



POSTURING BUCK

- TRANSPORTATION & SETUP -

Congratulations! You are among an elite group of dedicated hunters. Your experience has led you to choose Dave Smith Decoys. We have found that hunters who know and choose the very best equipment are also more likely to put forth more effort in the way of scouting, hunting and calling. Also, they have a great deal of respect for landowners, land, wildlife and hunting ethics.

Thank you for choosing our products. At DSD our mission is to stay at the top of the industry in terms of quality, customer service, and most importantly, effectiveness in the field. **We make all of our decoys with pride in the USA!** When you purchase a DSD you can feel good knowing that you are supporting American jobs and the US Economy.

TRANSPORTATION

The DSD Posturing Buck is not designed to be an ultra-portable and easily disassembled decoy. It is designed to have as few seams as possible and be ready to go and not assembled at the hunting sight. The decoy can be carried upside-down by grabbing the inside edge of the hole in the bottom side at the chest. Put the ears and antlers inside the body cavity; lay the stake along the length of the decoy body.

FIELD SETUP

At the stand sight, push (don't pound) the stake into the ground right to the paint line. In most instances, you will want your decoy broadside, or quartering toward you. If it's windy, you can slightly splay the legs to keep the decoy pointed in the desired direction. A stand is included for use in areas where the ground is not conducive to using a stake. don't be leery about setting the decoy in fairly tight quarters and don't feel the absolute need to add motion. Remember that sometimes the lack of motion is what will irritate a mature buck and force him in. Additionally, a lack of motion is also what can give a subordinate buck the confidence to come in and check out the decoy.

IMPORTANT SAFETY GUIDELINES: The decoy is for use during archery seasons or for law enforcement by professionals only. **DO NOT** use the decoy if any rifle, shotgun, or muzzleloader seasons are in progress. **WE HIGHLY RECOMMEND THAT YOU WEAR HUNTER ORANGE WHILE TRANSPORTING YOUR DSD POSTURING BUCK TO AND FROM THE FIELD.** Always add the antlers last and remove them first. Use treestands instead of groundblinds to elevate yourself out of a possible line of fire.





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- PARTS & ASSEMBLY -



(d)



(c)



(e)



(f)

(g)

(h)

(i)

(j)

HARDWARE KIT INCLUDES

Front Half Body (a)

Rear Half Body (b)

Ear Set (1 Left, 1 Right) (c)

Antler Set (1 Left, 1 Right) (d)

(10) Washers (e)

(10) Nuts (f)

46" Brown Field Stake (g)

24" Square Ground Base (h)

34.5" White Stake (Fits into Coupler)..... (i)

Brown Coupler (Threads into Base)..... (j)

ASSEMBLY

STEP 1: Wash decoy and parts thoroughly inside and out with a good scent-free soap and rinse thoroughly so no soap residue is present.

STEP 2: Bolt the two body halves together (DO NOT over tighten the nuts). The use of a deep socket tightened by hand, not a ratchet, will facilitate. Make sure you use ALL bolts! Leave the decoy bolted together at all times.

STEP 3: Push on antlers and ears in the respective slots. (Antlers and ears are designed to be, and should be, removed during transportation)

