BEE HIVE STAND

Assembly & Setup Instructions

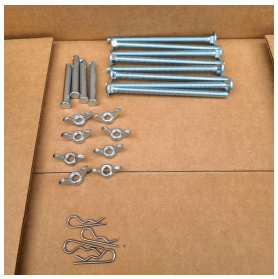


Adjustable powder-coated steel support system for multiple hives and uneven terrain

Important: Assemble on a stable surface. Confirm all hardware is present before starting. Use straight, sound lumber and re-check fasteners after the stand has been placed in service.

Kit Components

Hardware shown	Purpose
8 long bolts + 8 wing nuts	Secure the wood support rails to the steel cross-members.
4 adjustment pins + 4 hairpin clips	Lock the telescoping legs at the selected height.



Hardware shown for one complete stand kit. Verify quantities against your shipment.

Assembly Procedure

Step 1 - Set the leg height

Slide each inner leg to the approximate height needed for the site. Keep the feet oriented flat to the ground and leave adjustment range for final leveling.



Start all four legs near the same height before final leveling.

Step 2 - Lock each telescoping leg

Align the adjustment hole, insert the steel adjustment pin, and secure it with the hairpin clip. Repeat for all four legs.



Every leg must be positively pinned and clipped before loading.

Assembly Procedure - Continued

Step 3 - Position the lumber support rails

Place two sound lumber rails across the steel cross-members. Square the rails and set the spacing needed for your hive bodies before drilling or tightening hardware.



The rails provide the continuous support surface for multiple hive configurations.

Step 4 - Use the stand holes as the drilling guide

With the lumber held in its final position, drill the bolt holes through the lumber using the steel stand holes as guides. Keep the drill square to the work.



Hold the stand firmly against the lumber while drilling.

Final Assembly & Setup

Step 5 - Install the rail bolts

Pass the long bolts through the stand and lumber. Install the wing nuts and tighten evenly. Do not crush or split the lumber by over-tightening.



Wing nuts allow field assembly and service without specialty tools.

Step 6 - Level the stand on site

Move the stand into its final location. Adjust each telescoping leg independently until the rails are stable and level enough for the intended hive arrangement. Reinsert every adjustment pin and hairpin clip after leveling.



Independent leg adjustment helps compensate for uneven ground.

Load & Final Check

Step 7 - Load hives and re-check

Place hives on the rails with the load distributed across the stand. Confirm every foot is planted, all pins are clipped, and all rail fasteners remain tight. Re-check after the first period of use and periodically during the season.



The stand supports multiple hive or nuc configurations along the same rails.

Final Safety Check

- All four telescoping legs are pinned and clipped.
- All rail bolts and wing nuts are installed and snug.
- Lumber rails are sound and free of major splits at bolt locations.
- All feet have stable ground contact.
- Hive loads are distributed so the stand is stable.
- Fasteners are re-checked periodically, especially after relocation or ground movement.

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