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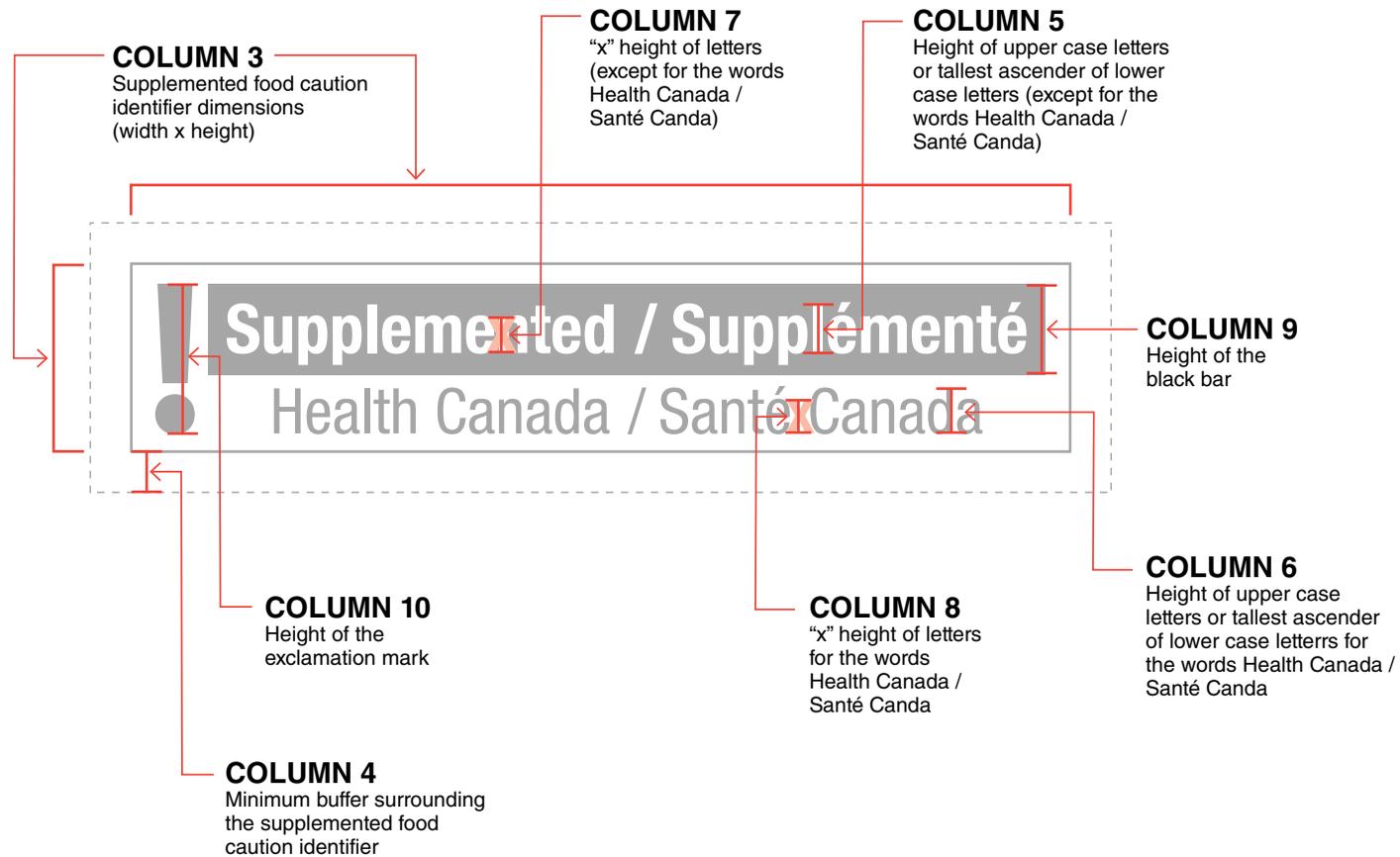
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Reference Diagrams

