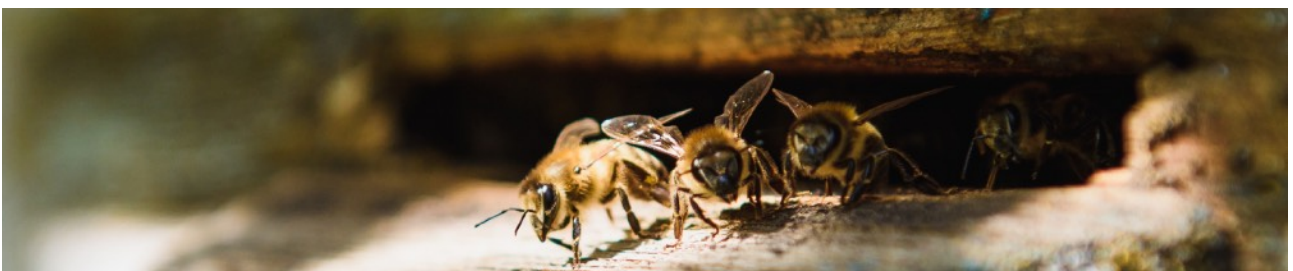




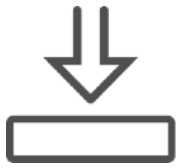
# BROODMINDER

Every Hive Counts

## Quick start Guide



## Follow these steps



1. Install the app



2. Create your account



3. Turn on your devices



4. Assign devices to hive



5. Make your first sync



6. Install devices in-hive



7. Update starting dates



8. View and explore

### Note the following best practices:

- **Identify your hives**

1, 2, 3, A, B, C, Asterix, Obelix, Idefix : do what it takes to identify your hives, it will be much better.

- **Prepare everything AT HOME**

Make sure the system is functional before installing it in the apiary, then it will be less easy to set up.

- **Follow the steps one by one**

By following the steps in this guide one by one and doing what is advised, there will be no worries.

### Need help ?

[doc.mellisphera.com](http://doc.mellisphera.com)

[support@mellisphera.com](mailto:support@mellisphera.com)

# Set up the system **AT HOME**





## # 1 : Install BroodMinder Bees App

Download « BroodMinder Bees » from your preferred store.



Or scan this QR code with your smartphone camera



## # 2 : Create your account

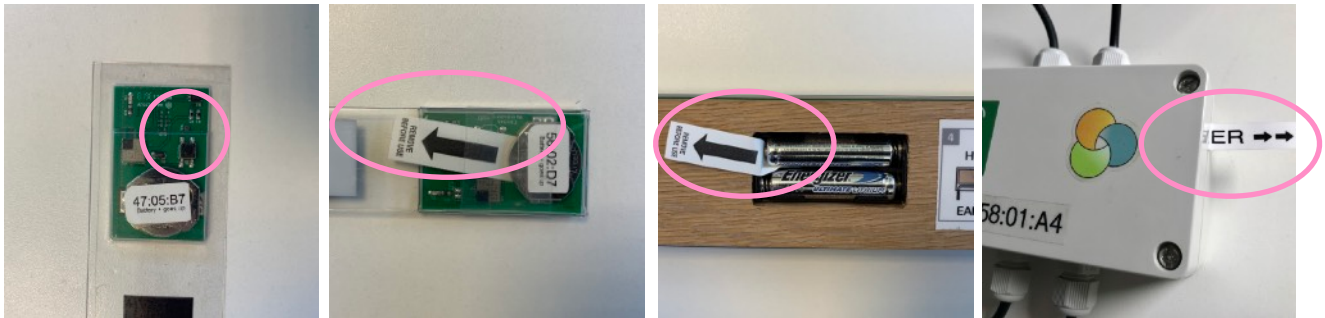
Create your account into the Bees App. A single account for all the tools : App, MyBroodminder and Mellisphera.

In BeesApp, on the **Apiary** tab, create your first apiary and your first hive, they will be needed for the next steps.





