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GDLF Reptile Tank Stand User Manual

Model: PET788m

1. Product Overview

The GDLF Reptile Tank Stand is a versatile and sturdy furniture piece designed to accommodate reptile terrariums and fish tanks up to 120 gallons. Its robust construction and thoughtful design provide a secure foundation for your pet's habitat while offering ample storage and display options.

Key features include:

- **Large Tabletop:** A spacious 48" x 24" desktop suitable for 40 to 120-gallon reptile tanks, including those for bearded dragons.
- **Durable Construction:** Built with a sturdy iron frame and P2-rated MDF panels, ensuring a weight capacity of up to 1100 pounds. It is designed to be sturdy, durable, and moisture-resistant.
- **Ample Storage:** Features two enclosed cabinets and an open shelf, perfect for organizing reptile food, health supplies, habitat decor, lighting, and other essentials.
- **Versatile Display Shelf:** An integrated top shelf provides additional vertical space for displaying plants, decorations, or other items, enhancing the overall aesthetic of your pet's living space.



Figure 1: GDLF Reptile Tank Stand with a terrarium and accessories.

2. Safety Information

Please read and understand all safety instructions before assembly and use. Failure to follow these instructions may result in injury or damage to the product.

- **Weight Capacity:** Do not exceed the maximum weight capacity of 1100 pounds for the main tabletop and 44 pounds for the top shelf. Overloading can cause the stand to collapse.
- **Assembly:** Assembly requires two people due to the weight of the components. Ensure all hardware is securely tightened before placing any weight on the stand.
- **Placement:** Place the stand on a flat, level, and stable surface to prevent tipping. Avoid placing in areas with high humidity or direct sunlight, which could affect the material integrity over time.
- **Children and Pets:** Keep small children and pets away from the assembly area. Do not allow children to climb on

or play with the stand.

- **Moving the Stand:** Due to its weight, always empty the stand and terrarium/tank before attempting to move it. Use proper lifting techniques or seek assistance.

3. Assembly Instructions

Assembly of the GDLF Reptile Tank Stand typically takes a few hours. All necessary hardware and tools are included. It is highly recommended to have two people for assembly due to the weight of the components.

3.1. Preparation

1. **Unpack Components:** Carefully open the packaging and remove all components. The box is heavy, so consider opening it and moving pieces individually to your assembly location.
2. **Verify Parts:** Check the parts list against the included hardware and panels. All parts are labeled for easy identification.
3. **Clear Workspace:** Ensure you have a spacious, clean, and level area for assembly to spread out all components.

3.2. Step-by-Step Assembly

Follow the detailed instructions provided in the included manual. Pay close attention to the orientation of panels and the correct hardware for each step.

- **Base Cabinet Assembly:** Begin by assembling the main cabinet structure. Ensure all cam locks and screws are fully tightened for stability.
- **Side Panels and Legs:** When attaching the side pieces with the legs, refer to later steps in the manual to confirm correct orientation before fully securing.
- **Doors and Hinges:** Install the cabinet doors using the provided hinges. Adjust as necessary for proper alignment.
- **Top Shelf Assembly:** For easier installation, it is recommended to attach the two vertical support pieces to the main stand separately. Then, attach the crossbar, shelf, and top piece to these supports. This method can simplify the process compared to assembling the entire top shelf unit and then attaching it.
- **Final Tightening:** Once fully assembled, re-check all screws and connections to ensure they are tight and secure.

