BR-1 Backpack Blower Rack Instructions

Thank you for purchasing a TrimmerTrap product. Your rack was designed and manufactured to provide many years of service while protecting your investment. The BR-1 is a fail-safe protection for almost any backpack blower on the market.

Before installation, select a mounting location which will not interfere with the pulling vehicle or equipment on the trailer. Be certain that any blower hanging on the rack does not exceed the width of the widest part of the trailer. The blower must hang on the rack by an appropriate structural component. Attach the rack to a truck or trailer using a minimum of two 5/16" Grade 5 bolts and lock nuts. **Due to Varying Trailer Designs, Attaching Hardware NOT included.** The blower tube must be removed or secured before transport. NOTE: TrimmerTrap's RC-3 Rubber Clamp works well for securing blower tubes.

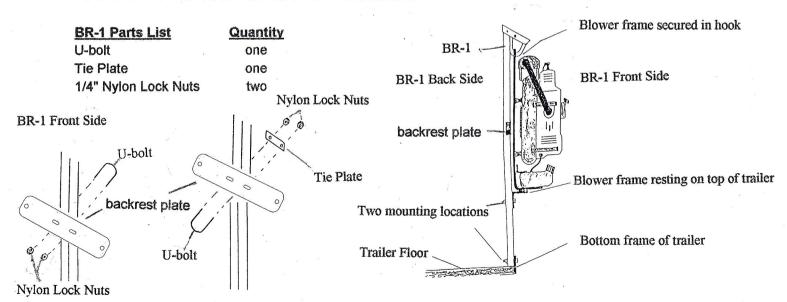
The rack must be attached at two points (along the upright) at least 12 inches apart using bolts and self locking nuts. Securely tighten all hardware and check daily. When drilling the one inch square tube, be absolutely certain that the holes are centered in the tube. The preferred mounting method is to shorten the upright portion of the rack by cutting off an appropriate length of the bottom so that when the blower is installed onto the rack, the bottom of the blower comes to rest on the trailers top rail just as the blower bottoms out in the hook on the rack. This way the blower is supported at the top and bottom.

Install the backrest plate onto the front side of the BR-1. Position the backrest vertically at a point that best aligns with and supports the backpack blower, which will be secured on the rack. Attach the backrest as shown in the options below. Cut off additional U-bolt once backrest is tightened and secured. For added security, a stretch cord should be installed around the blower using the holes at each end of the back rest. A long shackle padlock can be installed in the latch near the hinge. Although the spring that closes the latch (located inside the tube) is Stainless Steel, the hinge pin on the latch should be lubricated regularly.

The BR-1 is not compatible with STIHL blowers. For STIHL 300 and 400 series blowers use a TrimmerTrap ST-1. For STIHL 550 and 600 series blowers use a TrimmerTrap ST-2. Some Echo and Husqvarna model blowers require a TrimmerTrap AK-4 adapter kit. Depending on the frame type, some Echo models might not require the AK-4. To see a complete list of blowers that requires the AK-4 check out or website www.trimmertrap.com or call TrimmerTrap at 1-800-279-8727.

Discard the standard 1/2" nuts. Use the 1/2" nylon lock nuts provided.

NOTE: IT IS THE PURCHASERS SOLE RESPONSIBILITY TO ASSURE THAT THE RACK IS INSTALLED SAFELY AND SECURELY TO A COMPONENT THAT WILL ADEQUATELY SUPPORT THE EQUIPMENT.



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