U.S. IMPORTERS' QUESTIONNAIRE

RAW HONEY FROM ARGENTINA, BRAZIL, INDIA, UKRAINE, AND VIETNAM

This questionnaire must be received by the Commission by <u>February 1, 2021</u>

See last page for filing instructions.

The information called for in this questionnaire is for use by the United States International Trade Commission in connection with its antidumping investigations concerning raw honey from Argentina, Brazil, India, Ukraine, and Vietnam (Inv. Nos. 731-TA-1560-1564 (Final)). The information requested in the questionnaire is requested under the authority of the Tariff Act of 1930, title VII. This report is mandatory and failure to reply as directed can result in a subpoena or other order to compel the submission of records or information in your firm's possession (19 U.S.C. § 1333(a)).

City			State	Zip Code		
Website						
	Has your firm imported raw honey (as defined on next page) or retail-packaged unfiltered/unprocessed honey from any country at any time since January 1, 2018?				ssed honey	
☐ NO	(Sign the cer	ification below and promp	otly return only t	his page of the q	uestionnaire to the C	Commission)
☐ YES	(Complete al	parts of the questionnaire	e, and return the	entire question	naire to the Commiss	ion)
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PART I.—GENERAL INFORMATION

Background.--This proceeding was instituted in response to a petition filed on April 21, 2021, by the American Honey Producers Association ("AHPA"), Bruce, South Dakota and the Sioux Honey Association ("SHA"), Sioux City, Iowa. Antidumping duties may be assessed on the subject imports as a result of these proceedings if the Commission makes an affirmative determination of injury, threat, or material retardation, and if the U.S. Department of Commerce ("Commerce") makes an affirmative determination of dumping. Questionnaires and other information pertinent to this proceeding are available at:

https://www.usitc.gov/investigations/701731/2021/raw honey argentina brazil india ukraine and/final.htm

Raw Honey covered by these investigations is honey as it exists in the beehive or as obtained by extraction, settling and skimming, or coarse straining. Raw honey has not been filtered to a level that results in the removal of most or all of the pollen, e.g., a level that removes pollen to below 25 microns. The subject products include all grades, floral sources and colors of raw honey and also include organic raw honey.

Excluded from the scope is any honey that is packaged for retail sale (e.g., in bottles or other retail containers of five (5) lbs. or less).

Raw honey is currently imported under statistical reporting numbers 0409.00.0005, 0409.00.0035, 0409.00.0045, 0409.00.0056, and 0409.00.0065 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS). The HTSUS provisions are for convenience and customs purposes; the written description of the scope is dispositive.

Primary HTS statistical reporting numbers for raw honey are 0409.00.0005, 0409.00.0035, 0409.00.0045, 0409.00.0056, and 0409.00.0065.

<u>Importer</u>.--Any person or firm engaged, either directly or through a parent company or subsidiary, in importing raw honey (as defined above) into the United States from a foreign manufacturer or through its selling agent.

<u>Reporting of information</u>.--If information is not readily available from your records, provide carefully prepared estimates. If your firm is completing more than one questionnaire (i.e., a producer, importer, and/or purchaser questionnaire), you need not respond to duplicated questions.

<u>Confidentiality</u>.--The commercial and financial data furnished in response to this questionnaire that reveal the individual operations of your firm will be treated as confidential by the Commission to the extent that such data are not otherwise available to the public and will not be disclosed except as may be required by law (see 19 U.S.C. § 1677f). Such confidential information will not be published in a manner that will reveal the individual operations of your firm; however, general characterizations of numerical business proprietary information (such as discussion of trends) will be treated as confidential business information only at the request of the submitter for good cause shown.

<u>Verification</u>.--The information submitted in this questionnaire is subject to audit and verification by the Commission. To facilitate possible verification of data, please keep all files, worksheets, and supporting documents used in the preparation of the questionnaire response. Please also retain a copy of the final document that you submit.

Release of information.--The information provided by your firm in response to this questionnaire, as well as any other business proprietary information submitted by your firm to the Commission in connection with this proceeding, may become subject to, and released under, the administrative protective order provisions of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. § 1677f) and section 207.7 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR § 207.7). This means that certain lawyers and other authorized individuals may temporarily be given access to the information for use in connection with this proceeding or other import-injury proceedings conducted by the Commission on the same or similar merchandise; those individuals would be subject to severe penalties if the information were divulged to unauthorized individuals.

<u>Valid number error messages.</u>—If you are completing this form in a country that uses periods (".") to delineate multiples of 1000 (e.g., one million would appear as \$1.000.000 rather than \$1,000,000), you may be unable to enter in numbers greater than 999 in numeric form fields. The solution to this data entry issue is to temporarily change your operating system's number formatting to be consistent with the U.S. number formatting system while you complete this form. Detailed instructions on how to resolve this issue is provided at the end of this questionnaire and is available upon request from Andres Andrade (202-205-2078, <u>Andres.Andrade@usitc.gov</u>).

<u>D-GRIDS tool.</u>--The Commission has a tool that firms can use to move data from their own MS Excel compilation files into self-contained data tables within this MS Word questionnaire, thereby reducing the amount of cell-by-cell data entry that would be required to complete this form. This tool is a macroenabled MS Excel file available for download from the Commission's generic questionnaires webpage (https://www.usitc.gov/trade_remedy/question.htm) called the "D-GRIDs tool." Use of this tool to help your firm complete this questionnaire is *optional*. Firms opting to use the D-GRIDs tool to populate their data into this questionnaire will need the D-GRIDs specification sheet PDF file specific to this proceeding (available on the case page which is linked under the "Background" above) which includes the necessary references relating to this questionnaire, as well as the macro-enable MS Excel D-GRIDs tool itself from the generic questionnaires page. More detailed instructions on how to use the D-GRIDs tool are available within the D-GRIDs tool itself.

I-1. OMB statistics.--Please report below the actual number of hours required and the cost to your firm of completing this questionnaire.

Hours	Dollars

The questions in this questionnaire have been reviewed with market participants to ensure that issues of concern are adequately addressed and that data requests are sufficient, meaningful, and as limited as possible. Public reporting burden for this questionnaire is estimated to average 40 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, gathering data, and completing and reviewing the questionnaire.

We welcome comments regarding the accuracy of this burden estimate, suggestions for reducing the burden, and any suggestions for improving this questionnaire. Please attach such comments to your response or send to the Office of Investigations, USITC, 500 E St. SW, Washington, DC 20436.

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I-5.	<u>Related producers</u> Does your firm have any related firms, either domestic engaged in the production of raw honey?			tic or foreign, that are	
	☐ No ☐ Yes	List the following inforn	nation.		
	Firm name	Country		Affiliation	
I-6a.	<u>Importing operations</u> Please indicate the nature of your firm's importing operations of raw honey. More than one answer may be applicable.				
		Takes title to the	Consignee of the	Customs broker or	
	Importer of record	imported product(s)	imported products(s)	freight forwarder	
I-6b.	Importing operations	mporting operationsPlease describe your own firm's operations of raw h		v honey.	
		Processor that is not	End user or retailer of		
	Cooperative	a cooperative	honey	Other ¹	
	¹ If other, please describe:				

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I-7.	Consignee If your firm is an importer of record of raw honey but is not the consignee, please
	list the consignees below (firm name, address, telephone number, and individual to contact).

