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Honey Bee Life Cycle

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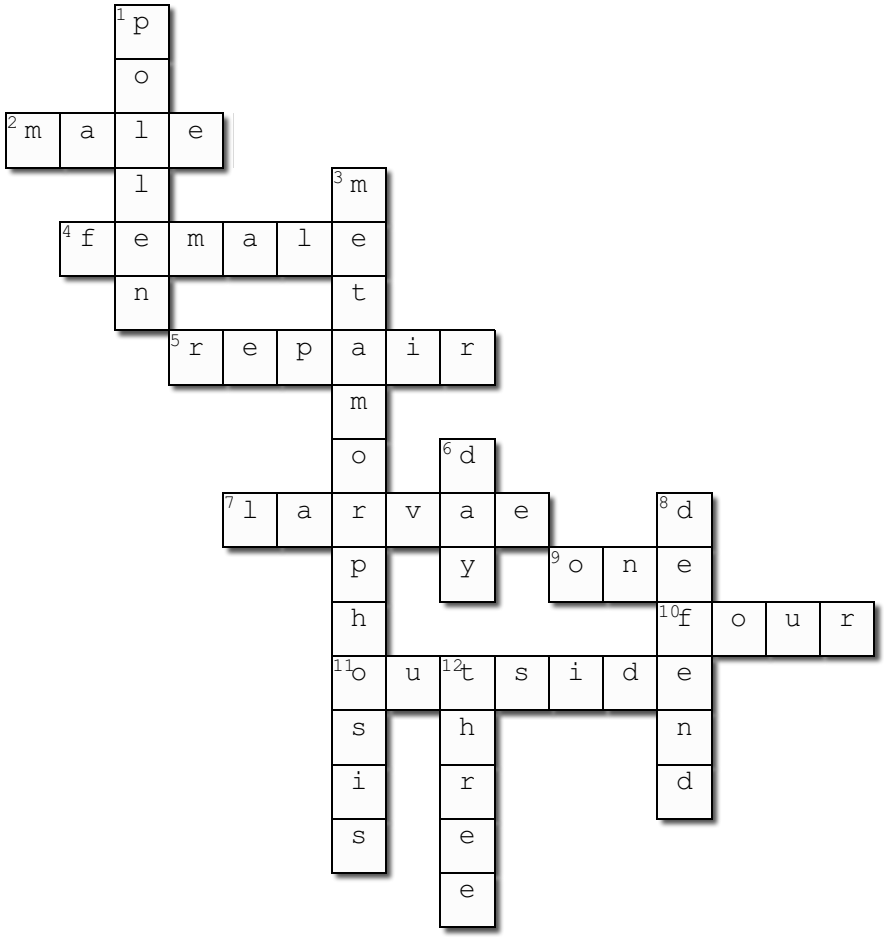

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Across

2. A drone is a _____ (**male**)
4. Worker bees are all _____ (**female**)
5. Worker bees maintain and clean the hive, build and _____ honeycomb. (**repair**)
7. The second stage of a bees life cycle is _____ (**larvae**)
9. There is _____ queen per colony (**one**)
10. The honey bee lifecycle consists of _____ stages (**four**)
11. Drone bees mate with a queen _____ the hive (**outside**)

Down

1. A worker bee gathers nectar, _____, water and propolis (**pollen**)
3. _____ is a process some insects and animals go through in their life cycle (**metamorphosis**)
6. A queen bee can lay up to 2,000 eggs per ____ (**day**)
8. The worker bees _____ the hive (**defend**)
12. The egg stage lasts ____days (**three**)