

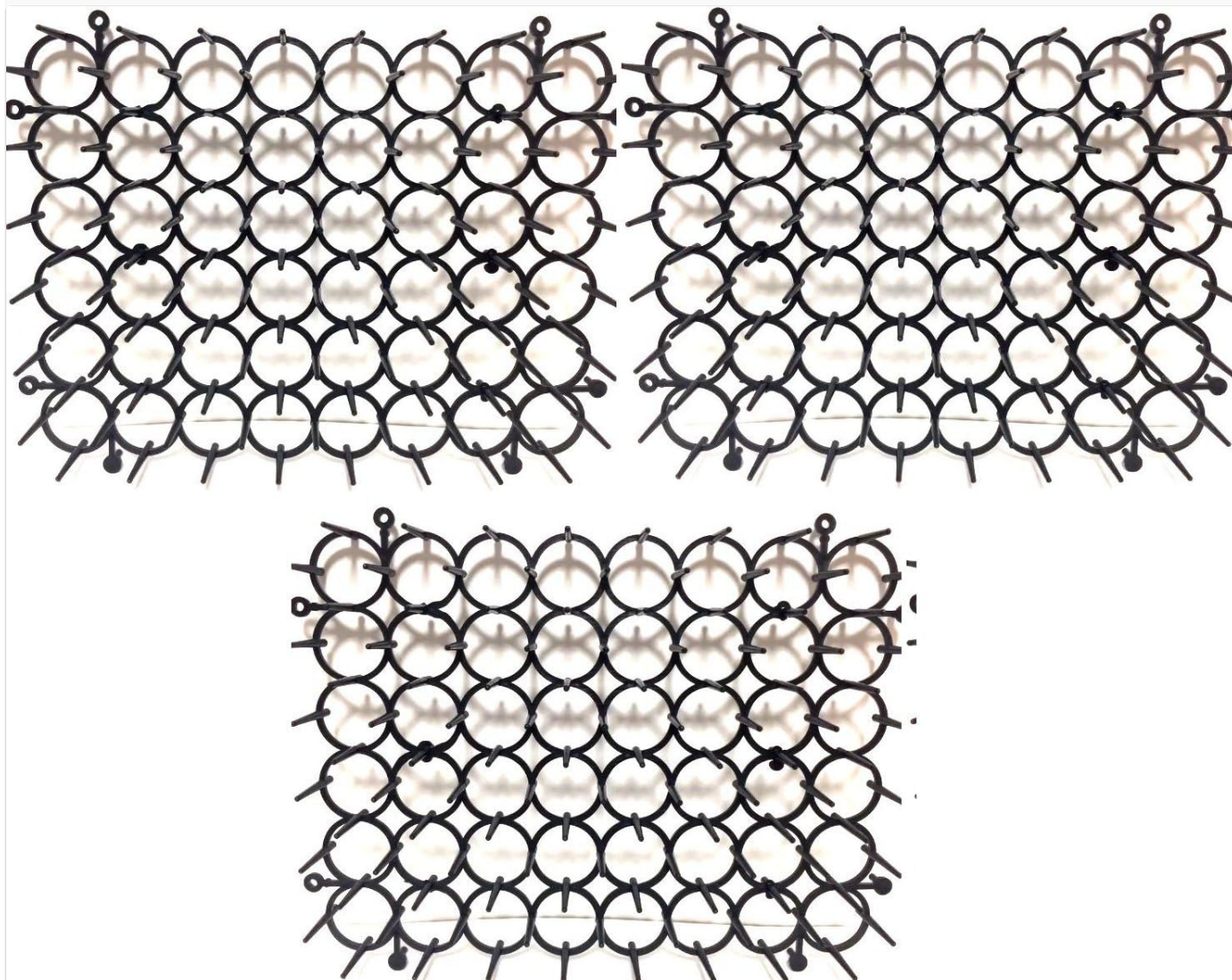
## Daiso A73-1

# Daiso Japan Cat Repellent Mat (Model A73-1)

## Instruction Manual

### 1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the Daiso Japan Cat Repellent Mat. This product is designed to deter small animals, such as cats, from specific areas without causing them harm. Its simple design and durable construction make it suitable for various outdoor and indoor applications where animal presence is undesirable. Please read this manual carefully to ensure proper use and optimal performance of your repellent mats.