Firm name	Address	Contact person and phone number

I-8. <u>FTZ, TIB, or bonded warehouses</u>.--Please indicate whether your firm enters raw honey into, or withdraws such merchandise from, foreign trade zones or bonded warehouses. Also indicate whether your firm imports raw honey under the TIB (temporary importation under bond) program.

"Foreign trade zone" is a designated location in the United States where firms utilize special procedures that allow delayed or reduced customs duty payments on foreign merchandise, as well as other savings. A foreign trade zone must be designated as such pursuant to the rules and procedures set forth in the Foreign-Trade Zones Act.

"Bonded warehouse" is a secured facility supervised by U.S. customs, where dutiable landed imports are stored pending their re-export, or release after payment of import duties, taxes, and other charges. A bonded warehouse must be designed as such pursuant to the rules and procedures set forth in 19 U.S.C. § 1555.

"Temporary Importation under Bond ("TIB") program" is a procedure whereby imported merchandise may be entered under certain conditions for a limited time into the United States free of duty. Under the program, an importer posts a bond for twice the amount of duty, taxes, etc. that would otherwise be owed on the importation and agrees to export or destroy the merchandise within a specified time or pay liquidated damages. This program is restricted to certain categories of merchandise listed in subheadings 9813.00.05 through 9813.00.75 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTS).

Item	No	Yes
Foreign trade zones		
Bonded warehouses		
Temporary importation under bond		

I-9. Other trade actions. -- To your knowledge, have the products subject to this proceeding been the subject of any other import relief proceedings in the United States or in any other countries?

No	Yes	If yes, please specify.

PART II.--TRADE AND RELATED INFORMATION

Title Email Telephone

Further information on this part of the questionnaire can be obtained from Andres Andrade (202-205-2078, Andres.Andrade@usitc.gov). **Supply all data requested on a <u>calendar-year</u> basis**.

II-1.	<u>Contact information</u> Please identify the responsible individual and the manner by which
	Commission staff may contact that individual regarding the confidential information submitted in part II.
	Name

II-2a. <u>Changes in operations.</u>—Please indicate whether your firm has experienced any of the following changes in relation to the importation of raw honey since January 1, 2018.

(che	ck as many as appropriate)	(If checked, please describe the nature, date(s), and significance of any such reported changes as well as the business reasons for them; leave completely blank if not applicable)
	Office/warehouse openings	
	Office/warehouse closings	
	Relocations	
	Expansions	
	Acquisitions	
	Consolidations	
	Prolonged shutdowns or importation curtailments	
	Revised labor agreements	
	Other (e.g., technology)	

II-2b.	COVID-19 pandemic. — Since January 1, 2020, has the COVID-19 pandemic or have any
	government actions taken to contain the spread of the COVID-19 virus resulted in changes in
	your firm's supply chain arrangements, importation, employment, and shipments relating to raw
	honey? In your response, please discuss the duration and timing of any such changes as they
	relate to your firm's operations.

No	If yes, describe these changes including a separate discussion of the (a) supply chain impact, (b) importation and shipment impact, and (c) employment impact of the COVID-19 pandemic.

II-3a. <u>Arranged imports</u>.--Has your firm imported or arranged for the importation of raw honey for delivery after **September 30, 2021**?

"Arranged imports" are imports for which your firm has placed an order with a foreign supplier for subject merchandise, but delivery of those imports is not scheduled to occur until after the date listed above.

No	Yes	
		If yes, fill out the table below.

		Per	Period		
Source	Oct-Dec 2021	Jan-Mar 2022	Apr-Jun 2022	Jul-Sept 2022	
	Quantity (in pounds)				
Argentina					
Brazil					
India					
Ukraine					
Vietnam					
All other sources					

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II-3b.	Imports of raw honey in the 12-month period preceding the petition Has your firm imported
	raw honey from any source between April 1, 2020 and March 31, 2021? (i.e., the last nine
	months in 2020 and first three months in 2021 combined)

No	Yes	
		If yes, report the quantity of such import below by source.

Quantity (in pounds)				
Source	April 2020 through March 2021			
Argentina				
Brazil				
India				
Ukraine				
Vietnam				
All other sources				

II-4.	<u>Reasons for importing if producer</u> If your firm also produces raw honey in the United States, please indicate the reasons for importing this product. If your firm's reasons differ by source, please elaborate.

Definitions

"Imports" –Those products identified for Customs purposes as imports for consumption for which your firm was the importer of record (i.e., was responsible for paying any import duty).

"Import quantities" —Quantities reported should be net of returns.

"Import values"—Values reported should be landed, duty-paid values at the U.S. port of entry, including ocean freight and insurance costs, brokerage charges, and import duties (i.e., all charges except inland freight in the United States).

"Shipments to cooperatives" – U.S. shipments made to a cooperative or "co-op" organization that processes, packs, and/or markets honey on behalf of its beekeeper members.

"Commercial U.S. shipments"— Shipments made within the United States as a result of an arm's length commercial transaction in the ordinary course of business. Report net values (i.e., gross sales values less all discounts, allowances, rebates, prepaid freight, and the value of returned goods) in U.S. dollars, f.o.b. your point of shipment.

"Internal consumption" – Product consumed internally by your firm. Such transactions are valued at fair market value. Do not include shipments made to a cooperative that processes raw honey as internal consumption, rather internal consumption should be limited to raw honey that your firm itself either processes or filters into out-of-scope processed or filtered honey, or packages without processing or filtering raw honey into five pound or smaller packages.

"Raw honey in retail packaging" – Raw honey that is packaged for retail sale (e.g., in bottles or other retail containers of five (5) lbs. or less for roadside sales, gifts, etc.).

"Transfers to related firms" – Shipments made to related firms. Such transactions are valued at fair market value. Do not include shipments made to a cooperative that processes raw honey as transfers to related firms, rather transfers to related firms should include merchandise shipped to non-cooperative related firms.

"Related firm" —A firm that your firm solely or jointly owned, managed, or otherwise controlled; a firm that solely or jointly owned, managed, or otherwise controlled your firm; and/or a firm that was solely or jointly owned, managed, or otherwise controlled by a firm that also solely or jointly owned, managed, or otherwise controlled your firm.

"Export shipments"— Shipments to destinations outside the United States, including shipments to related firms.

"Inventories" -- Finished goods inventory, not raw materials or work in progress.

Note: As requested in Part I of this questionnaire, please keep all supporting documents/records used in the preparation of the trade data, as Commission staff may contact your firm regarding questions on the trade data. The Commission may also request that your company submit copies of the supporting documents/records (such as production and sales schedules, inventory records, etc.) used to compile these data.

II-5a. <u>U.S. imports from Argentina</u>.—Report your firm's imports, shipments, and inventories of raw honey imported from Argentina by your firm during the specified periods.

