# Please Read All Instructions Carefully before Attempting to Install or Operate Your Power Pet Door.



**Fully Automatic Pet Door** 

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# **INSTALLATION & OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS**



#### 1. INTRODUCTION:

# **Product Description:**

Your new POWER PET Electronic Pet Door is like no other pet door Patented POWER PET<sup>TM</sup> made. electronic pet doors are fully automatic, motor driven and open completely under their own power. Activated by an ultrasonic pet collar, your new POWER PET door will keep out stray animals. It is secure against wind, rain, cold and snow and provides much better insulation than a conventional flap door. Your new POWER PET door features an attractive, high-strength door panel that quickly and quietly powers upward disappearing into the stylish housing. Your pets are empowered to come and go as they please while their animal friends are politely asked to stay out.

POWER PET doors increase home security with a special automatic, dead bolt locking feature that guards against would-be intruders. Only the coded signal from your pet's collar will open the Power Pet door.

Only Power Pet doors feature an ingenious directional sensing system that operates a fully automatic, motor driven panel. The signal emitted from your pet's collar tells the Power Pet door how far away your pet is and the direction in which your pet is traveling. This allows the Power Pet to work like magic, opening only when your pet is on a direct approach, not when it is just wandering by and not when it is sitting or sleeping next to the door



#### **ALL NEW DESIGN!**

After selling thousands of our original POWER PET, PP models we are very pleased to introduce our All New, completely redesigned and restyled PX Model. We listened to the feedback of hundreds of customers and threw in a few ingenious, new ideas of our own to bring you the ultimate combination of security, style and convenient features.

The PX model features an extremely slim design is less than 2 inches deep. This allows it to be mounted flush to your door or wall. You cut a hole only as large as the door panel itself, then mount your POWER PET door in front of the opening. You will find it is actually easier to install a POWER PET door than a conventional pet door and certainly easier than installing a "between the studs type door"

The PX is constructed of an ultra-high strength ABS composite housing with a bullet-proof Lexan plastic door panel, giving you and your pet the ultimate in security. The Lexan panel is mounted on a sliding, air-tight seal for the best wind, rain and foul weather protection of any pet door made.

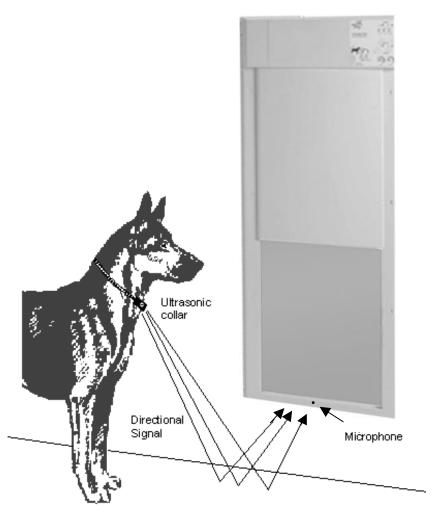
This new, absolutely state of the art design represents unquestionably the most advanced, most reliable, most stylish pet door made anywhere. In fact, your new POWER PET *Fully Automatic Pet Door* will be the most sophisticated appliance your pet will ever own!

# Standard Door Mount

#### Your POWER PET door package includes:

- · One Pet Transmitter Collar (Model MS-2 Standard Ultrasonic Transmitter Collar)
- · 110 volt AC Adapter
- · Pre-Fabricated Outside Frame
- · All Required Hardware

(Wall Adapter Tunnel, Rechargeable Battery, Battery Charger Kit and Extra Transmitter Collars are sold separately. Order Below)



#### PET COLLAR OPERATED:

Only the amazing POWER PET door uses our Patented directional ultrasonic sensing system. This system has great advantages over magnetic or radio transmitter collars.

Magnetic collars have a very limited range making it tough to train the pet to operate the door. Radio systems have good range but open whenever the animal is within that range, even if the pet is sitting, sleeping or just wandering by.

The Power Pet's directional ultrasonic system overcomes these problems. The Pet worn ultrasonic collar emits a highly directional signal, which is received by the microphone only when your pet is directly facing the door opening. The unit is not likely to trigger if your pet is just wandering by.

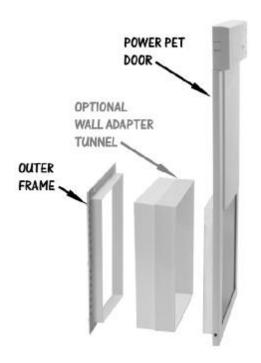
Typically the ultrasonic signal is bounced off the ground in the direction which your pet is facing. This means that surfaces which are highly reflective such as tile and linoleum will result in a longer working range than acoustically absorbent surfaces such as carpeting.

