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## Honey Extractor

### Instruction Manual



**SKU: BEE-V002**



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## WARNING: IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

### READ AND FOLLOW ALL SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

#### KEEP THIS MANUAL IN A SAFE AND DRY PLACE FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

If you do not understand these directions, or if you have any doubts about the safety of the installation, please call a qualified technician. Check carefully to make sure there are no missing or defective parts. Improper installation may cause damage or serious injury. Do not use this product for any purpose that is not explicitly specified in this manual and do not exceed weight capacity. We cannot be liable for damage or injury caused by improper mounting, incorrect assembly or inappropriate use.

#### PREPARATION

1. After carefully removing the machine from the packing carton, remove all protective film and clean the honey extractor thoroughly with mild soap and water BEFORE first use.
2. The honey extractor should be placed on a dry, flat stable surface.



**CAUTION: SHARP EDGES**

#### MACHINE STRUCTURE



#### PACKAGE CONTENTS

1 (x1)	Honey Extractor Drum
2 (x1)	Handle
3 (x2)	Clear Lid
4 (x1)	Honey Gate Cap
5 (x1)	O Ring (Pre-installed on Honey Gate)
6 (x1)	Bolt
7 (x1)	Wing Nut
8 (x3)	Leg
9 (x6)	Leg Bolt
10 (x6)	Washer
11 (x3)	Stability Bolt

#### ASSEMBLY STEPS

##### STEP 1

Attach legs to extractor using the included bolts (9) and washers (10).



## STEP 2

Attach the honey gate cap **(4)** with the provided bolt **(6)**.



## STEP 4

Place clear lids on top of honey extractor.



## STEP 3

Slide crank handle onto the shaft and tighten bolt to the flattened shaft area.



## STEP 5 (Optional)

Bolt feet down to floor or surface for added stability (hardware included).



## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

- STEP 1** Place honey frames in extractor basket. Load both sides to keep extractor balanced as this will reduce any possible shaking.
- STEP 2** Place lids on extractor and begin turning handle to extract honey.
- STEP 3** Once the frames have been emptied on one side, remove the frames, turn the frames around, and place them back in the extractor. Repeat step 2, then remove the frames from the extractor.
- STEP 4** With the drain positioned over a bucket or other container, open the honey gate to begin draining honey. Tip the extractor forward to drain as much honey as possible.



**WARNING: KEEP HANDS CLEAR OF MOVING PARTS TO REDUCE RISK OF INJURY**



## DISASSEMBLY

To disassemble the extractor, remove the two cap nuts on the top of the extractor (one on each side), then pull the top brace up and off. The basket can then be lifted out.

A steel ball bearing rests below the basket shaft to improve rotation. Set this aside in a safe place (such as a cup) so it does not roll away and become lost.

## CARE & MAINTENANCE

### QUICK CLEANING

**Option 1:** Rinse extractor out with cold water from a hose. If available, a pressure washer is very effective. Empty excess water to prevent possible surface rust.

**Option 2:** Place open extractor next to hive. Bees will clean it out and use the materials.

### IN-DEPTH CLEANING

Disassemble extractor (see Disassembly instructions). Using mild dish soap and warm water, scrub drum and basket clean. Completely rinse the parts and dry with a soft cloth. Reassemble the extractor when dry.

### CARE

- When not in use, store the extractor in a dry place. Although stainless steel is highly resistant to rust and corrosion, light surface rust can form in wet conditions.
- If surface rust forms, clean with a light abrasive to remove rust.
- If the extractor begins making squeaking noises, lightly lubricate all bearings with a food safe grease or oil. Wipe away any excess.
- If the roller bearing in the crank shaft support block does not turn freely, lubricate with a light grease (such as white lithium) or oil.
- The gearbox is permanently sealed and requires no maintenance.

### WARRANTY

We offer a ONE YEAR warranty for this product. If you have any problems with the machine, please contact us directly. We have a 90 Day Return Policy.



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