



This tool is the most practical and efficient Black Walnut Cracker LEM has found on the market and when maintained properly, will provide years of long-lasting use.

Maintenance:

- 1. Use a light oil to lubricate all the working parts.
 - a. The Top Gear should be kept lubricated at all times with wax, white grease, or heavy oil.
- 2. Wipe the area clean with a cloth to prevent build up of shell fragments on the working parts.

Adjustment:

- This nutcracker is designed with 3 adjustment methods for sizing.
 - 1. 2 threaded cracking dies are adjustable by screwing inward or outward for correct sizing of nuts.
 - 2. 2 small interchangeable cracking dies for cracking small nuts.
 - 3. The lever handle is adjustable to provide necessary leverage for cracking hard shell nuts.

How to Use:

- 1. Begin by relaxing the lever handle back so that it rests toward the end of the nutcracker.
- 2. Place a Black Walnut (or other nut) between the 2 cracking dies.
- 3. Adjust the dies inward or outward until contact is made with the nut.
- 4. Cover the nut with a cloth to shield yourself and others against potential flying shell fragments.
- 5. Slowly pull forward on the lever handle until the nut is cracked.

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