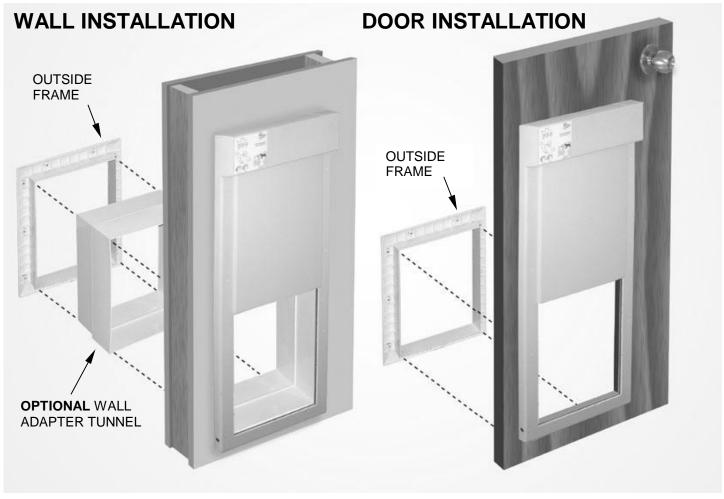
# INSTALLATION

### MOUNTING YOUR POWER PET DOOR

Your POWER PET door mounts flush to any door or wall. The hardest part of installing the POWER PET door is cutting the hole. If the unit is to be mounted in a door up to 1 ¾ thick there is no framing necessary. The pre-made Outer Frame that came with your POWER PET door will provide a finished look to the opening. If you are installing your POWER PET door in a wall, it is advisable to build a frame around the opening or order our convenient WALL ADAPTER TUNNEL. The hole dimensions given below are for the finished opening not including the frame. Dimensions of the frame you build should be added to the opening size to determine the final size of the hole you cut in your wall.

# **INSTALLATION OVERVIEW:**





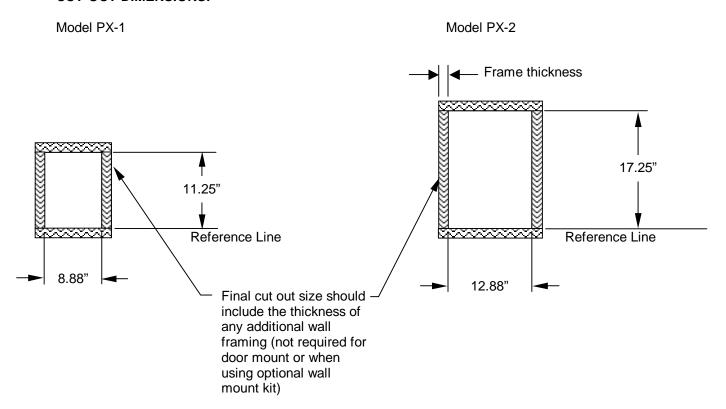
# POSITIONING THE OPENING ON DOOR OR WALL:



Measure height of animal's chest

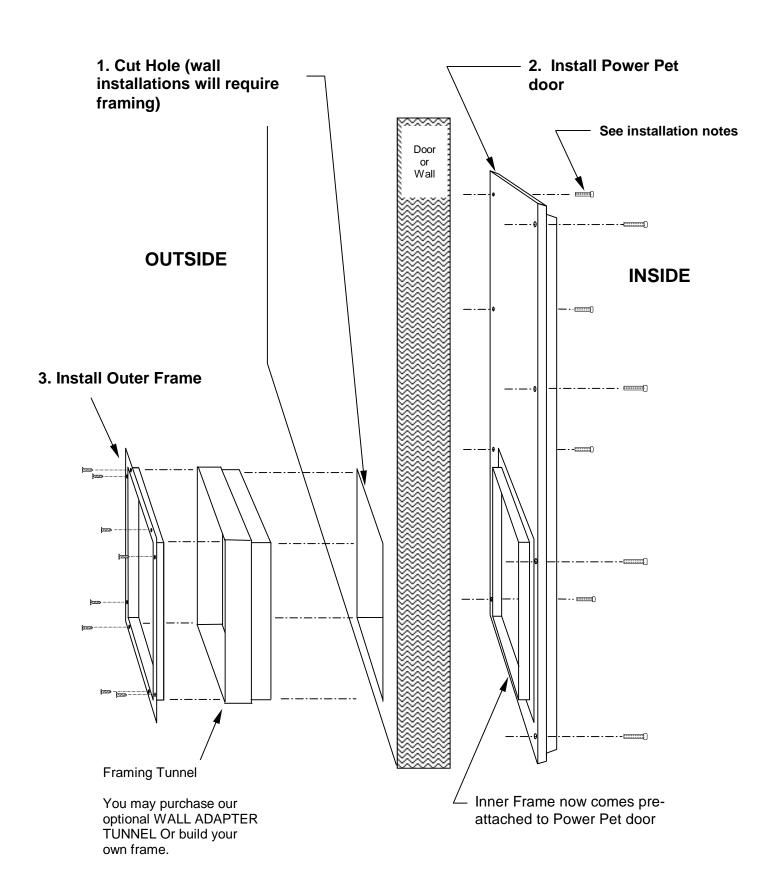
Opening is 1" lower than height of animal's chest

