# Particulars

# **About Your Organisation**

# 1.1 Name of your organization

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# 1.2 What is/are the primary activity(ies) or product(s) of your organization?

Grower

- Processor and/or Trader
- Consumer Goods Manufacturer
- Retailer and/or Wholesaler
- Bank and/or Investor
- □ Social and/or Development NGO
- Environmental and/or Conservation NGO
- Supply Chain Associate
- Affiliate

# 1.3 Membership number

2-0219-11-000-00

# 1.4 Membership category

Palm Oil Processors and/or Traders

# 1.5 Membership sector

Ordinary

# **Processor and/or Trader**

# 1. Operational Profile

1.1 Please state your main activity(ies) within the palm oil supply chain. Please select the option(s) that apply to you

Refiner of CPO and PKO

Trader with physical possession

Trader without physical possession

Palm kernel crusher

□ Food and non-food ingredients producer

- Power, energy and biofuel
- Animal feed producer
- Producer of oleochemicals
- Distributor and wholesaler

🗹 Other

# Other:

Producer of crude palm oil (CPO) and PKO

# 2. Palm Oil and Certified Sustainable Palm Oil Use

# 2.1 Please include details of all operations using palm oil owned and/or managed by the member and/or all entities that belong to the group.

Oil palm grower and miller

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#### 2.1.1 In which markets do you sell goods containing palm oil and oil palm products?

Netherlands

2.2 Volumes of palm oil and oil palm products

2.2.1 Total volume of crude and refined palm oil handled/traded/processed in the year (tonnes)

0.00

2.2.2 Total volume of crude and refined palm kernel oil handled/traded/processed in the year (tonnes)

0.00

# 2.2.3 Total volume of palm kernel expeller handled/traded/processed in the year (tonnes)

1,800.00

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# 2.2.4 Total volume of other palm-based derivatives and fractions handled/traded/processed in the year (tonnes)

3,000.00

### 2.2.5 Total volume of all palm oil and oil palm products used in the year (tonnes)

4,800.00

### 2.3 Volumes of palm oil and oil palm products certified

Description	Crude and Refined Palm Oil	Crude and Refined Palm Kernel Oil	Palm Kernel Expeller	Other palm-based derivatives and fractions
2.3.1 RSPO Credits from Mill / Crusher	-	-	-	-
2.3.2 RSPO Credits from Independent Smallholder	-	-	-	-
2.3.3 Mass Balance (MB)	-	-	-	-
2.3.4 Segregated (SG)	-	-	-	-
2.3.5 Identity Preserved (IP)	3000	1800	-	-
2.3.6 Total volume (tonnes)	3000	1800	-	-

# 2.4 Volume sold in the year that is RSPO-certified (tonnes):

Description	Crude and Refined Palm Oil	Crude and Refined Palm Kernel Oil	Palm Kernel Expeller	Other palm-based derivatives and fractions
2.4.1 Mass Balance (MB)	-	-	-	-
2.4.2 Segregated (SG)	-	-	-	-
2.4.3 Identity Preserved (IP)	-	-	-	-
2.4.4 Total volume (tonnes)	-	-	-	-

2.4.5 How much RSPO-certified products have you sold under other schemes (tonnes)?

0.00

2.4.6 How much RSPO-certified products have you sold as conventional (tonnes)?

0.00

2.5 What is the percentage of Certified Sustainable Palm Oil in the total palm oil products sold by your company in the following regions:

2.5.1 Africa

25%

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2.5.2 Oceania
0%
2.5.3 Europe
75%
2.5.4 North America
0%
2.5.5 Latin America
0%
2.5.6 Middle East
0%
2.5.7 China
0%
2.5.8 India
0%
2.5.9 Indonesia
0%
2.5.10 Malaysia
0%
2.5.11 Rest of Asia
0%
3. Time-Bound Plan
3.1 Year of first supply chain certification (planned or achieved).
2011
3.2 Year started/expected to start to handle/trade/process any RSPO-certified palm oil and oil palm products.

2020

### 3.2.1 If target has not been met, please explain why.

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#### 3.3 Year expected to achieve 100% RSPO certification of all palm product processing facilities.

2020

#### 3.3.1 If target has not been met, please explain why.

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#### 3.4 Year expected to only handle/trade/process 100% RSPO-certified palm oil and oil palm products

2020

#### 3.4.1 If target has not been met, please explain why.

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### 3.5 Which countries do these commitments cover?

Cote d'Ivoire , Netherlands

# 3.6 How do you proactively promote RSPO and RSPO-certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products to your customers?

Through our dual RSPO and organic certification (EU and NOP), we offer sustainable and quality palm oil to all of our customers. We work to find customers both in Europe and in Africa with whom we exchange certified palm oil RSPO BIO. We are continuing to promote palm oil certified RSPO in different markets to acquire new customers and eventually to sell only palm oil certified RSPO

# 4. Trademark Use

4.1 Do you use or plan to use the RSPO Trademark on your own brand products?

No

4.2 Please select the countries where you use or intend to apply the Trademark

#### 4.2.1 Please state the year when you began or plan to begin to apply the Trademark

#### 4.3 Please explain why

Challenging reputation of palm oil

- Confusion among end-consumers
- Costs of changing labels

Difficulty of applying for RSPO Trademark

- Lack of customer demand
- Limited label space
- Low consumer awareness
- Low usage of palm oil
- Risk of supply disruption
- 🗹 Others

#### Other:

We are currently supplying palm oil in bulk, the removal of which takes place in containers of 22 mt.