### #3 : Activate your devices



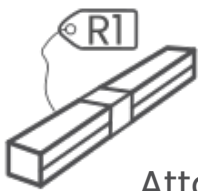
#### Broodminder T2

Press the bouton for >6 sec. T2 will blink for 15 sec.

#### Broodminder TH, W, W4

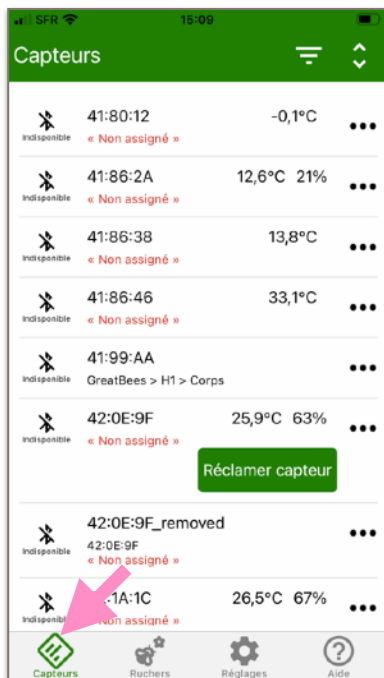
Pull the tag. A red led will blink 15sec.

**DO NOT discard any plastic cover,**  
keep them all in place!

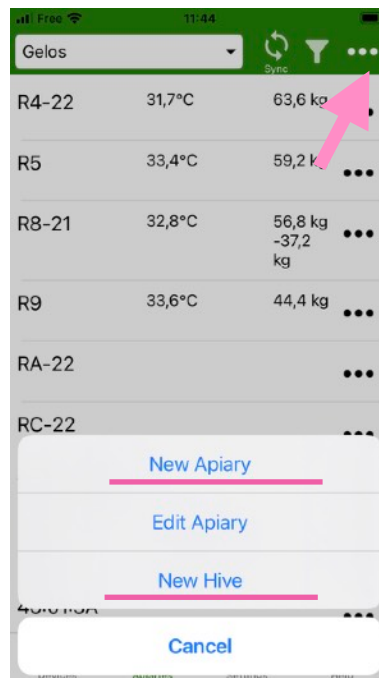


### #4 : Attach devices to hives

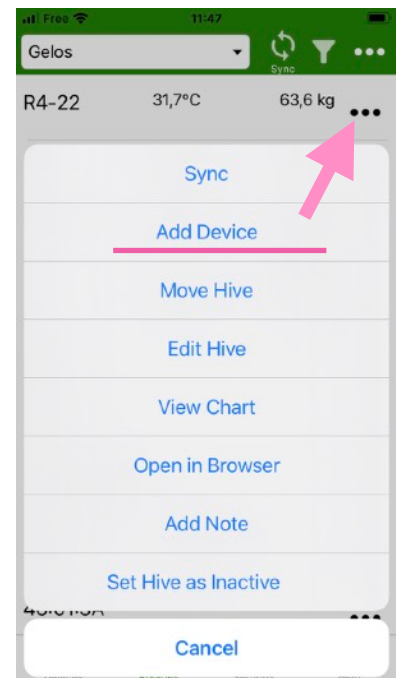
Attach every **device** to one hive. All happens within the 3 dot menus « ... ».



Devices will appear in the **Devices** tab.



In the **Apiary** tab you can create apiaries and hives.

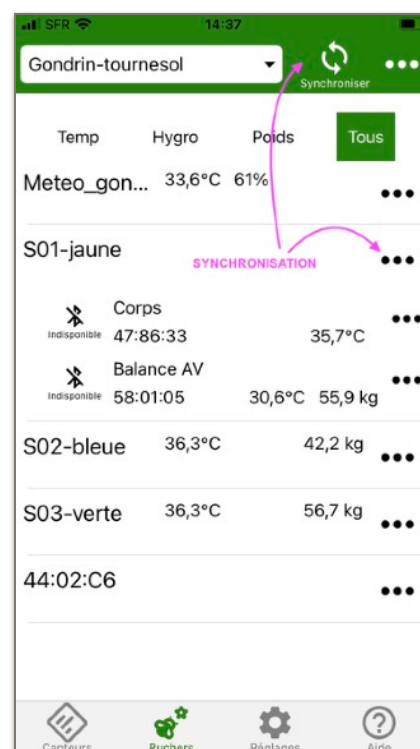


And attach devices to hives.