#### **CUT-OUT DIMENSIONS:**



# **INSTALLING YOUR POWER PET DOOR**

This is the easy part. Install the POWER PET and Outside Frame as shown below.



#### IMPORTANT INSTALLATION NOTES:

- 1. When installing the inside mounting screws, make sure they are only hand tight. Over tightening will cause your Power Pet door housing to conform to any irregularities in the flatness of your door or wall and will cause the door panel to slow, stick or malfunction. Just tighten the screws until they stop. That is enough to insure that the installation is secure. Should your door panel malfunction during the initial power up, loosen each mounting screw and re-test.
- 2. Note that screw covers (not pictured) are provided to finish the screw holes. Once installed, the inside screw covers may be removed by twisting CLOCKWISE using a coin or flat head screwdriver. Twisting counter-clockwise will cause the screw covers to break.

#### ADVANCED FEATURES

#### INTRINSICALLY SAFE OPERATION

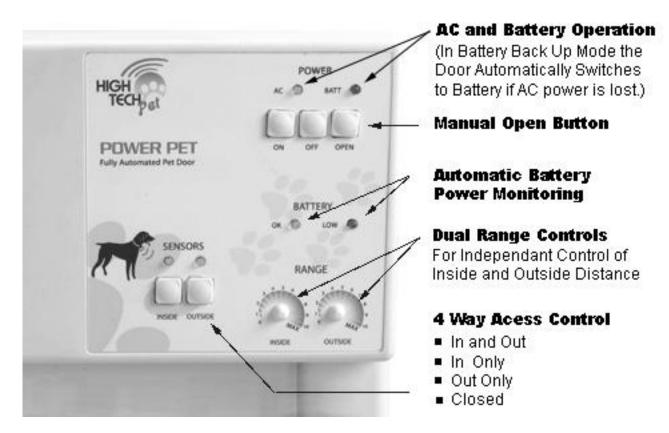
The POWER PET electronic pet door is intrinsically safe. It uses an electric motor and cable drive to lift the door panel. The panel remains open until the pet collar signal is gone, indicating that your pet is clear of the opening. When the pet collar signal is gone, power to the motor is turned off and the panel is returned by the force of gravity only. Downward speed is reduced by an electronic brake applied to the reverse motion of the motor. This brake operates with or without electrical power. Because the panel is returned by simple gravity, the maximum force that can be applied by the panel when it is closing is limited to its own weight. The door panel weighs only about 2 lbs.

#### **AUTO RETRACT FEATURE**

As and added safety feature, the POWER PET also has a sensing system that automatically raises the panel should it encounter an obstruction on the way down.

#### **AUTO DEAD BOLT LOCKING FEATURE**

As shown in Figure 7, the POWER PET door uses a spring loaded locking pin which automatically snaps into its retaining hole when the movable panel comes to rest in the closed position. The pin can only be released when the motor applies tension to the cable. This makes it impossible for even the most clever animals (and people) to raise the panel mechanically.



THREE DIFFERENT POWER CHOICES: Your new POWER PET<sup>™</sup> Door may be operated in three different power modes.

