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## PawHut D32-037V00GY

# PawHut Outdoor Catio Cat Enclosure User Manual

Model: D32-037V00GY | Brand: PawHut

## INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential instructions for the safe assembly, operation, and maintenance of your PawHut Outdoor Catio Cat Enclosure, Model D32-037V00GY. Please read this manual thoroughly before assembly and retain it for future reference. This catio is designed to provide a secure and stimulating outdoor environment for your cats.

## SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

- Always assemble the catio on a flat, stable surface.
- Ensure all screws and fasteners are securely tightened before use. Periodically check for loose connections.
- This catio is designed for cats. Do not allow children or other animals to climb or play inside unsupervised.
- Position the catio against a sturdy structure, such as a house wall, as the back is open.
- Regularly inspect the structure for any damage, wear, or loose parts. Repair or replace as necessary.
- Do not overload the jumping platforms; the maximum load capacity is 22 lbs.
- Ensure proper ventilation within the enclosure, especially during warm weather.
- Keep the catio clean to maintain a hygienic environment for your pets.

## PARTS LIST

Before beginning assembly, verify that all components are present and undamaged. Refer to the included hardware and panel diagrams for specific part identification.

- Wooden frame panels (various sizes)
- Metal mesh panels
- Jumping platforms (6 units)
- Ramps (2 units)
- Scratching post (1 unit)
- Waterproof PC board roof panels
- Hardware kit (screws, L-shaped metal brackets, expansion screws, hinges, latches)

- Assembly instructions booklet

## SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

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Assembly typically requires two people. Lay out all panels and hardware in an organized manner before starting. A drill, an offset ratcheting screwdriver, and wood glue are recommended tools for easier assembly.

1. **Unpack and Identify Parts:** Carefully unpack all components. Match each part to the diagrams in the assembly instructions.
2. **Assemble Base Frame:** Connect the bottom frame pieces according to the instructions, ensuring they are square and stable.
3. **Attach Side and Front Panels:** Securely attach the side and front mesh panels to the base frame using the provided screws and L-shaped metal brackets. Pay close attention to the orientation of panels with doors.
4. **Install Internal Platforms and Ramps:** Mount the jumping platforms and ramps at the designated heights. Ensure they are level and firmly attached to support your cats' weight.
5. **Install Scratching Post:** Secure the scratching post in its intended location.
6. **Attach Roof:** Position and secure the waterproof PC board roof panels. Ensure proper overlap for weather resistance.
7. **Secure to Structure:** The catio is designed to stand against a building. For enhanced stability, consider using additional metal brackets or braces to secure it to your house or a sturdy outdoor structure.
8. **Final Inspection:** Double-check all connections for tightness and stability. Ensure all doors latch securely.



Image: The fully assembled PawHut Outdoor Catio Cat Enclosure, showing its multi-level design and integration with a home exterior.



Image: Detailed dimensions of the PawHut Outdoor Catio Cat Enclosure, including height, width, and depth measurements.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

This catio provides a safe outdoor space for your cats to explore and relax.

- **Cat Access:** Use the large front door or the two side doors to allow your cats to enter and exit the enclosure. Ensure doors are securely latched when cats are inside.
- **Enrichment:** The six jumping platforms, two ramps, and scratching post are designed for your cats' activity and enjoyment. Encourage them to use these features.
- **Placement:** Position the catio near a window or sliding door for easy access from your home, if desired.

