

YOUR APIMAYE BEEHIVE

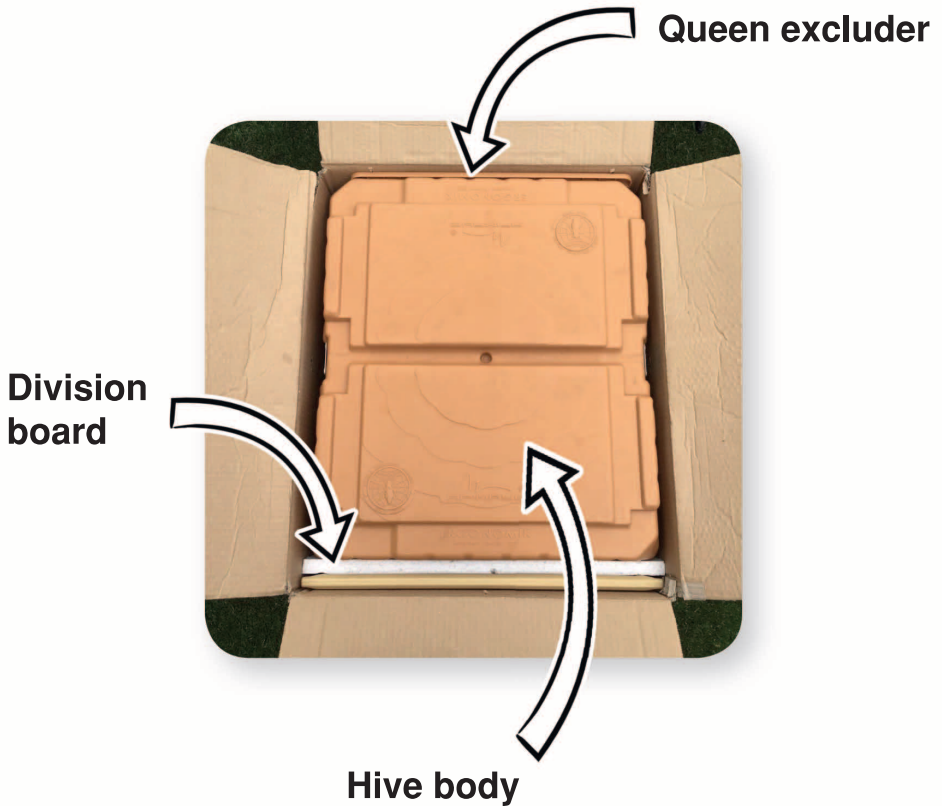
Thank you for your purchase. Please follow the instructions in this manual.



US PATENTED



UNBOXING 1



- Top cover
- Top Feeder
- Super
- Brood Box with Bottom Board
- Optional 20 Frames (Pictured)

UNBOXING 1



1. Take division board out



2. Take queen excluder out



3. Take hive cover out.
If hive cover is latched,
unlatch from the sides

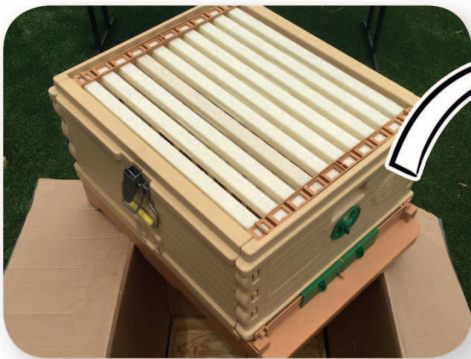
UNBOXING 2



4. Take top feeder out



5. Take super out. If latched, unlatch from the sides



6. Take broodbox out

There is a custom made wooden pallet at the bottom that you can use as a hive stand

