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Particulars

Organisation Name	Both ENDS
Corporate Website Address	http://www.bothends.org/
Primary Activity or Product	Social NGO
Related Company(ies)	None
Country Operations	India, Indonesia, Malaysia, Netherlands
Membership Number	7-0004-05-000-00
Membership Type	Ordinary Members
Membership Category	Social and Developmental NGOs

Related Information

Other information on palm oil:

Joint publications on RSPO Dispute Settlement Facility lessons learned

Social and Developmental NGOs

Operational Profile

1. What are the main activities of your organisation?

Promote socially and ecologically sustainable development. Stimulate sustainable production of agri and agro-forestry products (cut flowers, tea, palm oil). Enhance capacity local NGOs in sourcing countries. Liaise between local NGOs, companies, scientific community and other stakeholders. Action research. Facilitate and initiate policy dialogue and collaboration in creating preconditions for sustainable production, e.g. adequate and participatory land use planning.

2. Does your organisation use and/or sell any palm oil?

No

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

Promotion of dialogue with local stakeholders, notably local NGOs and communities in sourcing countries. Explanation RSPO's policies, challenges faced and measures taken in Dutch political and public arena. Furthermore as member of RSPO EB and through RSPO DSF.

4. Did members of your staff participate in RSPO working groups/taskforces in the reporting period?

Yes

If yes, please explain how:

Member of RSPO EB. Co-chair DSF Advisory Group, Revision of P&C Working Group.

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

Yes

If yes, please explain how:

Collaborated with private sector/RSPO members in explaining RSPO's policies, challenges faced and measures taken in Dutch and sourcing countries' policy and public arena. Indicating steps required, also by governments, to ensure production and uptake of CSPO in the market.

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

0-10

7. How is your work on palm oil funded?

Doen; Netherlands Ministry of Foreign Affairs; assignments.

Time-Bound Plan

8. Date started or expect to start participating in RSPO working groups/taskforces

2006

9. Date expected to undertake and publicise programmes to support RSPO, RSPO certification and/or good standing RSPO members

2013

10. What are your interim milestones towards achieving your commitments to promote sustainable palm oil?

In accordance with RSPO DSF Business plan.
Promote engagement of Indian stakeholders in RSPO.
Promote RSPO outreach towards local civil society in sourcing countries

11. Which countries that your institution operates in do the above commitments cover?

India, Indonesia, Malaysia, Netherlands

Actions for Next Reporting Period

12. Outline actions that will be taken in the coming year to promote sustainable palm oil along the supply chain

See ad 10.
Contribute to implementation of DSF business plan
Exchange visits Indian stakeholders to Indonesia and attendance Indian NGO representatives to RSPO RT11 and RT12
Assessment of actions undertaken, needs and potential for RSPO outreach to civil society in sourcing countries, and based on that formulation of action plan - in context of mission and P&C of RSPO

Reasons for Non-Disclosure of Information

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

Other

- Other reason:

Some plans are in preparatory stage and will be published on RSPO website when ready; e.g. RSPO DSF Business plan.

Application of Principles & Criteria for all members sectors

14. Do you have organisational policies that are in line with the RSPO P&C

- Ethical conduct

- Energy and carbon footprints policy

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- Ethical conduct policy

[SN-Policies-to-PNC-ethicalconduct.pdf](#)
For administration purpose, attachment files are renamed automatically

- Labour rights policy

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- Stakeholder engagement

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14.1. If none of the above, please specify if/when you intend to develop one

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15. What steps will your organization take to realize ethical conduct in business-applicable regulations and industry practices?

See website for policies and steps taken re. transparency, ethical conduct and anti-fraud, grievances procedure, labour and environmental policy: [Click here to visit the URL](#)

16. What best practice guidelines or information has your organization provided to facilitate production and consumption of sustainable palm oil? What languages are these guidelines available in?

Contribution to guidelines for land conflict resolution through RSPO DSF (English, to be translated in French, Spanish, Portugese, Bahasa); publication on lessons learned regarding DSF and land dispute settlement; video film on participatory mapping to enhance local stakeholder engagement in land use planning and considered decision making regarding palm oil production (English/Bahasa)

17. Has your company supported any community programmes, related to palm oil, on its own or through partnerships? How do you benchmark the impacts of these programmes?

Programme in Indonesia and Malaysia with a focus on awareness raising and informed engagement in decision making regarding land use planning/allocation and palm oil production.
Commencement of awareness raising program in India regarding RSPO and sustainability challenges faced .
Idem in West Afrika.

