

Fancy Kitty Bench Picker

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Fancy Kitty Bench Wool Picker Assembly Instructions

First remove all pieces from the boxes and remove the packing materials. You will find the assembly screws.

If you ordered the table model bench picker, it will arrive completely assembled & the only thing you must do is remove the picker sled assembly from the storage area where it shipped, place it on the sled rails and you are ready to start picking fiber.



If you ordered the optional end assemblies, they are shipped installed and will need to be removed prior to use. When you are ready to store the picker and wish to install the end caps and top assembly, just follow the instructions below:

1. Just place the end caps on the ends of the picker and start the four screws in the anchor inserts. Make sure they are not cross-threaded, then, tighten them.
2. The top simply sets on the picker using the aligning bars on the bottom side.



If you purchased the leg assembly, the following instructions will explain how it is assembled:

1. Simply place the flat (non rounded side) of the leg to the mounting area, place the screws in the holes and start them making sure they are not cross threaded. Start all 4 of them prior to tightening. Once they are all started you may tighten them. Repeat this process for all four legs.
2. To install the leg braces, you will find 2 boards 11 inches long (pre-installed) and one board approx. 24 inches long. Place the 24 inch long brace between the two 11 inch long braces (this will form a shape like the letter I. Insert the screws into the center of the 11 inch long boards into the 24 inch long board. Repeat for both ends and tighten screws.

You are now finished and ready to pick fiber!

Using the Fancy Kitty Bench Picker

1. Remove the picker sled from the storage area in the wool ejection end of the picker.
2. Place the picker sled in the picker sled rails so the handle of the picker faces the end of the picker with the feed tray.
3. Place your fiber in the “Fiber Feed Tray” and using one hand push the fiber to the front of the tray while at the same time moving the picker sled forward. Pull the sled back to the starting position and push a little more fiber forward. If at any time you get too much fiber in the teeth and the sled stalls, simply lift it up and remove some of the excess fiber and start again. It takes a little practice, but you will soon develop a rhythm and the fiber will fly through.
4. Place a box under the fiber ejection end of the picker to catch the picked fiber as it is pushed out of the end of the picker.



There is only one adjustment on the bench picker. The picker bed may be adjusted up & down. Adjusting it UP will make the picker points mesh deeper within each other; this will make the picker more aggressive. Adjusting it DOWN will make the picker points mesh shallower within each other making the picker less aggressive.

Adjust the picker bed:

1. To adjust the picker bed UP (more aggressive), turn each of the four adjusting screws on the picker bed counter clockwise one full turn each until the desired position is achieved. **CAUTION: IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT THE ADJUSTMENT SCREWS BE TURNED AN EQUAL AMOUNT. IF THEY ARE NOT, THE**

POINTS ON THE PICKER BED AND THE POINTS ON THE PICKER SLED WILL STRIKE EACH OTHER.

2. To adjust the picker bed DOWN (less aggressive), turn each of the four adjusting screws on the picker bed clockwise one full turn each until the desired position is achieved. CAUTION: IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT THE ADJUSTMENT SCREWS BE TURNED AN EQUAL AMOUNT. IF THEY ARE NOT, THE POINTS ON THE PICKER BED AND THE POINTS ON THE PICKER SLED WILL STRIKE EACH OTHER.

The bench picker will arrive adjusted to a less aggressive position suitable for picking fine fiber. **Please try the picker in the “factory adjusted” position, prior to making any adjustments.** Pick a test sample of the fiber you wish to process. Check to make sure the fiber is being picked properly without excessive breaking. The picker may then be adjusted (if needed) to a more aggressive or less aggressive position as required. Remember that, it is sometimes better to pick the fiber more than once with a less aggressive picker position, than to adjust to a more aggressive position. Picking it more than once at a less aggressive state, will release more dirt & vegetable matter and will be kinder to the fiber itself.

We are always available via email or telephone for assistance.

We hope you enjoy your new Fancy Kitty Bench Picker and it gives you many years of great service. We build our products to last and be handed down to your children.

Product Warranty

Your new product is warranted for one year for all parts and labor. This warranty covers any defects in workmanship or manufacture.

All hard parts, including the frame, points, bearings, and screws have a limited lifetime warranty. They are warranted for defects in parts and workmanship to the original purchaser for normal wear and tear.

The manufacturer will have the final decision on normal wear and tear.

It will be at the option of the manufacturer to repair or replace the defective part(s).

Damages caused by abusive use of the product, are not covered under this warranty.

Satisfaction Guarantee

If for any reason you are not satisfied with your purchase, you may request a return authorization to return the product to our location within 14 days of receipt of the product.

The product must be returned postage paid in new condition, in the original shipping boxes, packed in the original packing, including all instructions.

Upon receipt of a product returned in new condition with a proper return authorization, you will be refunded the full purchase price less shipping.

Please telephone 660 379 2323 (Mon-Fri 9-5pm Central time....ask for Kris) or email kris.fancykitty@gmail.com and request a return authorization number prior to making a return shipment.