



CRAZY CATCH®

RANDOM-BOUNCE REBOUNDER

SETUP & USAGE INSTRUCTIONS



Important:

Improper set-up or use of the Crazy Catch can result in serious injury. Read and follow enclosed instructions for the proper and safe use of the Crazy Catch before you begin:

- » Read all setup and usage instructions carefully
- » Inspect the net to make sure there are no tears
- » When not in use keep out of the elements
- » **Adult assembly required**
- » **Adult should check bungees for wear & tear before each use.** If bungees appear worn or torn, do not use or assemble the Crazy Catch until they're replaced. Replacements can be purchased at SKLZ.com.

CRAZY CATCH SAFETY

Using the Crazy Catch is a whole lot of fun and great for developing agility and quick reactions. However, there are some safety issues that we would like to inform you about.

Because of the very fast and unpredictable nature of the deflection of balls from the Crazy Catch, there is a risk of injury. This is for anyone (including users and bystanders) in the danger zone area (refer to below diagram). It is particularly relevant if a hard ball such as a baseball is used.

Example of high risk situations include:

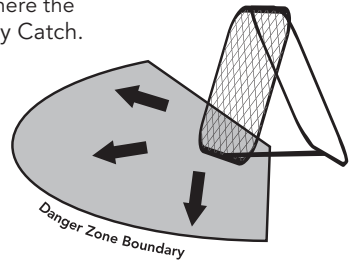
- » **People using the Crazy Catch that are unaware of the fast and unpredictable nature of the ball return.**
- » **Anyone in the danger zone who is not taking part in the Crazy Catch activity and/or not watching the ball.**
- » **Anyone in the danger zone with users who are being irresponsible.**
- » **Younger and/or less skilled users.**

We advise supervision where a hard ball is being used and when there is more than one person in the danger zone area. Only one ball should be used at a time. We also recommend supervision, a softer ball and only one ball at a time when used by younger children.

It is critical to always keep your eye on the ball and exercise care when using the Crazy Catch.

The danger zone extends from the net 5x the distance from where the throwers are positioned. Do not sit or stand behind the Crazy Catch.

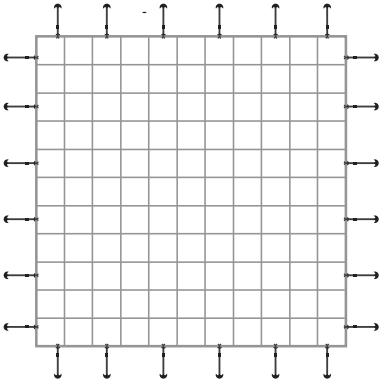
DISTANCE OF THROWER FROM CRAZY CATCH	DANGER ZONE BOUNDARY FROM CRAZY CATCH
5 feet	25 feet
10 feet	50 feet
20 feet	100 feet



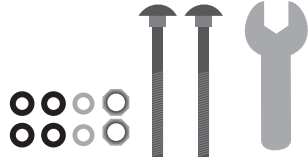
In purchasing, assembly and/or using the Crazy Catch you acknowledge that you do so at your own risk. In the event that any injury is sustained whatsoever, neither the manufacturer, distributor or retailer shall be held liable.

CRAZY CATCH INCLUDES:

Crazy Catch Net and Bungees



Hardware and Wrenches

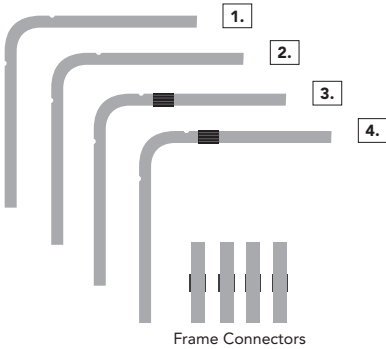


- Black Washers (4)
- Silver Washers (2)
- Nuts (2)
- Bolts (2)
- Wrench

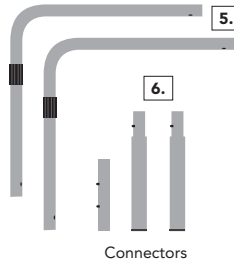
Crazy Catch Net Tool



Frame



Frame Stand



Adjustment Arm



FRAME PARTS:

- PART 1–Top Left Frame L-Bar
- PART 2–Top Right Frame L-Bar
- PART 3–Bottom Left Frame L-Bar
- PART 4–Bottom Right Frame L-Bar
- Frame Connectors (4)

