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User Instructions

1. Remove protective plastic from the inspection tray & lightly sprinkle with the Diatomaceous Earth, **except if you live in Victoria where DE is not permitted for use by the Victorian Government**, an alternate product is finely crushed shells, or vegetable based oil, then fully reinsert the tray into place in the **Beetle Buster Base Board**.
2. Place your **Beetle Buster Base Board** next to your hive
3. Lift top honey boxes off and set aside
4. Lift brood box onto your **Beetle Buster Base Board**, remove the excluder
5. While brood box is open examine each frame. Flick off any beetle you see from the frames. Good idea to check on the queen & brood at this stage. Then replace the excluder
6. Place the brood box with the **Beetle Buster Base Board** back to original location
7. Put the honey box and lid back on top of the brood box
8. Pull the tray out to inspect for SHB, which die quickly once they are in the inspection tray. Make sure the inspection tray is **fully** reinserted.
9. The product on the tray can be sieved and reused, dispose of any SHB by crushing. Inspection and cleaning the under tray can be done anytime. To keep your Beetle Buster Base Board looking great, give it a wipe every now and then with oil. (we use Canola)
10. Conversion of the standard tray to an oil tray can be achieved easily. Silicone a rail of timber 19mm x 19mm on the three open sides leaving a gap on the sides so the tray can still slide in and out. Wipe a bead of silicone all along the inside edge.

We would like to hear about your results and feedback, photos or questions, contact us at sales@beetlebuster.com.au