18. Has your organization partnered with any RSPO members in the implementation of or benchmarking against the Principles and Criteria?

Yes

Challenges

1. Significant economic, social or environmental obstacles

Need for pro-active outreach by RSPO vis a vis local intermediary organisations (civil soceity organisations) in sourcing countries. Promotion of adequate and more participatory land use planning - requires dialogue with government, communities and other stakeholders. Need for accelarated update of CSPO by the market - notably in EU, India and China and sourcing countries.

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:

No

3. How has your organization supported the vision of RSPO to transform markets?

Explanation of RSPO's role, measures taken and challenges faced vis a vis EU and Dutch government and other stakeholders - in collaboration with other RSPO coroporate and NGO members. Commencement collaboration with indian counterparts to help raise awareness regarding RSPO in India. Contribution to RSPO DSF.

Particulars

Organisation Name	LINKS (Lingkar Komunitas Sawit)
Corporate Website Address	
Primary Activity or Product	Social NGO
Related Company(ies)	None
Country Operations	Indonesia
Membership Number	7-0014-12-000-00
Membership Type	Ordinary Members
Membership Category	Social and Developmental NGOs

Related Information

Other information on palm oil:

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Social and Developmental NGOs

Operational Profile

1. What are the main activities of your organisation?

1. Provide consulting services in the social activities of social impact assessment of oil palm plantation company.
2. Provide training to the field staff management and oil palm plantations.
3. Facilitate the settlement of social conflicts between plantation companies and local communities.

2. Does your organisation use and/or sell any palm oil?

No

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

1. Implement Social Impact Assessment to assess and evaluate the social impact of palm oil plantation company as the basis of efforts to promote the implementation of the RSPO principles and criteria.
2. FPIC provide training to field staff and corporate management in the development of new areas so they can implement policies and strategies that demonstrate respect for the rights of indigenous peoples and local communities around it.
3. Conduct visioning CSR program to help the company's management in dealing with the emerged social impacts based on the SIA's recommendation and also based on the support of the company's core business, on improvements of the employees' welfare and protection, and on surrounding community participation.
4. Assist the company management in resolving social conflicts that took place between them.

4. Did members of your staff participate in RSPO working groups/taskforces in the reporting period?

Yes

If yes, please explain how:

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

Yes

If yes, please explain how:

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

51-100

7. How is your work on palm oil funded?

LINKS received funding from companies that utilized LINKS's social consulting services, training and conflict resolution facilitation.

Time-Bound Plan

8. Date started or expect to start participating in RSPO working groups/taskforces

2013

9. Date expected to undertake and publicise programmes to support RSPO, RSPO certification and/or good standing RSPO members

2013

10. What are your interim milestones towards achieving your commitments to promote sustainable palm oil?

1. Promote sustainable social management through a structured CSR program design based on SIA, related to the core business, improving the welfare and protection of employees and local community participation.
2. Promote equality of the parties in social management and resolution of conflicts around oil palm plantations.

11. Which countries that your institution operates in do the above commitments cover?

Indonesia

Actions for Next Reporting Period

12. Outline actions that will be taken in the coming year to promote sustainable palm oil along the supply chain

1. Continuing to promote the sustainable social management through a structured CSR program design based on SIA, related to the core business, improving the welfare and protection of employees and local community participation.
2. Continuing to promote equality of the parties in social management and resolution of conflicts around oil palm plantations.

Reasons for Non-Disclosure of Information

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

Other

- Other reason:

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Application of Principles & Criteria for all members sectors

14. Do you have organisational policies that are in line with the RSPO P&C

- Ethical conduct
- Labour rights
- Stakeholder engagement

- Energy and carbon footprints policy

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- Ethical conduct policy

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- Labour rights policy

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- Stakeholder engagement

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14.1. If none of the above, please specify if/when you intend to develop one

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15. What steps will your organization take to realize ethical conduct in business-applicable regulations and industry practices?

1. Establish partnerships with the principle of neutrality policy, which in effect seeks LINKS equivalent work in communicating the needs and interests of the parties.
2. LINKS flatly refused to cooperate with companies that violate human rights and corruption.

16. What best practice guidelines or information has your organization provided to facilitate production and consumption of sustainable palm oil? What languages are these guidelines available in?

1. CSR program design guidelines that support sustainable social management.
2. Guidelines for social conflict resolution.

17. Has your company supported any community programmes, related to palm oil, on its own or through partnerships? How do you benchmark the impacts of these programmes?

