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Instructions for the
MDC Foldaway EeziSet™ Cat Trap

A178-317

Introduction

The Foldaway EeziSet Cat Trap is a self-activating trap, which closes automatically when a cat enters and stands on the treadle plate. The treadle plate is linked to a spring loaded release pin allowing the trap-door and locking bar to drop into place and secure the cat for temporary confinement. MDC highly recommend that traps are monitored and checked at least every 2 hours.

To assemble the trap - Fig. 1 & 2

Unclip trap as illustrated and unfold the trap.

Pull out ends A and B (pull ring & pull hole provided).

Lock both ends into position using the spring clips provided C.

Remove the end door panel D.

Pick up the trap release mechanism from the floor and slot into position E.

Replace the end door panel D. The trap is now ready to use.

To collapse the trap - Fig. 1 & 2

First remove the trap release mechanism E from the anchorage and place flat onto the trap floor, making sure it does not obstruct the end panels when they are folded to the floor.

Fold end panels A and B in toward the floor of the trap. If there is any resistance, do not apply pressure. Investigate what is obstructing the movement and rectify.

Fold in the sides and fasten using the clip. Your trap is now ready to transport or store.

Operation

Raise the end door D and place a quantity of suitable bait adjacent to the treadle plate F. Lower the end door D back into place.

With the aid of the external lever G, raise the locking bar until it touches the roof of the trap. Hold the locking bar in position and raise the trap-door H smartly so that it latches onto the release mechanism E. The trap is now set.

Transferring the cat - Fig. 3

Position the trap-door end of the EeziSet Cat Trap against a solid surface. An MDC transfer basket (A236-354H) is butted up adjacent to the transparent end door. Both doors are raised allowing the cat to be transferred without physical handling. Blow gently on the cat to encourage it to move from the trap to the basket. Covering the Trap Transfer basket (MDC cover A236-354D) will also encourage a faster transfer as the cat is more likely to seek out the darker area for security.

Trapping tips

Practice using the trap (and transfer technique) until you are familiar with it.

Traps should be located where the cats are normally fed. Work with local cat feeders and recruit them as allies/helpers.

Bait the unset trap and allow the cat/s to eat from the trap for several days.

Set traps should be monitored and checked every two hours. Such checks avoid having the cat held captive too long and also provide an opportunity to ensure that the trap has not accidentally sprung or interfered with.

Be aware of the cats welfare and minimize stress wherever possible.