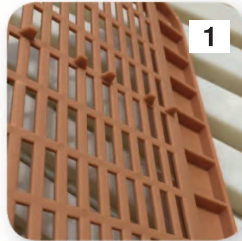
ASSEMBLY



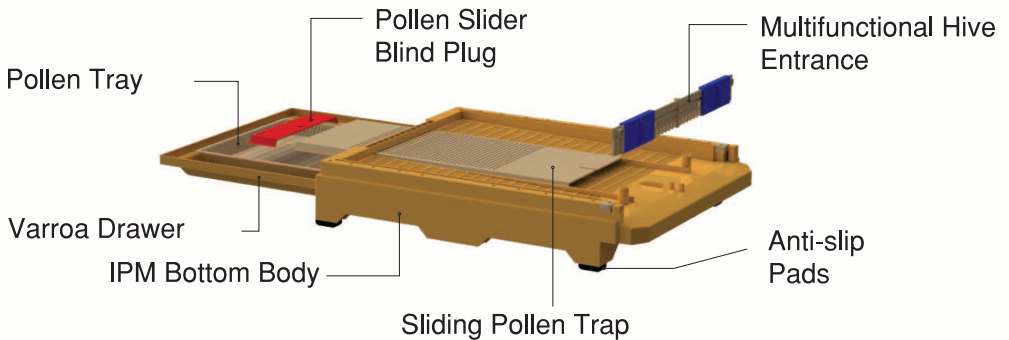
Stack the items in the reverse order and latch

If using queen excluder, make sure to:

1. Have the spacing pins facing down
2. Use the bottom slot of the latch (2a)



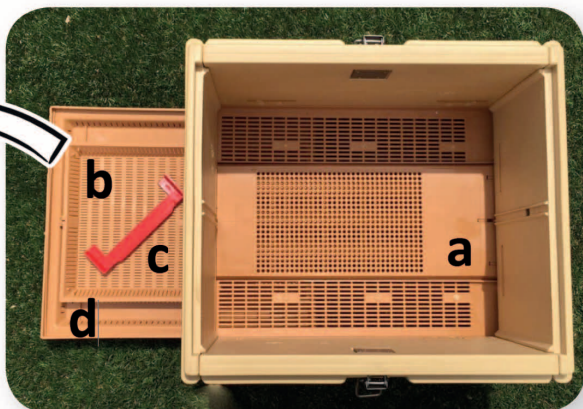
3. Otherwise use the top slot of the latch (2b)



USING BOTTOM BOARD 1

Bottom board is mounted on the brood box.

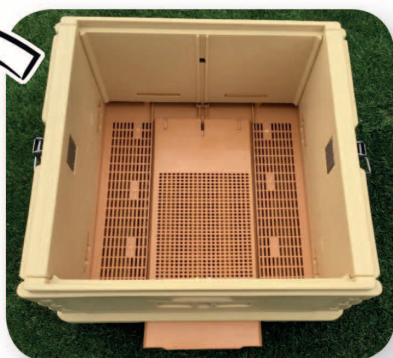
Includes pollen trap (a) and tray (b), red pollen trap plug (c), and venting bottom (d).



To enable pollen collection, the trap should be inserted all the way in. The pollen can be gathered from the drawer below.

To disable the pollen trap, pull it out completely as shown on right.

NOTE: Pollen is essential for bees! Enable the pollen trap (a) only when there is high pollen flow. It is not recommended to use it continuously. Please research about pollen collection before enabling the pollen trap



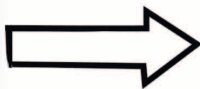
USING BOTTOM BOARD 2



Remove the pollen trap and drawer entirely to use it as a full screen bottom or when transferring the bees first time



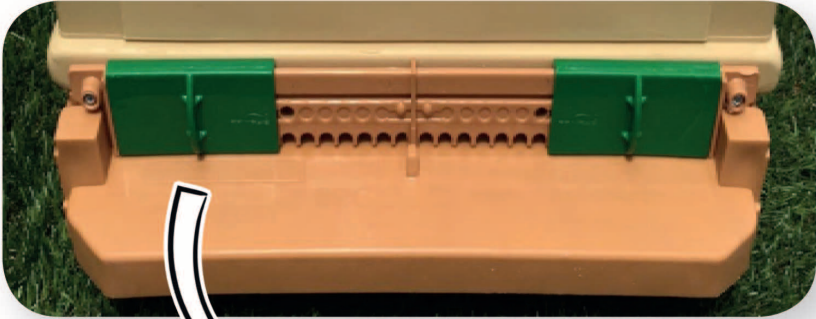
Whenever you remove the trap, close the slot with the red plug



