Particulars

About Your Organisation

Organisation Name

Corbion N.V.

Corporate Website Address

www.corbion.com

Primary Activity or Product

■ Processor and/or Trader

Related Company(ies)

No

Membership

Membership Number	Membership Category	Membership Sector
2-0578-15-000-00	Ordinary	Palm Oil Processors and/or Traders

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Palm Oil Processors and Traders

Operational Profile

- 1.1 Please state your main activity(ies) within the supply chain
 - Ingredient manufacturer
- 1.2 Operation and Certification Progress
 - 1.2.1 Do you have a system for calculating how much palm oil and palm oil products you use? Yes
- 1.3 Total volume of all palm oil products processed and/or traded in the year in the year (Tonnes)
 - 1.3.1 Total volume of oil palm and palm oil derivatives processed and/or traded in the year
 - 1.3.2 Total volume of palm kernel oil and palm kernel oil derivatives processed and/or traded in the year --
 - 1.3.3 Total volume of other Palm Oil Derivatives and Fractions processed and/or traded in the year 4,274.00 Tonnes
 - 1.3.4 Total volume of all palm oil and palm oil derived products processed and/or traded in the year 4,274.00 Tonnes

All other

1.4 Volume processed and/or traded in the year that is RSPO-certified (Tonnes):

No	Description	Crude Palm Oil (Tonnes)	Palm kernel oil (Tonnes)	palm-based derivatives and fractions processed and/or traded in the year that is RSPO-certified (Tonnes)
1.4.1	Mass Balance			402.00
1.4.2	Segregated			
1.4.3	Identity Preserved			
1.4.4	Total volume of Oil Palm processed and/or traded in the year that is RSPO-certified:			402.00

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

Europe --% India --% China --% South East Asia --% North America --% 1.6 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 --%

Time-Bound Plan

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

2014

Comment:

February 21, 2014; Mass Balance

2.2 Time-bound plan - Year expected to achieve 100% RSPO certification of all supply chains

2020

2.3 What are your interim milestones towards achieving this RSPO certification commitment (year and progressive CSPO%)? Please state annual targets/strategies.

Certification of our emulsifier plants (achieved in 2014) Certification of our other US sites where oil palm products are handled by 2020 Stepwise increase the % of RSPO certified oil palm products Work with our suppliers to gradually convert our palm and palm-derived raw materials which are not yet commercially available in North-America.

2.4 Timebound plan - Year expected to only "handle/supply" RSPO certified oil palm products

2024

2.5 How do you promote RSPO and RSPO certified sustainable palm oil to your customers proactively?

We are working with customers who request sustainable palm products to provide them with the option and we actively promote our RSPO-certified products, to stimulate the transition towards a responsible sourced supply chain for palm oil.

- 2.6 Which countries that your organization operates in do the above own-brand commitments cover?
 - Netherlands
 - United States

GHG Emissions

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

Yes

3.2 Do you publicly report the GHG emissions of your operations?

Yes

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Actions for Next Reporting Period

4.1 Outline actions that you will take in the coming year to promote CSPO use along the supply chain

Corbion aims to launch further MB based products depending on the market development. However, we are highly dependent on the

availability of RSPO certified raw materials at our suppliers; currently not all of our palm-derived raw materials are available as RSPO certified in North-America.

Reasons for Non-Disclosure of Information

5.1 If you have not disclosed any of the above information please indicate the reasons why

Other

Application of Principles & Criteria for all members sectors

- 6.1 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
 P-Policies-to-PNC-waterland.pdf
 - Ethical conduct and human rights
 P-Policies-to-PNC-ethicalconducthr.pdf
 - Labour rights P-Policies-to-PNC-laborrights.pdf

6.2 Where relevant, what prevents you from trading/processing only CSPO?

Strongly limited availability of RSPO certified palm-based fractions and oleochemical derivatives in North-America.

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:

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7.1. Do you have plans to immediately cover the gap using Book & Claim?

No

Please explain why:

We prefer, support and promote the physical route, using the MB model.

Concession Map

Do you agree to share your concession maps with the RSPO?

No

Please explain why: not relevant for Corbion

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?

Strongly limited availability of RSPO certified palm-based fractions and oleochemical derivatives in North-America.

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

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Cost Effective:

No

Robust:

No

Simpler to Comply to:

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)

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

To fulfill our purpose of improving the quality of life for people today and generations to come we need to ensure our raw materials are sourced responsibly. For palm oil, this means in practice that we focus on implementation of the supply chain standard of the Round Table for Sustainable Palm Oil (RSPO) for all of our products that contain palm and/or palm-derived ingredients. We believe that this is currently the best and most widely used tool available to drive change in the palm oil supply chain. Palm oil is one of the most widely used vegetable oils in the world. Corbion uses relatively small amounts of palm oil for the production of its emulsifiers. While our usage of palm oil is small, we do recognize the importance of responsible sourcing of this ingredient and consider it a priority raw material in our responsible sourcing program. More information on our updated Sustainability strategy can be found in our annual report:

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