

# Food and Drugs (Composition and Labelling) (Amendment) Regulation 2025 for Regulation of Jelly Confectionery Containing Konjac

## 《2025年食物及藥物（成分組合及標籤） （修訂）規例》 有關蒟蒻果凍的規管

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# Jelly confectionery containing konjac

- The smooth and slippery surface and firm texture of konjac jellies may pose a choking risk if not consumed properly
  - Mini-cup konjac jellies can increase the choking risk due to their unique product design
- Factors taken into account
  - Potential choking risks associated with the consumption of mini-cup konjac-containing jelly confectionery products
  - Regulatory practices of major jurisdictions concerning such products
  - Risk assessment results

# 含蒟蒻成分的果凍

- 蒟蒻果凍的表面光滑而且質地結實，食用方法不當可能會帶來哽噎風險
  - 迷你杯裝蒟蒻果凍的獨特產品設計可能會增加哽噎風險
- 考慮的因素
  - 食用含蒟蒻成分的果凍產品可能帶來的哽噎風險
  - 主要經濟體對此類產品的規管做法
  - 風險評估結果

# Regulatory proposal and consultation

- Necessary to amend the Food and Drugs (Composition and Labelling) Regulations (Cap. 132W)
  - Strengthen regulation of prepackaged konjac-containing jelly confectionery
- Consultation
  - Expert Committee on Food Safety
  - LegCo Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene
  - Advisory Council on Food and Environmental Hygiene
  - Food trade
  - Public

# 規管建議及諮詢

- 有需要修訂《食物及藥物（成分組合及標籤）規例》（第132W章）
  - 加強對預先包裝蒟蒻果凍的規管
- 諮詢
  - 食物安全專家委員會
  - 立法會食物安全及環境衛生事務委員會
  - 食物及環境衛生諮詢委員會
  - 食物業界
  - 公眾

# The Amendment Regulation

- Food and Drugs (Composition and Labelling) (Amendment) Regulation 2025 (“Amendment Regulation”) was gazetted on 18 July 2025
- The Amendment Regulation was passed by the Legislative Council through the negative vetting procedure on 20 August 2025
- The Amendment Regulation stipulates the composition and labelling requirements for prepackaged jelly confectionery containing konjac

# 《修訂規例》

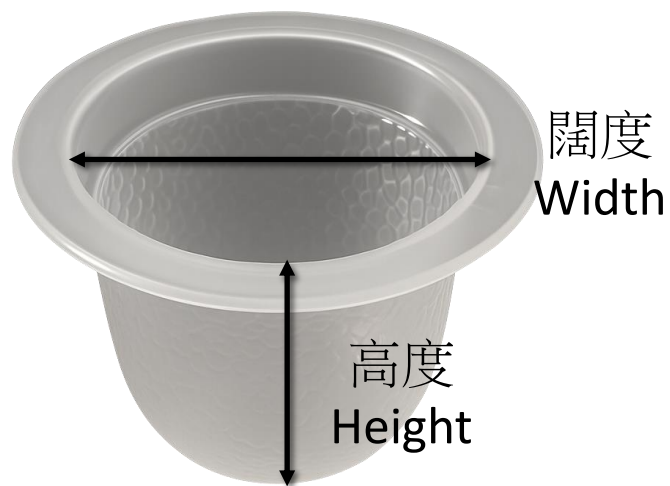
- 《2025年食物及藥物（成分組合及標籤）（修訂）規例》（《修訂規例》）已於2025年7月18日刊憲
- 《修訂規例》已於2025年8月20日透過先訂立後審議程序獲立法會通過
- 《修訂規例》對含有蒟蒻成分的預先包裝果凍的成分及標籤要求作出規定

## Amendment (1) -- Composition requirement

- Jelly confectionery that is prepackaged food and that is packed in a mini-cup-shaped container must not contain konjac if the height or width of the container does not exceed 45mm
  - Mini-cup konjac-containing jelly confectionery with a height or width not exceeding 45mm will be prohibited for sale in the local market

## 修訂(1) – 成分要求

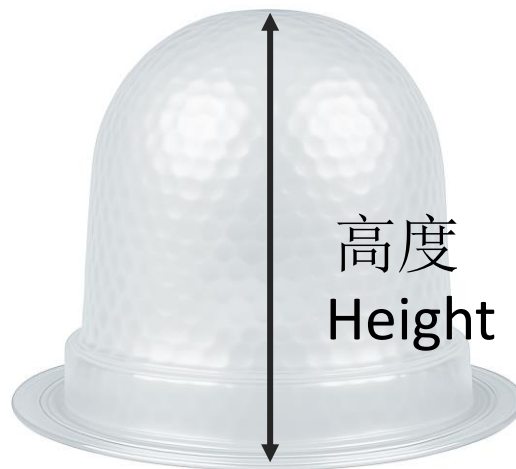
- 屬預先包裝食物的果凍，如是以高度或闊度不超過45毫米的迷你杯狀容器包裝的，則不得含有蒟蒻
  - 高度或闊度不超過45毫米的迷你杯裝蒟蒻果凍將禁止在本地市場上出售



