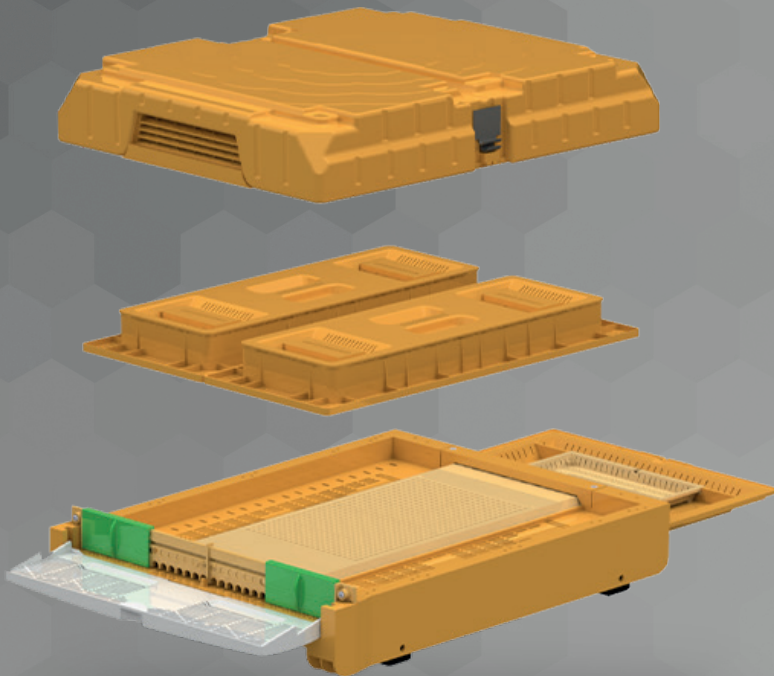


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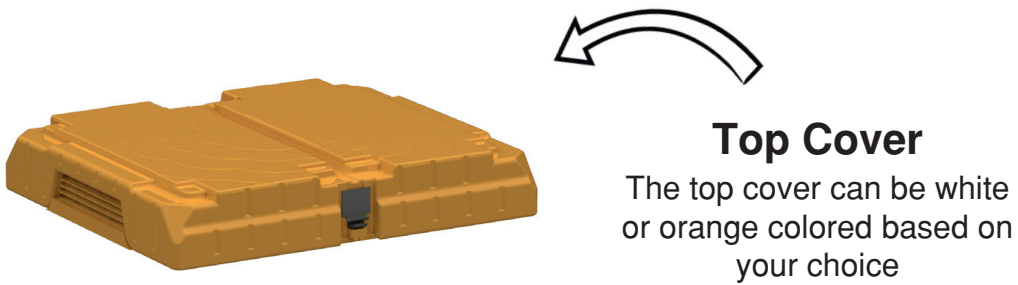
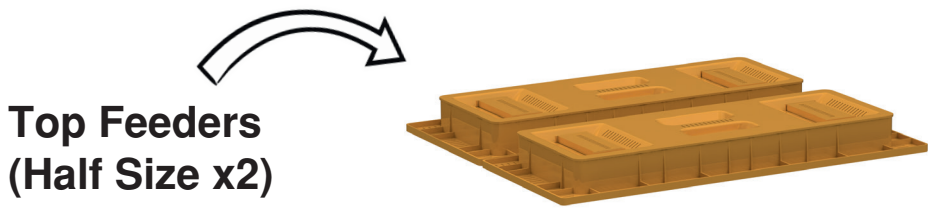
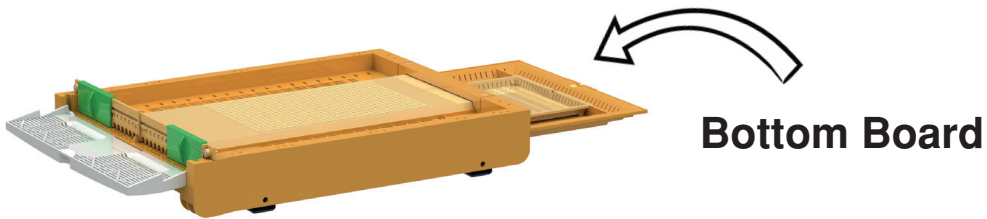
