



Seagull Control Systems®

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SCS Grid Wire Seagull Deterrent System™
uses the most effective seagull deterrent
technology, as recommended by the
Department of Agriculture Wildlife Service

“Covering water (such as reservoirs) and roofs with grids of monofilament fishing line (100 pound test) or stainless steel wire (0.8 mm thickness) will deter gulls from landing on the surface of water, rooftops, and other areas.”

“Wire spacing depends on the problem species: for herring and great black-backed gulls the correct spacing is 40 feet, and for ring-billed gulls, the correct spacing is 20 feet. This technique does not work for laughing gulls. Migratory birds can fly and roost under the wires without ill effect. This is the most effective deterrent method, non-harmful to seagulls and if well maintained will keep the gulls away permanently...”

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Contact us at info@seagullcontrol.com or phone us for details and a customized solution that will permanently end the seagull infestation at your facility.

See below—How it Works

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Seagull Control Systems® designs and manufactures a grid wire seagull deterrent technology that is recommended by the US Department of Agriculture as the only permanently effective, non-harmful method for eliminating seagull infestations and their pollution. Our grid wire deterrent system will permanently end your seagull infestation.

The science: Seagulls inhabit wide open spaces where their take-offs and landings are unobstructed, where they can watch for predators and make a quick escape if necessary. They are flocking birds where a few roosting gulls signal safety and security to others, so the abundance of seagulls increases if nothing is done to get rid of them. Fake predators, noisemakers, electronic distress calls are all ineffective over time. Seagulls are resourceful birds that thrive in harsh weather conditions so they become accustomed to annoyances, noisemakers or fake owls. A safe nesting area, a nearby food source and an unobstructed exit are all they require to thrive.

The Solution: Our grid wire deterrent technology eliminates safety and comfort, which are the key attractions that your roof, solar panel array or dock afford seagulls. We make your facility an uncomfortable environment for seagulls. They will abandon your property and not return. We create a pattern of nylon coated stainless steel wire grids above the surface where seagulls have been landing. Seagulls perceive these grids as significant obstructions to a quick emergency take-off, so they won't land beneath them. With plenty of unobstructed choices nearby, seagulls will choose not to land on your facility, even temporarily. They are afraid to. This is seagull psychology in action. We give seagulls claustrophobia with our SCS Grid Wire Deterrent System™.

Practical Considerations: Our grid wire design enables people to move around freely on your roof or dock without interference from the deterrent system, which is installed well above the roof/dock surface. We fabricate for easy assembly, very little maintenance, and many years of durable performance. On marina docks our system can be efficiently uninstalled and reinstalled seasonally. All aluminum and stainless steel components with welded pole holders mean your seagull deterrent will last as long as your dock or roof structures, no matter how harsh the climate. Installation can be accomplished without penetrating the roof surface. For solar panel protection we substitute extremely hard fiberglass poles for our aluminum poles so the system is non-conductive. Our deterrent system is not a net. It does not entangle seagulls, which can be upsetting to workers and visitors. It does not interfere with other desirable or migrating birds. The US Department of Agriculture recommends this method for docks and roofs, as does the National Oceanographic & Atmospheric Administration for protecting seafood processing plants from seagull-borne pollution. The US Navy and Coast Guard use our seagull deterrents, having found them virtually maintenance free and completely effective in permanently ending seagull infestations.