Argentina

	Quantity (in po	ounds), value (in	dollars)		
	Calendar year			January-September	
Item	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)					
Imports: ¹ Quantity (B)					
Value (C)					
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: To cooperatives Quantity (D)					
Value (E)					
All other commercial shipments Quantity (F)					
Value (G)					
Internal consumption Raw honey in retail packaging: ² Quantity (H)					
Value ³ (I)					
All other internal consumption: ⁴ Quantity (J)					
Value ³ (K)					
Transfers to related firms ⁵ Quantity (L)					
Value ³ (M)					
Export shipments: ⁶ Quantity (N)					
Value (O)					
End-of-period inventories (quantity) (P)					

II-5a. U.S. imports from Argentina. – Continued

¹ Please identify the foreign producers, if known:
² Unprocessed or minimally processed honey put into containers of five (5) pounds or less that for which there was insufficient
processing to filter out pollen to below 25 microns (e.g., sold as roadside sales or gifts).
³ Internal consumption and transfers to related firms must be valued at fair market value. If your firm uses a different basis for
valuing these transactions in your records, please specify that basis (e.g., cost, cost plus, etc.): However, the data provided
above in this table should be based on fair market value.
⁴ This could be honey that was processed sufficiently to remove it from the definition of raw honey (on page 2), i.e., honey for
which there was sufficient processing to filter out pollen to below 25 microns, or honey that was used in the production of
downstream non-honey food products (e.g., used in cooking or baking activities).
⁵ Do not report shipments to cooperatives as transfers to related firms. Shipments sold via a cooperative should be reported as
"commercial shipments to cooperatives" (lines D and E above).
⁶ Identify your firm's principal export markets:

<u>RECONCILIATION OF SHIPMENTS, IMPORTS, AND INVENTORIES.</u>--Generally, the data reported for the end-of-period inventories (i.e., line P) should be equal to the beginning-of-period inventories (i.e., line A), plus imports (i.e., line B), less total shipments (i.e., lines D, F, H, J, L and N). Please ensure that any differences are not due to data entry errors in completing this form, but rather actually reflect your firm's records; and also provide any likely explanations for any differences (e.g., theft, loss, damage, record systems issues, etc.) if they exist.

		Calendar year	January-September		
Reconciliation	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021
A + B - D - F - H - J - L - N - P = should equal zero ("0")					
or provide an explanation. ¹	0	0	0	0	0

¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values other than zero (i.e., "0") but are nonetheless accurate: _____.

II-5b. <u>U.S. shipments by raw honey type: Argentina--</u> Report your firm's U.S. shipments (*i.e.*, inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) of imports from Argentina by raw honey type.

	Q	uantity (<i>in pound</i>	ds)		
		Calendar year Ja		January-Se	ptember
Item	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021
U.S. shipments: Organic: White or lighter Quantity (O)					
Value (P)					
Extra light amber Quantity (Q)					
Value (R)					
Light amber <i>Quantity</i> (S)					
Value (T)					
Amber or darker <i>Quantity</i> (U)					
Value (V)					
Conventional: White or lighter Quantity (W)					
Value (X)					
Extra light amber Quantity (Y)					
Value (Z)					
Light amber <i>Quantity</i> (AA)					
Value (AB)					
Amber or darker <i>Quantity</i> (AC)					
Value (AD)					

II-5b. <u>U.S. shipments by raw honey type: Argentina</u> – *Continued*

<u>RECONCILIATION.</u> — Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments by raw honey type (i.e., lines O through AD) in each time period equal the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments in II-5a (i.e., lines D through M) in each time period. If the calculated fields below return values other than zero (i.e., "0"), the data reported must be revised prior to submission to the Commission.

	Calendar year			January-September		
Reconciliation	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021	
Quantities: O + Q + S + U + W + Y + AA + AC - D - F - H - J - L = zero ("0"), if						
not revise.	0	0	0	0	0	
Values: P + R + T + V + X + Z + AB + AD - E - G - I - K - M = zero ("0"), if not						
revise.	0	0	0	0	0	

- II-5c. <u>U.S. imports by month: Argentina--</u> Report your firm's U.S. imports of raw honey from Argentina (in pounds) by supplier in the specified periods below.
 - Asociación De Cooperativas Argentinas Cooperativa Limitada ("ACA")
 - Industrias Haedo S.A. ("Haedo")
 - Compañía Inversora Platense S.A. ("CIPSA")
 - All other suppliers in Argentina ("Others")

Argentina

		Quantity (i	n pounds)			
	Supplier in Argentina					
Month	ACA	Haedo	CIPSA	Others	All suppliers in Argentina	
2020						
November					0	
December					0	
2021						
January					0	
February					0	
March					0	
April					0	
May					0	
June					0	
July					0	
August					0	
September					0	
October					0	

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- II-5d. <u>End-of-period inventories: Argentina</u>.--Report your firm's end-of-period inventories of imported raw honey in the United States from Argentina at the end of the specified month by supplier.
 - Asociación De Cooperativas Argentinas Cooperativa Limitada ("ACA")
 - Industrias Haedo S.A. ("Haedo")
 - Compañía Inversora Platense S.A. ("CIPSA")
 - All other suppliers in Argentina ("Others")

Argentina

		Quantity (in	pounds)				
		Sı	ıpplier in Argenti	na			
Date	ACA	ACA Haedo CIPSA Others Argentin					
Ending inventory							
balance on or							
around							
April 30, 2021					0		
May 31, 2021					0		
June 30, 2021					0		
July 31, 2021					0		
August 31, 2021					0		
September 30,							
2021					0		
October 31, 2021					0		

<u>RECONCILIATION OF END-OF-PERIOD INVENTORIES.</u>—Please ensure that the end-of-period inventories reported for September 30, 2021 in this table across all suppliers match the aggregated data reported for end-of-period inventories in part "a" of this question for the January to September 2021 period. If the calculated field below returns a value other than zero (i.e., "0"), the data reported must be revised prior to submission.

Reconciliation for	Calendar year 2020	January to June 2021
End-of-period inventories from India (line L), revise		
if not returning zero ("0")	0	0

II-6a. <u>U.S. imports from Brazil</u>.—Report your firm's imports, shipments, and inventories of raw honey imported from Brazil by your firm during the specified periods.

Brazil

	Quantity (in po	ounds), value (in	dollars)		
	Calendar year			January-September	
Item	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)					
Imports:¹ Quantity (B)					
Value (C)					
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: To cooperatives Quantity (D)					
Value (E)					
All other commercial shipments Quantity (F)					
Value (G)					
Internal consumption Raw honey in retail packaging: ² Quantity (H)					
Value ³ (I)					
All other internal consumption: ⁴ Quantity (J)					
Value ³ (K)					
Transfers to related firms ⁵ Quantity (L)					
Value ³ (M)					
Export shipments: ⁶ Quantity (N)					
Value (O)					
End-of-period inventories (quantity) (P)					

II-6a. U.S. imports from Brazil. – Continued

¹ Please identify the foreign producers, if known:
² Unprocessed or minimally processed honey put into containers of five (5) pounds or less that for which there was insufficient
processing to filter out pollen to below 25 microns (e.g., sold as roadside sales or gifts).
³ Internal consumption and transfers to related firms must be valued at fair market value. If your firm uses a different basis for
valuing these transactions in your records, please specify that basis (e.g., cost, cost plus, etc.): However, the data provided
above in this table should be based on fair market value.
⁴ This could be honey that was processed sufficiently to remove it from the definition of raw honey (on page 2), i.e., honey for
which there was sufficient processing to filter out pollen to below 25 microns, or honey that was used in the production of
downstream non-honey food products (e.g., used in cooking or baking activities).
⁵ Do not report shipments to cooperatives as transfers to related firms. Shipments sold via a cooperative should be reported as
"commercial shipments to cooperatives" (lines D and E above).
⁶ Identify your firm's principal export markets:

<u>RECONCILIATION OF SHIPMENTS, IMPORTS, AND INVENTORIES.</u>--Generally, the data reported for the end-of-period inventories (i.e., line P) should be equal to the beginning-of-period inventories (i.e., line A), plus imports (i.e., line B), less total shipments (i.e., lines D, F, H, J, L and N). Please ensure that any differences are not due to data entry errors in completing this form, but rather actually reflect your firm's records; and also provide any likely explanations for any differences (e.g., theft, loss, damage, record systems issues, etc.) if they exist.