## # 5 : Make your first sync

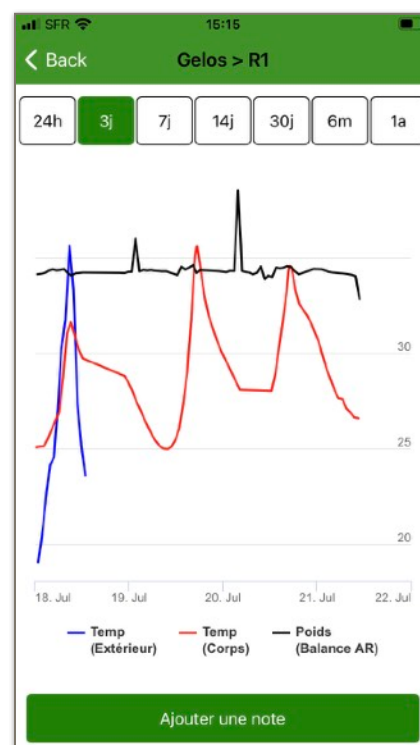
Using Broodminder BeesApp there are multiple ways of syncing. :

- Multi-sync is at the top of the screen in the apiaries tab. This syncs all the devices at once.
- Single sync is within the 3dots menus either in Devices or in Apiaries tab
- Note you can only sync devices appearing in green (in range)



And look to your data in the app using 3dots menu « show graph » or « show details »

You can also see that data in [MyBroodminder.com](http://MyBroodminder.com) and on [bzz.mellisphaera.com](http://bzz.mellisphaera.com)



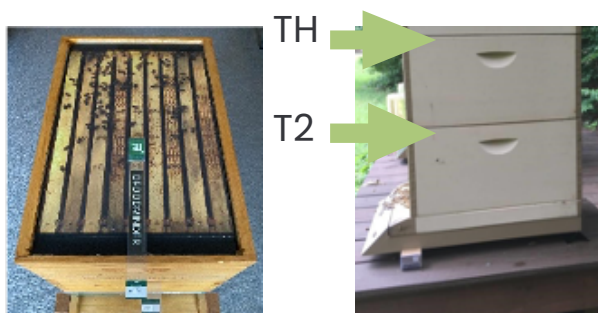
**If you own a Hub (cell or wifi) please move to Annex 1 « hub configuration at home » before going further».**

Install the devices  
**IN YOUR APIARY**





## # 6 : Install all your devices in your hives



Install T2 and TH in the middle frame (usually n°5) starting from the left side seen from the rear of the hive. T2 shall be over the brood box and TH over the super.



Placez your W scale at the rear side of the hive. Make sure that the hive is leveled as well as possible.

For more details about the location of the sensors, you can go to:  
<https://doc.mellisphaera.com>

As you did in the previous step, synchronize your sensors, this time at the apiary.

If you have a hub, see appendix "hub/installation".



## # 7 : Update the starting dates

To avoid having measurements outside the hive, change the start date of the sensors.

To do so, go to **BeesApp > Apiaries > unfold the hives to see the sensors > "..."** > **Change the current position**. Edit the start date/time.



