



MEGABEE®

Véto-pharma

PRACTICAL GUIDE

MEGABEE
is manufactured in
the European Union,
GMO-FREE,
SOY-FREE AND
EGG PROTEIN-FREE.



MEGABEE
in
6 POINTS

- ✓ Powdered protein supplement with **46% PROTEIN CONTENT**
- ✓ **BALANCED** amino acid profile
- ✓ **ACIDIC pH** for a healthy gut
- ✓ Smaller **PARTICLE SIZE**
- ✓ Versatile and **EASY TO MIX**
- ✓ **INGREDIENTS SELECTED** by the bees



Available in
2kg, 20kg **bags**, or 680kg **bulk bags**.

Shelf life: 3 years
from the date of manufacture.

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HOW TO USE MEGABEE

PROTEIN PATTY WITH MEGABEE (RECOMMENDED USAGE)

This application method provides the most immediate results, as the bees directly consume the **protein patty**.

- ✓ For a standard hive: one 450g patty.
- ✓ For nucleus hives and weak colonies: Start with 230g patties.
- ✓ Strong hives may require 2 or 3 patties of 450g.

Recommendations for preparing a 450g (= 20% protein) patty for spring:

- 1 Mix MegaBee with heavy syrup (2:1), adding a bit of vegetable oil (≈ 3% of the total mixture weight - avoid olive oil, as it is less palatable), until you achieve a smooth consistency.
- 2 Press the mixture between two sheets of parchment paper to form a relatively thin patty.
- 3 Then, place the patty on the frames, near the brood.

MegaBee	200g
Heavy syrup (2:1)	200ml ≈ 235g
Vegetable oil	15g

LIQUID FEEDING WITH MEGABEE

Mix the MegaBee powder into the heavy syrup according to the proportion indicated in the table below. Make sure to eliminate all lumps. Once well mixed, MegaBee will remain in suspension throughout its use.

The advantage of MegaBee lies in its **excellent solubility**: thanks to the **fineness of its particles**, MegaBee will not settle at the bottom of the feeders.

MegaBee	1kg
Heavy syrup (2:1)	15 liters



DIRECTLY IN POWDER

You can provide MegaBee powder directly to the bees by placing it in a **feeder**, ensuring it is protected from wind and moisture. Another option is to sprinkle it directly **onto the frames**. However, for better absorption, it is **recommended to use both of the previous options (patty or liquid feeding)**.



WHEN TO USE MEGABEE

- ✓ In **early spring**, to develop nucs and increase hive strength.
- ✓ In **autumn**, to prepare hives for winter.
- ✓ In **stressful conditions**: for example, when **natural resources are insufficient** (drought, lack of flowering, areas with high hive density, low-quality pollen...) or during predation by the **yellow-legged hornet** (*Vespa velutina*).



HOW LONG TO USE MEGABEE?

For optimal hive development, follow the **«6-week rule»** – provide fresh patties consistently for two brood cycles (approximately 6 weeks).

Be cautious, as a sudden interruption in protein supply could force the hive to **eliminate brood**, which would have a **counterproductive effect**.

Maintaining the patties for **4 to 6 weeks** ensures enough time for **the brood to develop**, become nurse bees, and then raise a **new generation** of young, healthy bees. This will stimulate **the growth and recovery** of your hive.

ANY OTHER QUESTIONS?

Consult our MegaBee
FAQ by scanning
the QR code
or visiting the website.

