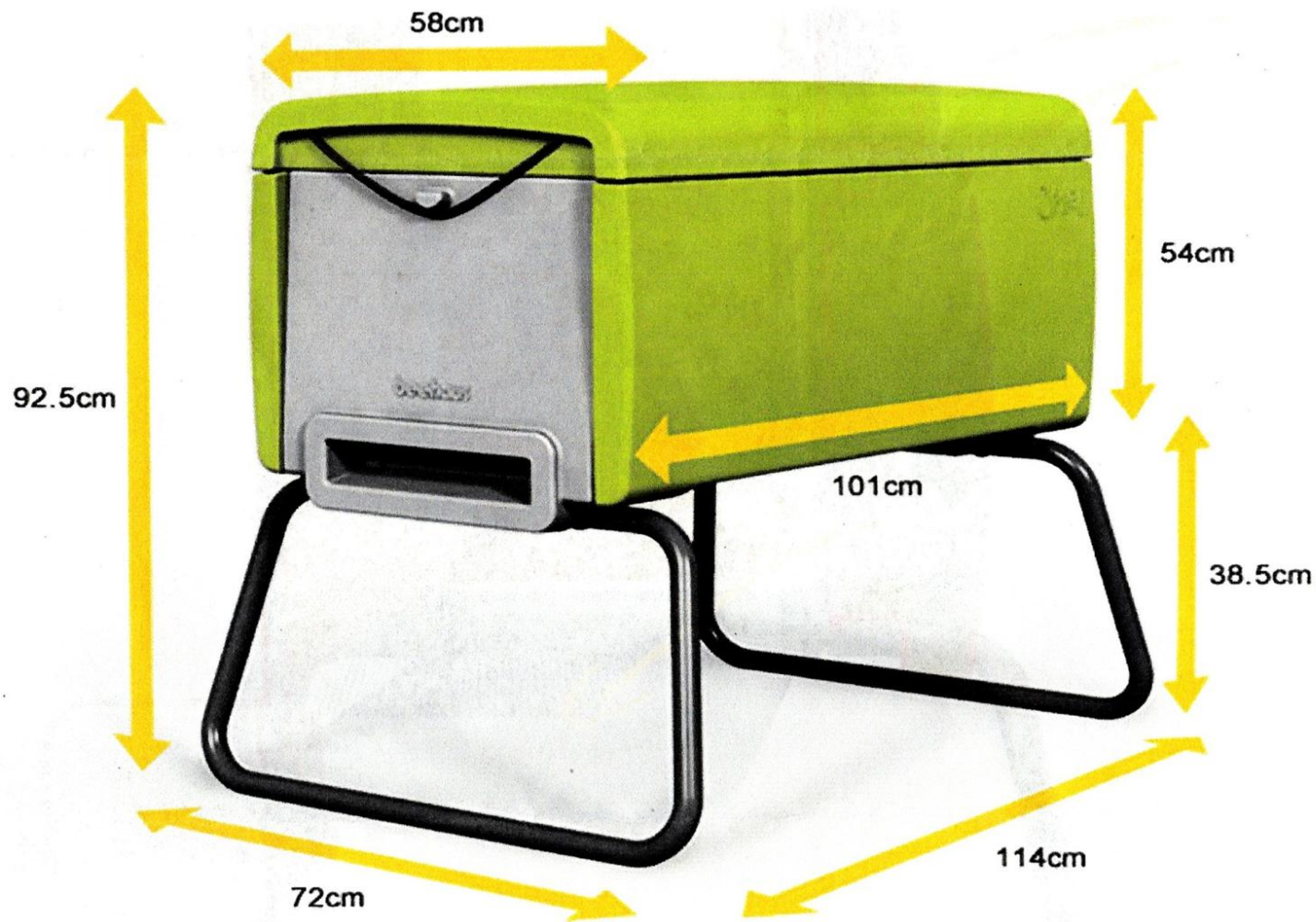


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Outer Lid

This keeps the weather out all year round. It is secured using a strong, elasticated cord.

Supers

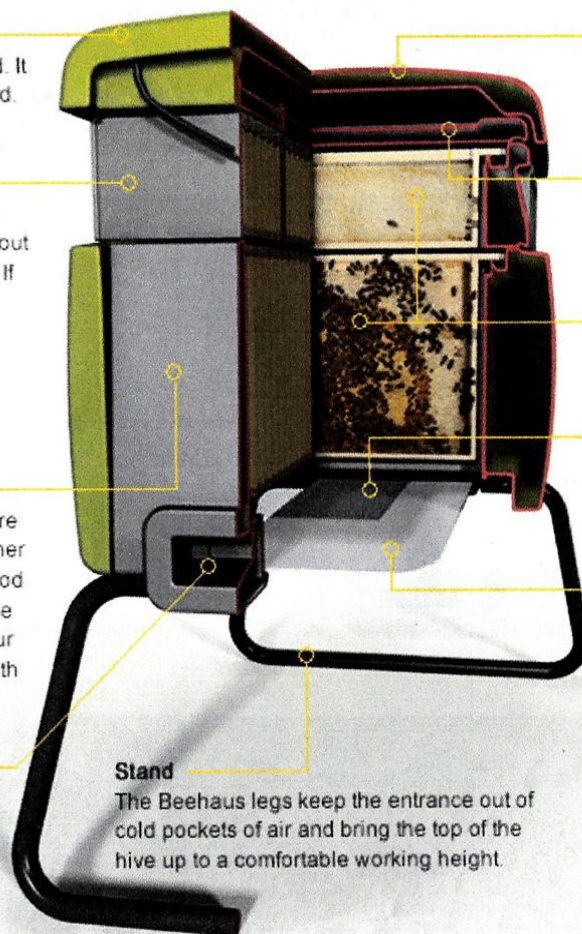
The supers are used by the bees to store honey. A colony will store honey throughout the summer in preparation for the winter. If your bees are successful they will have surplus honey which you can harvest for your family and friends. Your Beehaus comes with 10 super frames with wax foundation sheets

Brood box

This is the colony's home, the place where the bees live and where the queen lays her eggs. These large frames are called 'brood frames'. When inspecting your bees these are the frames that you look through. Your Beehaus comes with 10 brood frames with wax foundation sheets.

Entrance

This allows the bees to come and go. The entrance has a large landing board which is sheltered from the wind and rain. Because the Beehaus can be divided and used as two separate hives it has an entrance at either end.



Insulation

This is really important because bees need to maintain a constant temperature to raise their young.

Cover board

These sit on top of the brood box or supers and keep the bees in.

Frames

These hold the wax foundation that the bees build the comb on.

Mesh floor

The floor is made of mesh. This ensures your bees always have fresh air and it also allows debris and mites to safely fall out.

Inspection tray

This is located under the mesh floor of the house. It catches any mites or debris that fall from the hive which you can then examine to learn about the health of your bees.

Sterilisation

You can disinfect the plastic surfaces of the Beehaus against disease using common disinfectants such as bleach.

Stand

The Beehaus legs keep the entrance out of cold pockets of air and bring the top of the hive up to a comfortable working height.

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