

# Installation Instructions for Tree Guards (Part Number TG001)



## Equipment required

For the installation of the tree guards the following tools and equipment will be required:

- Star Picket Driver
- Star Pickets (x4)
- Fencing Wire
- Fencing Pliers (alternatively wire cutters and bull nose pliers are acceptable)
- Shifting Spanner
- Chicken Wire (allow for a minimum length of 4.25m)

## Included in the pack

Included in each tree guard package are:

- Tree guard top braces (x2)
- M8 bolts (x2)



## Installation procedure

1. Lay the tree guard top braces interlapped at the base of the tree on the ground.
  - a. To interlap the top braces set one of the braces on the ground.



- b. Lay the second brace down ensuring the smaller diameter tube of the second brace passes and sits inside of the larger diameter tube of the first brace.





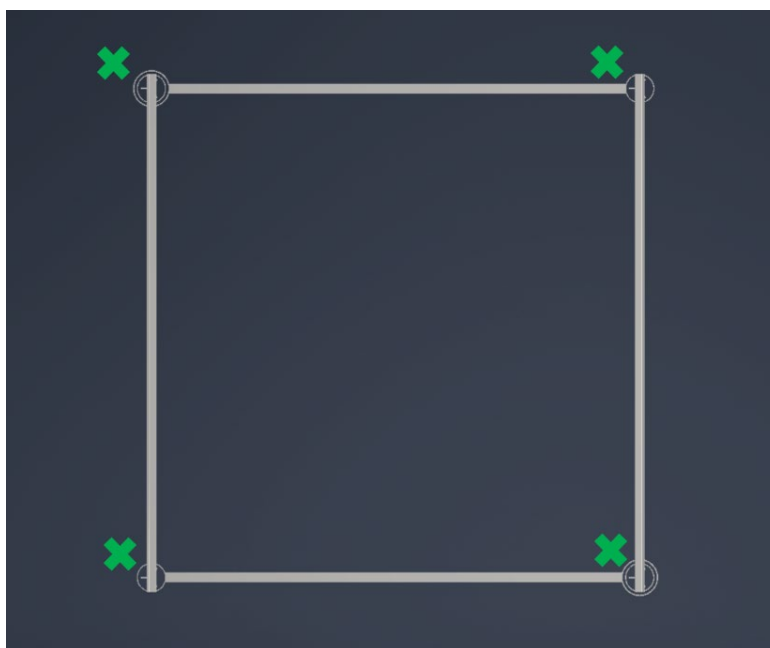
- c. Lift the larger tube of the first brace while shifting the smaller tube of the second brace beneath it.



- d. One at a time lift the larger cup so it is resting against the angle above and tighten the screws to lock the tree guard into shape.



2. Set and drive the star pickets into the ground (to your desired depth) beside the tree guard top braces. This is intentional so that you can then lift the top brace onto the star pickets.



3. Lift the top brace and sit the brace so that the star pickets sit inside the tubes.





4. Wrap the chicken wire around the star pickets tying top and bottom with fencing wire at each star picket, ensuring to either trim the tag ends or poke back thru the fencing.

