

Abstract

According to one aspect of the present invention, a steviol glycoside composition is provided, in which the total content of specific nine types of steviol glycosides is equal to or more than 60% by weight and less than 95% by weight and the total content of steviol glycosides other than the nine types of steviol glycosides and stevia-derived components other than the steviol glycosides is 5 to 40% by weight each relative to the total solid content weight of the steviol glycoside composition, the weight-based ratios of the content of rebaudioside A and the content of rebaudioside D each relative to the total content of the nine types of steviol glycosides are 35 to 75% by weight and 5 to 30% by weight, respectively, and the steviol glycoside composition has at least one property selected from the following properties: the methanol content is 0.10% by weight or less relative to the total content of the nine types of steviol glycosides in the composition; the polyphenol content is 2.0% by weight or less relative to the total content of the nine types of steviol glycosides in the composition; and the total nitrogen amount is 0.40% by weight or less relative to the total amount of the nine types of steviol glycosides in the composition.