

Wild Crop

This is a summary of the Organic Canadian standard
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You can access the official detailed standard here
<http://www.ecocertcanada.com/content/documents-and-forms>

Requirements (7.6)

- An organic wild plant product shall be harvested from a clearly defined production area, undisturbed or stable natural settings.
- Documentated proof that no prohibited substances have been applied for a period of 36 months preceding the harvest of the wild crop.
- Harvest methods must promote growth and must not damage the environment

Organic plan (7.6.2)

- Detailed description of harvested areas and of harvest methods used,
- Protection measures for wild species that will prevent disturbance of the environment
- Recording system.

Harvest sites (7.6.3)

- The production zone for wild crops shall be isolated from contact with substances prohibited by a clearly defined buffer zone
- The harvest sites shall be situated more than one (1) kilometer from potential contamination sources, such as golf courses, dumps, sanitary landfill sites and industrial complexes