



## Honey Bear Facts

The honey bear holds;

1 cup  
12 ounces  
48 teaspoons  
18,000 drops  
236 cc  
340 grams  
18,000 drops  
of honey

A bee makes 1/12 teaspoon of honey in her lifetime. It takes 576 bees working their entire life to fill this bear.

A bee visits 50-100 flowers on each foraging trip from the hive. They visit about 1.5 million flowers to fill this bear.

Bees fly about 41,000 miles to fill this Bear with honey.

A bee can carry 1 drop of nectar back to the hive in one trip. It takes 3 drops of nectar to make one drop of honey. It takes 36,000 foraging trips to fill this bear with honey.

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