



Thank you for purchasing a “Hands Free” fish Dehooker from Overboard Technologies. When new, the spring is tight and can be difficult to open until mounted properly. This helps prevent rattle and will become easier over a short period of time. These units have been designed for a lifetime of use with almost no maintenance, and come with a lifetime warranty for any manufacturing issues.

Items Included

6” Stainless Steel Boat Dehooker, 2 - ¼ 20 x 2” SS Flat Machine Screws, 2 - ¼ 20 Stainless Anchors

Items Needed for Installation

Drill, ¼” Drill Bit, 1” Forstner Bit or Hole Saw (paddle bit may also be used), #2 Phillips Screwdriver.

Installation Instructions for 6” Boat Dehooker – Part 16100

- 1.) Locate Flat accessible area on top of gunwale and using template or dehooker, choose desired location. Ideally in a location where it can easily swing inside and outside of the boat if possible. Check underside of gunwale to make sure there are no electrical or fuel lines underneath. Ideal mounting position is to have at least 2.5” of tool over the outside of the boat(fig 1)
- 2.) Mark center of large drill hole and using a 1” forstner bit or other 1”bit, drill hole through, or at least 1 ¾” deep. If you are not comfortable drilling into your boat, we recommend having your local marine installer give you a hand.
- 3.) Place Dehooker base into hole, mark both anchor screw holes, and remove Dehooker.
- 4.) Using a ¼” drill bit, drill both anchor bolt holes
- 5.) Place Dehooker back into mounting location in the open position and install anchors underneath and screws from the top.
- 6.) Tighten screws firmly with #2 Phillips Screwdriver. Close Dehooker easily by lifting up on each end and rotating toward the closed position.
- 7.) Place thumb and middle fingers under the finger holds of Dehooker and lift straight up, then rotate in or out.
- 8.) Your “Hands Free” Dehooker is ready to use!



Fig 1

Please contact us if you have any questions regarding installation or use of our product at www.OverboardPro.com.