## 2. SAFETY INFORMATION

The Daiso Japan Cat Repellent Mat is designed to be a humane deterrent. While the spikes are intended to be uncomfortable, they are not sharp enough to cause serious injury to animals or humans under normal use. However, please observe the following safety guidelines:

- Keep out of reach of small children to prevent accidental contact with the spikes.
- Handle with care to avoid minor scratches.
- Do not use this product in a manner inconsistent with its intended purpose.
- Ensure mats are placed securely to prevent tripping hazards for humans.

## 3. SETUP AND PLACEMENT

The mats are versatile and can be placed in various locations where small animals are likely to visit. They can also be customized to fit specific areas.

### 3.1 Recommended Placement Areas:

- Gardens and flower beds to protect plants.
- Planter boxes and potted plants.
- Under eaves or window sills.
- Around outdoor furniture or vehicles.

### 3.2 Installation Steps:

1. **Identify Target Area:** Determine the specific location where you wish to deter animals.
2. **Prepare Surface:** Ensure the surface is relatively clean and clear of large debris.
3. **Place Mats:** Lay the mats directly on the ground or desired surface with the spikes facing upwards.
4. **Connect Mats (Optional):** Multiple mats can be connected using the interlocking tabs on the sides to cover larger areas.
5. **Cut to Size (Optional):** If a smaller or custom shape is needed, the plastic mats can be carefully cut with strong scissors or wire cutters.



Image 3.1: Stacked Daiso Japan Cat Repellent Mats, illustrating their compact form and packaging.

## 4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The Daiso Japan Cat Repellent Mat operates passively by creating an uncomfortable surface for animals to walk on. Once placed, no further action is required. The presence of the mats discourages animals from entering or lingering in the protected area.

- Ensure the mats cover the entire area you wish to protect. Gaps may allow animals to bypass the deterrent.
- The mats are weatherproof and designed for continuous outdoor use.

## 5. MAINTENANCE

The Daiso Japan Cat Repellent Mat requires minimal maintenance due to its durable plastic construction.

- **Cleaning:** Periodically inspect the mats for accumulated dirt, leaves, or debris. Clean with water and a mild detergent if necessary. Rinse thoroughly and allow to air dry.
- **Inspection:** Check for any damage or wear, especially if the mats are exposed to harsh weather conditions or heavy use. While durable, extreme force could potentially damage the plastic.
- **Storage:** If not in use, clean the mats and store them in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight to prolong their lifespan.

## 6. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you find that the mats are not effectively deterring animals, consider the following:

- **Insufficient Coverage:** Ensure the entire area is covered. Animals may find small gaps to navigate through. Consider adding more mats or repositioning existing ones.
- **Alternative Access Points:** Animals might be accessing the area from an unprotected side or by jumping over the mats. Evaluate all possible entry points.

- **Obstacles:** Ensure there are no objects (e.g., large rocks, branches) that allow animals to step over the mats easily.
- **Persistent Animals:** Some animals may be more persistent. In such cases, combining the mats with other deterrents (e.g., scent-based repellents, motion-activated sprinklers) might be necessary.

## 7. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand Name	Daiso Japan
Model Number	A73-1
Material	Plastic
Item Package Dimensions (L x W x H)	8.66 x 6.81 x 1.38 inches (approximate for 3pcs)
Package Weight	0.08 Kilograms (approximate for 3pcs)
Manufacturer	Daiso Japan

## 8. WARRANTY INFORMATION

Specific warranty details for the Daiso Japan Cat Repellent Mat are not provided in this manual. For information regarding product warranty, returns, or defects, please refer to the purchase documentation or contact the retailer from whom the product was purchased. Standard return policies typically apply.

## 9. CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For any questions, concerns, or assistance with your Daiso Japan Cat Repellent Mat, please contact the retailer or the official Daiso Japan customer service channels. Contact information can usually be found on the product packaging or the retailer's website.