The pollen trap must be removed and the red plug must be inserted on the slot to use the division board



USING HIVE ENTRANCE



2 sliders are used as entrance reducers
2 single holes above the outmost entrances are for drones
2 notches above the center entrances are to shut lock the sliders



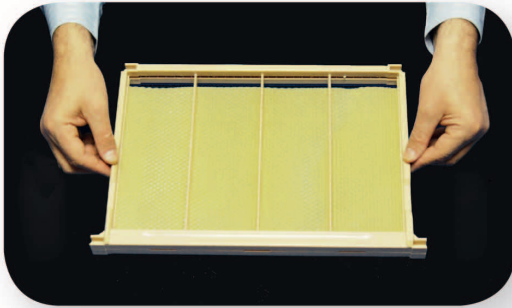
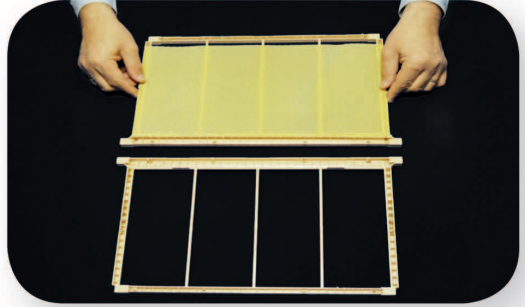
The circular bee entrance piece can be set to be:

- a) Shut closed (handle on top)
- b) Ventilation (small holes on top)
- c) Queen entrance for mating flights (big hole on top)
- d) Additional hive entrance (horizontal slit on top)

HANDY FRAMES ASSEMBLY



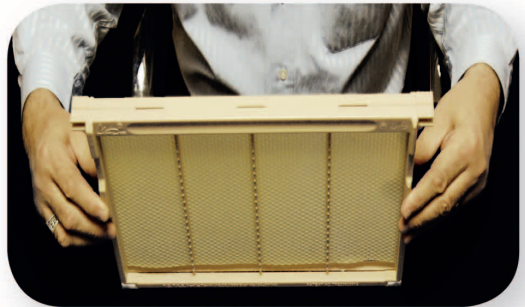
Remove the connecting sockets to release the frame components, then place the foundation sheet onto the lower component.



Position the upper component on top, taking care to align the pins.



Hold the frame together in an upright position and manually press the two components together to make them snap into one another.



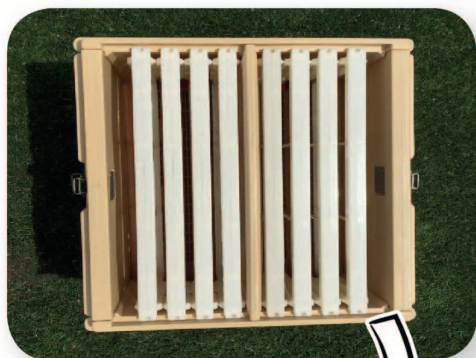
USING DIVISION & UNITING BOARD



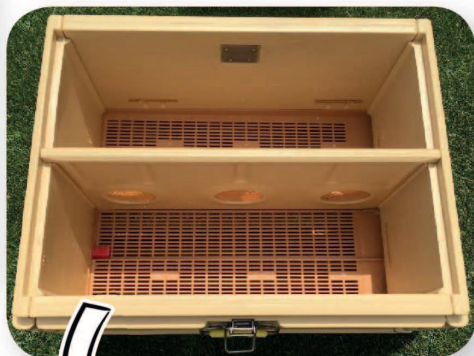
To divide the colony, use the division board with the slots closed



To merge 2 colonies, adjust the circular gates for the small slots first, then larger slots a few days later

