TT-Single Trimmer Rack Instructions

Thank you for purchasing a TrimmerTrap product. The TT-Single holds one trimmer. Before mounting, carefully select a mounting location that provides clearance for the pulling vehicle when in a tight turn. (jack knife) Mounting the rack on the curb side of the trailer is generally safer. When facing the rack, the upright with the hinge mechanism (right side) MUST be mounted to the RIGHT of the fixed position upright (left side). The left side upright should support the trimmer head end of the trimmer as close to the end of the trimmer shaft as possible. (usually near, but slightly above the shield)

Included with your trimmer rack is a length of plastic spiral wrap protector, which can be installed onto your trimmer shaft(s) to add additional protection where the shaft contacts the rubber cover on the "hook and pin" (left side upright). Cut the wrap into approximately 6" long pieces for each trimmer shaft and wrap it around the shaft near the trimmer head where the shaft rests in the hook. The "hook and pin" shaft holders on the left side upright are made from a malleable material that can be bent in order to allow for larger diameter trimmer shafts. A short piece of pipe can be used to bend the pin slightly up to create a larger opening. For more information, visit www.trimmertrap.com.

Open Trailers

After choosing the mounting location and determining the distance between the uprights, generally around 40 inches, temporarily clamp the uprights in place. Check for clearance again and be certain you have chosen the most desirable location. Each upright must be attached using two 3/8" grade 5 bolts and locknuts or equivalent. Tighten all nuts and bolts securely and check regularly.

The protective rubber caps and handle cradle must be properly installed and maintained to protect trimmer. (included with the TT-Single) There are two different lengths of rubber caps included. The shortest length caps (2 & ½" long) must be installed on the stud above the "U" shaped hook on the left side upright. The longest caps (5 & 1/2" long) must be installed on the "U" shaped hook on the left side upright where the trimmer shaft rests. Be certain all the caps are slid completely on. When properly installed, there should be no metal to metal contact. HINT: Hair spray can be used as a lubricant to aid installation and will act as an adhesive to hold the caps in place after drying. Install the handle cradle as shown in FIG. 1. Align the top two holes of the cradle with the two holes in the upright (just above the handle rest) and the middle two holes of the cradle with the two holes in the handle rest. The bottom two holes of the cradle are not used for attachment to the TT-Single. Insert the nylon ties (two per cradle) through the back side of the rack and around the cradle and then back through the adjacent hole. Secure and tighten ties. The cradle will now fold up with the hinge and around the trimmer handle to protect and hold it in place.

To install a trimmer in the rack, hold the trimmer as you normally do during use. First place the shaft on the 'trimmer head' end of the trimmer into the hook on the left side upright. The trimmer will need to be at an angle approximately 45 degrees from the rack. (normally one or two steps back) While holding the trimmer with the power head end down slightly, step forward (towards the rack) with the trimmer and set the trimmer handle in the open cradle. While holding the trimmer in place, close the hinge and secure with the clip. With a little practice, this should take no more than two or three seconds!

Trimmer racks that are properly installed, maintained and used for the purpose which they were designed, will protect and prevent damage to trimmers. TrimmerTrap, Inc. will not in any way be responsible for wear or damage to trimmers. A padlock can be installed in place of the clip to help secure trimmer against theft.

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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