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Devoko 8x12 FT Outdoor Metal Storage Shed User Manual

Model: DV26-PS23-0356D-8

Introduction

Thank you for choosing the Devoko 8x12 FT Outdoor Metal Storage Shed. This manual provides essential information for the safe assembly, proper operation, and effective maintenance of your new storage shed. Please read these instructions thoroughly before beginning assembly and retain them for future reference.

This steel shed is designed for outdoor storage, offering 579 cubic feet of usable space. It is constructed from color-coated galvanized steel for rust resistance and UV protection, featuring a sloped roof for efficient water and snow runoff. The shed includes a galvanized foundation to elevate the structure and four built-in air vents for ventilation.



Image: The Devoko 8x12 FT Outdoor Metal Storage Shed, showcasing its brown exterior and overall structure.

Safety Information

- Assembly requires at least 2 people. Heavy components need to be handled with care.
- Always follow safety guidelines provided with the product.
- Wear appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) such as gloves and eye protection during assembly.
- Ensure the assembly area is clear of obstructions and children.
- Do not assemble in strong winds or adverse weather conditions.
- Check your local Homeowners Association (HOA) policy to ensure that the shed can be built in your area.

Components List

The Devoko 8x12 FT Outdoor Metal Storage Shed is shipped in 2 separate boxes. Before beginning assembly, verify that all parts are present and undamaged. Refer to the included parts list in your packaging for detailed identification.

Key Components:

- Galvanized Steel Panels (Walls, Roof)
- Galvanized Foundation Kit
- Lockable Double Doors
- Roof Ridge and Support Beams
- Air Vents (4 units)
- Fasteners (Screws, bolts, nuts, washers)
- Door Latch Mechanism
- Screw Protection Caps



Image: An illustration of the Devoko 8x12 FT Storage Shed with key dimensions highlighted, including width, depth, and door height.

Setup and Assembly

Assembly of the Devoko 8x12 FT Outdoor Metal Storage Shed requires at least two people for easier and smoother setup. Follow the step-by-step instructions provided in the separate assembly manual included in your packaging. Below are general guidelines:

1. **Site Preparation:** Choose a level, stable surface for your shed. The included galvanized foundation helps elevate the structure, but a relatively flat area is still recommended.
2. **Unpacking and Sorting:** Carefully unpack all boxes. Identify and sort all components according to the parts list. Ensure all fasteners are accounted for.
3. **Foundation Assembly:** Assemble the galvanized foundation frame first. This provides a stable base for the shed.
4. **Wall Panel Installation:** Attach the wall panels to the foundation frame, following the numerical sequence in the assembly manual. Secure panels using the provided screws and bolts.
5. **Roof Structure Assembly:** Construct the roof frame and attach the roof panels. Ensure the sloped roof design is correctly oriented for water runoff.
6. **Door Installation:** Install the double doors, ensuring they open and close smoothly. Attach the padlock-ready latch.
7. **Ventilation and Finishing:** Install the four air vents. Apply screw protection caps to exposed fasteners for a clean finish and added protection.



Image: The Devoko 8x12 FT Storage Shed positioned in a garden, demonstrating its integration into an outdoor environment.

Operating Instructions

Door Operation:

- The shed features double hinged doors. To open, unlatch the top and bottom latches on each door and pull the handles.
- To close, push the doors firmly shut and engage both the top and bottom latches to ensure a tight, warp-free seal.
- For security, attach a padlock (not included) to the padlock-ready latch on the door.

Ventilation:

- The four built-in air vents are designed to reduce moisture buildup and prevent musty odors inside the shed.

- Ensure vents are not obstructed by stored items to maintain proper airflow.



Image: The spacious interior of the Devoko 8x12 FT Storage Shed, demonstrating its capacity to store a lawnmower, wheelbarrow, and items on shelving units.

Maintenance

- **Cleaning:** Periodically clean the exterior of the shed with mild soap and water. Avoid abrasive cleaners or harsh chemicals that could damage the color-coated galvanized steel.
- **Rust Prevention:** Although made from galvanized steel, inspect the shed annually for any signs of rust, especially around fasteners or areas where the coating might be scratched. Touch up any affected areas with rust-inhibiting paint if necessary.
- **Fastener Check:** Regularly check all screws and bolts to ensure they remain tight. Tighten any loose fasteners to maintain structural integrity.
- **Ventilation Check:** Ensure the air vents are clear of debris (leaves, dirt, etc.) to allow for continuous airflow.

- **Door Functionality:** Lubricate door hinges if they become stiff. Ensure the door latches engage properly.
- **Snow Removal:** While the sloped roof is designed to shed snow, heavy snow accumulation should be removed to prevent excessive load on the roof structure.



Image: A split image illustrating the shed's sloped roof effectively shedding snow and an interior view showcasing organized tools, emphasizing all-weather protection and smart ventilation.

Troubleshooting

- **Doors not closing properly:** Check for obstructions in the door tracks or hinges. Ensure the shed is assembled on a level surface. Adjust hinges if necessary.
- **Water leakage:** Verify that all roof panels are correctly overlapped and secured. Ensure all fasteners are tight and that the shed is on a level foundation. Check for any damage to panels or seals.
- **Excessive moisture inside:** Ensure all four air vents are clear and unobstructed. Avoid storing wet items inside the

shed without proper drying.

- **Loose panels:** Re-tighten all screws and bolts. If a panel is damaged, contact customer support for replacement options.



Image: Detailed view of the shed's features, including integrated airflow vents, a padlock-ready latch, screw protection caps, and a reinforced roof ridge, all contributing to security and weather protection.

Specifications

Feature	Detail
Brand	Devoko
Model Number	DV26-PS23-0356D-8
Color	Brown

Material	Metal (Galvanized Steel)
Product Dimensions (D x W x H)	112.6"D x 75.6"W x 140.9"H
Item Weight	128.5 pounds
Floor Area	110 square feet
Door Width	44.4 inches
Door Height	64.3 inches
Door Style	Single Hinged, Lockable
Water Resistance Level	Water Resistant

Warranty Information

Specific warranty details for the Devoko 8x12 FT Outdoor Metal Storage Shed are typically provided with the product packaging or on the manufacturer's official website. Please refer to these resources for the most accurate and up-to-date warranty terms and conditions.

Generally, Devoko products are designed for durability and performance. Keep your proof of purchase for any warranty claims. The product is eligible for 30-day easy returns through the seller.

Customer Support

For any questions, concerns, or assistance with your Devoko 8x12 FT Outdoor Metal Storage Shed, please contact customer support.

- **Online Support:** Visit the official Devoko store on Amazon for product information and support resources:Devoko Store
- **Seller Contact:** For issues related to your purchase, you may contact the seller, devokowholesale, directly through your Amazon order details.
- **Assembly Assistance:** If you encounter difficulties during assembly, review the detailed assembly manual or seek professional assistance.

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