FRAME STAND PARTS:

- PART 5–Frame Stand L-Bar (2)
- PART 6–Single Clip Connectors (2)
- Double Clip Connector

FRAME STAND PARTS:

- PART 7–Adjustment Arm with knob
- PART 8–Adjustment Arm

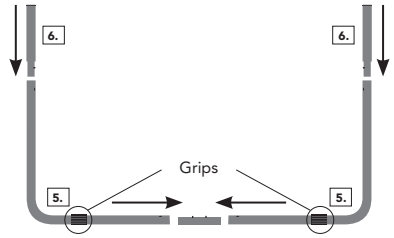
For easy assembly, lay all of the Crazy Catch pieces out as pictured above.

Visit CRAZYCATCHASSEMBLY.com to watch a video of the Crazy Catch Assembly

ASSEMBLY

STEP 1—FRAME STAND ASSEMBLY

Join the 2 Frame Stand L-Bars (5) together with the double clip connector making sure both grips are on the same side. Join each single clip connector (6) with open ends of L-Bars. Set aside.



STEP 2—ADJUSTMENT ARM ASSEMBLY

Fully loosen the knob Adjustment Arm (7) and slide all the way down over Adjustment Arm (8). Tighten the knob to secure. Set aside.



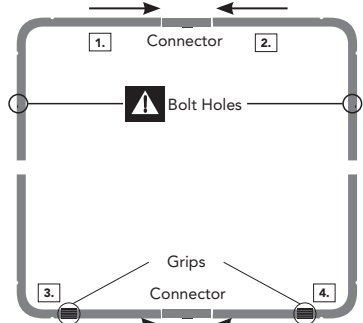
STEP 3—FRAME ASSEMBLY

Connect Top Left Frame L-Bar (1) and Top Right Frame L-Bar (2) with a Frame Connector piece making sure that the bolt holes are on each side. The frame connector piece will slide into the L-bars. This is the top of the Crazy Catch frame.

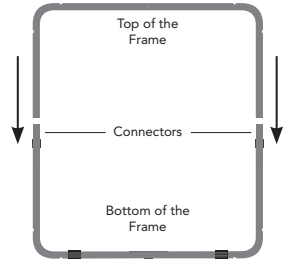


Important:

Bolt holes must be opposite of each other when you put the frame together. If they are not, you will be unable to attach the frame stand.



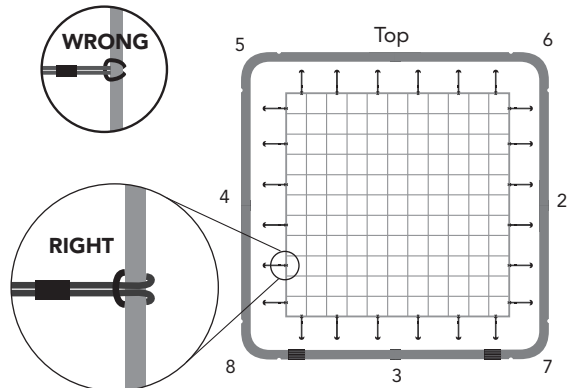
Connect Bottom Left Frame L-Bar (3) and Bottom Right Frame L-Bar (4) with a frame connector piece, making sure the grips are both on the same side. This is the bottom of the Crazy Catch frame. Slide the last two frame connector pieces into the ends of part #3 and part #4. Slide the top of the frame onto the bottom of the frame.

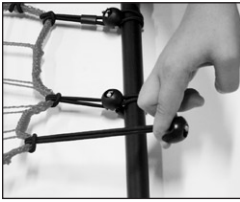


NOTE: For easy assembly, make sure to slide the top frame over each connector at the same time. Make sure all connections are completely secured.

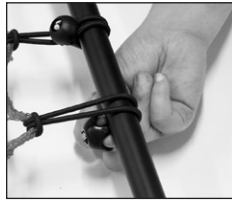
STEP 4—NET ATTACHMENT

Lay the completed frame on a flat surface and lay the net in the middle of the frame with the bungee loops up as pictured.





