

# Supplementary Materials

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**Table S1.** Locations of hives sampled in this study.

Location	Description	Latitude	Longitude
Haverford College	suburban	40.0122° N	75.2996° W
Greensgrow Farms	urban	39.9785° N	75.1210° W
Awbury Arboretum	urban	40.0508° N	75.1681° W
private residence in Doylestown, PA	rural	40.2739° N	75.1169° W
Monastery of the Visitation Nuns	urban	39.9924° N	75.2434° W
Mt Moriah Cemetery	urban	39.9303° N	75.2338° W
private residence in Malvern, PA	suburban	40.0356° N	75.5157° W
Leapfrog Farm	rural	39.7859° N	75.9791° W
Swarthmore College	suburban	39.9007° N	75.3482° W
Temple University, Ambler Campus	rural	40.1662° N	75.2546° W

**Table S2.** All compounds identified on bands.

Groups	Compound Name	Chain Length	Log K <sub>ow</sub>	CAS Number	No. of Bands	References
alkanes	<i>n</i> -heneicosane	C <sub>21</sub>	10.7 <sub>c</sub>	629-94-7	36	nestmate recognition semiochemical [2 – 5] and queen tergal gland secretion [6]
	<i>n</i> -tricosane	C <sub>23</sub>	11.6 <sub>c</sub>	638-67-5	73	waggle dance [7 – 8]
	<i>n</i> -pentacosane	C <sub>25</sub>	12.6 <sub>c</sub>	629-99-2	73	waggle dance [7 – 8]
	<i>n</i> -heptacosane	C <sub>27</sub>	13.6 <sub>c</sub>	593-49-7	76	nestmate recognition semiochemical [2 – 5] and queen tergal gland secretion [6]
	<i>n</i> -nonacosane	C <sub>29</sub>	14.6 <sub>c</sub>	630-03-5	74	nestmate recognition semiochemical [2 – 5] and queen tergal gland secretion [6]
	<i>n</i> -hentriacontane	C <sub>31</sub>	15.6 <sub>c</sub>	630-04-6	73	nestmate recognition semiochemical [2 – 5] and queen tergal gland secretion [6]
	<i>n</i> -tritriacontane	C <sub>33</sub>	16.6 <sub>c</sub>	630-05-7	54	nestmate recognition semiochemical [2 – 5] and queen tergal gland secretion [6]
	<i>n</i> -tricosene	C <sub>23</sub>	11.4 <sub>c</sub>		35	waggle dance [7 – 8], nestmate recognition semiochemical [2 – 5], and queen tergal gland secretion [6]
	<i>n</i> -pentacosene	C <sub>25</sub>	12.4 <sub>c</sub>		59	waggle dance [7 – 8], nestmate recognition semiochemical [2 – 5], and queen tergal gland secretion [6]
	<i>n</i> -pentacosene	C <sub>25</sub>	12.4 <sub>c</sub>		11	waggle dance [7 – 8], nestmate recognition semiochemical [2 – 5], and queen tergal gland secretion [6]
alkenes <sup>a</sup>	<i>n</i> -heptacosene	C <sub>27</sub>	13.5		50	nestmate recognition semiochemical [2 – 5] and queen tergal gland secretion [6]
	<i>n</i> -heptacosene	C <sub>27</sub>	13.5		13	nestmate recognition semiochemical [2 – 5] and queen tergal gland secretion [6]
	<i>n</i> -nonacosene	C <sub>29</sub>	14.4 <sub>c</sub>		6	nestmate recognition semiochemical [2 – 5] and queen tergal gland secretion [6]
	<i>n</i> -nonacosene	C <sub>29</sub>	14.4 <sub>c</sub>		54	nestmate recognition semiochemical [2 – 5] and queen tergal gland secretion [6]
	<i>n</i> -hentriacontene	C <sub>31</sub>	15.4 <sub>c</sub>		73	nestmate recognition semiochemical [2 – 5] and queen tergal gland secretion [6]
	<i>n</i> -hentriacontene	C <sub>31</sub>	15.4 <sub>c</sub>		71	nestmate recognition semiochemical [2 – 5] and queen tergal gland secretion [6]
	<i>n</i> -tritriacontene	C <sub>33</sub>	16.4 <sub>c</sub>		54	nestmate recognition semiochemical [2 – 5] and queen tergal gland secretion [6]
<i>n</i> -tritriacontene	C <sub>33</sub>	16.4 <sub>c</sub>		75	nestmate recognition semiochemical [2 – 5] and queen tergal gland secretion [6]	
<i>n</i> -tritriacontene	C <sub>33</sub>	16.4 <sub>c</sub>		54	nestmate recognition semiochemical [2 – 5] and queen tergal gland secretion [6]	