- 1. 110 volt AC Wall Outlet: Your standard POWER PET<sup>™</sup> Door comes standard with a u.l. approved ac adapter. Plug the adapter into a nearby wall outlet for continuous operation. (Please note: When first connecting the u.l. approved wall adapter you may notice a small static spark. This is normal and completely harmless.)
- 2. **AC with Battery Back-up:** You may purchase an optional rechargeable battery for use along with your ac adapter. If your household electricity should ever fail, your **POWER PET**<sup>TM</sup> Door will automatically switch over to battery operation. When power is restored, the ac adapter will automatically recharge your battery.
- 3. **Full Battery Operation:** You may also operate your **POWER PET**<sup>™</sup> Door with the battery only. This eliminates the need for the ac adapter or any electrical power connection. However, you will need to recharge the battery periodically. (Recharge interval varies depending upon use.) In this case, we recommend that you purchase the optional battery and a battery charger kit. With the charger kit you get a battery charger and an extra battery. Use one battery in your **POWER PET**<sup>™</sup> Door and keep the other in the charger. When your door battery runs low, just swap. Battery change takes less than 30 seconds!

**DUAL RANGE CONTROLS:** Individual range control to allow you to adjust different activation distances for inside and outside of your home. (Usually, it's a good idea to use a short inside distance of a foot or two and a longer 4 to 5 foot distance outside.) Your new POWER PET PX gives you full control.

**4 WAY ACCESS CONTROL:** Individual activation buttons for the inside and outside sensors give you a 4-way access control system. You can allow your pet to come in but not go out, go out but not come in, come in and out or close and lock the door altogether

**AUTOMATIC CLOSE CONTROL:** Your POWER PET PX Features a smart sensing circuit that keeps the door panel open as long as it is receiving the signal from your pet's collar. Once your pet has moved completely through the opening, the panel immediately closes. No need to adjust a manual timer. The POWER PET is smart enough to know exactly when it's time to close

**AUTOMATIC SAFETY RETRACT:** Your POWER PET PX is intrinsically safe for all pets and people, including small children. The door panel weighs less than 2 lbs. and is closed smoothly by gravity (not the motor) and is too light to cause any physical injury. However, just to by doubly safe, we've included an automatic safety retract feature. This feature causes the panel to instantly retract if it encounters an obstruction during closure.

# PET COLLAR OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Your POWER PET DOOR comes with a standard model MS-2 ultrasonic transmitter collar there is a 3-position ON\OFF\TEST button. The unit is shipped with the button pulled fully **UP** into its **OFF** position. Depressing the button to its normal position turns the unit **ON**. The battery may be tested by fully depressing the push button. While the button is fully depressed, the LED will light. If the LED fails to light, battery replacement is necessary. The push button will return to its **ON** position when released and the LED will turn off to save battery power.

#### ADJUSTING THE STRAP

- 1. Fasten the collar around your pet's neck so that it fits comfortably. In most cases there will be excess strap length.
- 2. With a soft pencil or magic marker, mark the amount of strap to be removed leaving at least one inch past the D-ring buckle.
- 3. Remove the collar from your pet.
- 4. Cut off excess strap at the mark.
- 5. To avoid fraying of the cut end, heat may be applied.
- 6. Re-fasten the collar around your pet's neck so that it hangs loosely and comfortably.

### REPLACING THE BATTERY

1. To open the unit, place a small flat screwdriver or other flat object into

- either end and twist. The collar will snap open.
- 2. Remove battery.
- 3. To close, first line up the slots at one end of the unit. Then push on the opposite end until the unit snaps shut.

Your High Tech ultrasonic transmitter collar will operate for 3 to 6 months on a single, easily replaceable battery which is included.

#### WATER RESISTANT

Your High Tech ultrasonic transmitter collar is water resistant. Rainy weather and humidity will not damage the unit. The product is NOT designed, however, to be fully immersed in water. Should this occur, simply open the unit, shake out water and let dry. In most cases, the unit will function normally however, the life of the battery will likely be reduced or the battery may require replacement.

# TRAINING YOUR PET

Training your pet to use its new POWER PET door should be a relatively effortless task. Some pets may become startled by the sound and movement of the panel but, be patient. Nearly every pet will soon be used to the POWER PET'S operation and learn to love using its own personal entry. We recommend that you lead your pet to the door and allow it to open several times to teach the animal the cause and effect relationship between pet and door. Then place a food reward on the opposite side and lead the animal through the opening allowing it to get the reward on the other side. Repeat several times. Before too long your pet will get the idea. If your pet doesn't get it in one sitting, remain patient and let your pet just walk around on its own for a while. It won't take too much more time for your pet to realize the POWER PET opens whenever the pet comes its way. One of the most frequent comments we hear from POWER PET owners is how much their pets love using their POWER PET door. We are sure your pet will feel the same!

