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277, #254 IPM

IPM Bottom Board

Information

This is the most important development in beekeeping equipment today and if you are not using them you should be! The screened bottom increases brood production, reduces Varroa mites, enables you to better monitor your Varroa infestation levels, and enables bees to over winter better! The Corex sheet is printed with a numbered and lettered grid to ease the job of counting mites.

Instructions

Item is pre-assembled and ready for use. Two different models: #277 fits the ten-frame hive and #254 IPM fits the eight-frame.

If you are using the corex sheet as a mite check you will need to spray it down with a cooking oil and insert into the grooves underneath the screen. Let stand for three days and then remove. It is gridded so that counting is easy. Tally your mites and then divide by three to acquire your mite count.

The Bottom Board also provides a great ventilation system for your hive.

REMEMBER: Any wooden ware should be treated for outside use. Latex paint or outdoor finish is appropriate on outside (Bees take care of inside).

Other Items to Consider

Must be Ordered Separately.

Item #278S 10 Frame Corrugated Sheet
Item #925 8 Frame Corrugated Sheet
Item #788 Api Life Var

