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Model: 16418BK | Brand: AECOJOY

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the assembly, operation, and maintenance of your AECOJOY 14' x 10' Hardtop Gazebo. Designed for durability and comfort, this heavy-duty gazebo features a galvanized steel roof and an aluminum frame, offering robust protection against various weather conditions. Please read this manual thoroughly before beginning assembly or use to ensure safe and proper installation and long-term enjoyment of your product.



Figure 1: AECOJOY 14' x 10' Hardtop Gazebo providing shade on a patio.

SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

The AECOJOY Hardtop Gazebo is designed for straightforward assembly. While the process is user-friendly, careful attention to detail will ensure a successful and sturdy installation.

Before You Begin:

- **Review Instructions:** Read the entire assembly manual multiple times before starting. Familiarize yourself with all steps and components.
- **Organize Parts:** Carefully lay out all parts and pieces. Keep them organized to save time and prevent frustration during assembly.
- **Required Tools:** A real drill is necessary for tightening fasteners. A rubber mallet can be helpful for installing roof panels to ensure they lock in properly.
- **Team Assembly:** Assembly is significantly easier and safer with two people. A third person can also be helpful.

Assembly Steps and Tips:

1. **Secure Connections:** Use a threadlocker (such as Loctite) on screws and bolts to ensure very solid

post and beam assembly.

2. **Tool Usage:** Use hand tools to tighten nuts, bolts, and screws. This helps avoid damage to the finished paint surface of the posts and beams.
3. **Anchoring:** It is crucial to tie or secure the unit to a wall or house for solid weather and wind resistance. Fasten the posts to the ground, deck, or slab surface to resist high winds and storms.
4. **Panel Installation:** When installing the roof panels, a rubber mallet can assist in ensuring each piece locks securely into place.



Figure 2: Dimensional diagram of the AECOJOY 14' x 10' Hardtop Gazebo.

OPERATING YOUR GAZEBO

Your AECOJOY Hardtop Gazebo is designed to provide a comfortable and protected outdoor space. Its robust construction ensures reliable performance in various weather conditions.

Weather Resistance:

- **Wind Resistance:** The heavy-duty galvanized steel and aluminum construction is engineered to withstand winds exceeding 80 MPH.
- **Snow Load Capacity:** The galvanized hardtop can handle significant snow accumulation, with an exceptional capacity for up to 20 inches of heavy snow. This design is more durable than typical

polycarbonate panels.

- **UV Protection:** The metal gazebo roof offers 100% UV protection, creating a fully shaded area for comfortable outdoor enjoyment without worry of sun exposure.
- **Waterproof Design:** The roof is designed to be waterproof, ensuring a dry space underneath during rain.



Figure 3: Key features of the AECOJOY gazebo roof, including sun-block and wind resistance.



Figure 4: Visual representation of the gazebo's UV blockage, hail resistance, and snow load capacity.

MAINTENANCE

Regular maintenance will help preserve the appearance and structural integrity of your AECOJOY Hardtop Gazebo for years to come.

- **General Cleaning:** Periodically clean the frame and roof panels with mild soap and water. Avoid abrasive cleaners or tools that could scratch the finish.
- **Sealant Application:** Consider applying a silicone caulk along the center seams of the roof panels to enhance waterproofing, especially in areas prone to heavy rain.
- **Snow Management:** While the gazebo has a high snow load capacity, in regions with extremely heavy snowfall, adding additional temporary supports underneath the roof may be advisable to prevent excessive stress.
- **Fastener Checks:** Periodically inspect all nuts, bolts, and screws to ensure they remain tight. Re-tighten as necessary.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Should you encounter any issues with your AECOJOY Hardtop Gazebo, the following common solutions may be helpful. For further assistance, please contact customer support.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Roof panels do not fit or lock properly.	Misalignment or insufficient force during installation.	Ensure panels are correctly aligned. Use a rubber mallet to gently tap panels into place until they lock securely.
Roof appears to sag in the middle (for longer models).	Lack of central support for extended lengths.	Consider adding a center post or additional hardware to support the middle section of the roof, especially on the side attached to a house.
Unit feels unstable or wobbly.	Insufficient anchoring or loose fasteners.	Ensure all posts are securely fastened to the ground/deck. Verify all bolts and screws are tightened according to assembly instructions. Ensure the unit is properly secured to an adjacent structure if applicable.

If you encounter any issues not covered here, or require further assistance, our expert tech team is available for remote support.

SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Brand	AECOJOY
Model Number	16418BK
Product Dimensions	168"L x 120"W x 98.4"H (14' x 10' x 8.2' H)
Material	Galvanized Steel Roof, Aluminum Frame
Item Weight	216 Pounds
Color	Black Steel Roof
Water Resistance Level	Waterproof
Ultraviolet Light Protection	100% UV Block
Assembly Required	Yes
Floor Area	100 Square Feet

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

AECOJOY is committed to providing a worry-free experience for its customers.

- **Product Support:** We stand behind our gazebo 100%. Our professional team is available 24/7 to answer any questions regarding installation, usage, maintenance, and replacements.
- **Returns:** Enjoy 30-day easy returns for your convenience.

For any inquiries or support, please refer to the contact information provided with your purchase or visit the official AECOJOY website.

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