LOCAL CLASSIFICATION CRITERIA LOCL

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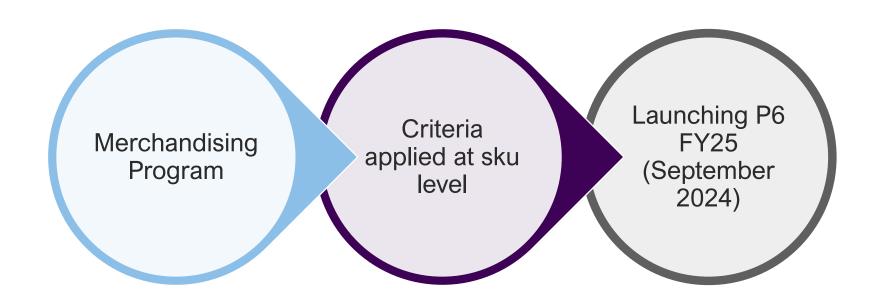


LOCAL CLASSIFICATION RESEARCH JOURNEY



3,797 Nova Scotians provided feedback to build the Local Classification

KEY CONSIDERATIONS





BEVERAGE ALCOHOL



LOCAL CLASSIFICATION CRITERIA- WINE

NOVA	Location of Production	Company Origins	Cultivated from Nova Scotia	Liquid is Transformed
Description	A production facility is in Nova Scotia	Head office is in Nova Scotia	85% of grapes used must be grown in Nova Scotia	100% of the product must be brewed, distilled or fermented in Nova Scotia
Points Assigned	2 points	1 point	4 points	3 points

A wine needs 7 points to qualify as Proudly Nova Scotian. A wine must use 85% Nova Scotia grown grapes.





+ Wines with 85% NS Grape Content





LOCAL CLASSIFICATION CRITERIA- CIDER

NOVA SCOTIAN	Location of Production	Company Origins	Cultivated from Nova Scotia	Liquid is Transformed
Description	A production facility is in Nova Scotia	Head office is in Nova Scotia	100% of apples used must be grown in Nova Scotia	100% of the product must be brewed, distilled or fermented in Nova Scotia
Points Assigned	2 points	1 point	4 points	3 points

A cider needs 7 points to qualify as Proudly Nova Scotian.
A cider must 100% Nova Scotia grown Apples.











LOCAL CLASSIFICATION CRITERIA- BEER

NOVA SCOTIAN	Location of Production	Company Origins	Cultivated from Nova Scotia	Liquid is Transformed
Description	A production facility is in Nova Scotia	Head office is in Nova Scotia	Not required in beer	100% of the product must be brewed, distilled or fermented in Nova Scotia
Points Assigned	2 points	1 point	Not required in beer	3 points

A beer needs 5 points to qualify as Proudly Nova Scotian















LOCAL CLASSIFICATION CRITERIA- SPIRITS

NOVA SCOTIAN	Location of Production	Company Origins	Cultivated from Nova Scotia	Liquid is Transformed
Description	A production facility is in Nova Scotia	Head office is in Nova Scotia	Not required in spirits	100% of the product must be brewed, distilled or fermented in Nova Scotia
Points Assigned	2 points	1 point	Not required in spirits	3 points

