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**Subject:** re your list of 30 questions

1. GMO, genetically modified. (hybridizing and genetic manipulation in a lab are NOT the same thing).
2. hybridizing, manually transferring pollen from one plant to another.
3. anything that happens naturally in nature via insects or wind or rain.
4. any product that is or contains ingredients from genetically modified plants or animals, anything that has any recombinant gene splicing that cannot be achieved by nature should be labeled GMO.
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6. if meat animals and poultry/eggs are fed GMO food products, that should be listed on the label.
7. if the product comes from an organism that eats GMO food, then that product should be labeled as such.
8. any ingredient that is a result of biogenetic engineering should be labeled as such. for example, if the corn syrup in a product is made from GMO corn then the label should say GMO corn syrup. or perhaps just labeled as including GMO products.
9. the more information the better.
10. A. yes B. yes C. yes
11. no exclusions
12. manufacturers should not be allowed to choose, they should be required to use the most descriptive and truthful description and the warning label should be prominent.
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14. an electronic or digital link should be in addition to the written warning on labels instead of in lieu of a written GMO statement 15.
16. bulk food as in your example should have a sign attached that identifies the product as GMO.
17. GMO takes up very little space.
18. I don't want to buy a product and then discover it is GMO.
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20. a phone number takes up more room than a GMO icon. just label it.
21. I just assume if I am eating at a food establishment, unless it is specifically an organic food establishment, that I will be eating GMO derived products.
- 22 - 29.
30. imports of GMO foods or foods containing GMOs or products containing GMOs should be labeled as such.