

Particulars

Organisation Name	SACI-CFPA
Corporate Website Address	www.saci-cfpa.com
Related Company(ies)	None
Country Operations	Belgium, France, Luxembourg, Monaco, Switzerland
Membership Number	9-0456-14-000-00
Membership Type	Supply Chain Associate
Membership Category	Organisations

Affiliate Members / Supply Chain Associate

Operational Profile

1. What are the main activities of your organisation?

We sell raw materials to Cosmetic Manufacturers in France mainly but also in Monaco, Belgium, Luxembourg and Switzerland

2. Activities undertaken to promote sustainable palm oil, the RSPO and/or members in the reporting period

We promote the use of sustainable palm oil near the raw material manufacturers we work with. We participate to the NRSC (Natural Substances Stewardship Circle) group whose aim is to help to move to the use of sustainable palm oil through workshops around issues of traceability, sustainability and certification and through various information on the subject.

3. Do you have any collaborations with the industry players/private sector to support them in the market transformation towards CSPO?

Yes

If yes, please give details:

see hereunder : NRSC gathers cosmetic manufacturers like Estee Lauder, Chanel, Pierre Fabre, Yves Rocher etc..., raw materials distributors and raw material manufacturers in order to help us to move towards CSPO

4. What percentage of your organization's overall activities focus on palm oil?

50

5. How is your work on palm oil funded?

By our own

Actions for Next Reporting Period

6. Outline actions that will be taken in the coming year to promote sustainable palm oil.

We will go on by promoting the use of sustainable palm oil near the raw material manufacturers we work with and by participating to the NRSC group. We will also follow with attention the information delivered by RSPO on the progress of the project.

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?

Our customers (cosmetic manufacturers) would like to move rapidly to sustainable palm oil without any cost. The manufacturers who work with us have to be conform with our European regulation like REACH that is costful for them and the move to sustainable palm oil implicates also some investments (like dedicated lines for example...). This added to a difficult today economic situation is in an obstacle to a rapid move towards CSPO

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

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Cost Effective:

Yes

Robust:

Yes

Simpler to Comply to:

easier

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)

Business to business education/outreach mainly

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

We are engaged in a global CSR process through Ecovadis and with some of our customers directly.