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All Smith-Root, Inc. manufactured products are covered by a one year warranty.

Credit & Refund Policy: Customers returning equipment, in new condition, will be given credit within five days from the date of the return. A return authorization must accompany returns. Valid equipment returns include, but are not limited to, ordering incorrect equipment, funding deficits, and defective equipment returned for reimbursement. All returns are subject to a restocking fee and applicable shipping charges. The restocking fee is figured at 10% of the purchase price but not less than \$20.00. Customers receiving equipment in damaged condition will be referred to the shipping company for insurance reimbursement.

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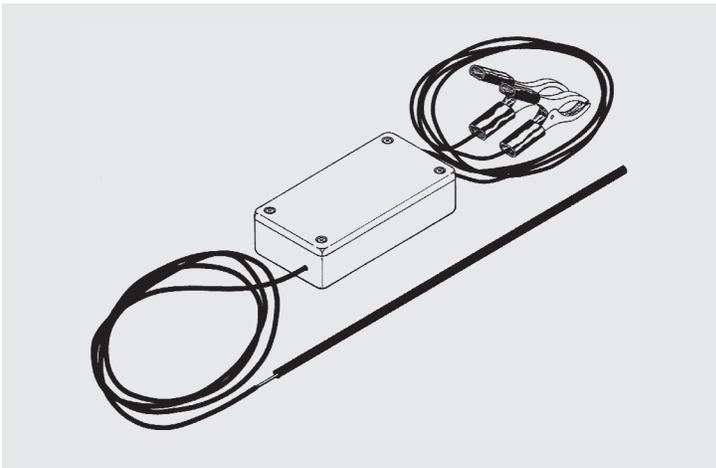
INSTRUCTIONS CATFISH ZAPPER



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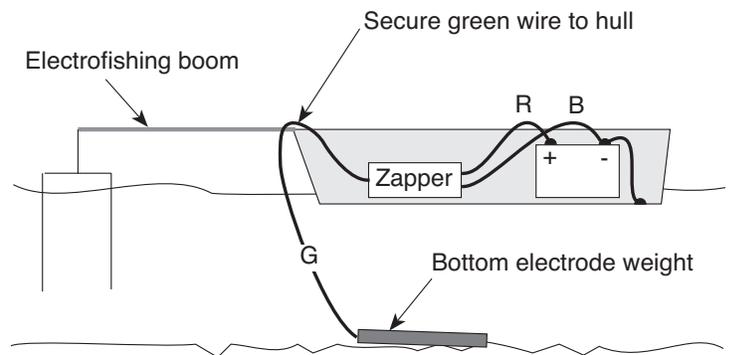
INTRODUCTION



Because catfish live on the bottom of lakes, ponds, and rivers, they are difficult to capture by normal electrofishing techniques. The Catfish Zapper is used in conjunction with an electrofisher and acts as an aid to capture. It works by inducing a weak electric field at the bottom, thereby causing the catfish to rise. They are then subject to the normal electrofisher field and may be captured.

WARNING: Battery posts, terminals and related accessories contain lead compounds, chemicals known to the state of California to cause cancer and reproductive harm. Wash hands after handling.

