

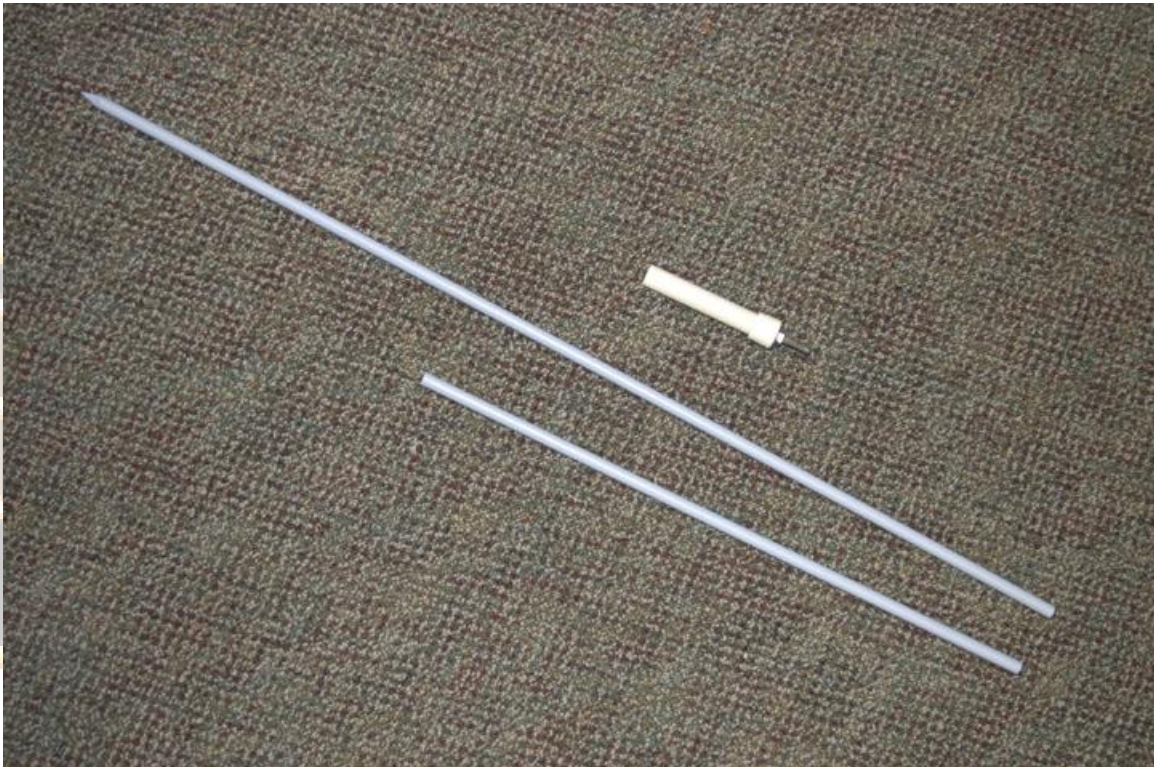
Add Height to the Jack-Attack Decoy and Spitfire Digital Game Call

If you operate your Jack Attack decoy in high grass or weeds, additional height is often needed. Here is a simple extender pole you can make at low cost which will gain up to three feet or more in height. Parts should be available at most farm supply or similar stores. This simple project also works great for the FOXPRO Spitfire game call. The images below show the final assembly in use in the field with the Jack Attack decoy and Spitfire game call.



Purchase a 48" fiberglass fence rod, about 3/8" in diameter. These usually cost about \$1.00 or so. You also will need a short length of 1/2" CPVC water pipe, about 5" or so, and a 1/2" end cap. Finally, a 1/4-20 bolt about 1-1/4" long and a nut complete the hardware required. You will also need some masking tape, PVC cement, and some Gorilla Glue or something similar.

Start by cutting the fence rod to length. Figure how much height you need, add maybe 6" to go into the ground, and then cut the rod with a hacksaw. Remember to keep the pointed end with the part you intend to use.



Drill a 1/4" hole in the center of the end cap. Install the bolt and nut, and tighten well. Glue the end cap/bolt assembly to the CPVC pipe.



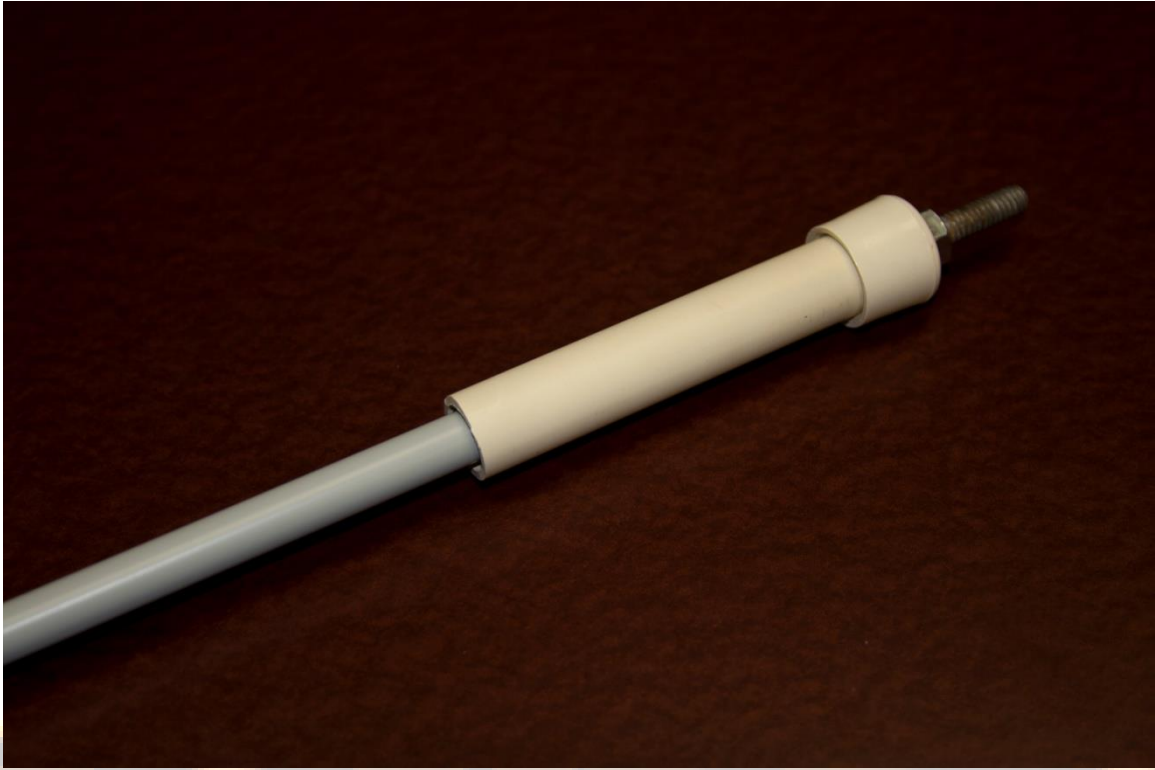
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Since the pipe fits too loosely over the fiberglass rod, add 2 rows of tape to build up the rod diameter until it fits without excessive wobble. Don't make it too tight. Make sure to allow about an inch between the lower tape roll and the bottom of the pipe for glue.



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Place a generous amount of glue on the rod between the tape rolls, and again just below the lower roll. Slowly slide the rod into the CPVC pipe, being careful to allow air to escape. Wipe of any excess glue, and set the assembly aside, upside down. The glue may expand when curing, so check it in an hour or so and again wipe away any excess.



When the glue is dry, you may paint the top of the assembly with spray paint if desired.

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