



Worksheet Four
To accompany the video:
The artificial swarm



1. What indicates to the beekeeper that the bees are about to swarm?

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2. Which position do the flying bees return to?

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3. Once the beekeeper finds the queen, where does he place her?

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4. Link where the bees and equipment end up:

Old (existing) Queen

Old hive moved to another place in the apiary

Honey box (super)

Nurse bees & new queen

New hive with empty frames of foundation on the original site

Queen excluder

On top of new hive on original site

The flying bees

5. What name is given to the new hive containing the old queen and the flying bees?

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