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Please follow the instructions included on how to set up and use the Apimaye
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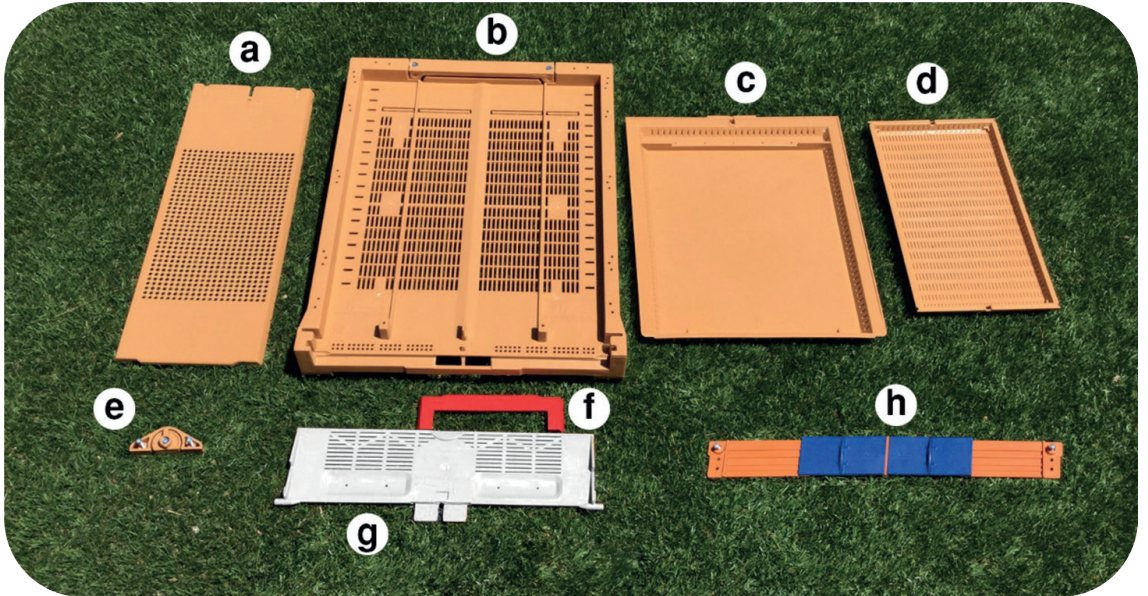


