

For the first time, bees declared endangered in U.S.

Instructions

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- Find the article titled **For the First Time, Bees Declared Endangered in the U.S**
- Read the article and answer the questions below.

Questions

1. What has caused the endangerment of seven species of Hawaiian yellow-faced bee?
2. Who are Naupaka and Kauai?
3. How is the flower “linked to another sad event”?
4. How does the phrase “even the subalpine slopes” in paragraph 5 relate to the author’s use of the word “abundant” in the same paragraph?
5. Why are they called “yellow-faced” bees?
6. In what ways do the bees look like wasps?
7. In what ways are the invasive species from India competing with the yellow-faced bee?
8. Explain the metaphor in “amazing little buffet”.
9. How does Jason Graham hope that his artificial nest boxes will encourage bee populations to rise?

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