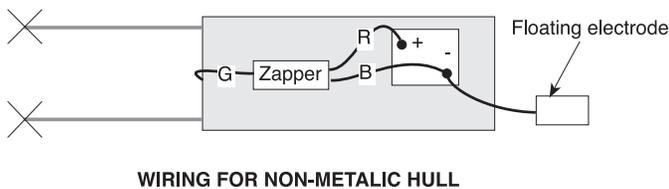
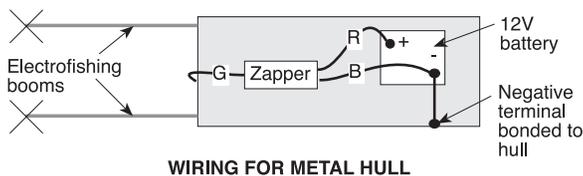
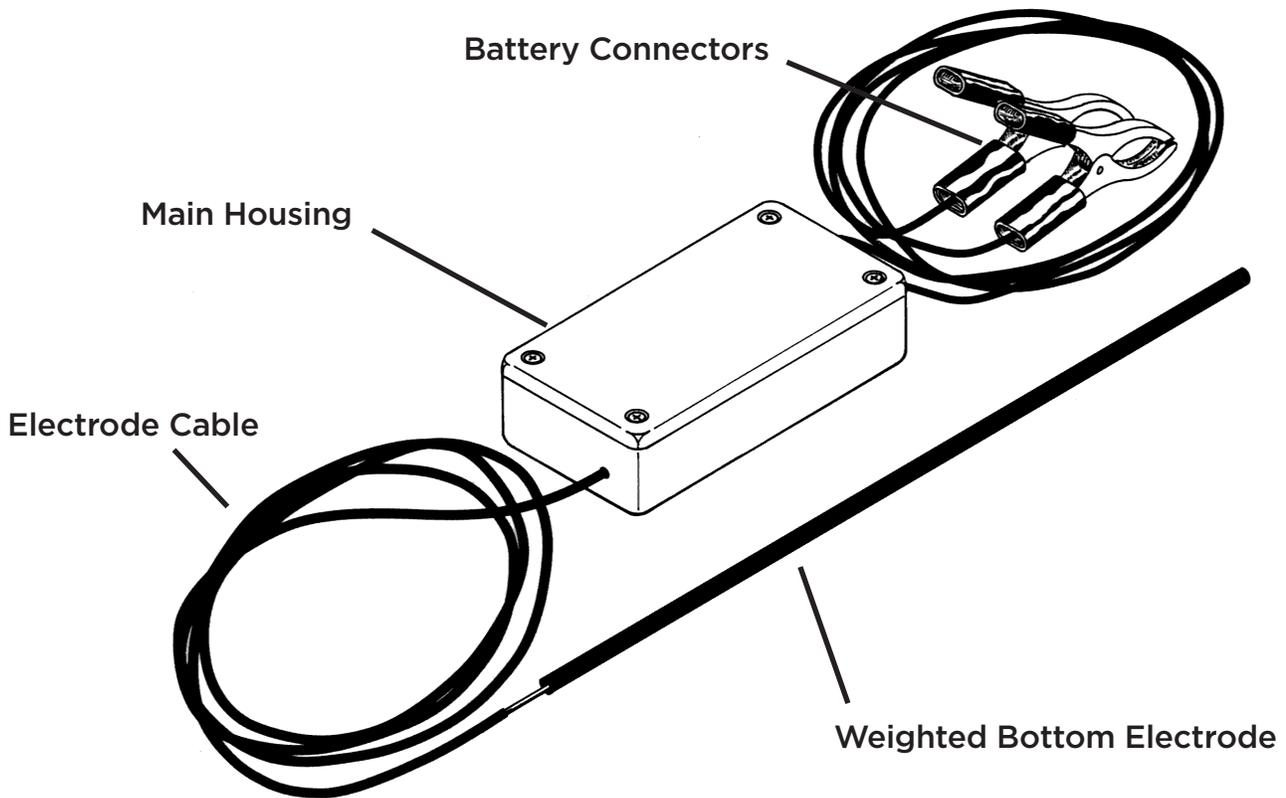
HOOKING UP THE CATFISH ZAPPER



THE BOTTOM ELECTRODE

Place the Catfish Zapper in a convenient position. Clip the black "Battery and Boat" wire of the Catfish Zapper to the negative terminal of the boat battery.

If your boat has a metal hull make sure the negative terminal of the battery also has a good electrical connection to the hull.



If your boat hull is non-metallic, you need to add a negative electrode. Take a length of wire and connect it to the negative terminal of your boat battery. Fasten a piece of aluminum approximately 4" x 12" to the other end and hang it over the stern of your boat so it can be towed near the surface. Alternatively fasten the metal plate to the outside of your hull below the water-line.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Dangle the green "Bottom Electrode" wire over the bow of the boat, between the two electrofishing booms.
2. Do not let the bottom electrode weight touch the metal hull, or the booms, or arrays, or any metal parts connected to the hull. Doing so will short out the battery and may damage the Catfish Zapper.
3. Make sure that the weight is dragging on the bottom so that the weak field can be applied there.
4. Secure the green wire to the boat to prevent the Catfish Zapper box from being pulled overboard if the weight becomes snagged.
5. Clip the red "Battery +" wire of the Catfish Zapper to the positive terminal of the boat battery. The Catfish Zapper will be ON and operating as long as this battery connection is made.
6. Always connect the Catfish Zapper before switching on the electrofisher.
7. Never operate the electrofisher while Catfish Zapper connections are being made or removed.
8. When you have finished, turn off the electrofisher before disconnecting the Catfish Zapper.