

# Canadian Standards of Identity: Volume 5 – Honey

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Although the [\*Safe Food for Canadians Regulations\*](#) (SFCR) came into force on January 15, 2019, certain requirements may apply in 2020 and 2021 based on food commodity, type of activity and business size. For more information, refer to the [SFCR timelines](#).

## Honey

**1. Honey** is the food that meets the standard set out in section B.18.025 of the Food and Drug Regulations and

- a. if it is derived mainly from the nectar of blossoms, meets the standard set out in section B.18.026 of the Food and Drug Regulations; or
- b. if it is derived from secretions of living plants or from secretions on living plants, meets the standard set out in section B.18.027 of the Food and Drug Regulations.