

How Honey Is Made



Introduction

The bee sucks **nectar** with its mouth, which is shaped like a tube.

Bees fly hundreds of times between flowers and their **honeycombs**.



Making Honey

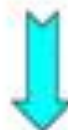
In the country, some bees make their nests in places like the trunk of a tree.

Bees make honeycombs with wax from their own bodies. The gaps in the honeycomb are where the honey is stored.



Beehives

In gardens or farms, **beekeepers** keep bees in **beehives** like this one so they can collect honey. About fifty thousand bees live in one beehive.



The Beekeeper

The beekeeper collects the honey from the beehive. He takes out the honeycomb which is full of honey.

He is dressed in **special clothes** so that he doesn't get stung.



Conclusion

Honey is used in lots of different recipes. It is delicious when it is spread onto bread.