# MANY CONVENIENT ACCESSORIES!

We've added all sorts of great new options to make your POWER PET PX the most versatile pet door you'll find.

# **EXTRA ET COLLARS:**



# Model MS-2 "Microsonic 2 Plus" Standard Ultrasonic Transmitter Collar

One Model MS-2 Collar comes standard with your POWER PET <sup>™</sup> Door. You may wish to purchase an Extra collar for each additional pet and keep one or two more as spares. Light-weight and comfortable on all cats and dogs. This collar operates all our **ULTRASONIC** devices including:

- POWER PET Fully Automatic Pet Doors
- SOUND BARRIER Non-Shock, Indoor Sonic Fence
- YARD BARRIER Non-Shock, Outdoor Sonic Fence.

You may add any of these collars to your POWER PET Door order and this **tiny**, **light-weight** collar will control them all.



# Model RC-7000X Optional Multi-Function Collar

Our ingenious Model RC-7000RX, Multi-function Collar combines the ultrasonic transmitter function of the Model MS-2 pet collar above with our radio receiver and shock stimulus technology to operates ALL our

# TOTAL PET CONTROL™ COMPATIBLE

products including:

- POWER PET Fully Automatic Pet Doors
- SOUND BARRIER Non-Shock, Indoor Sonic Fence
- YARD BARRIER Non-Shock Outdoor Sonic Fence.
- HUMANE CONTAIN Electronic Pet Fence
- RADIO MAT Electronic Scat Pad

You may add any of these collars to your POWER PET Door order to configure **your own custom electronic pet care system!** 



**Wall Adapter Tunnel:** Install your POWER PET<sup>TM</sup> door in your wall in one easy step with professional quality by using our convenient WALL ADAPTER TUNNEL accessory. Your Wall Adapter Tunnel professionally frames the passageway. It fits snugly into the POWER PET<sup>TM</sup> door main frame on one side and your pre-fabricated Outside Frame on the other side. Frames any type of wall from 4' to 8" thick.



**Battery Charger Kit:** For quick battery changes the POWER PET<sup>TM</sup> charger kit includes a battery quick charger, rechargeable battery and ac adapter. We recommend that you purchase this kit and one extra rechargeable batter below. Use one battery in your POWER PET><sup>TM</sup> door and keep the other in the charger. When your door battery runs down just swap. Changing the battery in this manner takes less than 30 seconds!



**Rechargeable Battery:** Heavy Duty, long life, Sealed 12 volt rechargeable battery. Use in your POWER PET<sup>TM</sup> door as a back-up in case of household power failure or purchase this battery and the BATTERY CHARGER KIT above and eliminate the need for any power connection to your POWER PET<sup>TM</sup> door.

# **TOTAL PET CONTROL ACCESSORIES:**



#### SOUND BARRIER

**Model SBR-1** Indoor Sonic alarm keeps your pet off furniture, away from the kitchen table or out of an entire room. Operated from your pet's standard MS-2 transmitter included with your POWER PET Door. Also, operated by the optional RC-7000X collar. Order one for each pet restricted area.



#### YARD BARRIER

**Model YBR-1** Outdoor Sonic Alarm keeps your pet out of the garden, away from the trash and out of restricted areas with a wall of sound. Operated from your pet's standard MS-2 transmitter included with your POWER PET Door. Also, operated by the optional RC-7000X collar. Order one for each part of your yard where pets don't belong.



#### **HUMANE CONTAIN**

Model HC-7000X Simply, the Most Advanced, Most Effective, Most Humane electronic pet fence made. Complete Electronic Fence Super System includes one Model RC-7000X Multi-Function Pet Collar that controls your POWER PET Door and every other TOTAL PET CONTROL<sup>TM</sup> COMPATIBLE product we make. Order additional collars for additional pets.



### **RADIO MAT**

Model RM-1TX Radio Controlled Scat Pad, Keeps Fido off! the furniture. Radio signal emitted by the paw pad triggers a shock at Fido's collar. Also works in non-shock, sound only mode. Requires one Model RC-7000X Multi-Function Pet Collar that controls your POWER PET Door and all our TOTAL PET CONTROL™ COMPATIBLE products. Order one pad for every piece of furniture or other area where Fido doesn't belong. Order additional collars for additional pets.

# ORDER INFORMATION

To order extra collars and accessories please visit our website at <a href="www.hitecpet.com">www.hitecpet.com</a> or call 1(800) 255-1279