

# Drawer Pollen Trap

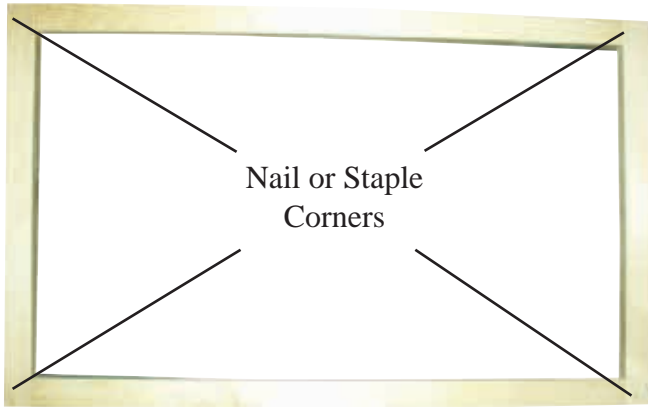
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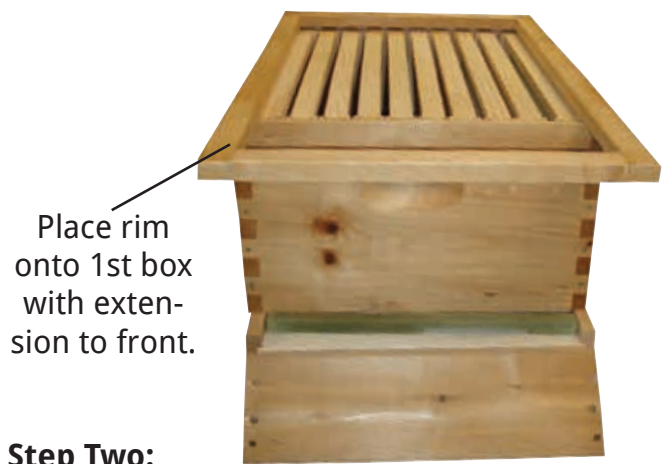
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**Step One:**

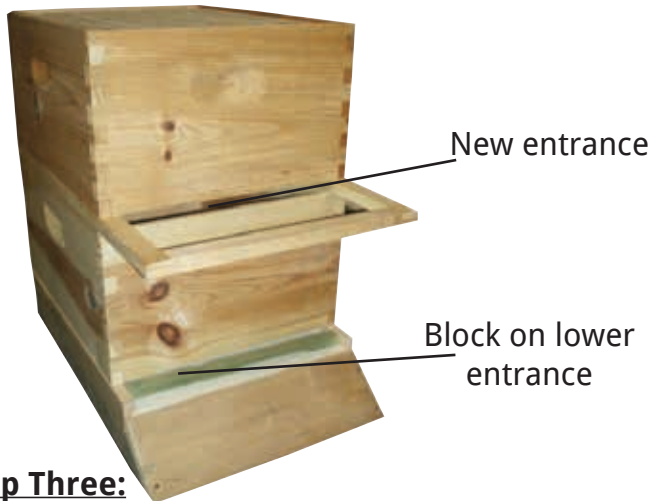
Assemble the rim: place the end bar and side bar together and nail or staple the corners together. Use a construction square to make sure corners are square.



Place rim onto 1st box with extension to front.

**Step Two:**

Place the rim between 1st and 2nd brood chambers with extension to the front. Place boxes back onto the hive.



New entrance

Block on lower entrance

**Step Three:**

Block the lower entrance completely, forcing the bees to use the new entrance between 1st and 2nd brood chambers. Permit bees to become accustomed to new entrance before installing trap.



Rim

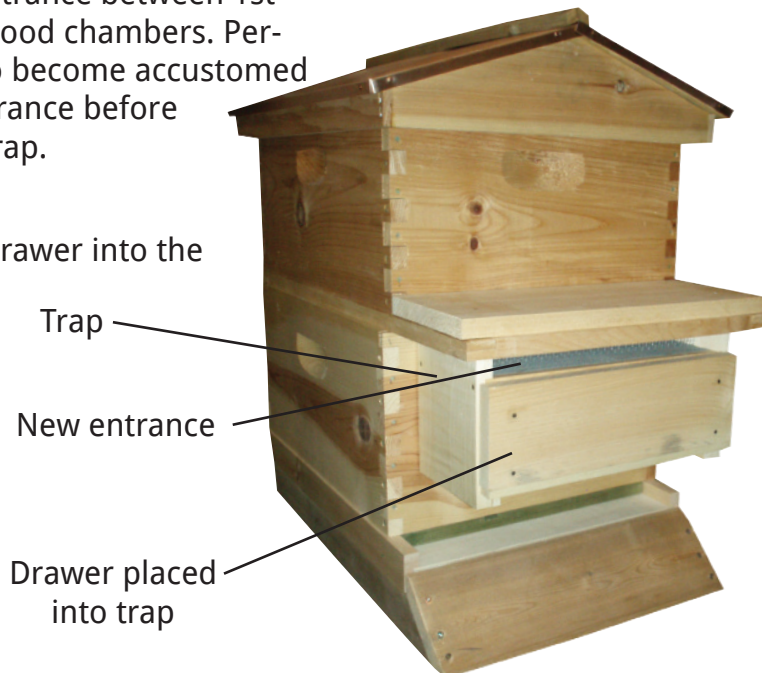
Drop trap into place

**Step Four:**

Drop trap into place in the evening when bees are in the hive and when pollen collection is desired.

**Step Five:**

Place the drawer into the trap.



Trap

New entrance

Drawer placed into trap

**Reminder:**

Remove pollen by sliding the drawer out. Close trap entrance approximately every 5 days and open traditional entrance to allow the bees to store some pollen. Remember, pollen should be trapped only when there is a major pollen flow. Freshly trapped pollen is perishable and should be dried immediately until pellets do not cake when squeezed between fingers.