# 5. Actions for Next Reporting Period

# 5.1 Outline activities that you will take in the coming year to promote the use of RSPO-certified palm oil and oil palm products along the supply chain.

We have agreed with the NGO Solidaridad C?¥te d'Ivoire to take a very active part in organizing 5000 small independent producers to the RSPO certification. Of course, this project will target small producers in our area of activity and will provide sufficient certified products for our independent palm oil mill which to date is the only oil palm oil mill that has the RSPO certificate. In another time, we sensitize other producers to engage in the RSPO approach with us to eventually have a sufficient supply base that will ensure that all the FFBs that enter our oil mill are certified RSPO.

#### 6. Non-Disclosure of Information

6.1 Information in the sections above are mandatory declarations in your ACOP. For confidentiality purposes, members may choose not to display volume data in Section 2 publicly; however, RSPO reserves the right to utilise the member's data on an aggregate basis for sectoral and total analysis. Please check this box if the member chooses to have the data in Section 2 displayed publicly.

Yes - Display Publicly

#### 7. Application of Principles & Criteria for all member sectors

7.1 Regarding your company's sourcing, handling or trading, do you have organisational policies that are in line with the RSPO P&C? Select all relevant options.

#### 7.1.A Water, land, energy and carbon footprints

#### File: PO 5.1 01 - Politique de Protection et prservation de l'environnement V4.pdf

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# 7.1.B Land use rights

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### 7.1.C Ethical conduct and human rights

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#### 7.1.D Labour rights

File: Human right policy.pdf Link: --

#### 7.1.E Stakeholder engagement

File: Stakeholder Policy.pdf Link: --

7.1.F None of the above. Please explain why.

7.2 What best practice guidelines or information has your organisation provided in the past year to facilitate the uptake of RSPO-certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products? What languages are these guidelines available in?

As mentioned above, we have engaged small independent producers in the RSPO certification process through awareness-raising actions and assumption of responsibility for the entire certification program. In addition we support the national project piloted by the NGO Solidaridad to proceed to the certification of 5000 producers by 2020 at the technical and financial level

# 8. Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Footprint

#### 8.1 Are you currently reporting any GHG footprint?

Yes

8.1.1 Please upload your publicly available GHG report

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#### 8.1.2 OR please insert the URL to the GHG section of your corporate website.

Link:

8.2 Please explain and justify why you are not calculating your GHG footprint. Please include any future plans you may have to calculate your GHG footprint.

# 8.3 What methodology are you using to calculate your GHG footprint?

Le calculateur PalmGHG fournit une estimation des émissions nettes de GES produites au cours de la production d'huile de palme en quantifiant les principales formes d'émissions de GES et la séquestration du carbone au niveau des plantations et de l'usine ,Å¢ Quelle est la quantité d,Åôhuile de palme brute et d,Åôhuile de

palmiste produite?

Ä¢ Quelle est la quantité de carburant utilisée à I,Äôusine?

,Ä¢ Démarrage des chaudi?®res

,Ä¢ Mis en fonctionnement de groupes électrog?®nes pendant les temps d'arr?™t

,Ä¢ Véhicules de I,Äôusine - chargeuses, chariots élévateurs, etc.

,Ä¢ Quelle est la quantité d,Äôeffluent produite?

,Ä¢ Comment I,Äôeffluent est-il traité?

# 9. Support for Oil Palm Smallholders

# 9.1 Are you currently supporting any oil palm Independent Smallholder groups?

Yes

#### 9.2 How are you supporting them?

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9.2.1 Do you have any future plans to support oil palm Independent Smallholders?

#### 9.2.2 If yes, when do you plan to start your support for oil palm Independent Smallholders?

10. Challenges

10.1 What significant economic, social or environmental obstacles have you encountered in the production, procurement, use and/or promotion of CSPO and what efforts did you make to mitigate or resolve them?

Awareness of RSPO in the market

Difficulties in the certification process

Certification of smallholders

Competition with non-RSPO members

High costs in achieving or adhering to certification

Human rights issues

□ Insufficient demand for RSPO-certified palm oil

Low usage of palm oil

Reputation of palm oil in the market

Reputation of RSPO in the market

Supply issues

Traceability issues

Conterner Street Others

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# Other:

As an independent oil mill; The major challenges we face in the production of certified palm oil are undoubtedly the commitment of small independent producers to the RSPO certification program. Until the national interpretation is validated and strong actions are taken in favor of RSPO certification in our country, in which there is no market constraint to engage in this process, the choice of small Independent producers to engage in a binding approach is not the most appropriate remedy. In order to get small producers to join our certification program, we are obliged to play on the purchase price of the raw material

10.2 In addition to the actions already reported in this ACOP how has your organisation supported the vision of RSPO to transform markets in other ways?

Engagement with business partners or consumers on the use of CSPO

Engagement with government agencies

Promotion of CSPO outside of RSPO venues eg trade workshops industry associations

Promotion of physical CSPO

- Providing funding or support for CSPO development efforts
- Research & Development support
- Stakeholder engagement
- Conterner Street Others

### Other:

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10.3 Please attach or add links to any other information from your organisation on your policies and actions on palm oil