		Calendar year	January-S	eptember	
Reconciliation	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021
A + B - D - F - H - J - L - N - P = should equal zero ("0")					
or provide an explanation. ¹	0	0	0	0	0

¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values other than zero (i.e., "0") but are nonetheless accurate: _____.

II-6b. <u>U.S. shipments by raw honey type: Brazil--</u> Report your firm's U.S. shipments (*i.e.*, inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) of imports from Brazil by raw honey type.

	Q	uantity (<i>in pound</i>	ls)		
	Calendar year Ja		January-Se	ptember	
Item	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021
U.S. shipments: Organic: White or lighter Quantity (O)					
Value (P)					
Extra light amber Quantity (Q)					
Value (R)					
Light amber <i>Quantity</i> (S)					
Value (T)					
Amber or darker <i>Quantity</i> (U)					
Value (V)					
Conventional: White or lighter Quantity (W)					
Value (X)					
Extra light amber Quantity (Y)					
Value (Z)					
Light amber <i>Quantity</i> (AA)					
Value (AB)					
Amber or darker <i>Quantity</i> (AC)					
Value (AD)					

II-6b. <u>U.S. shipments by raw honey type: Brazil</u> – *Continued*

<u>RECONCILIATION.</u> — Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments by raw honey type (i.e., lines O through AD) in each time period equal the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments in II-6a (i.e., lines D through M) in each time period. If the calculated fields below return values other than zero (i.e., "0"), the data reported must be revised prior to submission to the Commission.

	Calendar year			January-September		
Reconciliation	2018 2019 2020			2020	2021	
Quantities: O + Q + S + U + W + Y + AA + AC - D - F - H - J - L = zero ("0"), if						
not revise.	0	0	0	0	0	
Values: P + R + T + V + X + Z + AB + AD - E - G - I - K - M = zero ("0"), if not						
revise.	0	0	0	0	0	

II-7a. <u>U.S. imports from India</u>.—Report your firm's imports, shipments, and inventories of raw honey imported from India by your firm during the specified periods.

India

	Quantity (in p	ounds), value (in	dollars)		
	Calendar year			January-Se	eptember
ltem	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)					
Imports: ¹ Quantity (B)					
Value (C)					
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: To cooperatives Quantity (D)					
Value (E)					
All other commercial shipments Quantity (F)					
Value (G)					
Internal consumption Raw honey in retail packaging: ² Quantity (H)					
Value ³ (I)					
All other internal consumption: ⁴ Quantity (J)					
Value ³ (K)					
Transfers to related firms ⁵ Quantity (L)					
Value ³ (M)					
Export shipments: ⁶ Quantity (N)					
Value (O)					
End-of-period inventories (quantity) (P)					

II-7a. U.S. imports from India. – Continued

¹ Please identify the foreign producers, if known:
² Unprocessed or minimally processed honey put into containers of five (5) pounds or less that for which there was insufficient
processing to filter out pollen to below 25 microns (e.g., sold as roadside sales or gifts).
³ Internal consumption and transfers to related firms must be valued at fair market value. If your firm uses a different basis for
valuing these transactions in your records, please specify that basis (e.g., cost, cost plus, etc.): However, the data provided
above in this table should be based on fair market value.
⁴ This could be honey that was processed sufficiently to remove it from the definition of raw honey (on page 2), i.e., honey for
which there was sufficient processing to filter out pollen to below 25 microns, or honey that was used in the production of
downstream non-honey food products (e.g., used in cooking or baking activities).
⁵ Do not report shipments to cooperatives as transfers to related firms. Shipments sold via a cooperative should be reported as
"commercial shipments to cooperatives" (lines D and E above).
⁶ Identify your firm's principal export markets:

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		Calendar year		January-S	eptember
Reconciliation	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021
A + B - D - F - H - J - L - N - P = should equal zero ("0")					
or provide an explanation. ¹	0	0	0	0	0

¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values other than zero (i.e., "0") but are nonetheless accurate: _____.

II-7b. <u>U.S. shipments by raw honey type: India--</u> Report your firm's U.S. shipments (*i.e.*, inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) of imports from India by raw honey type.

Quantity (in pounds)							
		Calendar year	January-September				
ltem	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021		
U.S. shipments: Organic: White or lighter Quantity (0)							
Value (P)							
Extra light amber Quantity (Q)							
Value (R)							
Light amber <i>Quantity</i> (S)							
Value (T)							
Amber or darker <i>Quantity</i> (U)							
Value (V)							
Conventional: White or lighter Quantity (W)							
Value (X)							
Extra light amber Quantity (Y)							
Value (Z)							
Light amber <i>Quantity</i> (AA)							
Value (AB)							
Amber or darker <i>Quantity</i> (AC)							
Value (AD)							

II-7b. <u>U.S. shipments by raw honey type: India – Continued</u>

<u>RECONCILIATION.</u> — Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments by raw honey type (i.e., lines O through AD) in each time period equal the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments in II-7a (i.e., lines D through M) in each time period. If the calculated fields below return values other than zero (i.e., "0"), the data reported must be revised prior to submission to the Commission.

	Calendar year			January-September		
Reconciliation	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021	
Quantities: O + Q + S + U + W + Y + AA + AC - D - F - H - J - L = zero ("0"), if						
not revise.	0	0	0	0	0	
Values: P + R + T + V + X + Z + AB + AD - E - G - I - K - M = zero ("0"), if not						
revise.	0	0	0	0	0	

II-8a. <u>U.S. imports from Ukraine</u>.—Report your firm's imports, shipments, and inventories of raw honey imported from Ukraine by your firm during the specified periods.

Ukraine

Quantity (in pounds), value (in dollars)						
		Calendar year		January-September		
Item	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021	
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)						
Imports: ¹ Quantity (B)						
Value (C)						
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: To cooperatives Quantity (D)						
Value (E)						
All other commercial shipments Quantity (F)						
Value (G)						
Internal consumption Raw honey in retail packaging: ² Quantity (H)						
Value ³ (I)						
All other internal consumption: ⁴ Quantity (J)						
Value ³ (K)						
Transfers to related firms ⁵ Quantity (L)						
Value ³ (M)						
Export shipments: ⁶ Quantity (N)						
Value (O)						
End-of-period inventories (quantity) (P)						

II-8a. U.S. imports from Ukraine. – Continued

¹ Please identify the foreign producers, if known:
² Unprocessed or minimally processed honey put into containers of five (5) pounds or less that for which there was insufficient
processing to filter out pollen to below 25 microns (e.g., sold as roadside sales or gifts).
³ Internal consumption and transfers to related firms must be valued at fair market value. If your firm uses a different basis for
valuing these transactions in your records, please specify that basis (e.g., cost, cost plus, etc.): However, the data provided
above in this table should be based on fair market value.
⁴ This could be honey that was processed sufficiently to remove it from the definition of raw honey (on page 2), i.e., honey for
which there was sufficient processing to filter out pollen to below 25 microns, or honey that was used in the production of
downstream non-honey food products (e.g., used in cooking or baking activities).
⁵ Do not report shipments to cooperatives as transfers to related firms. Shipments sold via a cooperative should be reported as
"commercial shipments to cooperatives" (lines D and E above).
⁶ Identify your firm's principal export markets:

<u>RECONCILIATION OF SHIPMENTS, IMPORTS, AND INVENTORIES.</u>--Generally, the data reported for the end-of-period inventories (i.e., line P) should be equal to the beginning-of-period inventories (i.e., line A), plus imports (i.e., line B), less total shipments (i.e., lines D, F, H, J, L and N). Please ensure that any differences are not due to data entry errors in completing this form, but rather actually reflect your firm's records; and also provide any likely explanations for any differences (e.g., theft, loss, damage, record systems issues, etc.) if they exist.

