

## LIVE-CAPTURE DEVICE FOR RODENTS AND OTHER SMALL ANIMALS

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### Commercialization opportunities



- ⇒ Licensing agreement
- ⇒ Transfer of ownership
- ⇒ Spin off

### IP Status



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### Implementation progress



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Technology validated in  
laboratory conditions


Developed live-capture trap allows for capture of rodents and other small animals in a simple and effective manner, with minimal risk of injury. This is especially important in population and veterinary studies conducted by state institutions and research institutes related to agriculture, forestry, veterinary medicine and epidemiology.


The device consists of a rigid, rectangular flat-bottomed container with a pivotable, movable plate with a unidirectional action and a bait slot located at the bottom.

Commonly available live-capture traps do not allow for easy adjustment of their characteristics (such as configuration of pivotable plate or the trap inlet) towards specific species of small animals. Aforementioned parameters of the device described herein can be adjusted to a significant degree, allowing for a selective capture of targeted rodents or other small animals.

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