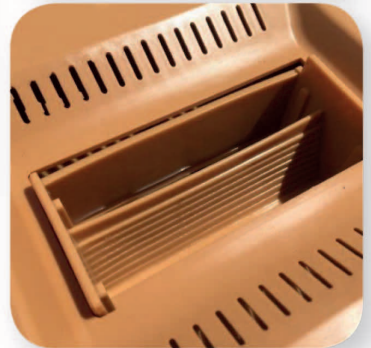
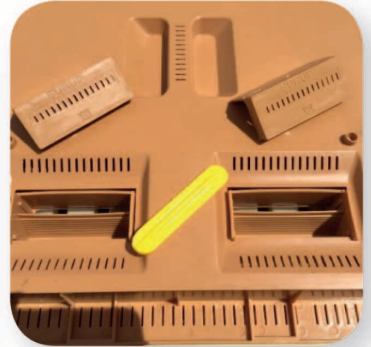
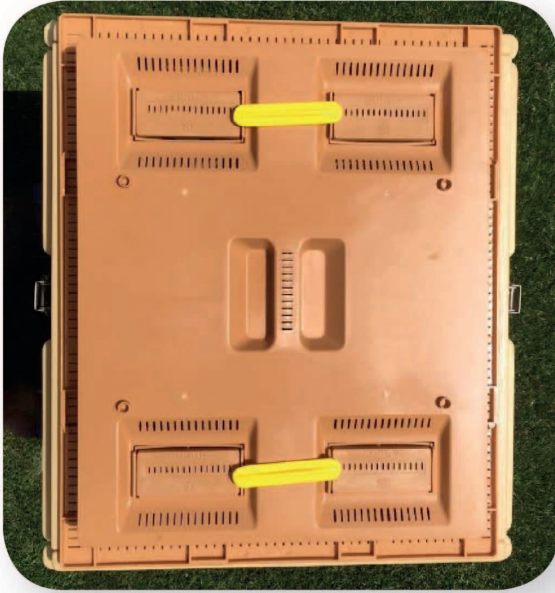


You can use only 4 frames on each side when using the division board



Make sure the pollen trap is removed completely and the slot is closed with the red plug

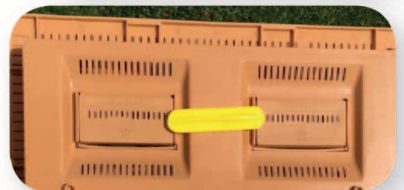
USING TOP FEEDER



Top feeder has a feeder top with yellow handles, and 4 adjustable feed slot covers.

To fill the feeder:

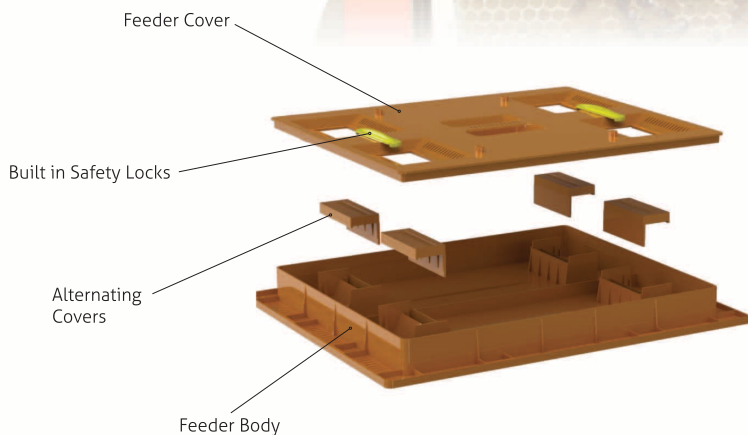
1. Remove the feeder top by holding from the center
2. Put the feed (Syrup or candy)
3. Adjust the feed slot covers according to the feed. The feeder and these covers are designed to prevent bee drowning in syrup
 - 3a. If feed is syrup make sure all the writings “Şurup” is outwards
 - 3b. If feed is candy make sure all the writings “Kek” is outwards so bees can walk to the center of the feeder
4. Close the feeder top and adjust the yellow handles to secure slot covers



INNER COVER TYPE TOP FEEDER

Liquid Feeding

The cover reading "Syrup" should be the outermost cover when feeding syrup.



INNER COVER TYPE TOP FEEDER



Solid Feeding

The cover reading "Cake" should be the outermost cover when feeding cake.

Built-in feeders of the inner cover enable solid and liquid feeding without having to open the hive, while both the hive temperature balance and the bees remain undisturbed.

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