		Calendar year		January-September		
Reconciliation	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021	
A + B - D - F - H - J - L - N -						
P = should equal zero ("0") or provide an explanation. ¹	0	0	0	0	0	

¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values other than zero (i.e., "0") but are nonetheless accurate: _____.

II-8b. <u>U.S. shipments by raw honey type: Ukraine--</u> Report your firm's U.S. shipments (*i.e.*, inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) of imports from Ukraine by raw honey type.

Quantity (in pounds)							
		Calendar year		January-September			
Item	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021		
U.S. shipments: Organic: White or lighter Quantity (O)							
Value (P)							
Extra light amber Quantity (Q)							
Value (R)							
Light amber <i>Quantity</i> (S)							
Value (T)							
Amber or darker <i>Quantity</i> (U)							
Value (V)							
Conventional: White or lighter Quantity (W)							
Value (X)							
Extra light amber Quantity (Y)							
Value (Z)							
Light amber <i>Quantity</i> (AA)							
Value (AB)							
Amber or darker <i>Quantity</i> (AC)							
Value (AD)							

II-8b. <u>U.S. shipments by raw honey type: Ukraine</u> – *Continued*

<u>RECONCILIATION.</u> — Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments by raw honey type (i.e., lines O through AD) in each time period equal the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments in II-8a (i.e., lines D through M) in each time period. If the calculated fields below return values other than zero (i.e., "0"), the data reported must be revised prior to submission to the Commission.

		Calendar year		January-September		
Reconciliation	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021	
Quantities: O + Q + S + U + W + Y + AA + AC - D - F - H - J - L = zero ("0"), if						
not revise.	0	0	0	0	0	
Values: P + R + T + V + X + Z + AB + AD - E - G - I - K - M = zero ("0"), if not						
revise.	0	0	0	0	0	

II-9a. <u>U.S. imports from Vietnam</u>.—Report your firm's imports, shipments, and inventories of raw honey imported from Vietnam by your firm during the specified periods.

Vietnam

Quantity (in pounds), value (in dollars)						
	Calendar year			January-September		
ltem	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021	
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)						
Imports:¹ Quantity (B)						
Value (C)						
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: To cooperatives Quantity (D)						
Value (E)						
All other commercial shipments Quantity (F)						
Value (G)						
Internal consumption Raw honey in retail packaging: ² Quantity (H)						
Value ³ (I)						
All other internal consumption: ⁴ Quantity (J)						
Value ³ (K)						
Transfers to related firms ⁵ Quantity (L)						
Value ³ (M)						
Export shipments: ⁶ Quantity (N)						
Value (O)						
End-of-period inventories (quantity) (P)						

II-9a. U.S. imports from Vietnam. – Continued

RECONCILIATION OF SHIPMENTS, IMPORTS, AND INVENTORIES.--Generally, the data reported for the end-of-period inventories (i.e., line P) should be equal to the beginning-of-period inventories (i.e., line A), plus imports (i.e., line B), less total shipments (i.e., lines D, F, H, J, L and N). Please ensure that any differences are not due to data entry errors in completing this form, but rather actually reflect your firm's records; and also provide any likely explanations for any differences (e.g., theft, loss, damage, record systems issues, etc.) if they exist.

		Calendar year		January-September		
Reconciliation	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021	
A + B - D - F - H - J - L - N -						
P = should equal zero ("0") or provide an explanation. ¹	0	0	0	0	0	

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II-9b. <u>U.S. shipments by raw honey type: Vietnam--</u> Report your firm's U.S. shipments (*i.e.*, inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) of imports from Vietnam by raw honey type.

Quantity (in pounds)							
		Calendar year		January-September			
Item	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021		
U.S. shipments: Organic: White or lighter Quantity (O)							
Value (P)							
Extra light amber Quantity (Q)							
Value (R)							
Light amber <i>Quantity</i> (S)							
Value (T)							
Amber or darker <i>Quantity</i> (U)							
Value (V)							
Conventional: White or lighter Quantity (W)							
Value (X)							
Extra light amber Quantity (Y)							
Value (Z)							
Light amber <i>Quantity</i> (AA)							
Value (AB)							
Amber or darker <i>Quantity</i> (AC)							
Value (AD)							

II-9b. <u>U.S. shipments by raw honey type: Vietnam – Continued</u>

<u>RECONCILIATION.</u> — Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments by raw honey type (i.e., lines O through AD) in each time period equal the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments in II-9a (i.e., lines D through M) in each time period. If the calculated fields below return values other than zero (i.e., "0"), the data reported must be revised prior to submission to the Commission.

	Calendar year			January-September	
Reconciliation	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021
Quantities: O + Q + S + U + W + Y + AA + AC - D - F - H - J - L = zero ("0"), if					
not revise.	0	0	0	0	0
Values: P + R + T + V + X + Z + AB + AD - E - G - I - K - M = zero ("0"), if not					
revise.	0	0	0	0	0

II-10a. <u>U.S. imports from All other sources</u>.—Report your firm's imports, shipments, and inventories of raw honey imported from all other sources (i.e. sources other than Argentina, Brazil, India, Ukraine, and Vietnam) by your firm during the specified periods.

All other sources

(list sources:	
(list sources:	

	Quantity (in po	ounds), value (in	dollars)		
	Calendar year			January-September	
Item	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)					
Imports: ¹ Quantity (B)					
Value (C)					
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: To cooperatives Quantity (D)					
Value (E)					
All other commercial shipments Quantity (F)					
Value (G)					
Internal consumption Raw honey in retail packaging: ² Quantity (H)					
Value ³ (I)					
All other internal consumption: ⁴ Quantity (J)					
Value ³ (K)					
Transfers to related firms ⁵ Quantity (L)					
Value ³ (M)					
Export shipments: ⁶ Quantity (N)					
Value (O)					
End-of-period inventories (quantity) (P)					

II-10a. U.S. imports from All other sources. – Continued

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valuing these transactions in your records, please specify that basis (e.g., cost, cost plus, etc.): However, the data provided
above in this table should be based on fair market value.
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	Calendar year			January-September		
Reconciliation	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021	
A + B - D - F - H - J - L - N - P = should equal zero ("0")						
or provide an explanation. ¹	0	0	0	0	0	

¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values other than zero (i.e., "0") but are nonetheless accurate: _____.

