

# Quiz



Here are a few beesy general knowledge 'brain teasers' for you.

Gold star for ten out of ten!

**A.** Which dance tells the bees that forage is near to the hive?

1. square dance
2. round dance
3. waggle dance
4. bee waltz

**B.** Which dance tells the bees to fly further away from the hive for forage?

1. square dance
2. round dance
3. waggle dance
4. bee waltz

**C.** Which is the approximate water content of sealed blossom honey?

1. 25%
2. 15%
3. 10%
4. 20%

**D.** Which is the approximate temperature in the centre of the brood nest?

1. 28°C
2. 35°C
3. 40°C
4. 39°C

**E.** Which job does a worker bee do straight after hatching?

1. cleaning cells
2. wax making
3. foraging
4. guarding

**F.** What is Varroa?

1. a fungus
2. a bacterium
3. a parasitic mite
4. a virus

**G.** About how many bees weigh a kilogramme?

1. 50,000
2. 10,000
3. 20,000
4. 30,000

**H.** What insect group do honey bees belong to?

1. Hymenoptera
2. Diptera
3. Lepidoptera
4. Coleoptera

**I.** The bee sting is found only in,

1. queen and drone
2. drone and worker
3. worker and queen
4. worker

**J.** The natural arrangement in the brood nest, from the centre out, is

1. pollen, brood, honey
2. brood, honey, pollen
3. honey, brood, pollen
4. brood, pollen, honey