

# Angle Grinder Nest, Version 1.1

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After you turn off your angle grinder, what do you do next? It is still spinning fast enough that it can walk around a work bench. The thought of it falling off the bench and onto my leg is motivation enough for me to hang on and wait until it stops spinning. Not any more!



I threw together this dead simple nest from a chunk of 2 by 6 and three brackets. It is heavy enough that the grinder stays put. The sides are spaced apart so that it is easy to just drop the grinder in yet not move too much.



My other angle grinder has a bar attached to the side. It too just drops in place.

***Do not be tempted to leave the grinder running while it is in this nest!***

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I received two great comments. The first was from Ken Moore. He suggested controlling power via a foot pedal since the switches on these angle grinders is not that easy to operate.

"pfredX1" from Homemadetools.net had a great solution that I totally missed: stop the wheel on whatever you were just grinding. Then you don't need to build the nest.

I welcome your comments and questions.

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