

Shade Tunnel

This handy Tunnel protects your plants from too much sun while still allowing enough sunlight through for healthy growth. When assembled the Shade Tunnel is 8' long by 3' wide by 2' high.

Parts List

- (10) Poles
- (5) Poles with Connectors
- (1) Shade Net
- (10) Clips
- (2) Earth Staples

Assembly

NOTE: Assembly is easiest with two people.

Step 1. Assemble 5 hoops by inserting Poles into each end of the Poles with Connectors (Figure 1).

Step 2. Bend each hoop into an arch over your garden bed and insert the ends into the soil. They should be placed in a row, approximately 3' apart.

Step 3. Drape the Shade Net evenly over the hoops, arranging it so there is enough netting on each end to reach the ground. Use the Clips to secure it in place (Figure 2).

Step 4. Pull the Shade Net taut on both ends. Push Earth Staples through the net and into the soil to secure it. Insert the rest of the Earth Staples along the edges of the Netting and into the soil.

Figure 1

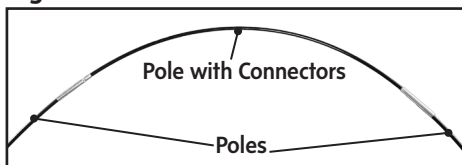
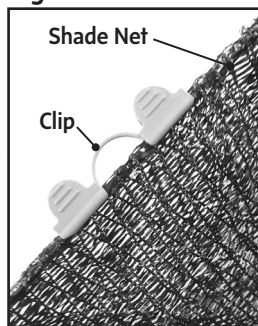


Figure 2



Tips

- When flowers begin to form, remove the cover from insect-pollinated crops, such as squash and melons, to allow pollinators to do their work.