	nonanoic acid	C9:0	3.4	112-05-0	56	nonspecific herbicide [9]
	decanoic acid	C10:0	4.1	334-48-5	59	pollen [10]
	dodecanoic acid	C12:0	4.6	143-07-7	65	pollen [10]; detected in worker bees [11]
	tetradecanoic acid	C14:0	6.1	544-63-8	60	pollen [10]; detected in worker bees [11, 12]
	pentadecanoic acid	C15:0	6.5	1002-84-2	43	detected in varroa destructor [11]
	hexadecanoic acid	C16:0	7.2	57-10-3	68	major constituent – pollen [10]; beeswax [13]; detected in worker bees [11, 12]
	heptadecanoic acid	C17:0	7.5 <sup>c</sup>	506-12-7	59	detected in worker bees [11, 12] <sup>12-13</sup>
	octadecanoic acid [stearic acid]	C18:0	8.2	57-11-4	68	major constituent – pollen [10]; beeswax [13]; detected in worker bees [11, 12]
	oleic acid	C18:1	7.6	112-80-1	64	major constituent – pollen [10]; beeswax [13]; detected in worker bees [11, 12]
	linoleic acid	C18:2	7.1	60-33-3	54	major constituent – pollen [10]; beeswax [13]; detected in worker bees [11, 12]
fatty acids	$\alpha$ -linolenic acid	C18:3	6.5	463-40-1	32	major constituent – pollen [10]; beeswax [13]; detected in worker bees [11, 12]
	eicosanoic acid [arachidic acid]	C20:0	8.9 <sup>c</sup>	506-30-9	61	pollen [10]; detected in bee bread [11]
	heneicosanoic acid	C21:0	9.4 <sup>c</sup>	2363-71-5	52	detected in worker bees [11]
	docosanoic acid	C22:0	9.9 <sup>c</sup>	112-85-6	58	pollen [10]; detected in worker bees [11, 12]
	tricosanoic acid	C23:0	10.4 <sup>c</sup>	2433-96-7	58	detected in varroa destructor [11]
	tetracosanoic acid	C24:0	10.9 <sup>c</sup>	557-59-5	61	major constituent – beeswax [13]; detected in varroa destructor [11]
	pentacosanoic acid	C25:0	11.4 <sup>c</sup>	506-38-7	49	plant origin [14, 15]
	hexacosanoic acid	C26:0	11.9 <sup>c</sup>	506-46-7	53	detected in worker bees [12]
	octacosanoic acid	C28:0	12.9 <sup>c</sup>	506-48-9	55	detected in worker bees [12]
	triacontanoic acid	C30:0	13.8 <sup>c</sup>	506-50-3	44	detected in worker bees [12]
	1-hexadecanol	C <sub>16</sub>	6.8 <sup>c</sup>	36653-82-4	36	queen retinue pheromone (QRP) [7]
	1-heptadecanol	C <sub>17</sub>	7.2 <sup>c</sup>	1454-85-9	64	drone cocoon [16]
	1-octadecanol	C <sub>18</sub>	7.7 <sup>c</sup>	112-92-5	62	detected in worker bees [12]; drone cocoon [16]
	1-nonadecanol	C <sub>19</sub>	8.2 <sup>c</sup>	145-84-8	60	detected in worker bees [12]; drone cocoon [16]
	<i>n</i> -nonadecenol**	C <sub>19</sub>			51	detected in bombus ruderarius and b. sylvarum (hymenoptera, apidae) [17]
	<i>n</i> -nonadecenol*	C <sub>19</sub>			27	detected in bombus ruderarius and b. sylvarum (hymenoptera, apidae) [17]
	1-eicosanol	C <sub>20</sub>	8.7 <sup>c</sup>	629-96-9	51	detected in worker bees [12]; drone cocoon [16]
	[z]-11-eicosenol	C <sub>20</sub>	8.5 <sup>c</sup>	62442-62-0	51	alarm pheromone [7, 12]
	1-heneicosanol	C <sub>21</sub>	9.2 <sup>c</sup>	15594-90-8	35	detected in worker bees [12]; drone cocoon [16]
	1-docosanol	C <sub>22</sub>	9.7 <sup>c</sup>	30303-65-2	45	detected in worker bees [12]; drone cocoon [16]
fatty alcohols	1-tricosanol	C <sub>23</sub>	10.2 <sup>c</sup>	3133-01-5	40	detected in worker bees [12]
	1-tetracosanol	C <sub>24</sub>	10.7 <sup>c</sup>	506-51-4	57	detected in worker bees [12]
	1-pentacosanol	C <sub>25</sub>	11.2 <sup>c</sup>	26040-98-2	54	detected in worker bees [12]
	1-hexacosanol	C <sub>26</sub>	11.7 <sup>c</sup>	506-52-5	53	detected in worker bees [12]
	1-heptacosanol	C <sub>27</sub>	12.1 <sup>c</sup>	2004-39-9	50	detected in worker bees [12]
	1-octacosanol	C <sub>28</sub>	12.6 <sup>c</sup>	557-61-9	54	detected in worker bees [12]
	1-nonacosanol	C <sub>29</sub>	13.1 <sup>c</sup>	6624-76-6	34	detected in worker bees [12]
	1-triacontanol	C <sub>30</sub>	13.6 <sup>c</sup>	593-50-0	46	detected in worker bees [12]