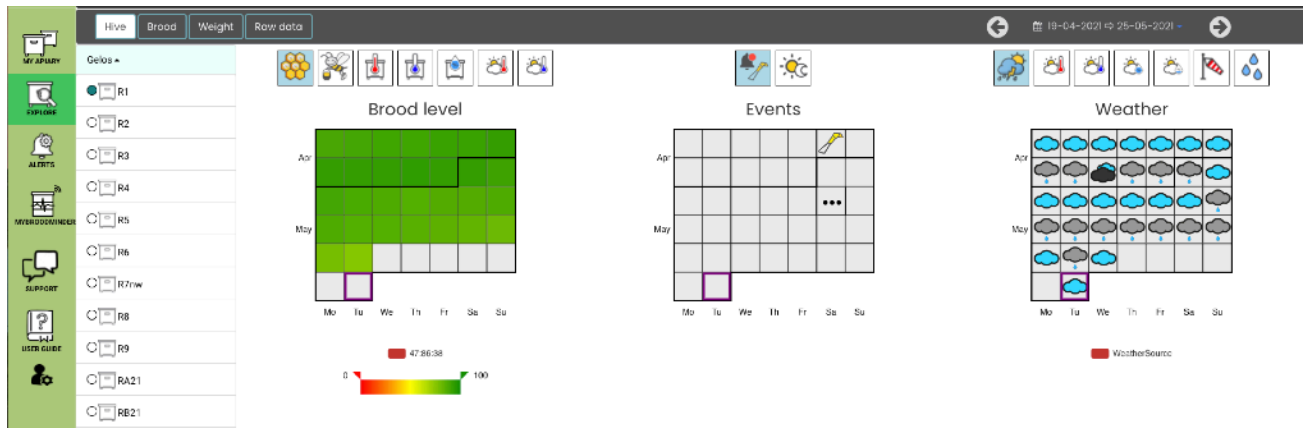
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## # 8 : Analyze data

Once the sensors are installed you can start viewing your data



In this interface you will be able to follow the **brood** levels, the **weight** gains and losses, configure your **alerts** or even the past and forecasted **weather** as well as the **nectar-flow indices**.

Attention: A great majority of the data being calculated in a daily way you will begin to see data from D+3 (D1 does not count because partial data, D2 will be the first complete day which will be posted the following day => D3)

**You're done!** 🎉

**Get some well-deserved rest!**

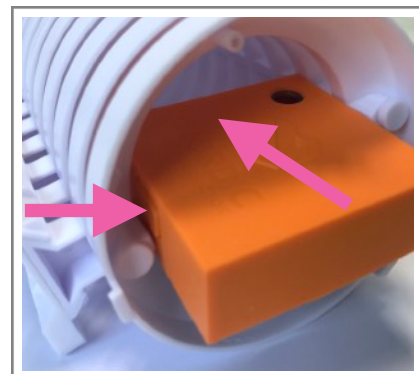
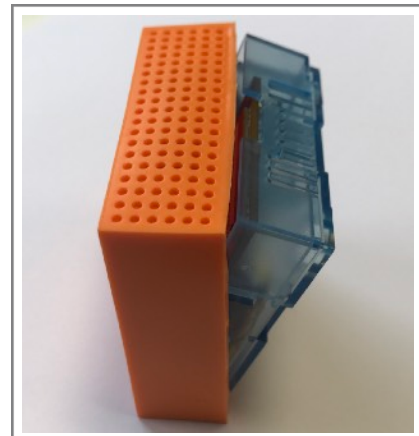
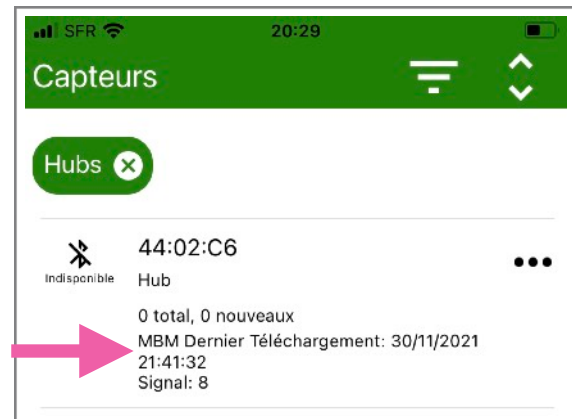
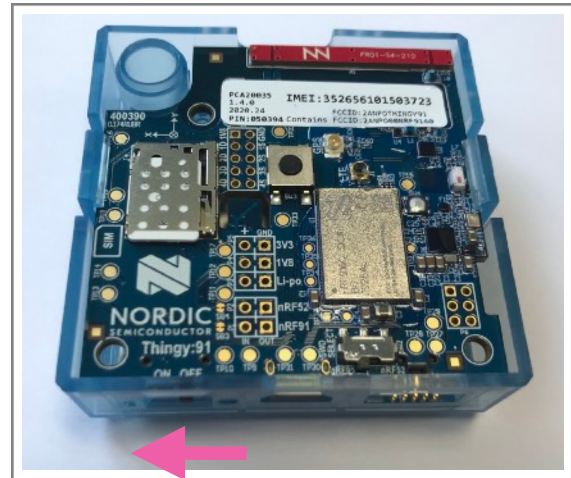
Annex