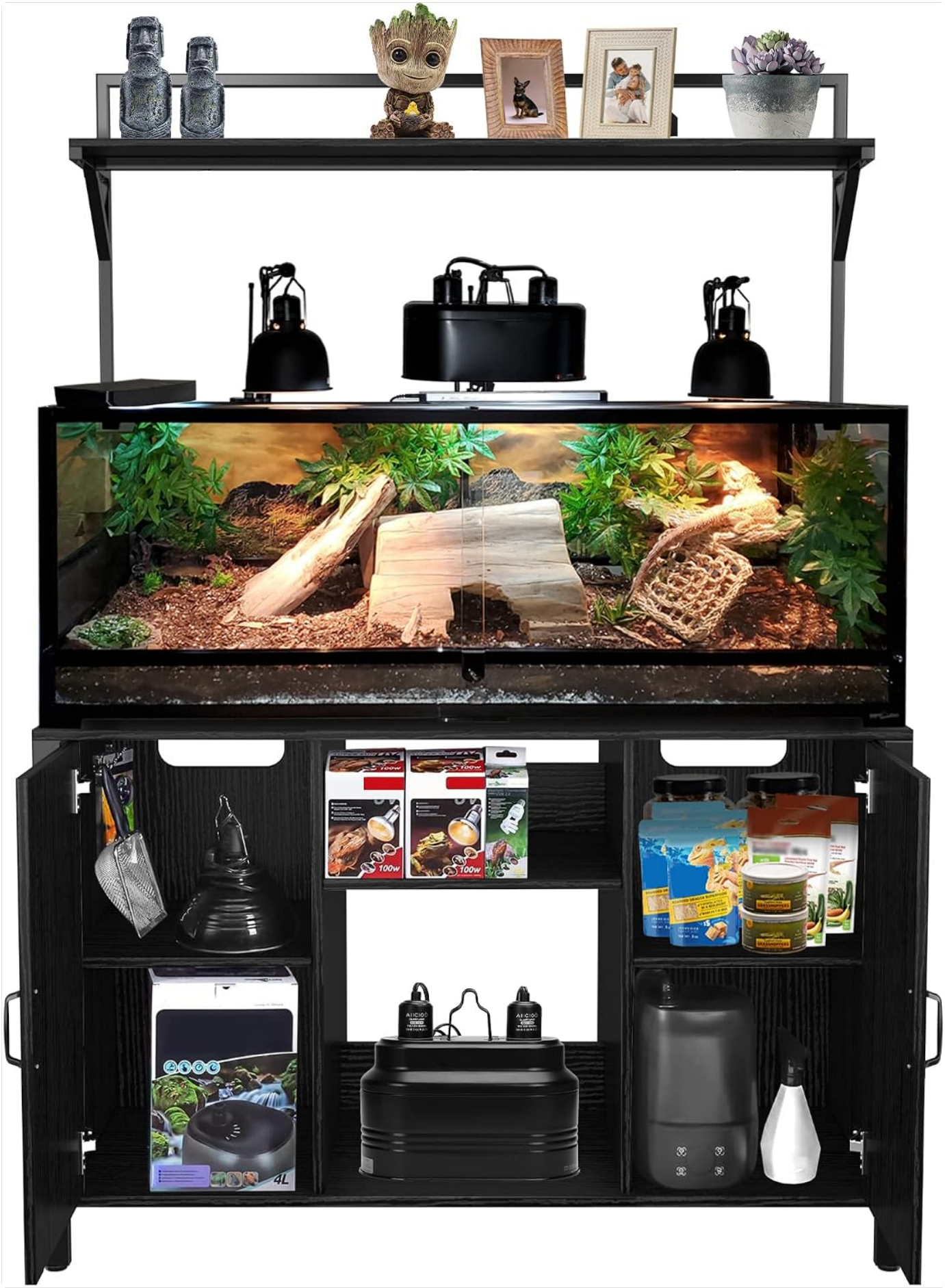


Figure 2: Components of the GDLF Reptile Tank Stand.



Figure 3: Detailed product features and dimensions.

4. Operating and Usage

The GDLF Reptile Tank Stand is designed for optimal functionality and aesthetic integration with your pet's habitat.

- **Terrarium/Tank Placement:** The 48" x 24" tabletop is specifically designed to securely hold reptile terrariums or fish tanks ranging from 40 to 120 gallons. Ensure the tank is centered and stable on the tabletop.
- **Storage Utilization:** Utilize the two enclosed cabinets and the open central shelf to store all necessary pet supplies, including food, cleaning tools, substrate, and lighting accessories. This helps maintain a tidy and organized pet area.
- **Top Shelf Display:** The elevated top shelf is ideal for displaying decorative items, plants, or additional smaller pet accessories, enhancing the visual appeal of your setup.
- **Cable Management:** The stand features a U-shaped groove on the back, convenient for routing power cords and

tubing for lighting, heating, and filtration systems, keeping cables neat and out of sight.



Figure 4: Stand in use with a terrarium and accessories.

