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# **AHCSS00075 Basic Beekeeping Skill Set**

**Release 1**

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### Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version released with AHC, Agriculture, Horticulture and Conservation and Land Management Training Package Version 3.0. Supersedes and is equivalent to <i>AHCSS00028 Basic Introduction to Beekeeping Skill Set</i> . Minor edits.

### Description

This skill set describes the basic skills and knowledge required to operate a beehive or small apiary.

### Pathways Information

These units of competency provide credit toward the *AHC31818 Certificate III in Beekeeping*.

### Licensing/Regulatory Information

Legislation, regulations and by-laws relating to beehive ownership and biosecurity codes of practice apply in some states and territories.

### Skill Set Requirements

- AHCBEK203 Open and reassemble a beehive
- AHCBEK205 Prepare and use a bee smoker
- AHCBEK206 Assemble and maintain beekeeping components
- AHCBEK302 Manipulate honey bee brood
- AHCBEK304 Remove a honey crop from a hive
- AHCBEK313 Manage pests and disease within a honey bee colony

### Target Group

This skill set is for entry level workers in the beekeeping industry and for hobbyist beekeepers.

## **Suggested words for Statement of Attainment**

These competencies from the *AHC Agriculture, Horticulture and Conservation and Land Management Training Package* meet the basic requirements for the maintenance and monitoring of beehives.