

Beequip 150 Oxalic Acid Vaporizer Guide

SKU:760-0016



- Please remember to use a timer and vaporize for 3 mins on first hive and then a maximum of 2 minutes on every one after that, if it is still warmed up.
- It is best to treat early morning or in the evenings when most of the bees are home.
- Use one gram of oxalic acid (approx. 1/4 teaspoon) per brood chamber (most hives have two brood chambers). Place the oxalic acid in the heating element pan.
- Put the pan into the hive entrance under the brood frames. See photos on reverse.
- Cover the entrance with a cloth or use the blocker as shown in the photos on reverse. Vented bases must be blocked to maximise vapour penetration into the beehive.
- Connect the vaporizer leads to a properly charged 12-volt battery.
- Start the timer and set for either 2 or 3 minutes.
- After 2 or 3 minutes, disconnect from the battery and remove from beehive.
- Let the vaporizer cool for at least 1 minute before adding more acid to the cup.
- **Remember!** Fumes from the heated oxalic acid are harmful to the human respiratory system and your eyes. Wear personal protection equipment to avoid any harm.
- Leave the hive closed for 7 to 10 minutes to allow the vapour to do its job.
- Re-open the beehive entry and any other air vents.
- Repeat every 4 days for 2 brood cycles to kill any mites that come from capped cells.

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Wooden Floor



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The metal plates protect the plastic base from heat damage and it is very important that any beehive vents (like the base) get blocked for best efficacy.

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