

Nova Scotia Crop and Livestock Insurance Commission Wildlife Compensation Policy For Bees and Beehives – 2026 update

Provided that all other requirements are satisfied for a compensation payment, the following chart will be used to determine the maximum claim payment for honeybee hives.

MONTH	HIVE COMPONENTS	BEE COLONY	HONEY	TOTAL VALUE
January February March	Up to \$400	\$295		Up to \$695
April July May August June Sept	Up to \$400	\$295	Up to 60lbs of honey at current published price	Up to \$915
October November December	Up to \$400	\$295		Up to \$695

Claim calculations will be made based on the actual parts of a honeybee hive lost to eligible wildlife damage.

VALUE OF BEEHIVE COMPONENTS:

Bottom board	\$23.95
Deep super	\$22.95
Deep frames + foundation	\$5.75
Medium super	\$19.95
Medium frames + foundation	\$5.55
Small super	\$19.00
Small frames + foundation	\$4.65
Queen excluder	\$14.95
Inner cover	\$17.95
Outer cover	\$30.95

VALUE OF HONEY:

5 Year Average \$3.68/lb

2026: \$3.65/lb

Approved: \$3.65/lb

Values approved, February 26, 2026
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