A spirit needs 6 points to qualify as Proudly Nova Scotian



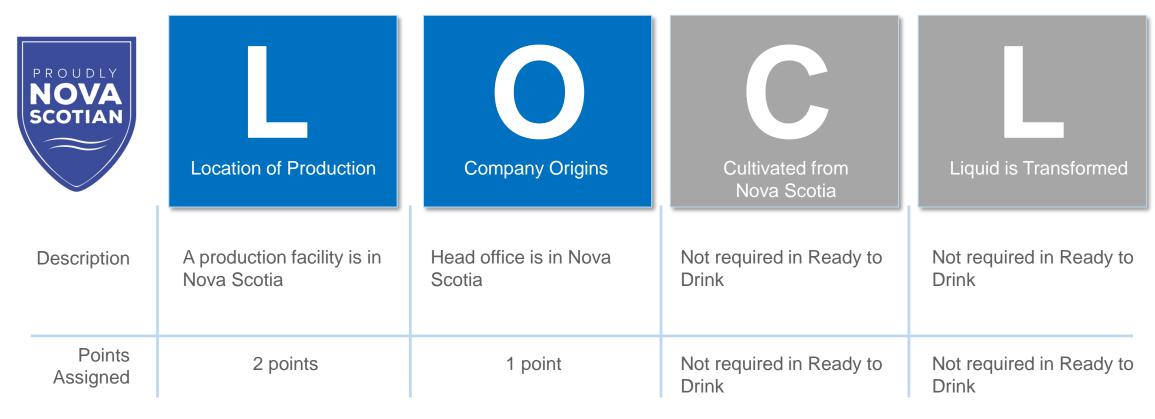
ALIGNMENT TO NOVA SCOTIAN DISTILLED







LOCAL CLASSIFICATION CRITERIA- READY TO DRINK



A ready to drink product needs 3 points to qualify as Proudly Nova Scotian





All existing Ready to Drink products and any new products that meet the criteria



CANNABIS



LOCAL CLASSIFICATION CRITERIA- CANNABIS

NOVA	Location of Production	Company Origins	Cultivated from Nova Scotia	Liquid is Transformed
Description	A production facility is in Nova Scotia	Head office is in Nova Scotia	75% of flower used must be grown in Nova Scotia	Not required in cannabis
Points Assigned	2 points	1 point	4 points	Not required in cannabis

A cannabis product needs 7 points to qualify as Proudly Nova Scotian.

A product must use 75% Nova Scotia grown flower as the cannabis input (dried flower or extract).



Products that include a minimum of 75% of the flower grown within Nova Scotia. Applicable to phase 1 and phase 2 products.



APPLICATION TO NON FLOWER PRODUCTS

Product	Flower Input Requirement	Other elements in product not applicable in classification
Vapes		Botanical terpenes
Concentrates		
Edibles		Non cannabis confectionary ingredients
Oil	Extract: 75% of flower input grown in Nova Scotia	Carrier oils, Non cannabis confectionary ingredients
Capsules		Carrier oils, flavour coatings applied to gel cap, Gelatin and other base items
Sprays		Carrier oils, flavour, aerosols
Beverages		Non cannabis liquid ingredients
Topicals		Carrier oils or lotion, all non cannabis ingredients



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Article #: 123456

Category: Beer

Article Description: TEST ARTICLE

Supplier/Vendor Name: TEST SUPPLIER NAME

	Criteria	Description	Additional info	Points Assigned	Check all that apply
L	Location of Production	A production facility in Nova Scotia	Address:	2	×
o	Company Origins	Head office in Nova Scotia	Address:	1	×
С	Ingredients are Cultivated	Cider: Must contain a minimum of 100% Nova Scotia grown fruit Wine: 85% of grapes used must be grown in Nova Scotia Cannabis: 75% of the flower must be grown in Nova Scotia	N/A	4	
L	Liquid Transformation	100% of the product must be brewed, fermented or distilled in Nova Scotia	N/A	3	x
	Total Points for article (L + O + C + L):				

Points required to qualify:

Ready to drink: 3 points	Beer: 5 points	Spirits: 6 points	
Cannabis: 7 points	Wine: 7 points	Cider: 7 points	

Attestation:

By signing this document, I agree that, to the best of my knowledge, the above product adheres to the LOCL Classification Criteria, which qualifies the product to be part of the Proudly Nova Scotian merchandising program at the NSLC. I acknowledge that any change to the product listed above that may impact its LOCL Classification status, is the responsibility of my company to inform the NSLC. This attestation is valid for 24 months after the signed date. Once expired, a new attestation will be required. If this information is found to be inaccurate, the NSLC reserves the right to take action.