**Install the Cell Hub  
BroodMinder-T91**

## Naked or Weather model hub

IMPORTANT : Sync all devices with Bees App **before** starting the Hub

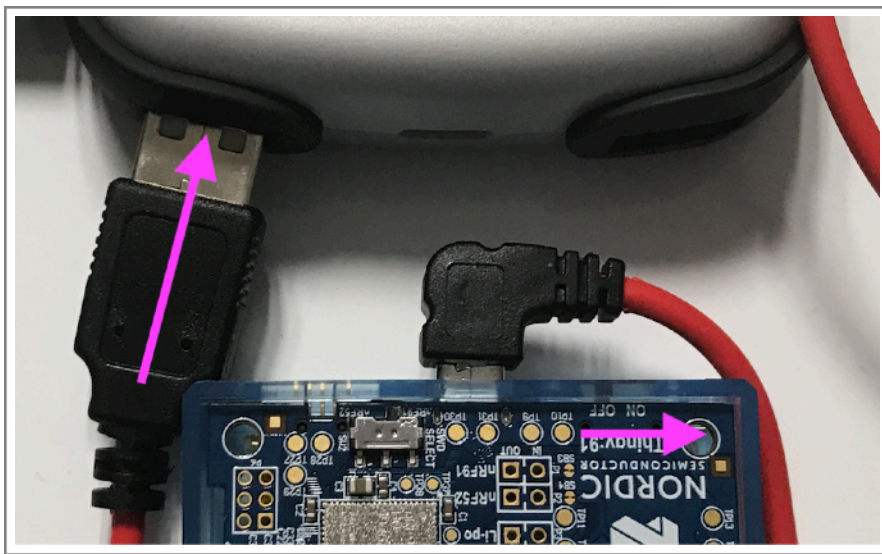
1. Remove the orange silicon protection
2. Power ON the hub
3. Leds will blink green, then blue
4. Check on **Bees App** that transmission has been established. **MBM last upload** shall display current date/time.
5. Install orange protection again, starting from the USB side.
6. Insert the T91 within the weather shield with the USB face sideways to avoid condensation deposition on this and the opposite face.



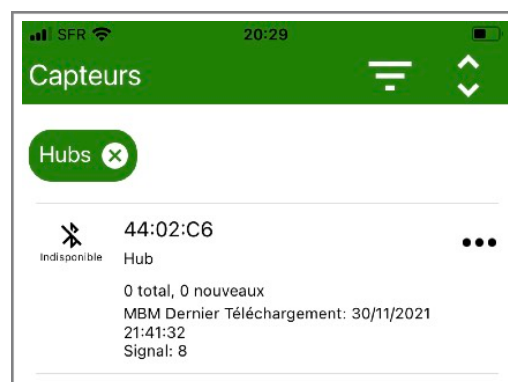
## Solar model

IMPORTANT : Sync all devices with BeesApp **before** starting the Hub

1. Remove the 4 screws of the lid cover
2. Push the USB connector into the battery
3. Switch on the main board (move switch to on)



4. The hub will blink green > blue > green
5. Put the lid back on - Be careful with the seal, water ingress can ruin everything
6. On BeesApp and check the time of the last download



Everything ok? You are ready to go to the apiary!