II-10b. <u>U.S. shipments by raw honey type: All other sources--</u> Report your firm's U.S. shipments (*i.e.*, inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) of imports from all other sources by raw honey type.

Quantity (in pounds)						
	Calendar year			January-September		
Item	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021	
U.S. shipments: Organic: White or lighter Quantity (O)						
Value (P)						
Extra light amber <i>Quantity</i> (Q)						
Value (R)						
Light amber <i>Quantity</i> (S)						
Value (T)						
Amber or darker <i>Quantity</i> (U)						
Value (V)						
Conventional: White or lighter Quantity (W)						
Value (X)						
Extra light amber Quantity (Y)						
Value (Z)						
Light amber <i>Quantity</i> (AA)						
Value (AB)						
Amber or darker <i>Quantity</i> (AC)						
Value (AD)						

II-10b. <u>U.S. shipments by raw honey type: All other sources</u> – *Continued*

<u>RECONCILIATION.</u> — Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments by raw honey type (i.e., lines O through AD) in each time period equal the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments in II-10a (i.e., lines D through M) in each time period. If the calculated fields below return values other than zero (i.e., "0"), the data reported must be revised prior to submission to the Commission.

	Calendar year			January-September	
Reconciliation	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021
Quantities: O + Q + S + U + W + Y + AA + AC - D - F - H - J - L = zero ("0"), if					
not revise.	0	0	0	0	0
Values: P + R + T + V + X + Z + AB + AD - E - G - I - K - M = zero ("0"), if not					
revise.	0	0	0	0	0

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II-11. Seasonal nature of U.S. imports of raw honey: All other sources. -- Do your firm's imports of raw honey from all other sources (i.e. sources other than Argentina, Brazil, India, Ukraine, and Vietnam) typically follow a seasonal pattern? If yes, please indicate your firm's peak import period (i.e. which months) of raw honey from each source.

Month	Argentina	Brazil	India	Ukraine	Vietnam	All other sources
January						
February						
March						
April						
May						
June						
July						
August						
September						
October						
November						
December						
II-12. <u>Transfers to related firms.</u> If yo tables in part II, please identify the your firm and the related firms (a transfers were priced at market were	ne firm(s) and e.g., joint ver	d indicate inture, who	the nature lly owned	of the rela subsidiary)	ationship be	etween

II-13. <u>U.S. imports of raw honey in retail packaging</u>. –Report your firm's imports from <u>any source</u> of raw honey in retail packaging (e.g., in bottles or other retail containers of five (5) lbs. or less for roadside sales, gifts, etc.) during the specified periods.

Q	uantity (in po	ounds), value (i	n dollars)		
Imports of raw honey in retail	Calendar year			January-September	
packaging	2018	2019	2020	2020	2021
Quantity					
Value					

II-14.	Other explanations.—If your firm would like to further explain a response to a question in Part II for which a narrative response box was not provided, please note the question number and the explanation in the space provided below. Please also use this space to highlight any issues your firm had in providing the data in this section, including but not limited to technical issues with the MS Word questionnaire.

PART III.--PRICING AND MARKET FACTORS

Further information on this part of the questionnaire can be obtained from Lauren McLemore (202-	205-
3489, lauren.mclemore@usitc.gov).	

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III-1.					nsible individual and the manner by which garding the confidential information submitted
	Name				
	Title				
	Email				
	Telephone				
22 Othe	Price setting. How does you	- ur firm determ	nine the pr	ices that it	c.) in available narrative spaces, or at question III- c: charges for sales of raw honey (check all that omit sample pages of a recent list.
	Transaction		Set		
	by transaction	Contracts	price lists	Other	If other, describe
(b)	If your firm is members:	part of a coop	oerative, p	lease desc	ribe how prices are set for sales between
III-3.	Discount police	cy Please inc	dicate and	describe y	rour firm's discount policies (check all that apply).
	Quantity discounts	Annual total volume discounts	No discount policy	Other	Describe
111.4	Drising torms	On what ha	sis are yeu	ur firm's no	ices of imported raw honov from Argentina

<u>Pricing terms.</u>--On what basis are your firm's prices of imported raw honey from Argentina, Brazil, India, Ukraine, and Vietnam usually quoted (check one)?

Delivered	F.o.b.	If f.o.b., specify point

III-5. <u>Contract versus spot.</u>--Approximately what share of your firm's sales of raw honey imported from Argentina, Brazil, India, Ukraine, and Vietnam in 2020 was on a (1) short-term contract basis, (2) annual contract basis, (3) long-term contract basis, and (4) spot sales basis?

		Туре о	f sale			
Item	Short-term contracts (multiple deliveries for less than 12 months)	Annual contracts (multiple deliveries for 12 months)	Long-term contracts (multiple deliveries for more than 12 months)	Spot sales (for a single delivery)	Total (shoul sum t 100.09	ld o
Share of 2020 sales	%	%	%	%	0.0	%

III-6. <u>Contract provisions.</u>--Please fill out the table regarding your firm's typical sales contracts for raw honey imported from Argentina, Brazil, India, Ukraine, and Vietnam (or check "not applicable" if your firm does not sell on a short-term, annual and/or long-term contract basis).

Typical sales contract provisions	Item	Short-term contracts (multiple deliveries for less than 12 months)	Annual contracts (multiple deliveries for 12 months)	Long-term contracts (multiple deliveries for more than 12 months)
Average contract duration	No. of days		365	
Price renegotiation	Yes			
(during contract period)	No			
	Quantity			
Fixed quantity and/or price	Price			
	Both			
Indexed to raw	Yes			
material costs ¹	No			
Not applicable				
¹ Please identify the in	dexes used:			

III-7. <u>Lead times.</u>--What is your firm's share of sales of raw honey imported from Argentina, Brazil, India, Ukraine, and Vietnam from inventory and produced to order and what is the typical lead time between a customer's order and the date of delivery for your firm's sales of raw honey?

Source	Share of 2020 sales	Lead time (Average number of days)
From your firm's U.S. inventory	%	
From foreign manufacturers' inventory	%	
Produced to order	%	
Total (should sum to 100.0%)	0.0 %	

m o. <u>Simpping information</u> .	III-8. Shipping information	<u>on</u> .—
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(a)	Who generally arranges the transportation to your firm's customers' locations? Your firm Purchaser (check one)
(b)	When your firm sells raw honey imported from Argentina, Brazil, India, Ukraine, and Vietnam, from where is it shipped? Point of importation Storage facility (check one)
(c)	Indicate the approximate percentage of your firm's sales of raw honey imported from Argentina, Brazil, India, Ukraine, and Vietnam that are delivered the following distances

Distance from your firm's U.S. point of shipment	Share
Within 100 miles	%
101 to 1,000 miles	%
Over 1,000 miles	%
Total (should sum to 100.0%)	0.0 %

from your firm's U.S. point of shipment.

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III-9. <u>Geographical shipments.</u>—In which U.S. geographic market area(s) has your firm sold raw honey imported from subject countries since January 1, 2018 (check all that apply)?

Geographic area	Argentina	Brazil	India	Ukraine	Vietnam
Northeast .–CT, ME, MA, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, and VT.					
Midwest.—IL, IN, IA, KS, MI, MN, MO, NE, ND, OH, SD, and WI.					
Southeast.—AL, DE, DC, FL, GA, KY, MD, MS, NC, SC, TN, VA, and WV.					
Central Southwest.—AR, LA, OK, and TX.					
Mountains .–AZ, CO, ID, MT, NV, NM, UT, and WY.					
Pacific Coast.–CA, OR, and WA.					
Other.—All other markets in the United States not previously listed, including AK, HI, PR, and VI.					

