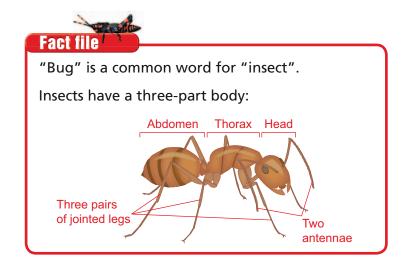




Flesh-eating zombies? Giant creepy-crawlies? Films are full of them.

But look out at your garden or by the side of the road. There are monsters out there, too. And lots of them are bugs.



The Scare Scale

Of course, not everyone's scared. Where do *you* fit on the Scare Scale?



Terrified

Very scared

Quite scared

Don't like them



Not scared at all!





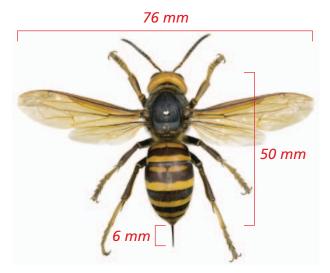


Bees, ants and wasps are all insects that sting.

Asian giant hornet

Keep out of the way of this guy. In Japan, this bug kills more people than all other creatures put together. And that includes wild bears!

It is about 50 mm long and has a wingspan of 76 mm.



Its stinger is about 6 mm long.

It is found in the parts of the world shown here in orange.





Probably hundreds of people are killed each year by this bug. Honey bees are its favourite food.