# EXPAND YOUR CAT'S OUTDOOR SPACE



·Sunbathing



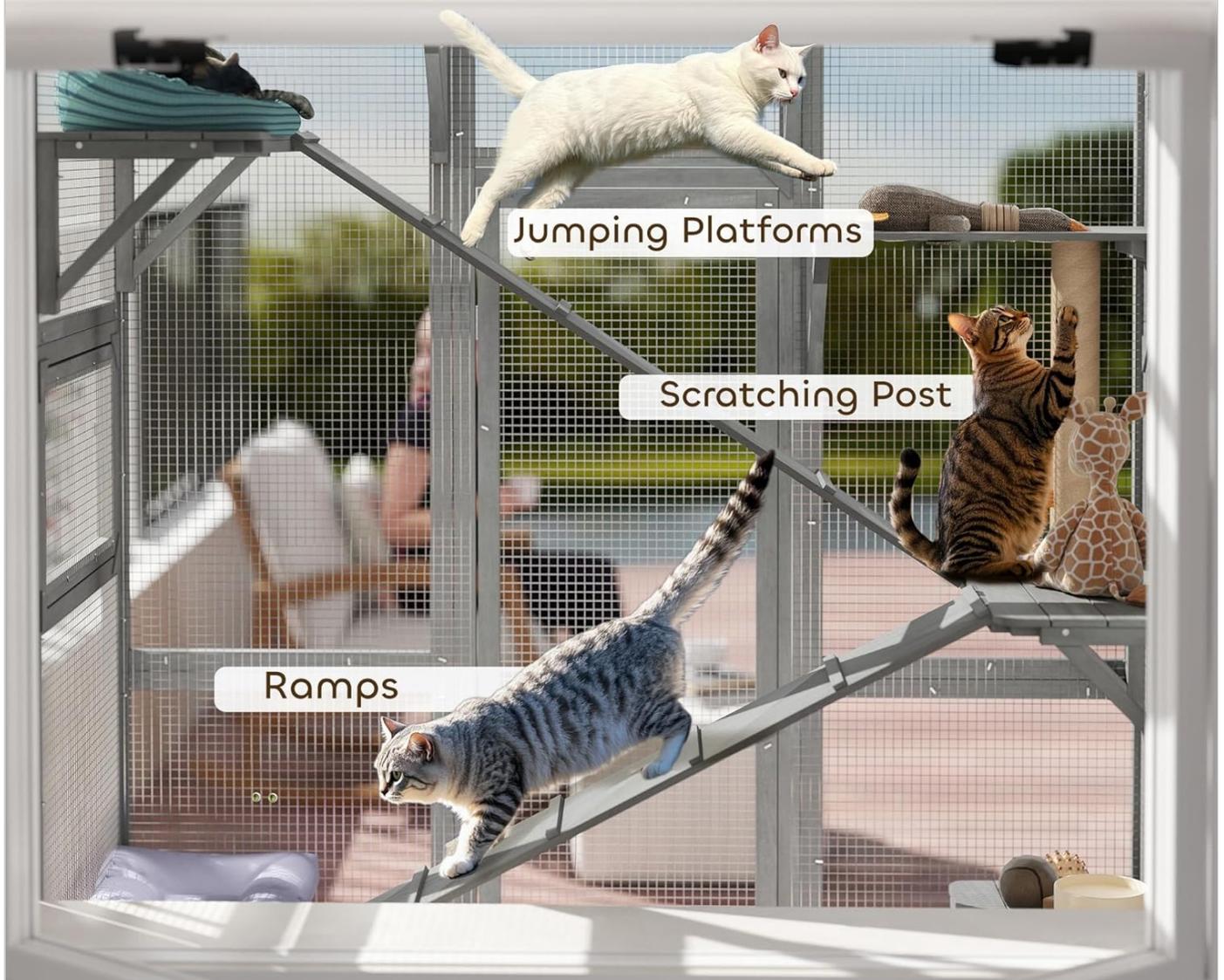
·Playing

·Napping

Image: Cats utilizing the various levels and spaces within the catio for sunbathing, playing, and napping, highlighting the enclosure's versatility.

# ACTIVITY CENTER

Suitable for 2-3 cats



Jumping Platforms

Scratching Post

Ramps

Image: A close-up view of the catio's interior, showcasing the jumping platforms, scratching post, and ramps designed for cat activity.



Image: Illustration of the catio's access points, including a large front door and two side doors for convenient entry and exit.

## MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning:** Regularly clean the catio using pet-safe cleaning solutions. The large doors facilitate easy access for cleaning.
- **Structural Integrity:** Periodically check all wooden components for signs of wear, rot, or damage. Inspect metal mesh for any breaks or sharp edges.
- **Fasteners:** Ensure all screws, bolts, and latches remain tight. Re-tighten as needed to maintain stability.
- **Roof Maintenance:** Inspect the waterproof PC board roof for cracks or leaks, especially after severe weather.
- **Scratching Post:** Replace the scratching post material if it becomes excessively worn.



# BETTER PROTECTION

Weather protection PC roof is suitable for outdoor use

Image: A close-up of the catio's waterproof PC board roof, designed to provide protection from weather elements for outdoor use.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Catio feels unstable or wobbly.	Loose fasteners; uneven assembly surface; not secured to a wall.	Ensure all screws are tightened. Assemble on a level surface. Secure the catio to a sturdy wall or structure using appropriate anchors.
Doors do not close or latch properly.	Misaligned hinges; bent latch components; frame distortion.	Check hinge alignment and adjust if necessary. Straighten or replace bent latch parts. Ensure the frame is square.
Water leakage from the roof.	Improper roof panel installation; damaged roof panel.	Verify roof panels are correctly overlapped and sealed. Inspect for cracks and replace damaged panels.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Cats are not using platforms/ramps.	Unfamiliarity; platforms feel unstable.	Encourage use with treats or toys. Ensure platforms are secure and do not flex excessively.

## SPECIFICATIONS

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**Model:** D32-037V00GY

**Brand:** PawHut

**Product Dimensions (L x W x H):** 63.8" x 24.2" x 99.2" (162 cm x 61.5 cm x 252 cm)

**Item Weight:** 56 Pounds (25.4 kg)

**Material:** Fir wood, Metal mesh, PC board (roof)

**Color:** Gray

**Number of Levels:** 6 (jumping platforms)

**Maximum Load per Platform:** 22 lbs (10 kg)

**Recommended for:** 2-3 cats

**Features:** Multi-level design, Secure enclosure, Weather-resistant roof, Scratching post, Ramps

**Manufacturer:** Aosom LLC

## WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

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This PawHut Outdoor Catio Cat Enclosure (Model D32-037V00GY) comes with a **1 Year Warranty Against Manufacturer Defects**. For warranty claims, technical support, or replacement parts, please contact Aosom LLC customer service. Retain your proof of purchase for warranty validation.

**Manufacturer:** Aosom LLC

Please refer to the contact information provided at the point of purchase or on the manufacturer's official website for the most current support details.