III-10.	Inland transportation costs	<u>-</u> What is the approximate percentage of the cost of raw honey
	imported from Argentina, E	razil, India, Ukraine, and Vietnam that is accounted for by U.S. inland
	transportation costs?	_ percent.

III-11. End uses.--

(a) List the top 3 products your firm makes using raw honey and estimate the percent of your <u>total</u> <u>production cost</u> that is accounted for by raw honey and by other inputs (such as labor, energy, and other raw materials).

Share of total cost in each of the product(s) your firm produces accounted for by				Total (should	
Product(s) your firm produces	Raw honey		Other inputs		sum to 100.0% across)
Packaged for retail	%	+	%	=	0.0 %
Packaged for ingredients	%	+	%	=	0.0 %
Packaged for food service	%	+	%	=	0.0 %
	%	+	%	=	0.0 %
	%	+	%	=	0.0 %

III-11. End uses.—continued.

(b) Please indicate which colors can be used in the following applications.

	End uses	White	Extra light amber	Light amber	Amber	Additional explanation
For p	ackaging/retail					
	ndustrial dients					
appli	utional cations aurants, etc.)					
((c) Do end uses for		ind convent		-	?
	Designation			End use	es in which	this designation is used
1.	Organic					
2.	Conventional					

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III-12.	Substitutes					
	(a) Can other pro	ducts be substituted for raw h	oney	in the	e <u>production</u> of packaged honey?	
	☐ No	YesPlease fill out tl	ne tak	ole.		
		End use in which this	На		anges in the price of this substitute ected the price for raw honey?	
	Substitute	substitute is used	No	Yes	Explanation	
1.						
2.						
3.						
	(b) Can other products be substituted by the consumer for raw honey or packaged honey?					
	No	YesPlease fill out the	ne tak	ole.		
	Have changes in the price of this substitute affected the price for raw honey?			•		
	Substitute	substitute is used	No	Yes	Explanation	
1.						

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III-13. <u>Demand trends.</u>--Indicate how demand within the United States and outside of the United States (if known) for raw honey has changed since January 1, 2018. Explain any trends and describe the principal factors that have affected these changes in demand.

Market	Overall increase	No change	Overall decrease	Fluctuate with no clear trend	Explanation and factors
Within the United States, overall					
Retail					
Ingredient					
Food service					
Outside the United States, overall					
Retail					
Ingredient					
Food service					
III-14. Product changesHave there been any significant changes in the product range, product mix or marketing of raw honey since January 1, 2018? No Yes If yes, please describe.					
III-15. Conditions of competition.—(a) Is the raw honey market subject to business cycles and/or other conditions of competition distinctive to raw honey?					
Check all tha	at apply.		Please	describe.	
No Yes-Business cycles (e.g. seasonal business)				next question.	
Ye	s-Other dis		on		

III-15.	Conditions of	f competit	ion.—continued.
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(b)	If yes, have there been a	ny changes in the business cycles of	or conditions of competition for
	raw honey since January	1, 2018?	

No	Yes	If yes, describe.

III-16. Supply constraints.--

(a) Has your firm refused, declined, or been unable to supply raw honey since January 1, 2018 and April 21, 2021 (examples include placing customers on allocation or "controlled order entry," declining to accept new customers or renew existing customers, delivering less than the quantity promised, being unable to meet timely shipment commitments, etc.)?

No	Yes	If yes, please describe.

(b) Has your firm experienced any supply constraints since the petition was filed on April 21, 2021?

No	Yes	If yes, please describe, including the reason, timing, and duration of the constraint.

III-17. Raw materials.--How have raw honey raw material prices changed since January 1, 2018?

Overall increase	No change	Overall decrease	Fluctuate with no clear trend	Explain, noting how raw material price changes have affected your firm's selling prices for raw honey.

III-18. <u>Color interchangeability.--</u>Are the different colors of raw honey interchangeable (i.e., can they physically be used in the same applications)?

Please indicate A, F, S, N, or 0 in the table below:

A = the products are *always* interchangeable

F = the products are *frequently* interchangeable

S = the products are *sometimes* interchangeable

N = the products are *never* interchangeable

0 = *no familiarity* with products

Color pair	Extra light amber	Light amber	Amber
White			
Extra light amber			
Light amber			
Amber			

For any product-pair of raw honey that is *sometimes* or *never* interchangeable, identify the product-pair and explain the factors that limit or preclude interchangeable use:

III-19. <u>Interchangeability.--</u>Is raw honey produced in the United States and in other countries interchangeable (i.e., can they physically be used in the same applications)?

Please indicate A, F, S, N, or 0 in the table below:

- A = the products from a specified country-pair are *always* interchangeable
- F = the products are *frequently* interchangeable
- S = the products are *sometimes* interchangeable
- N = the products are *never* interchangeable
- 0 = no familiarity with products from a specified country-pair

Country- pair	Argentina	Brazil	India	Ukraine	Vietnam	Other countries
United States						
Argentina						
Brazil						
India			\times			
Ukraine						
Vietnam						

For any country-pair producing raw honey that is *sometimes* or *never* interchangeable, identify the country-pair and explain the factors that limit or preclude interchangeable use:

III-20. <u>Factors other than price</u>.--Are differences other than price (e.g., quality, availability, transportation network, product range, technical support, *etc.*) between raw honey produced in the United States and in other countries a significant factor in your firm's sales of the products?

Please indicate A, F, S, N, or 0 in the table below:

A = such differences are *always* significant

F = such differences are *frequently* significant

S = such differences are *sometimes* significant

N = such differences are *never* significant

0 = no familiarity with products from a specified country-pair

Country- pair	Argentina	Brazil	India	Ukraine	Vietnam	Other countries
United States						
Argentina						
Brazil						
India			\times			
Ukraine						
Vietnam						

For any country-pair for which factors other than price are *always* or *frequently* a significant factor in your firm's sales of raw honey, identify the country-pair and relevant factors and report the advantages or disadvantages imparted by such factors:

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III-21. <u>Customer identification.</u>--List the names and contact information for your firm's 10 largest U.S. customers for raw honey since January 1, 2018. Indicate the share of the quantity of your firm's U.S. shipments of raw honey that each of these customers accounted for in 2020.

	Customer's name	City	State	Share of 2020 sales (%)
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				
7				
8				
9				
10				

III-22.	Other explanationsIf your firm would like to further explain a response to a question in Part III for which a narrative response box was not provided, please note the question number and the explanation in the space provided below. Please also use this space to highlight any issues your firm had in providing the data in this section, including but not limited to technical issues with the MS Word questionnaire.

PART IV. — <u>ALTERNATIVE PRODUCT INFORMATION</u>

Further information on this part of the questionnaire can be obtained from Andres Andrade (202-205-2078, Andres.Andrade@usitc.gov).

IV-1. Comparability of U.S.-produced raw honey (as defined on page 2 of this questionnaire) that has not been packaged for retail sale and U.S.-produced raw honey packaged for retail sale.—
For each of the following indicate whether listed honey products produced in the United States are: fully comparable or the same, i.e., have no differentiation between them; mostly comparable or similar; somewhat comparable or similar; never or not-at-all comparable or similar; or no familiarity with products.