	1-hentriacontanol	C <sub>31</sub>	14.1 <sub>c</sub>	544-86-5	26	detected in worker bees [12]
	1-dotriacontanol	C <sub>32</sub>		6624-79-9	24	detected in worker bees [12]
	1-tritriacontanol	C <sub>33</sub>		71353-61-2	9	plant origin [18, 19]
	glycerol		-1.8	56-81-5	63	ester biosynthesis in honey bees [7]
	benzoic acid		1.9	65-85-0	53	plant originated allelochemical [20, 21]
	cinnamyl alcohol		1.6	104-54-1	23	plant originated allelochemical [20, 21]
	trans-cinnamic acid		1.8 <sup>c</sup>	140-10-3	30	plant originated allelochemical [20, 21]
	hydrocinnamic acid		1.8	501-52-0	7	plant originated allelochemical [20, 21]
	cinnamic acid, p-methoxy		2.7	830-09-1	42	plant originated allelochemical [20, 21]
	4-hydroxybenzoic acid		1.6	99-96-7	8	plant originated allelochemical [20, 21]
	d-glucopyranose		-2.8	50-99-7	2	nectar [22]
	d-mannose		-3.4 <sub>c</sub>	3458-28-4	6	nectar [22]
	d-xylose		-2.7 <sub>c</sub>	58-86-6	2	nectar [22]
other	d-glucose		-2.8	50-99-7	4	nectar [22]
	benzyl salicylate		4.3 <sup>c</sup>	118-58-1	2	plant originated allelochemical [20, 21]
	ferulic acid		1.5	1135-24-6	5	plant originated allelochemical [20, 21]
	caffeic acid (3,4-dihydroxy-cinnamic acid)		1.2	331-39-5	2	plant originated allelochemical [20, 21]
	benzyl cinnamate		3.4	103-41-3	6	plant originated allelochemical [20, 21]
	cinnamyl cinnamate		3.9	122-69-0	8	plant originated allelochemical [20, 21]
	chrysin		3.5	480-40-0	9	honey, propolis, and beeswax [23]
	stigmasterol (29δ (5,22) )		9.4 <sup>c</sup>	83-48-7	9	pollen [24]
	beta-sitosterol (29δ (5) )		9.7 <sup>c</sup>	83-46-5	29	pollen [24]
	lanosta-8,24-dien-3-ol, acetate, (3, beta)-		11.8 <sub>c</sub>	2671-68-3	6	pollen [24]

<sup>a</sup> alkenes identified by weight. the exact location of their double bonds are unknown. <sup>b</sup> alkenes with two double bonds <sup>c</sup> K<sub>ow</sub> values estimated using the crippen method: episuite kowwin v1.67 estimate (usepa) (HSDB [1]).

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