NETSAVERS

Your batting cage's best friend.

Installation Instructions

The ***NetSavers*** are delivered already assembled and will require disassembly before installation.

1. To disassemble, grasp the eyelet that is attached to the thinner disc in one hand, and firmly grasp the other disc by its outer edges with the fingers of the other hand. Turn the eyelet in a counter-clockwise direction until the two discs separate from one another.

2. Select the locations on the batting cage's side-walls where the ***NetSavers*** are to be placed.

Because batting cage dimensions vary in their size, the following illustrations are only a representation of general guidelines to follow for locations and quantities needed.

NetSaver Locations
(one pack of 4)

Minimum

If the discs are to be installed and left in one location to account for day-to-day changes in wind direction, it is recommended that two ***NetSavers*** be installed (one on each side of the cage) near the hitting area and two in the same manner near the pitching area. (Fig. 1)

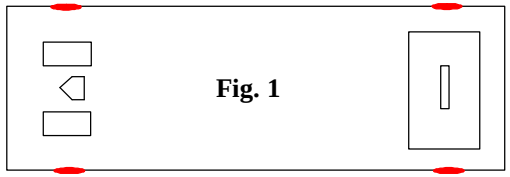


Fig. 1

Because NetSavers are so easy to install and relocate, when necessary, they can be moved to any configuration on the cage to accommodate changes in wind direction. (e.g. Fig. 2, 3)

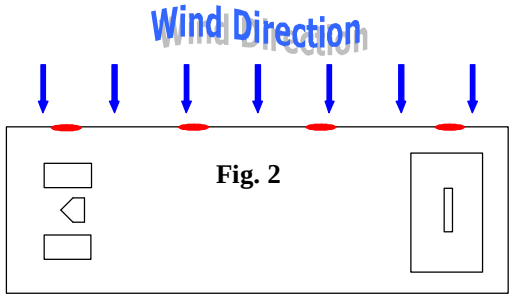


Fig. 2

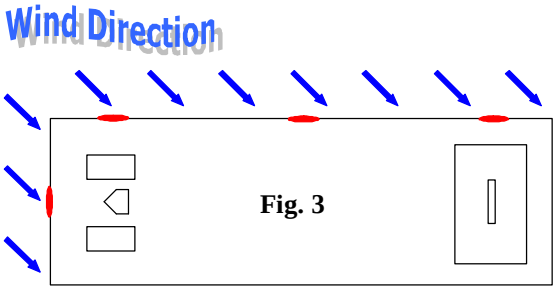
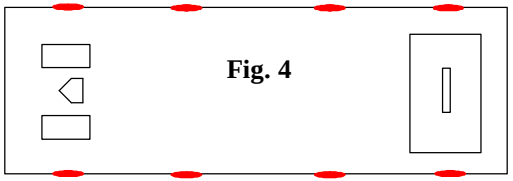


Fig. 3

NetSaver Locations
(two packs of 4)

Better

With this scenario, if the discs are to be installed and left in one location, it is recommended that one of the two following examples be used. (Fig. 4, 5)



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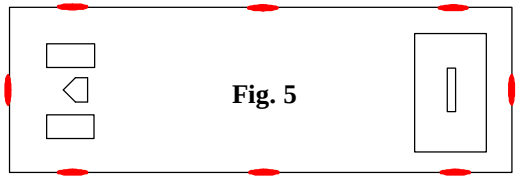
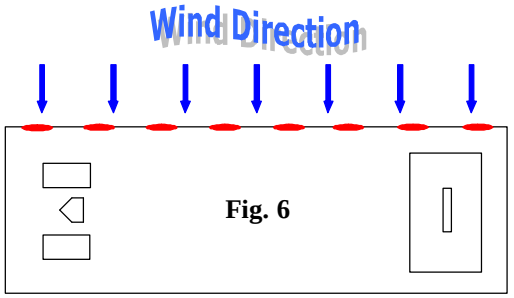


Fig. 5

If necessary, the discs can be relocated to accommodate changes in wind direction. (e.g. Fig. 6, 7)