Standard Format



Compact Format

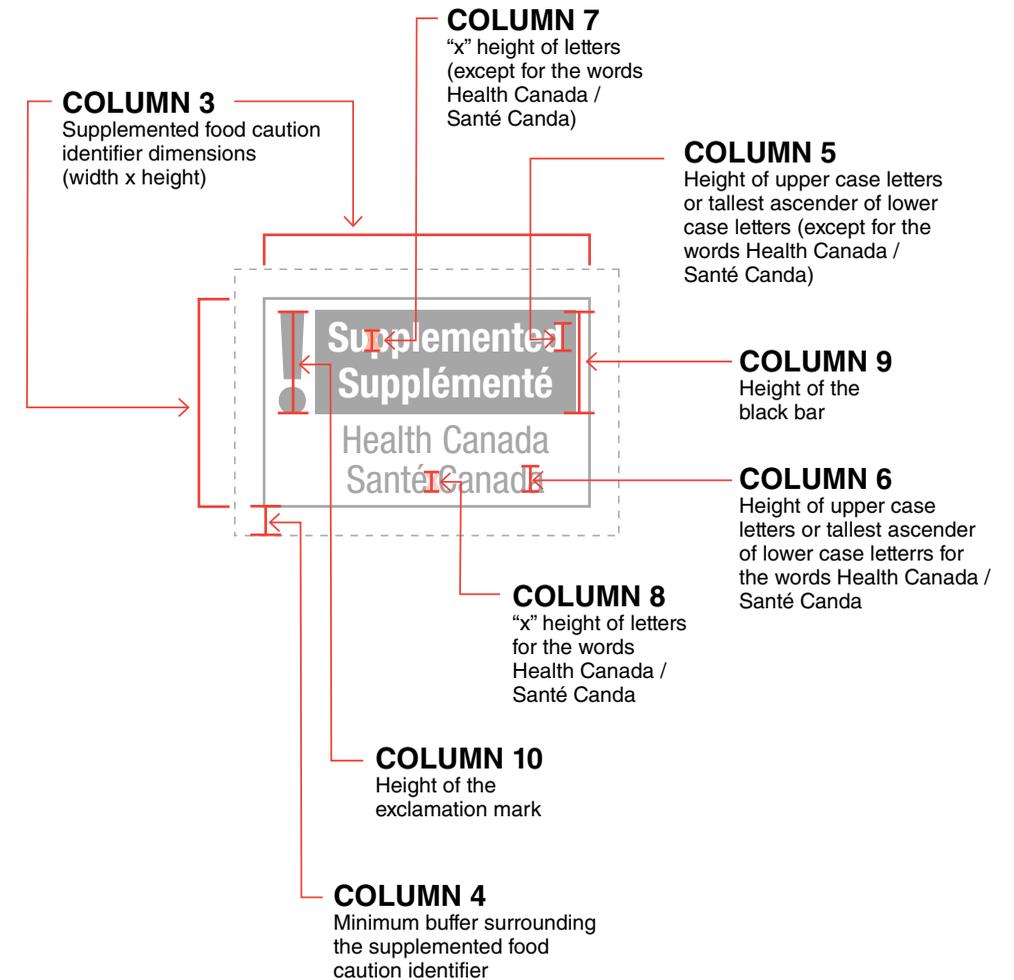


TABLE 1

Unilingual Standard Format

Item	COLUMN 1 Range of principal display surface	COLUMN 2 Supplemented food caution identifier in Schedule K.2 of the <i>Food and Drug Regulations</i>	COLUMN 3 Supplemented food caution identifier dimensions (width x height)	COLUMN 4 Minimum buffer surrounding the supplemented food caution identifier	COLUMN 5 Height of upper case letters or tallest ascender of lower case letters (except for the words Health Canada / Santé Canada)	COLUMN 6 Height of upper case letters or tallest ascender of lower case letters for the words Health Canada / Santé Canada	COLUMN 7 “x” height of letters (except for the words Health Canada / Santé Canada)	COLUMN 8 “x” height of letters for the words Health Canada / Santé Canada	COLUMN 9 Height of the black bar	COLUMN 10 Height of the exclamation mark
1	> 600 cm ²	1(ES) and 1(FS)	4.42 cm x 1.61 cm	3.0 mm	4.2 mm	3.8 mm	3.0 mm	2.6 mm	7.6 mm	12.7 mm
2	> 450 cm ² to ≤ 600 cm ²	2(ES) and 2(FS)	3.79 cm x 1.38 cm	2.7 mm	3.7 mm	3.1 mm	2.7 mm	2.3 mm	6.5 mm	10.9 mm
3	> 250 cm ² to ≤ 450 cm ²	3(ES) and 3(FS)	3.10 cm x 1.13 cm	2.2 mm	3.0 mm	2.5 mm	2.2 mm	1.8 mm	5.4 mm	8.9 mm
4	> 100 cm ² to ≤ 250 cm ²	4(ES) and 4(FS)	2.50 cm x 0.92 cm	1.7 mm	2.4 mm	2.0 mm	1.7 mm	1.4 mm	4.3 mm	7.2 mm
5	> 30 cm ² to ≤ 100 cm ²	5(ES) and 5(FS)	1.87 cm x 0.69 cm	1.3 mm	1.8 mm	1.6 mm	1.3 mm	1.1 mm	3.2 mm	5.4 mm
6	≤ 30 cm ²	6(ES) and 6(FS)	1.65 cm x 0.65 cm	1.1 mm	1.6 mm	1.6 mm	1.1 mm	1.1 mm	3.0 mm	5.1 mm

