

the Honeybee Tree®



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Ages 4 to 8 2, 3 or 4 Players

Object: To be the first player to place all his pieces on the Honeybee Tree.

Preparation: Interlock two portions of the Tree "trunk" by slotting them together as in figure 1 and place the trunk in the center of the table.

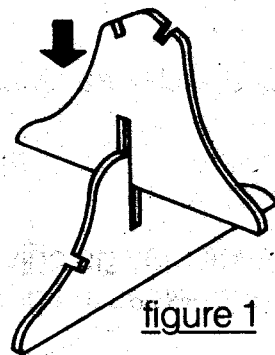
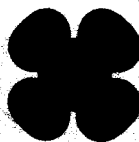


figure 1

Now distribute the following pieces to each player:



branch

leaf

blossom

butterfly

bee

1

4

2

2

1

for 3 or 4 players

2

8

4

4

2

for 2 players

Rules of the game: In placing pieces on the Honeybee Tree, the following special rules must be observed.

Branches may be attached only to the trunk as in figure 2.

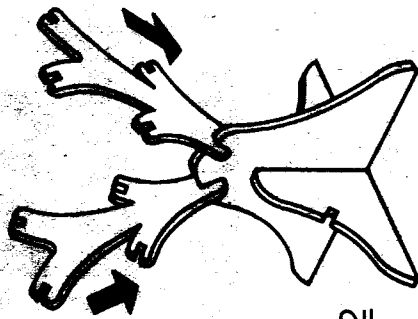


figure 2

leaves may go only on the branches as in figure 3.

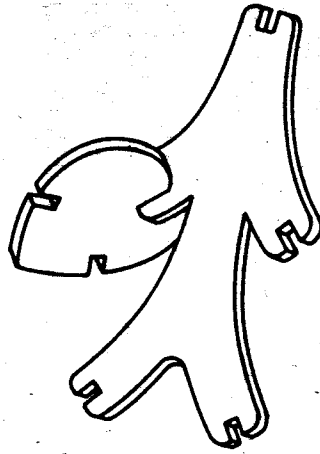


figure 3

Blossoms may go only on the leaves as in figure 4.

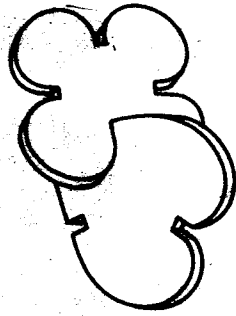


figure 4

Bees may go only on the blossoms as in figure 5.

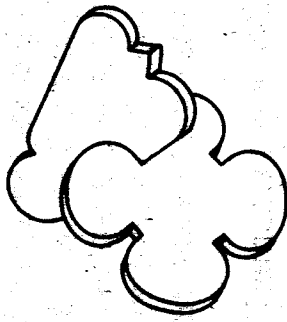


figure 5

But the butterflies may go on the leaves or blossoms as in figure 6.

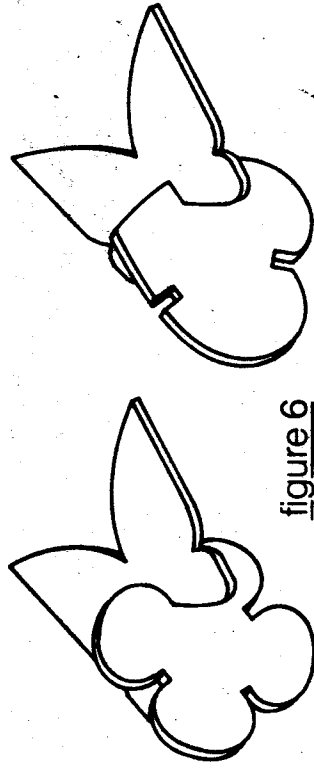
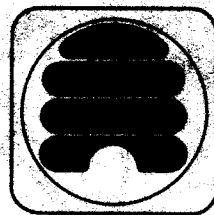


figure 6

Playing the game: A player is selected to go first, and he throws the picture die to see what piece he can place on the Tree, keeping in mind the order of building described above. When a player is unable to move, for instance, having no blossoms left when a blossom is thrown on the die, or when there is no appropriate slot for the piece shown on the die, he must wait for his next turn and

throw the die again. When the die is thrown and the "bee hive" appears, the player may place any one of his pieces on the Honeybee Tree, observing the rules covering the proper positions for each type of piece.



Winning the game: The first player to use up all his pieces wins.

The Honeybee Tree is also a delightful construction toy for children as young as one year of age. In adding pieces to the Tree, children will develop both dexterity in placing elements onto the Tree, and a sense of balance in preventing the Tree from toppling. The high tactile finish of the pieces and their crisp colors will provide fascination for many hours of play.

We would be glad to answer any inquiries concerning these rules. Parker Brothers, P.O. Box 900, Salem, Massachusetts 01970