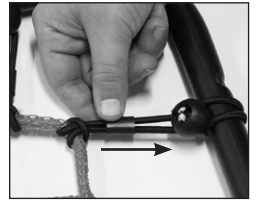
4a



4b



4c



4d

Starting at the top of the frame, grasp one of the middle bungees by the knob. Pull the knob over the frame (4a) and wrap it under so it loops the frame (4b). Pull the knob through the bungee to secure on the frame (4c). While holding the net, slide the rubber tube up towards the knob (4d). Repeat on the middle bungees on the other three sides. Once complete; start at a corner and connect each corner bungee. Once you have the corners and the middle bungees connected, connect the remaining bungees to the frame.

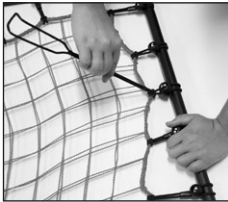
STEP 5—TIGHTENING THE NET

All of your bungees should be connected and facing up, as pictured.



NOTE: Bungees should be tightened based on the same pattern you used to attach them in STEP 4. Perform this step carefully as tightening the bungees creates very high tension.

Slide the pointed end of the Crazy Catch Net Tool into the part of the bungee looped around the net (5a). Pull the bungee loop toward the knob (5b). Pull the bungee over the knob and rest the Crazy Catch tool on the other side of the frame to help steady the bungee and tool (5c).



5a



5a-Close-up



5b

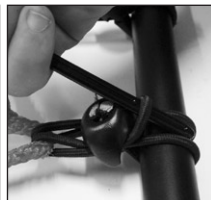


5c

Holding the tension of the bungee with the net tool against the frame, use your fingers to slip the bungee under the knob to secure (5d), and then slide the tool out (5e). Once finished, your bungee and knob should resemble image 5f. Make sure the bungee is secure under the knob. Repeat on the remaining bungees. Make sure that the bungees in the corners fall into the grooves of the frame; slide them over and into the grooves if they are not there already.



5d



5e

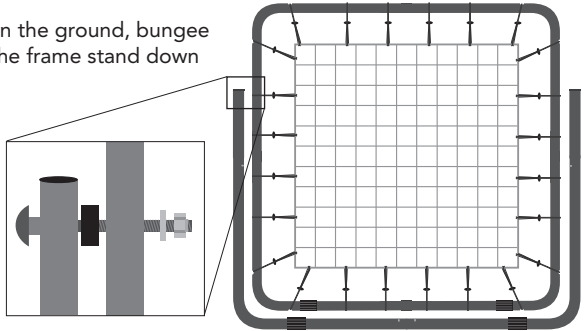


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STEP 6—ATTACHING THE FRAME STAND TO THE FRAME

Lay the frame with attached net down on the ground, bungee knobs touching the ground, and place the frame stand down around the bottom of the frame.

Slide the bolt through the frame stand and slide 2 black washers onto the bolt, then slide the bolt into the frame. Slide one silver washer onto the bolt. Tighten the bolt with a nut and wrench. Make sure the nut is on the inside of the frame. Repeat on other side.



STEP 7—CONNECT ADJUSTMENT ARM TO FRAME

Clip the adjustment arm onto the middle of the frame stand in between the grips. Stand the Crazy Catch up and clip the other end of the adjustment arm to the top of the Crazy Catch frame. Make sure the bungee knobs point towards the back of your Crazy Catch. Your Crazy Catch is now set up and ready for use.



STEP 8—ADJUSTING THE ANGLE OF THE CRAZY CATCH

Simply loosen the knob on the angle adjuster and move the poles further apart or closer together depending on what angle you want. Tighten the knob when you have reached your desired angle.

STEP 9—STORAGE

There is no need to dismantle the Crazy Catch once you have put it together. Simply fold up by unclipping the angle adjuster from the frame and sliding it into the net.

Crazy Catch has been manufactured to deliver a high level of performance over time. To extend the life of the Crazy Catch it is recommended that it be stored indoors when not in use. Do not expose the net to sharp objects.

STEP 10—BUNGEE REPLACEMENT

If you need to replace or remove the bungees, hold the knob when unlooping the bungee. For replacement bungees please visit SKLZ.com or call our toll free number: 877-225-7275.



Crazy Catch has a wide range of uses so you can stay challenged and have fun. Crazy Catch also simulates many of the skills that are required on game day.

BALL SELECTION

Crazy Catch has the unique feature of challenging a wide range of skill levels from professional athletes to children just learning how to throw and catch.

Beginners or the less confident players should start with a larger soft ball. As skill levels improve move to a smaller harder ball.

