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Model: 10x12

## 1. INTRODUCTION

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This manual provides detailed instructions for the assembly, operation, and maintenance of your WACASA 10x12 Metal Shed. Designed for outdoor storage, this shed features a reinforced frame, translucent roof panels for natural lighting, lockable double doors for security, and integrated windows and vents for airflow. Please read this manual thoroughly before beginning assembly to ensure proper installation and safe use.



Figure 1: Exterior view of the WACASA 10x12 Metal Shed with open doors.

## 2. SAFETY INFORMATION

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**Important Foundation Requirement:** For maximum stability and to withstand severe weather conditions (e.g., heavy snow, high winds), it is strongly recommended to build a concrete foundation for your shed. Use the included anchors to permanently secure the shed to this foundation.

If installation on a soft surface (such as dirt, soil, or gravel) is planned, you must purchase separate heavy-duty auger anchors. These anchors should be at least 30 to 36 inches (75-90 cm) long to ensure they grip deep into the ground, below the frost line, for a firm and secure hold.

General safety warnings are provided with the product packaging. Always follow local building codes and safety regulations during installation and use. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) during assembly, such as gloves and eye protection.

## 3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

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Your WACASA 10x12 Metal Shed will be delivered in multiple packages, typically three. These packages may

arrive on different days. Please verify all packages have arrived before beginning assembly.

Upon receipt, carefully unpack all components and compare them against the parts list provided in your product packaging. Do not discard any packaging until assembly is complete and all parts are accounted for. If any parts are missing or damaged, contact WACASA customer service immediately.

Typical components include:

- Metal wall panels
- Roof panels (including translucent sections)
- Frame components (beams, supports, connectors)
- Double door assembly
- Window frames and acrylic panels
- Hardware kit (screws, bolts, washers, nuts)
- Anchoring kit

## 4. SETUP & ASSEMBLY

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Assembly of the WACASA 10x12 Metal Shed requires approximately 24 hours with 3-5 people. Following the detailed step-by-step instructions provided in your product packaging is crucial for smooth installation.

### 4.1 Recommended Tools

- Ladder
- Electric Screwdriver / Drill
- Measuring Tape
- Level
- Wrenches / Socket Set
- Utility Knife
- Work Gloves
- Safety Glasses

### 4.2 Site Preparation

Choose a level site for your shed. Ensure the ground is clear of debris, rocks, and vegetation. As noted in the safety section, a concrete foundation is highly recommended for optimal stability. If using a soft surface, ensure appropriate heavy-duty auger anchors are acquired and installed correctly.

### 4.3 Assembly Steps (General Overview)

1. **Base Assembly:** Construct the shed's base frame according to the instructions. Ensure it is square and level.
2. **Wall Panel Installation:** Attach the metal wall panels to the base frame. Pay close attention to the orientation of each panel.
3. **Roof Frame Construction:** Assemble the internal roof frame, which provides the shed's structural integrity. This reinforced frame is designed for exceptional durability against snow and wind.
4. **Roof Panel Installation:** Install the roof panels, including the translucent sections, onto the roof frame. Ensure all panels are securely fastened and sealed to prevent water intrusion.
5. **Door and Window Installation:** Install the double swinging doors and the shatter-resistant acrylic windows. The windows are designed for DIY installation on any wall panel, allowing for flexible

placement.

6. **Final Securing:** Use the provided anchoring kit to secure the shed to your chosen foundation.



Figure 2: Shed dimensions and customizable window placement.



Figure 3: Illustration of the reinforced roof construction.

## 5. OPERATING YOUR SHED

### 5.1 Access and Security

The shed is equipped with lockable double doors, providing secure access to your stored items. Ensure the doors are properly closed and locked when the shed is not in use to protect your valuables.

### 5.2 Natural Lighting and Ventilation

The translucent roof panels allow natural light to illuminate the interior, reducing the need for artificial lighting during the day. Two air vents and shatter-resistant acrylic windows facilitate optimal ventilation, helping to prevent moisture buildup and maintain air quality inside the shed.



Figure 4: Interior view highlighting natural light from the translucent roof.

## 6. MAINTENANCE

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Your WACASA metal shed is constructed from heavy-duty steel, designed for durability and weather resistance. Regular maintenance will help ensure its longevity.

- **Cleaning:** Periodically clean the exterior and interior surfaces with mild soap and water. Avoid abrasive cleaners or harsh chemicals that could damage the finish.
- **Inspection:** Annually inspect all fasteners, bolts, and anchors to ensure they are tight and secure. Check for any signs of rust or corrosion, especially in areas exposed to moisture. Address any issues promptly.
- **Drainage:** Ensure that water drains away from the shed's base to prevent pooling, which can lead to corrosion over time.
- **Door Operation:** Lubricate door hinges and latches as needed to ensure smooth operation.

## 7. TROUBLESHOOTING

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Below are common issues that may arise during or after assembly, along with potential solutions.

| Issue                                  | Possible Cause / Solution  |
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| Difficulty understanding instructions  | Review all diagrams and text carefully. If still unclear, contact WACASA customer service for clarification.   |
| Bent or damaged pieces upon arrival    | Inspect all packages immediately upon delivery. If parts are bent or damaged, contact WACASA customer service for replacements before attempting assembly. Minor bends may sometimes be carefully straightened if they do not compromise structural integrity. |
| Pre-drilled holes do not align         | Ensure all panels and frame components are correctly oriented and not forced. Slight adjustments may be needed. In some cases, minor re-drilling may be necessary, but proceed with caution to avoid damaging the material.                                    |
| Missing hardware (screws, bolts)       | Double-check all packaging. If hardware is genuinely missing, contact WACASA customer service for a replacement kit. Do not substitute with incorrect hardware.  |
| Doors do not line up or close properly | Verify the shed's base is perfectly level and square. Check door frame assembly for any misalignment. Adjust hinges or frame components as needed.   |

## 8. SPECIFICATIONS

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| Feature                        | Detail                              |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Brand                          | WACASA                              |
| Model Style                    | 10x12'                              |
| Color                          | Midnight Blue                       |
| Material                       | Aluminum, Metal (Alloy Steel Frame) |
| Product Dimensions (D x W x H) | 139"D x 114"W x 84"H                |
| Item Weight                    | 299 Pounds                          |
| Base Material                  | Alloy Steel                         |
| Top Material Type              | Metal                               |
| Water Resistance Level         | Water Resistant                     |
| Frame Material                 | Alloy Steel                         |
| Door Style                     | Double swinging doors               |
| Assembly Required              | Yes                                 |
| Floor Area                     | 111 Cubic Feet                      |
| Door Width                     | 55 Inches                           |
| Door Height                    | 67 Inches                           |
| Snow Load Capacity             | 30 lbs/sq ft                        |
| Wind Rating                    | >120 MPH                            |

## 9. WARRANTY & SUPPORT

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WACASA is committed to providing excellent customer service. For specific warranty details, please refer to the documentation included with your product or contact WACASA directly. If you encounter any issues during assembly or use, or if you require replacement parts, please reach out to our customer support team.

You can find more information and contact details by visiting the official WACASA store: [WACASA Store on Amazon](#).

## 10. PRODUCT VIDEOS

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No official product videos from the seller were provided in the product data for embedding in this manual.