

## Particulars

### About Your Organisation

**Organisation Name**Blenders

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**Corporate Website Address**www.blenders.ie

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**Primary Activity or Product**

- Manufacturer
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**Related Company(ies)**No

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### Membership

Membership Number	Membership Category	Membership Sector
9-0883-14-000-00	Associate	Organisation

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**Consumer Goods Manufacturers****Operational Profile**

1.1 Please state what your main activity(ies) is/are within manufacturing

- End-product manufacturer
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**Operations and Certification Progress**

2.1 Do you have a system for calculating how much palm oil and palm oil products you purchased?

Yes

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2.2.1 Do you manufacture for:

Both Private Label and Own Brand

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2.2.2 Total volume of Refined Palm Oil or Refined, bleached, and deodorized (RBD) Oil Palm sold in the year:

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2.2.3 Total volume of refined Palm Kernel Oil sold in the year:

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2.2.4 Total volume of other Palm Oil Derivatives and Fractions sold in the year:

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2.2.5 Total volume of all oil palm products you sold in the year:

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**2.3 Palm oil volume sold in the year in your own brands that is sourced through RSPO-certified physical supply chains:****In Your Own Brand**

No	Description	Refined palm oil/Refined, bleached, and deodorized (RBD) oil palm (Tonnes)	Palm Kernel Oil (Tonnes)	Palm based derivatives or fractions (Tonnes)	Volume of Palm Kernel Expeller used / processed and/or traded in the year (Tonnes)
1	Book & Claim	-	-	-	-
2	Mass Balance	-	-	-	-
3	Segregated	-	-	-	-
4	Identity Preserved	-	-	-	-
5	Total volume of oil palm products that is RSPO-certified	-	-	-	-

**In Your Private Label**

No	Description	Refined palm oil/Refined, bleached, and deodorized (RBD) oil palm (Tonnes)	Palm Kernel Oil (Tonnes)	Palm based derivatives or fractions (Tonnes)	Volume of Palm Kernel Expeller used / processed and/or traded in the year (Tonnes)
1	Book & Claim	-	-	-	-
2	Mass Balance	-	-	-	-
3	Segregated	-	-	-	-
4	Identity Preserved	-	-	-	-
5	Total volume of oil palm products that is RSPO-certified	-	-	-	-

**2.4.1 What type of products do you use CSPO for?**

Dry powders, pastes and sauces.

**2.5 What is the percentage of certified sustainable palm oil in the total oil palm products your company sells in:**

Europe 100%  
 India --%  
 China --%  
 South East Asia --%  
 North America --%  
 South America --%

2.6 What is the percentage of certified sustainable palm kernel oil in the total palm kernel oil your company sells in:

Europe --%  
India --%  
China --%  
South East Asia --%  
North America --%  
South America --%

### Time-Bound Plan

3.1 Date expected to/or started to use any RSPO certified palm oil products - own brand

2012

3.2 Date expected to be using 100% RSPO certified palm oil products from any supply chain option - own brand

2014

3.3 Date expected to be using 100% RSPO certified palm oil from physical supply chains (Identity Preserved, Segregated and/or Mass Balance) - own brand products

2014

3.4 Do your (own brand) commitments cover your company's companies' global use of palm oil?

y

3.5 Does your company use CERTIFIED SUSTAINABLE PALM OIL products in goods you manufacture on behalf of other companies?

y

3.6 Which countries that your organization operates in do the above commitments cover?

- Ireland

3.7 What are your interim milestones towards achieving RSPO certification commitment to your own-brands (year and progressive CSPO%) - please state annual targets/strategies

Fully compliant - only use 100% CSPO.

3.8 Date of first supply chain certification (planned or achieved)

2014

### Trademark Related

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

No

Please explain why

Not deemed a competitive advantage and there is limited labelling space.

### GHG Emissions

5.1 Are you currently assessing the GHG emissions from your operations?

No

Please explain why

No - only mixing and filling. Therefore, not high energy usage.

**5.2 Do you publicly report the GHG emissions of your operations?**

No

**Please explain why**

No - only mixing and filling. Therefore, not high energy usage. No requests to do so.

**Actions for Next Reporting Period****6.1 Outline actions that will be taken in the coming year to promote sustainable palm oil.**

Continue to only use sustainable palm oil.

**Reasons for Non-Disclosure of Information****7.1 If you have not disclosed any of the above information, please indicate the reasons why**

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**- Others:**

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**Application of Principles & Criteria for all members sectors****8.1 Related to your sourcing, do you have (a) policy/ies, that are in line with the RSPO P&C such as:**

- Water, land, energy and carbon footprints  
Uploaded file: [M-Policies-to-PNC-waterland.pdf](#)
- Land Use Rights
- Ethical conduct and human rights  
Uploaded file: [M-Policies-to-PNC-ethicalconducthr.pdf](#)
- Labour rights  
Uploaded file: [M-Policies-to-PNC-laborrights.pdf](#)
- Stakeholder engagement
- None of the above

**8.2 What steps will/has your organization taken to support these policies?**

Ongoing continuous improvement being implemented within company following engagement with relevant stakeholders.

**Commitments to CSPO uptake**

**As you don't source 100% CSPO through physical supply chains (IP/SG/MB), please answer the following questions:  
Do you have plans to?**

Yes

**Please specify**

We currently are only sourcing 100% CSPO and do not use non-certified palm oil.

**9.1 Do you have plans to immediately cover the gap using Book & Claim?**

No

**Please explain why**

n/a - we only buy CSPO.

**Concession Map**

**10.1 Does your company or any subsidiary of your company own or manage oil palm plantations?**

No

**Please explain why**

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## Challenges

**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?**

No significant challenges.

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**2 How would you qualify RSPO standards as compared to other parallel standards?**

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**Cost Effective:**

Yes

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**Robust:**

Yes

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**Simpler to Comply to:**

No

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**3 How has your organization supported the vision of RSPO to transform markets? (e.g. Funding; Engagement with key stakeholders; Business to business education/outreach)**

No.

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**4 Other information on palm oil (sustainability reports, policies, other public information)**

None. Continue to discuss with stakeholders. As we no longer use non-CSPO material, we believe we are engaged with the initiative.

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