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## Honey Bees



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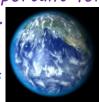
## **5 Honey Bee Facts**

- 1. A honey bee makes about a twelfth of a teaspoon of honey in its lifetime, so it takes a lot of bees to make a jar of honey!
- 2. Once honey bee eggs hatch into worker larvae, they'll be fed around 1300 times per day!
- 3. A honey bee gueen may lay as many as 1000 eggs per day as she establishes her colony.
- 4. If the queen honey bee is removed from the hive, within 15 minutes the rest of the colony will know about it!
- 5. There is evidence honey bees were on the planet 150 million years ago that's longer than humans!

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can make seeds, fruit, nuts and berries...



which feed birds...





...animals and.....



...humans...

...and enable

more young plants to grow and produce flowers again.



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