HIVE UPGRADE KIT CONTENTS

Your Apimaye upgrade kit is made of 3 major components



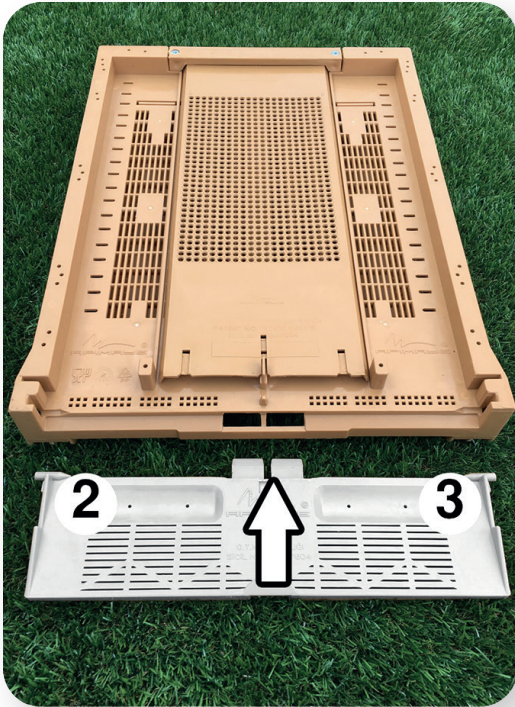
BOTTOM BOARD



There are 8 pieces total as follows

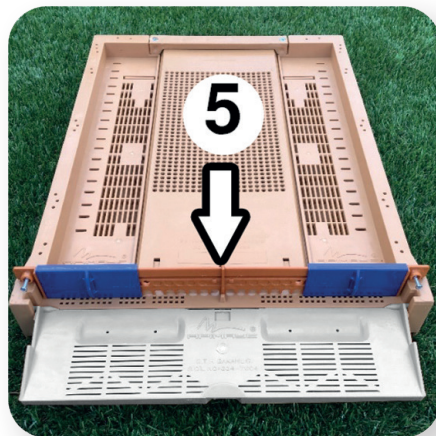
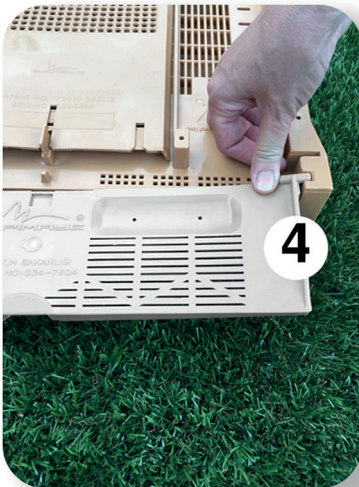
- a. Pollen trap
- b. Screened bottom
- c. Bottom tray
- d. Pollen drawer
- e. Flight board lock
- f. Red plug
- g. Flight board
- h. Entrance reducer

ASSEMBLY OF BOTTOM BOARD



1. Take the hive entrance reducer (h) off (if it's on)
2. Place one of the pins of flight board (g) in its slot at the front
3. Align the center, and place the other pin on the other slot.
4. Push firmly on the flight board as shown in the picture. The second pin will snap into the slot
5. Put the hive entrance reducer on
6. Remove the pollen trap (a) and plug in the red plug (f) on the slot

Now you are ready to put the brood box on the bottom board!

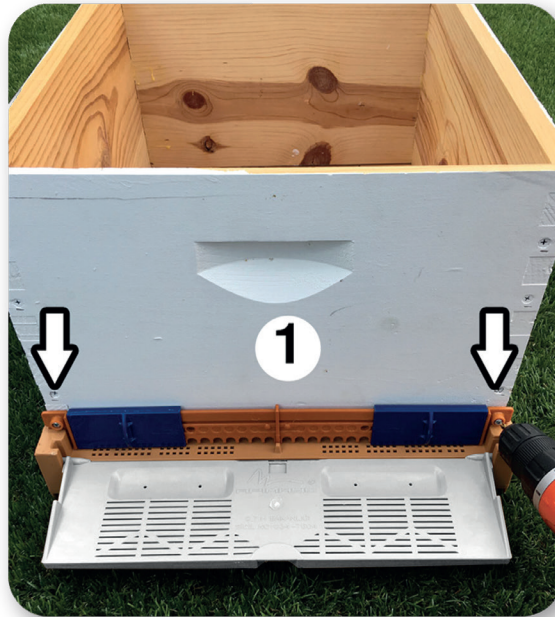


INSTALLING YOUR WOODEN BROOD BOX

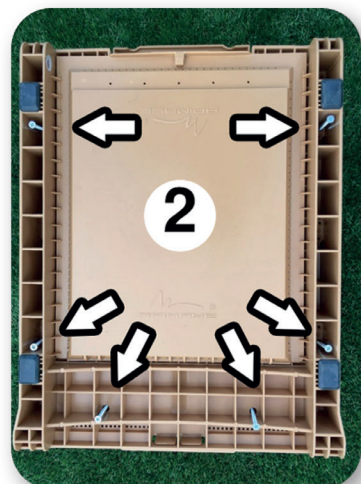
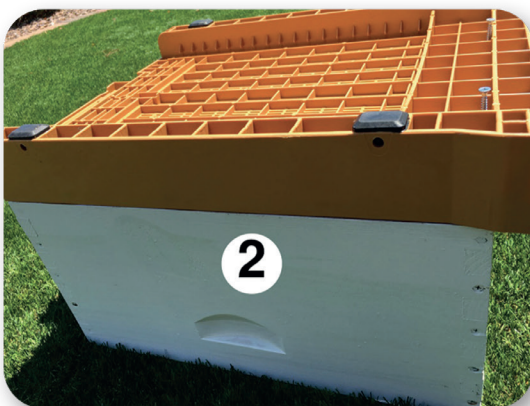


