THE RATTLER



GENERAL INFORMATION

The Rattler[™] can be placed up to 2000ft away from the tattletale[™] base unit depending on objects and structures between The Rattler and the tattletale. It's sensitive to six degrees of movement or rotation. The Rattler unit can be placed on top of the item(s) to be protected. It can also be attached to any metal object with the integrated magnets. When the tattletale base unit is armed, The Rattler will detect movement of 6° or more. The Rattler will operate normally between 0°F and 120°F. The Rattler is designed for outdoor use and is water resistant. However, IT IS NOT WATERPROOF. Do not leave The Rattler in standing water. If it takes on water, disassemble the end caps from the body, dry all electrical connections, and reassemble. The 3V CR123A battery included will typically last 2-3 years depending on usage and environment.

Mounting instructions:

The Rattler[™] is ready to protect out of the box and can be used anywhere within your field of protection, indoors or outdoors. To mount The Rattler, simply place it on top of the item(s) you wish to protect or attach to any metal object with the supplied integrated magnets.



The Rattler detects movement of 6° or more.

Testing the Rattler:

It is not necessary to arm your tattletale base unit to perform this test. To avoid alarm events, leave your base unit disarmed.

- Bring The Rattler near the tattletale base unit and move The Rattler while observing the display on the base unit. A message saying "Sensor Open" should appear.
- 2. Set The Rattler down and leave it motionless for at least 10 seconds. The "Sensor Open" message should go away after a few seconds.



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General Troubleshooting

When there is an issue with your Rattler (or one of your other sensors), the tattletale[™] base unit will display a message on its screen which says either **"Sensor Open"** or **"Other Issues."** If you see either of these messages displayed, press 3 on the keypad, then enter your 4-digit PIN to get more information about what is going on with the sensor.

If the screen shows your Rattler's status to be "**OPEN**," that means the Rattler is detecting movement.

If the Rattler's status is **"LOST,"** verify that it is within range of the tattletale base unit and that the sensor has a working battery in the transmitter. If that doesn't return it to normal status a tattletale signal booster might be needed.

If the Rattler's status is **"LOW BATTERY,"** replace the CR123A battery in its transmitter and press the black RESET button.

Follow these steps to change the battery:

- **1.** Unscrew and set aside one of the end caps.
- 2. Remove the transmitter cassette by gently pulling the end of the cassette out of the body.
- **3.** Locate the 3V CR123A battery. Remove old battery and replace with a new 3V CR123A battery and press the black RESET button (Fig.1)
- 4. Carefully slide the cassette back into the sensor body. Screw the end cap back on as tightly as possible. Any time you open The Rattler, make sure that the gaskets at each end of The Rattler are flush with the ribs on the body of The Rattler.
- 5. Test The Rattler.



Fig. 1 (transmitter with case open)

