

The Ketch-All Pole is a humane and effective tool for controlling dogs. The Ketch-All Pole is easily used with a Tru-Catch Trap and divider. With the trap divider in place, the Ketch Pole is inserted through the bars and looped around the dog's neck. The divider can then be removed and the dog led out with the Ketch-All Pole.

\$103.99



CAT GRABBERS

Ketch-All Cat Grabbers offer a safe method for restraining feral and angry cats. The grabbers are all-metal constructed with cushioned rubber ends for sturdy, but humane usage.

\$108.99

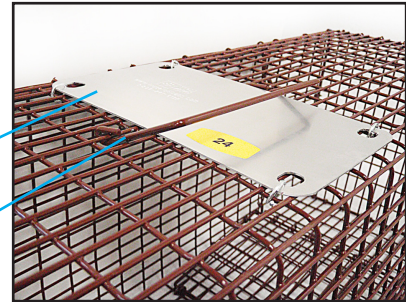


Handguards are standard on every Tru-Catch Trap and protect the handler's hand from being scratched when transporting an animal. Additional or new handguards may be purchased and zip-tied onto the trap.

TRAP HANDGUARDS **\$2.29 each**

EXTRA TRAP HANDLE **\$1.99 each**

Some trappers prefer to put an additional handle on one end of the trap for easier carrying.



WHEEL KIT **\$85.99**

The wheel kit allows easy transport of not only our larger traps, but the animal that the trap may contain. The wheel kit quickly attaches to the trap with two tie-down straps (included), and fits trap sizes 42 through 72.



TRAP ACCESSORIES



TRU CATCH TRAP TOOL*

*Actual Size

\$7.99

The Tru Catch Trap Tool is constructed from 1/4" Sheet Metal and powder coated Tru Catch Green in house. This tool is primarily used for adjusting your traps after use. For more information on how the tool is used see Trap Adjustments on next page of this catalog.

NOTES



MODEL 234 GATE LATCH

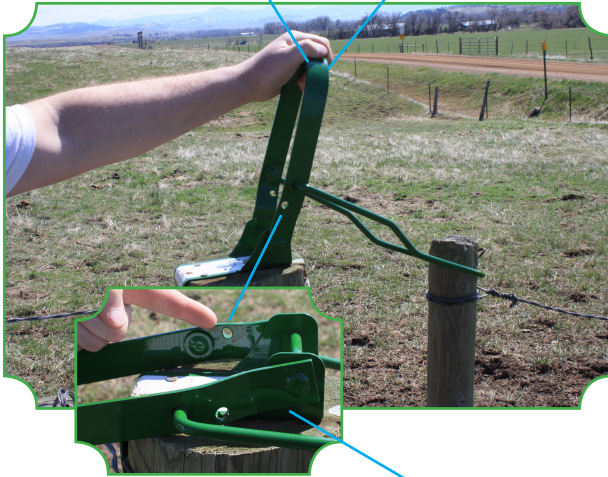
Shipping Weight: 4 lbs/ea or 26 lbs/box

\$31.99/ea or \$191.94/case

The Tru-Latch features our “Cam-over positive locking” system and an easy-to-pull handle.

Case=6 Latches

All-steel construction



It also features padlock holes to lock the gate and keep out any intruders, or simply for added gate security.

Fully powder coated for durability against use and weather.



The Tru-Latch's padlock holes provide extra security to deter trespassers, poachers and other unwanted visitors. Protect your property with a Tru-Latch.



The Tru-Latch is a simple and effective gate latch that is easy to use by men, women, children and even from horseback.



It is the only gate latch for barbed and straight wire fences that is approved by the Wyoming Department of Transportation.



THE TRU-LATCH



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