



DANGER

HAVE YOU SEEN THIS INSECT?

Asian hornets are coming and threaten to destroy our bees



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This is an **ASIAN HORNET**,
now arriving in Britain from mainland Europe
A major threat to honey bees and other insects

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES

25-30mm (1-1¼") long
Mainly black when viewed from
above
Orange/yellow band near rear end
Orange front of head
Yellow ends to the legs

WHAT SHOULD I DO IF I SEE ONE?

If possible, take a photograph or capture
a specimen
Note the location
Contact a local beekeeper

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