



EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

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Various sugar related articles

The Executive Director would like to draw your attention to the articles below all of which are relevant to the sugar sector.

Food Navigator.com – 6 September 2018

The new soda? No sugar or sweeteners make Ugly Drinks 'an everyday staple'

06-Sep-2018 By Niamh Michail

UK firm Ugly Drinks uses fruit-based essential oils and sparkling water to create “totally unsweet” fizzy drinks with a nutritional content of “zero” that are an everyday fridge staple, it says.

<https://www.foodnavigator.com/article/2018/09/06/the-new-soda-no-sugar-or-sweeteners-make-ugly-drinks-an-everyday-staple>

Food Navigator.com – 7 September 2018

Low-calorie sweeteners do not trigger sweet cravings, says study

07-Sep-2018 By Niamh Michail

Beverages sweetened with low-calorie sweeteners do not increase total energy intake any more than water when drunk with a meal, according to an industry-funded study.

<https://www.foodnavigator.com/article/2018/09/03/low-calorie-sweeteners-do-not-trigger-sweet-cravings-says-study>

FDA will not require ‘added sugars’ call-out on pure honey, maple syrup

07-Sep-2018 By Elizabeth Crawford

After industry slammed FDA for proposing pure maple syrup and jars of honey list ‘added sugars’ on their updated Nutrition Facts panel, the agency has done an about face and will no longer the controversial declaration on the products when ‘packaged as such.’

<https://www.foodnavigator-usa.com/article/2018/09/07/fda-will-not-require-added-sugars-call-out-on-pure-honey-maple-syrup>

Sugar Online - Ebriefing 07-09-2018

AUSTRALIA: Researchers use bacteria to produce hydrogen from sugar

Bacteria that turn sugar into hydrogen are being engineered by Macquarie University researchers who received a A\$1.1 million grant from ARENA, the Australian government's renewable energy agency, according to Australia's Process & Control Engineering. "There's global interest in using hydrogen gas to produce electricity in hydrogen fuel cells, for example to power vehicles, heat buildings or provide electricity for industry," says Professor Robert Willows, who is one...[Read more...](#)