F: fully comparable or the same, i.e., have no differentiation between them;

M: mostly comparable or similar;

S: somewhat comparable or similar;

N: never or not-at-all comparable or similar; or

0: no familiarity with products.

(a) <u>Physical Characteristics and End Uses</u>. —The differences and similarities in the physical characteristics and end uses.

Product-pair	Comparison	Please provide a narrative discussion for the comparability ratings you provided in terms of their physical characteristics and uses:
Raw honey not packaged for retail sale (i.e., not processed nor packaged for retail level sale) vs. raw honey packaged for retail sale (i.e., not processed but is packaged for retail level sale)		

IV -1. Comparability of U.S.-produced raw honey not been packaged for retail sale and U.S.-produced raw honey packaged for retail sale. —continued.

F: fully comparable or the same, *i.e.*, have no differentiation between them;

M: mostly comparable or similar;

S: somewhat comparable or similar;

N: never or not-at-all comparable or similar; or

0: no familiarity with products.

(b) Interchangeability. —The ability to substitute the products in the same application.

Product-pair	Comparison	Please provide a narrative discussion for the comparability ratings you provided in terms of their interchangeability:
Raw honey not packaged for retail sale (i.e., not processed nor packaged for retail level sale) vs. raw honey packaged for retail sale (i.e., not processed but is packaged for retail level sale)		

(c) <u>Channels of distribution</u>. —Channels of distribution/market situation through which the products are sold (i.e., sold direct to end users, through wholesaler/distributors, etc.).

Product-pair	Comparison	Please provide a narrative discussion for the comparability ratings you provided in terms of their channels of distribution:
Raw honey not packaged for retail sale (i.e., not processed nor packaged for retail level sale) vs. raw honey packaged for retail sale (i.e., not processed but is packaged for retail level sale)		

IV-1. <u>Comparability of U.S.-produced raw honey not been packaged for retail sale and U.S.-produced raw honey packaged for retail sale</u> —continued

F: fully comparable or the same, *i.e.*, have no differentiation between them;

M: mostly comparable or similar;

S: somewhat comparable or similar;

N: never or not-at-all comparable or similar; or

0: no familiarity with products.

(d) <u>Manufacturing facilities, production processes, and production employees</u>.—Whether manufactured in the same facilities, from the same inputs, on the same machinery and equipment, and using the same employees.

Product-pair	Comparison	Please provide a narrative discussion for the comparability ratings you provided in terms of their manufacturing facilities, production processes, and production employees:
Raw honey not packaged for retail sale (i.e., not processed nor packaged for retail level sale) vs. raw honey packaged for retail sale (i.e., not processed but is packaged for retail level sale)		

(e) <u>Customer and producer perceptions</u>. —Perceptions as to the differences and/or similarities in the market (*e.g.*, sales/marketing practices).

Product-pair	Comparison	Please provide a narrative discussion for the comparability ratings you provided in terms of their customer and product perceptions:
Raw honey not packaged for retail sale (i.e., not processed nor packaged for retail level sale) vs. raw honey packaged for retail sale (i.e., not processed but is packaged for retail level sale)		

IV-1. <u>Comparability of U.S.-produced raw honey not been packaged for retail sale and U.S.-produced raw honey packaged for retail sale</u> —continued.

F: fully comparable or the same, i.e., have no differentiation between them;

M: mostly comparable or similar;

S: somewhat comparable or similar;

N: never or not-at-all comparable or similar; or

0: no familiarity with products.

(f) **Price**. —Whether prices are comparable or differ between the products.

Product-pair	Comparison	Please provide a narrative discussion for the comparability ratings you provided in terms of their <u>price</u> :
Raw honey not packaged for retail sale (i.e., not processed nor packaged for retail level sale) vs. raw honey packaged for retail sale (i.e., not processed but is packaged for retail level sale)		

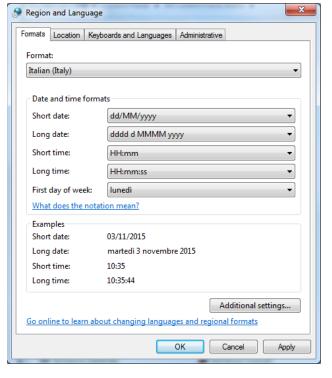
Correcting valid number error messages. --If you are completing this questionnaire in a country that uses periods (".") to delineate multiples of 1000 (i.e., one million would appear as \$1.000.000 instead of as \$1,000,000), you may be unable to enter in numbers greater than 999 in the numeric form fields. This issue stems from your computer's number formatting setting (i.e., not the MS Word document itself, but the computer from which you are opening up the document). In the United States commas (",") delineate multiples of 1000 and periods (".") delineate fractions less than one. Many EU and other countries use the reverse where multiples of 1000 are delineated with periods (".") and fractions less than one are delineated with commas (","). The U.S. International Trade Commission's questionnaires are set-up in the United States with the U.S. number formatting. When this formatting interacts with a computer set to EU or other country number formatting, we believe this may cause this issue.

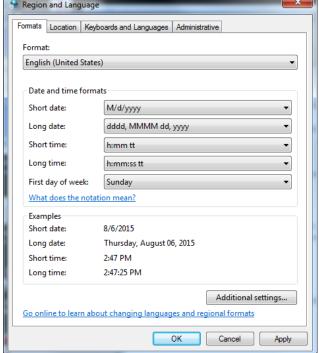
The solution to this data entry issue is to temporarily change your operating system's number formatting to be consistent with the U.S. number formatting system while you complete the questionnaire.

To temporarily change your computer's number settings to U.S. settings, please do the following (for Microsoft Windows Operating system):

- START
- Control Panel
- Region and Language (under Clock, Language, and Region category)
- Format tab
- Change the Format from your existing one (e.g., "Italian (Italy)") to "English (United States)" (see screen shots below)

When you do this the number "twelve million dollars and thirty five cents" would change from \$12.000.000,35 (Italy format) to \$12,000,000.35 (U.S. format), and then there will be no conflict with the USITC importer questionnaire form. When you finish reporting the data then you can close the questionnaire and switch back to Italy (or your country) settings.





HOW TO FILE YOUR QUESTIONNAIRE RESPONSE

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• <u>Upload via Secure Drop Box</u>.—Upload the MS Word questionnaire along with a scanned copy of the signed certification page (page 1) through the Commission's secure upload facility:

Web address: https://dropbox.usitc.gov/oinv/ Pin: RAW

• E-mail.—E-mail the MS Word questionnaire to Andres.Andrade@usitc.gov; include a scanned copy of the signed certification page (page 1). Submitters are strongly encouraged to encrypt nonpublic documents that are electronically transmitted to the Commission to protect your sensitive information from unauthorized disclosure. The USITC secure drop-box system and the Electronic Document Information System (EDIS) use Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) 140-2 cryptographic algorithms to encrypt data in transit. Submitting your nonpublic documents by a means that does not use these encryption algorithms (such as by email) may subject your firm's nonpublic information to unauthorized disclosure during transmission. If you choose a non-encrypted method of electronic transmission, the Commission warns you that the risk of such possible unauthorized disclosure is assumed by you and not by the Commission.

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