

STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE TO CREATE YOUR BUG HOTEL



STEP 1

Go to the website



consult the map
of the bug hotels network

STEP 2

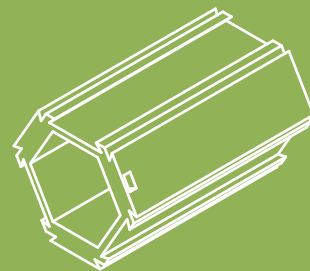
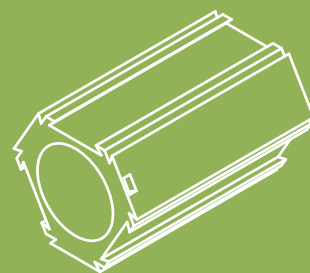
Decide where to install the bug hotel(s)



You'll get different residents depending
on where you place your hotel. Some
bugs like cool, damp conditions and
others prefer the sun.

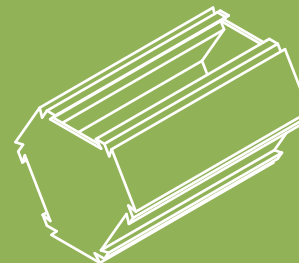
STEP 3

Choose bug hotel type A and/or B,
according to your preference and the
materials' shape



STEP 4

Choose bug hotel type C, if there are
no plants/flowers near by the location
you have chosen for the bug hotel(s)



STEP 5

Choose connector type A or B,
according to the shape of your
support

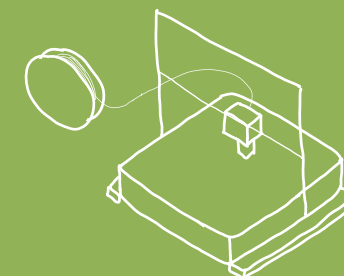


STEP 6

Order the components already 3D
printed

OR

if you want more fun, download the .stl
files and go 3D print yourself



STEP 7

Fill them with bamboo, pinecones, wood... according to the type of insect you want to offer shelter to

LADYBIRDS

sheltered cracks and crevices with horizontal slits



BUTTERFLY

sheltered cracks with vertical slits



SOLITARY BEES

require tunnels and tubes



make sure no stinging parts are exposed, to create a safe environment for the bugs

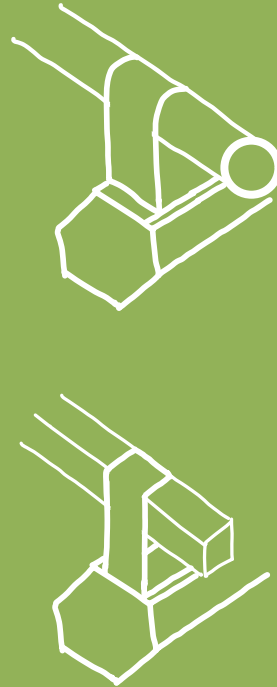
STEP 8

Install the magnet in the holes and the protective net



STEP 9

Install them on the chosen support



STEP 10

Check on them, if you're curious to see which insect have come to live in your hotel(s)



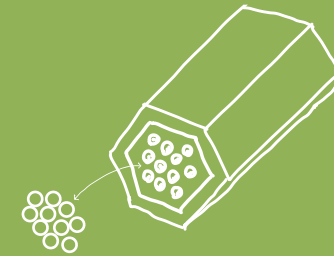
STEP 11

You can have feedback on how your bug hotel is doing by going in the personal space in the website, which is connected with the sensors -temperature, light and air quality-



STEP 12

Completely replace the raw materials after a few seasons of use, as the materials deteriorate and become more prone to bacteria and illness



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