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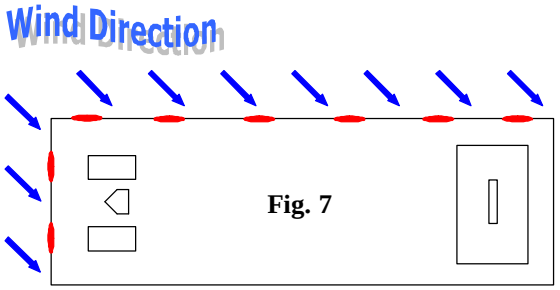

Fig. 7

NetSaver Locations
(three packs of 4)

Best

For most applications, this scenario will provide enough discs to adequately secure the net against changes in wind direction without having to alter their locations. (Fig. 8)

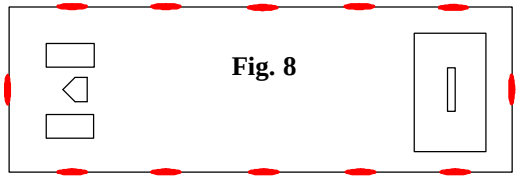

Fig. 8

Disc Installation

3. After choosing a disc configuration to suit your needs, the next step is to install the individual discs. They should be attached to the batting cage's sidewalls approximately 4' up from the floor's surface. Place the foam-lined disc on the inside of the cage at the desired location. Make certain the threaded insert (center of disc) is centered in one of the netting's gridwork pattern of squares. (Fig. 9)

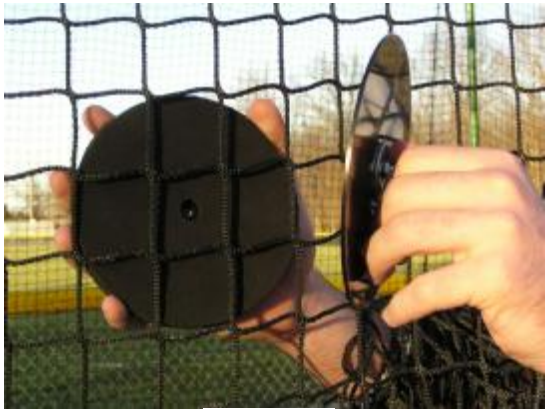

Fig. 9

4. Insert the threaded shaft of the eyebolt into the threaded insert to sandwich the netting between the two discs. Turn the eyelet in a clockwise direction (Fig. 10) until the netting is compressed into the foam. The ***NetSaver*** is now locked in place and ready to be secured.

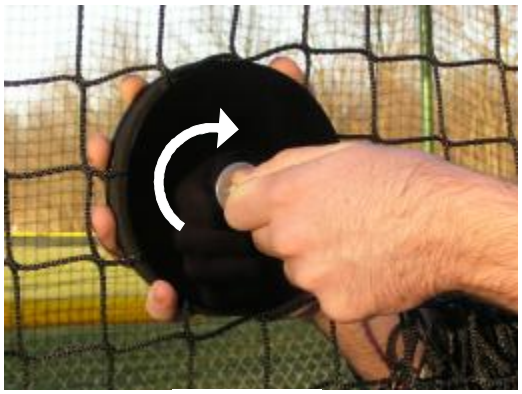

Fig. 10

Securing the *NetSavers*

5. The use of a spring-type clip (not included) is a faster and more efficient method of fastening a rope or cord to the discs (the alternate method is to tie directly to the eyelet). Pull the now attached rope/cord until the sidewalls are in a position to prevent interference of activities inside the cage. The rope/cord can now be secured to any stable means of support. Figures 11, 12, and 13 illustrate some common methods of securement.

Fig. 11

Fig. 12

Fig. 13

Batting Cage Maintenance Tips

1. To relieve netting stress, it is recommended that the NetSaver discs be relocated every 6-8 weeks by moving them in approximately a 6" increment in any direction.

2. Make certain the cage has been installed according to the manufacturer's instructions.

3. Routinely check the netting for "snags" on nearby fencing, supports, protective screens, etc…
   (another major cause of premature holes)

4. Exposure to the outside elements of weather is the number one reason for netting fatigue. Off-season storage is vital to increasing the longevity of an outdoor batting cage product.