Crazy Catch's random bounce feature works for all ball sizes but works better with a harder ball than a softer ball.

TEAM OR INDIVIDUAL ACTIVITIES

SKLZ has created these activities to help increase your skill level.

CLOCK COUNTDOWN

From a set distance (for example 5, 15 or 20 feet) time yourself how long it takes to catch 20 rebounding balls. You can set higher or lower targets and compare your score with friends or your previous scores. Record how much your reaction time/hand-eye coordination has improved over time.

FIVE & OUT

Each person in a team counts how many balls they catch out of 5 before the next team member takes over. Continue with team rotations.

TRIANGLE FORMATION

Three people catching with the middle person standing slightly deeper than the outside two. Switch pitchers after each throw.

RECOGNIZE & REACT

One person throwing from behind 2-3 catchers. This provides added game simulation with the catchers having to focus on the net surface and react.



ONE MINUTE DRILLS

INDIVIDUAL SKILL ASSESSMENTS

One Minute Drills provide an excellent form of competition with instant feedback of performance within a given time period against yourself or an opponent.

To make the drills consistent, it is recommended to have one or two spare balls kept behind the participant so they can use these if they miss a catch or miss a throw at the Crazy Catch target. Also, have one or two people available to recover balls and return them to behind the catcher while they are involved in the One Minute Drills.

To match the drills to the skill level of the participant, we have suggested a few variations for each activity.

THROW AND CATCH

From a set distance (5 or 10 ft)

Variations

- Increase distance from the net
- Ball type/ball size

THROW AND CATCH WHILE ON THE MOVE

Follow the recommended set distances outlined below.

Place one cone 20 feet from the Crazy Catch. Starting at the cone, take three steps forward and throw the ball at the Crazy Catch. Continue to move toward the Crazy Catch, keeping your eye on the ball. Field the ball as if bounces off the Crazy Catch.

Variations

- Increase distance from the net
- Ball Type/ ball size
- Alternate the throwing hand

Skill Enhancement

- Extends visual and coordination skills associated with throwing and catching while on the move.
- Prepares infielders and outfielders for reacting to bad bounces while charging the ball.
- Helps with conditioning and agility.



THROW, TURN 360 DEGREES AND CATCH

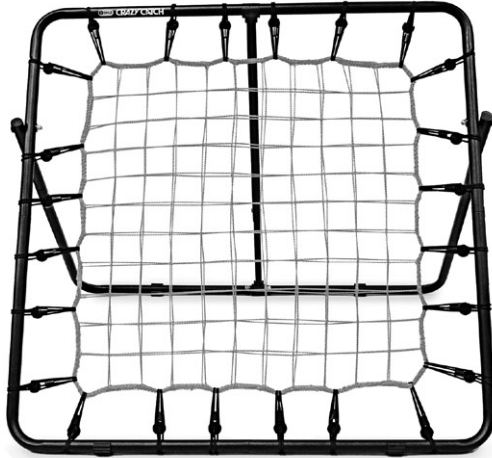
From a set starting distance of 13 ft, throw the ball and spin 360 degrees and then catch the return alternating the direction of rotation each time to avoid becoming too dizzy.

Variations

- Increase distance from the net
- Ball type

Skill Enhancement

- Extends visual skills associated with predicting ball flight paths and refocusing on a temporarily unsighted ball.



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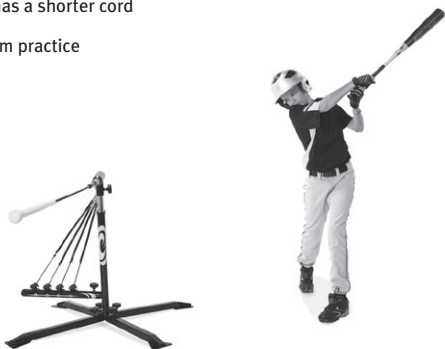


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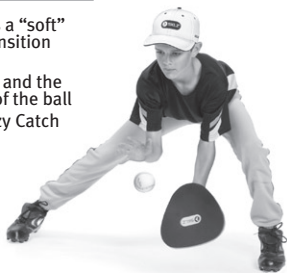


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- » Improves fielding skills (teaches a “soft” receiving technique) and the transition from glove to throwing hand
- » Reinforces the use of two hands and the player getting his body in front of the ball
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