- Just set your brood box on top of the assembled bottom board
- If desired, you can also secure the bottom board to your brood box with the included screws.
- This enables you to use the provided flight board lock as well
- See the instructions on next page

OPTIONAL: SECURING THE BOTTOM BOARD



1. Screw the 2 screws provided on the entrance reducer.
2. Flip the hive over & screw in the 6 screws preinstalled in the bottom board
3. Flip the hive back into its normal position



OPTIONAL: MOUNTING THE FLIGHT BOARD LOCK



If desired, the flight board lock (e) (used during transportation) may be installed as follows:

1. Flip the flight board (g) up
2. Place the board lock with the preinstalled screws to its slot at the top center. Make sure it's in locked position as shown to locate the screws
3. Screw in the two screws to secure the lock



Normal operation is with the flight board open as shown in the picture on the right on the left.

USING BOTTOM BOARD FEATURES: TO COLLECT POLLEN

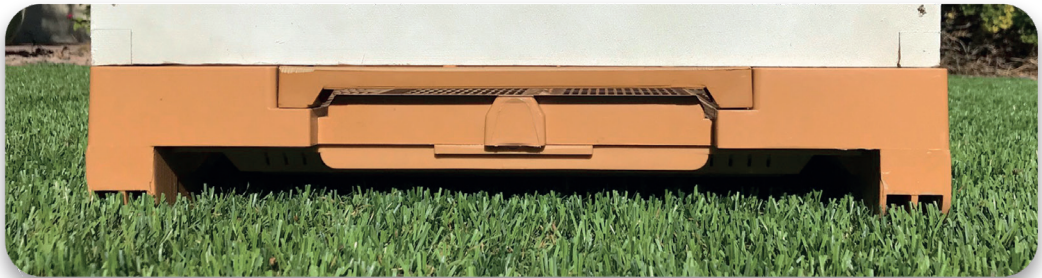


1. Remove the red plug (f) from the back
2. Insert the pollen trap (a) all the way in
3. Gather the pollen from the pollen drawer (d) below

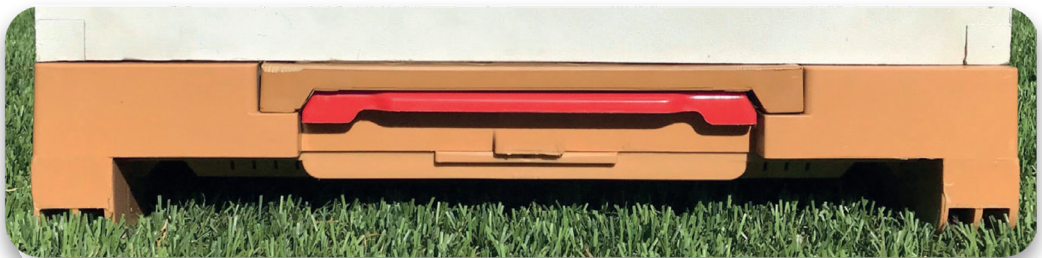
NOTE: Pollen is essential for bees since they need it for new brood! To collect pollen, use the pollen trap only during high pollen flow, and take it out on the same day. It is not recommended to use it continuously.

USING BOTTOM BOARD FEATURES: FULL SCREENED BOTTOM

To use the bottom board as a full screened bottom board, remove the pollen trap (a) and the pollen drawer (d).



Whenever you remove the pollen trap (top picture), close the slot with the red plug (f) (bottom picture).



TOP FEEDER

To fill the feeder:

1. Remove the feeder cover by holding from the center as shown.
2. Adjust the feed selectors by removing and inserting them into the vertical slots according to the feed type as follows:
 - a. If feed is syrup, place all the selectors with the word “Şurup” away from the center.
 - b. If feed is candy, place all the selectors with the word “Kek” away from the center.
3. Put in the feed, syrup (as shown below) or fondant / pollen patties.
4. Close the feeder cover.



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