FIG. 1

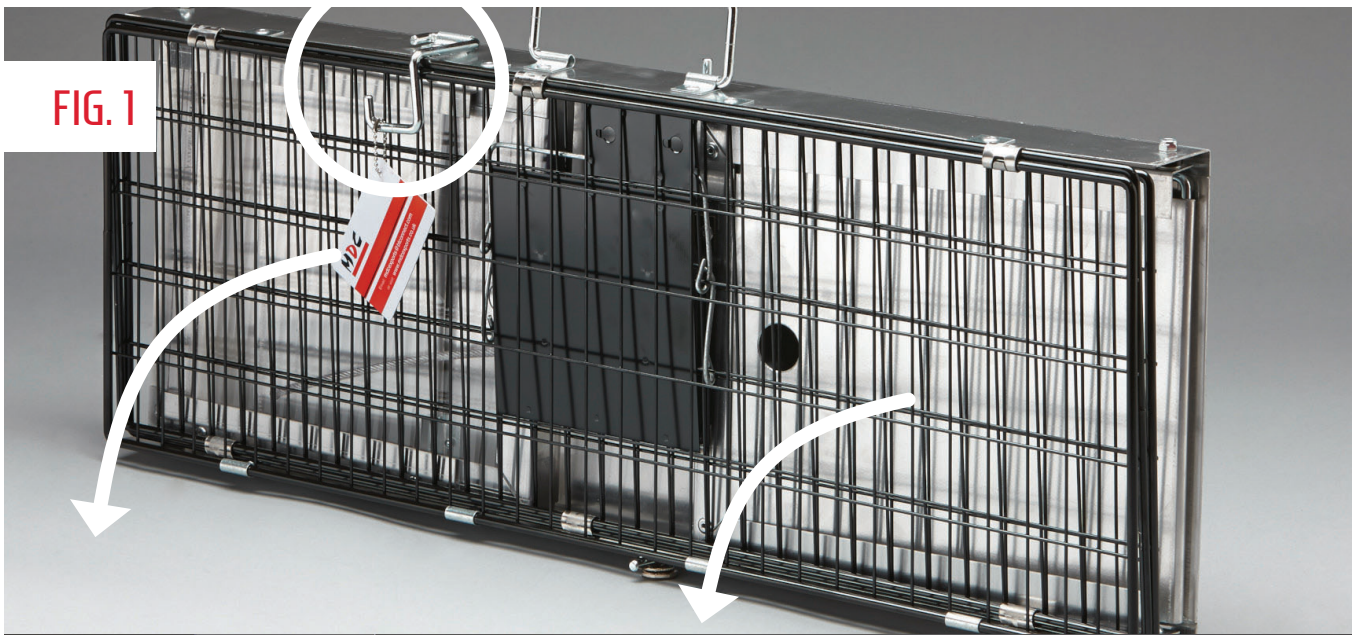


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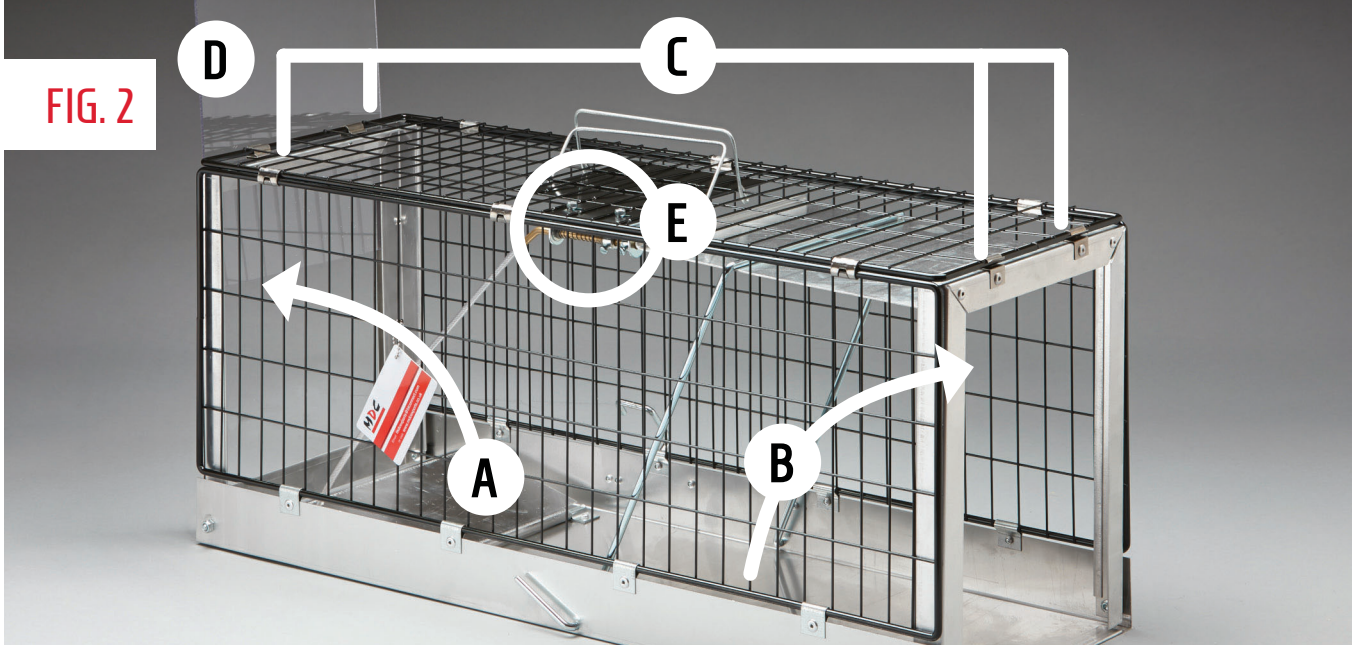
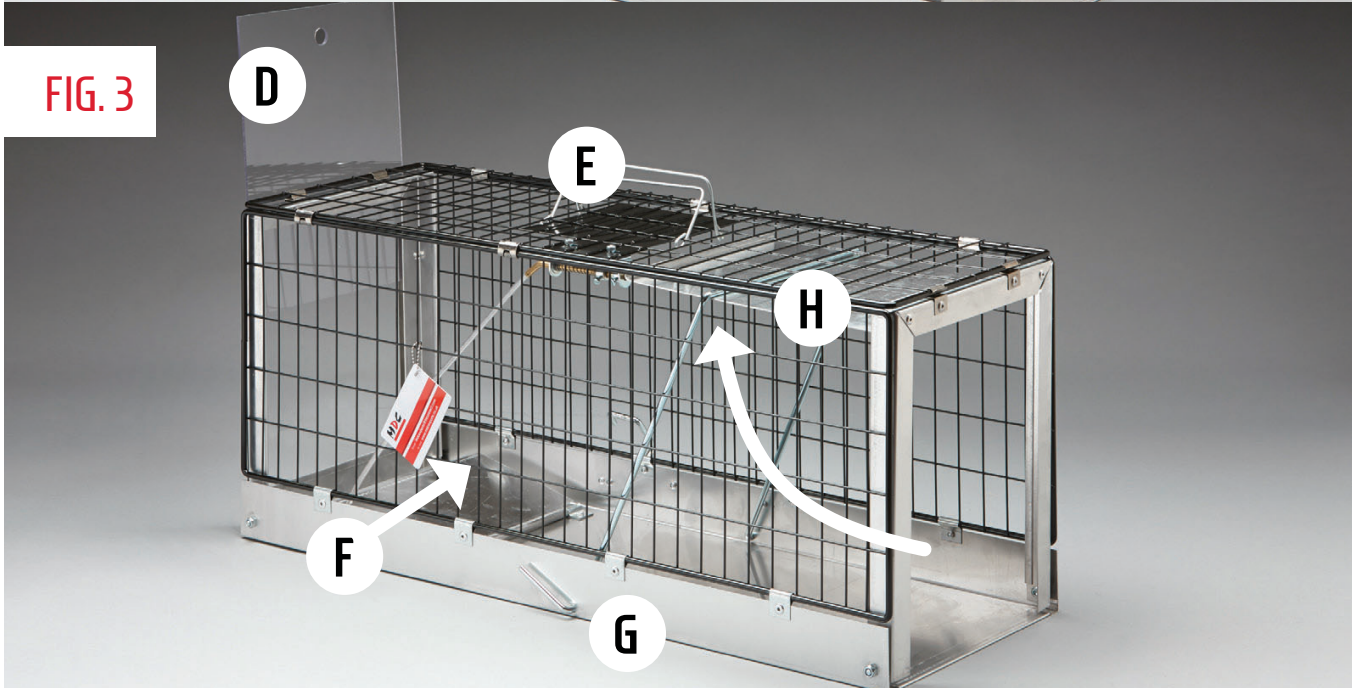


FIG. 3



MDC's latest innovative product

Smart Cat Wrap™

Providing comfort & protection for cat and handler



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"I really like the MDC Smart Cat Wraps. They are much better than a towel as they don't slip and I can get a much more secure hold on my patient.

I feel that the patient can't wriggle as much, and the softer fabrics mean for me they are easier to manoeuvre."

RVN Nicola Osborne, Oxford Cat Clinic



COMFORT

The soft fleece lining of the Cat Wrap is perfect bedding. Warm and cosy, the wrap is designed to stay with the cat throughout its stay, allowing a scent profile to develop.



PROTECTION

Backed with slash-resistant Pro-Tex, gently swaddling the cat within the wrap gives you control to safely administer treatments and helps protect yourself from wriggly paws and claws.



HUMANE

Must you scruff? Inappropriate handling of a cat may add to 'stress stacking' which easily develops into fear aggression. Calm restraining within the wrap is a great alternative.



FACTS

Featuring Pro-Tex fabric as used by the police and prison services. Tested and certified with ultra-high levels of cut, abrasion and tear resistance. Machine wash and tumble dry.



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Maintenance of the trap

Keep the trap clean. Periodically lubricate all hinge points and release pin with oil or light grease.

Disclaimer

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