ES: English Standard
FS: French Standard

TABLE 2

Bilingual Standard Format

Item	COLUMN 1 Range of principal display surface	COLUMN 2 Supplemented food caution identifier in Schedule K.2 of the <i>Food and Drug Regulations</i>	COLUMN 3 Supplemented food caution identifier dimensions (width x height)	COLUMN 4 Minimum buffer surrounding the supplemented food caution identifier	COLUMN 5 Height of upper case letters or tallest ascender of lower case letters (except for the words Health Canada / Santé Canada)	COLUMN 6 Height of upper case letters or tallest ascender of lower case letters for the words Health Canada / Santé Canada	COLUMN 7 “x” height of letters (except for the words Health Canada / Santé Canada)	COLUMN 8 “x” height of letters for the words Health Canada / Santé Canada	COLUMN 9 Height of the black bar	COLUMN 10 Height of the exclamation mark
1	> 600 cm ²	1(BS)	6.29 cm x 1.28 cm	2.5 mm	3.4 mm	3.2 mm	2.5 mm	2.3 mm	6.1 mm	10.1 mm
2	> 450 cm ² to ≤ 600 cm ²	2(BS)	5.40 cm x 1.10 cm	2.1 mm	2.9 mm	2.7 mm	2.1 mm	1.9 mm	5.2 mm	8.7 mm
3	> 250 cm ² to ≤ 450 cm ²	3(BS)	4.50 cm x 0.93 cm	1.7 mm	2.4 mm	2.2 mm	1.7 mm	1.5 mm	4.4 mm	7.2 mm
4	> 100 cm ² to ≤ 250 cm ²	4(BS)	3.60 cm x 0.76 cm	1.4 mm	1.9 mm	1.9 mm	1.4 mm	1.3 mm	3.5 mm	5.9 mm
5	≤ 100 cm ²	5(BS)	2.97 cm x 0.63 cm	1.1 mm	1.6 mm	1.6 mm	1.1 mm	1.1 mm	2.9 mm	4.9 mm

TABLE 3

Bilingual Compact Format

Item	COLUMN 1 Range of principal display surface	COLUMN 2 Supplemented food caution identifier in Schedule K.2 of the <i>Food and Drug Regulations</i>	COLUMN 3 Supplemented food caution identifier dimensions (width x height)	COLUMN 4 Minimum buffer surrounding the supplemented food caution identifier	COLUMN 5 Height of upper case letters or tallest ascender of lower case letters (except for the words Health Canada / Santé Canada)	COLUMN 6 Height of upper case letters or tallest ascender of lower case letters for the words Health Canada / Santé Canada	COLUMN 7 “x” height of letters (except for the words Health Canada / Santé Canada)	COLUMN 8 “x” height of letters for the words Health Canada / Santé Canada	COLUMN 9 Height of the black bar	COLUMN 10 Height of the exclamation mark
3	> 250 cm ² to ≤ 450 cm ²	1(BC)	2.17 cm x 1.40 cm	1.5 mm	2.0 mm	1.9 mm	1.5 mm	1.4 mm	6.9 mm	6.9 mm
4	> 100 cm ² to ≤ 250 cm ²	2(BC)	1.75 cm x 1.14 cm	1.2 mm	1.6 mm	1.6 mm	1.2 mm	1.1 mm	5.6 mm	5.6 mm
5	≤ 100 cm ²	3(BC)	1.66 cm x 1.09 cm	1.1 mm	1.6 mm	1.6 mm	1.1 mm	1.1 mm	5.3 mm	5.3 mm