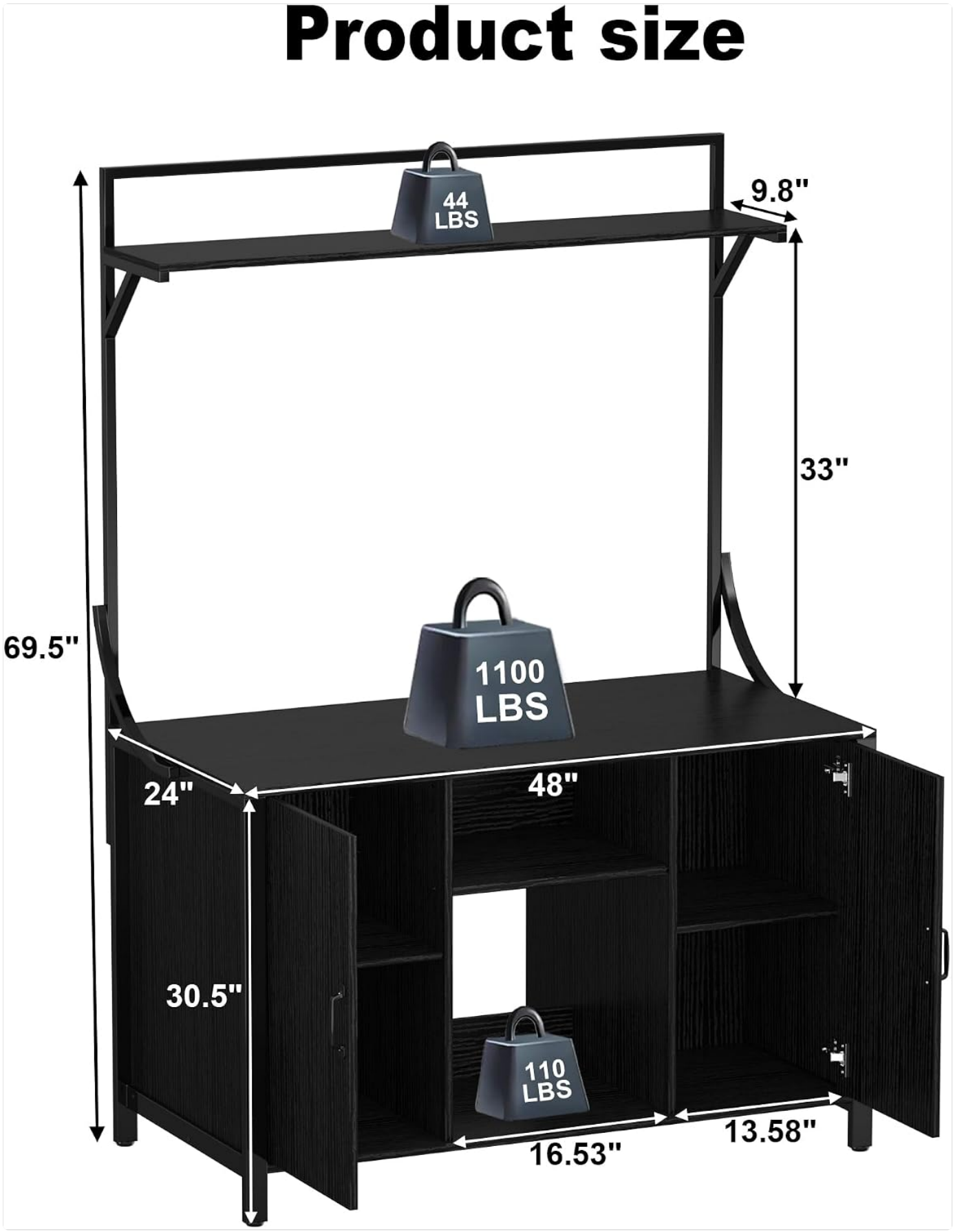


Figure 5: Internal storage capacity of the stand.

5. Maintenance

To ensure the longevity and appearance of your GDLF Reptile Tank Stand, follow these simple maintenance guidelines:

- **Cleaning:** Wipe surfaces with a soft, damp cloth. Avoid harsh chemicals or abrasive cleaners, which can damage the finish.
- **Spills:** Promptly wipe up any liquid spills to prevent moisture damage, especially around the edges and seams.
- **Hardware Check:** Periodically check all screws and connections to ensure they remain tight. Re-tighten if necessary.
- **Environmental Conditions:** While moisture-resistant, prolonged exposure to excessive humidity or direct sunlight should be avoided to prevent warping or fading.

6. Troubleshooting

If you encounter any issues with your GDLF Reptile Tank Stand, refer to the following common solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Stand feels wobbly or unstable.	Loose hardware; uneven floor.	Ensure all screws and bolts are tightened. Adjust the adjustable feet on the bottom of the stand to level it on uneven surfaces.
Cabinet doors do not align properly.	Hinges are not adjusted correctly.	Adjust the screws on the hinges to align the doors. Refer to the assembly manual for specific hinge adjustment instructions.
Missing or damaged parts upon arrival.	Shipping damage or packing error.	Contact GDLF customer support immediately with your purchase details for replacement parts.

7. Specifications

Feature	Detail
Model Number	PET788m
Overall Dimensions (L x W x H)	48" x 24" x 69.5"
Tabletop Dimensions (L x W)	48" x 24"
Item Weight	127 pounds
Main Tabletop Weight Capacity	Up to 1100 pounds
Top Shelf Weight Capacity	Up to 44 pounds
Material	Wood (P2 MDF), Metal (Iron Frame)
Color	Black
Max Tank Volume Supported	120 Gallons

Feature	Detail
Special Features	Integrated Storage, Top Display Shelf, Cable Management Groove, Adjustable Feet

8. Warranty and Support

The GDLF Reptile Tank Stand comes with a **30-day return policy** from the date of purchase. For any issues, questions, or to request replacement parts, please contact GDLF customer support.

For more information and support, visit the official GDLF Store on Amazon:GDLF Store

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