# Measurement on the height of mini-cup

## 迷你杯高度的量度方法

- Height: the **maximum internal vertical distance** from the **base** to the **opening**
- 高度：從杯底至杯口之間的最**大內部垂直距離**



# Measurement on the width of mini-cup

- Width: the **inner diameter** or the **maximum inner width of the opening**

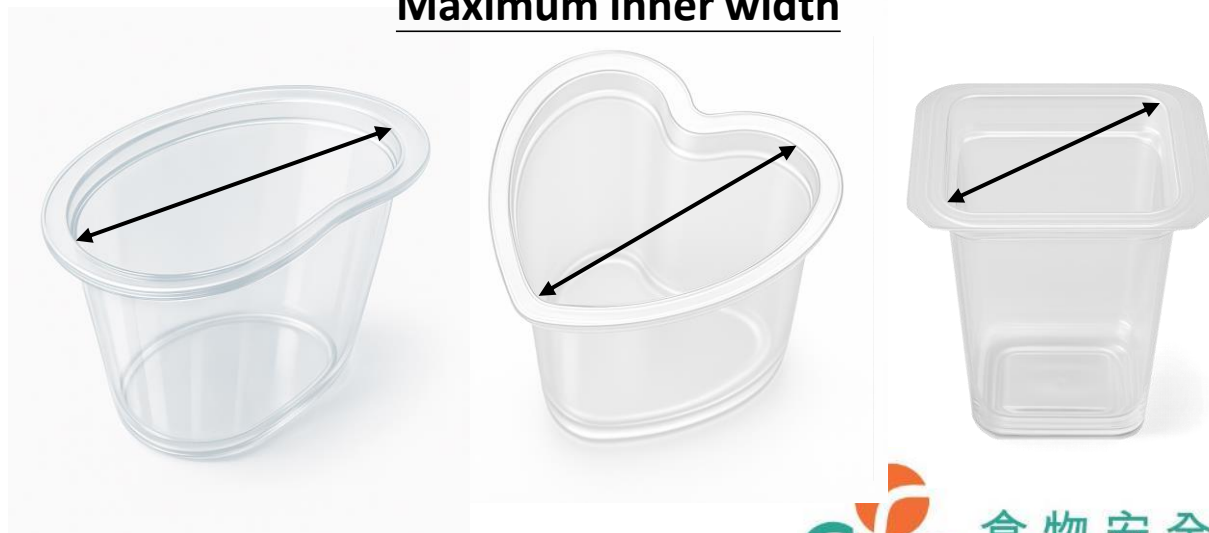
內直徑  
Inner diameter



# 迷你杯闊度的量度方法

- 闊度: **杯口的內直徑或最大內部闊度**

最大內部闊度  
Maximum inner width





# Non-mini-cup konjac jelly

- Composition requirement and the related sale prohibition do not apply to non-mini-cup konjac-containing jelly confectionery



- Should comply with the specific labelling requirements stipulated in Schedule 2 of the Amendment Regulation

# 非迷你杯裝的蒟蒻果凍

- 成分要求及相關禁止銷售規定不適用於含蒟蒻成分的非迷你杯裝果凍



- 須符合《修訂規例》附表2訂明的特定標籤規定



# Amendment (2) -- Labelling requirement

## 修訂(2) – 標籤要求

- The outermost layer of packaging for sale of **jelly confectionery** that is **prepackaged** food and that **contains konjac** must be **clearly and legibly marked with** the words --
- 如屬**預先包裝**食物的、**含有蒟蒻的果凍**，其銷售包裝的最外層須**清楚可閱地**標明下述字樣—

(a) Caution: Do not swallow whole. Elderly and children must consume under supervision.

(b) 注意：勿一口吞食，長者及兒童須在監護下食用。

# Amendment (2) -- Labelling requirement

- The words must be marked **in a conspicuous position on the packaging** and be—
  - (a) **underlined and marked—**
    - (i) in **dark colour** on a **light-coloured background**; **or**
    - (ii) in **light colour** on a **dark-coloured background**; **or**
  - (b) marked in **red text on a white or yellow background**

# 修訂(2) – 標籤要求

- 上述字樣須標明**在有關包裝上的顯眼處**，並須 —
  - (a) **畫上底線**，並—
    - (i) **以深色字印在淺色底上**此方式標明；**或**
    - (ii) **以淺色字印在深色底上**此方式標明；**或**
  - (b) **以紅色字印在白色或黃色底上**此方式標明。

# Examples of warning statements

# 警告字句的例子

- Underlined dark-coloured text on a light-coloured background:

- 以深色字印在淺色底上，並在字下劃上底線：

注意：勿一口吞食，長者及兒童須在監護下食用。

**Caution: Do not swallow whole. Elderly and children must consume under supervision.**

Or

或

- Underlined light-coloured text on a dark-coloured background:

- 以淺色字印在深色底上，並在字下劃上底線：

注意：勿一口吞食，長者及兒童須在監護下食用。

**Caution: Do not swallow whole. Elderly and children must consume under supervision.**

# Warning statements

# 警告字句

- Red text on a yellow background:

- 以紅色字印在黃色底上:

注意：勿一口吞食，長者及兒童須在監護下食用。

**Caution: Do not swallow whole. Elderly and children must consume under supervision.**

Or

或

- Red text on a yellow background:

- 以紅色字印在白色底上:

注意：勿一口吞食，長者及兒童須在監護下食用。

**Caution: Do not swallow whole. Elderly and children must consume under supervision.**

# Elements of legible warning label

- Suitable font size

- A font size of **at least 3 mm in height** for English letter and Chinese characters is recommended

Example:  
例子：

注意：勿一口吞食，長者及兒童須在監護下食用。

3 毫米

**Caution: Do not swallow whole. Elderly and children must consume under supervision.**

3 mm

# 可閱的警告標籤的元素

- 字體大小適中

- 建議使用高度最小達3毫米的英文字母和中文字

# Elements of legible warning label

# 可閱的警告標籤 的元素

- Enough spacing

- 間距充足

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# Elements of legible warning label

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- Appropriate font type
- Suitable printing technology
- Nonreflective printing surface

# 可閱的警告標籤 的元素

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- 適當的字款
- 合適的印刷技術
- 使用不反光印刷表面



## Commencement date

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- The Amendment Regulation will take effect on **1 April 2026**

## 實施日期

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- 《修訂規例》將在**2026年4月1日**實施

## Trade guidelines

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- Prepared guidelines on the requirements under the amended Cap. 132W
- Technical meeting was held to introduce the draft guideline
- Upload onto the CFS website for the trade's reference

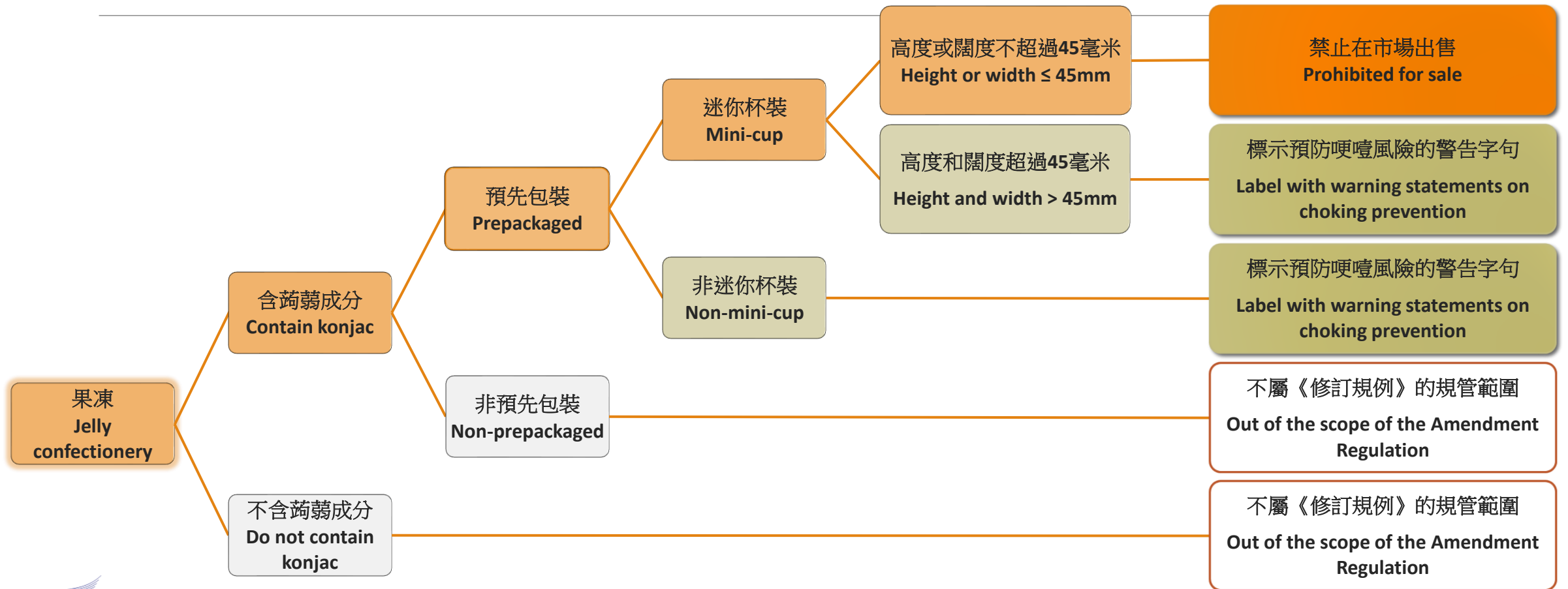
## 業界指引

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- 就修訂後132W章規管要求，制定業界指引
- 舉行技術會議介紹指引擬稿
- 上載至食安中心網站供業界參考

# Is my product affected by the new regulatory requirements?

## 我的產品受新規定影響嗎？



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