- LINKS supports community development programs through partnerships with plantation companies to implement CSR programs.
- LINKS supports community capacity building programs in conflict resolution negotiations.

18. Has your organization partnered with any RSPO members in the implementation of or benchmarking against the Principles and Criteria?

No

Challenges

1. Significant economic, social or environmental obstacles

Social barriers associated with creating a new awareness among management companies to do more socially sustainable management of limited interest certification.

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:

Yes

3. How has your organization supported the vision of RSPO to transform markets?

LINKS Support has been attempted in the empowerment of stakeholders and educational programs.

Particulars

Organisation Name	Oxfam International
Corporate Website Address	http://www.oxfamnovib.nl
Primary Activity or Product	Social NGO
Related Company(ies)	None
Country Operations	Australia, Belgium, Cambodia, Cameroon, Canada, China - People's Republic of, Colombia, Congo - Democratic Republic, Costa Rica, Cote d'Ivoire, East Timor, Egypt, France, Germany, Ghana, Guatemala, Honduras, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, Kenya, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Mali, Mexico, Mozambique, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Spain, Sudan, Tanzania, Timor Leste, Turkey, Uganda, United Kingdom, USA, Vietnam, Zimbabwe
Membership Number	7-0001-04-000-00
Membership Type	Ordinary Members
Membership Category	Social and Developmental NGOs

Related Information

Other information on palm oil:

The palm oil sector, if operating sustainably, can bring economic development especially at the national level. Operating irresponsibly, it brings poverty to local people, especially when their livelihoods depend on natural resources (land, water, forest) or on subsistence farming and these are lost to palm oil plantations. Also, if palm oil smallholders or workers are not treated fairly, this keeps them trapped in poverty. Moreover, land use changes contribute significantly to climate change and poor people are expected to suffer more from the consequences. A risk to the palm oil sector is the amount of land conflicts that the sectors actors are involved in.

Oxfam's engagement with the palm oil sector and RSPO fits the larger objectives of its GROW campaign on food security in a resource-constrained world. see: [Click here to visit the URL](#)

Social and Developmental NGOs

Operational Profile

1. What are the main activities of your organisation?

Oxfam is an international confederation of 17 organizations networked together in more than 90 countries, as part of a global movement for change, to build a future free from the injustice of poverty. We work with others, including private sector, local civil society organisations and communities to ensure that poor people can improve their lives and livelihoods and have a say in decisions that affect them.

Find out how we work with others to end poverty and injustice, from campaigning to responding to emergencies:
[Click here to visit the URL](#)

2. Does your organisation use and/or sell any palm oil?

Yes

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

Oxfam has taken a leadership role in the RSPO Executive Board, the Complaints Panel and the RT10 conference. In addition Oxfam has been very active in the establishment of the Dispute Settlement Facility and participating in the P&C Review Taskforce. Specifically, in the context of the review, Oxfam assessed the Human Rights systems that RSPO and RSPO members need to have to fulfil the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights, also known as the Ruggie Framework of "Protect, Respect, Remedy".

4. Did members of your staff participate in RSPO working groups/taskforces in the reporting period?

Yes

If yes, please explain how:

- P&C Review Taskforce
- Standing Committee Communications
- Complaints Panel

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

Yes

If yes, please explain how:

In addition to the participation in the Communications and Claims standing committee, Oxfam occasionally engages private sector member of the RSPO, including the Netherlands Product Board.

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

0-10

7. How is your work on palm oil funded?

Funding Oxfam's palm oil work has become a challenge. Oxfam puts in own generic programme funds provided by the Netherlands Ministry of Foreign Affairs and is actively looking for external donors through our Scaling Up Sustainable Palm Oil project (SUSPO). The Ford Foundation and the Dutch Ministry of Economic Affairs are providing funds in support of our EB work and the Dispute Settlement Facility.

Time-Bound Plan

8. Date started or expect to start participating in RSPO working groups/taskforces

2004

9. Date expected to undertake and publicise programmes to support RSPO, RSPO certification and/or good standing RSPO members

2004

10. What are your interim milestones towards achieving your commitments to promote sustainable palm oil?

N/A

11. Which countries that your institution operates in do the above commitments cover?

Actions for Next Reporting Period

12. Outline actions that will be taken in the coming year to promote sustainable palm oil along the supply chain

Oxfam will continue it work in particular in the Executive Board, the Dispute Settlement Facility and the newly established Human Rights Working Group.

Reasons for Non-Disclosure of Information

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

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- Other reason:

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Application of Principles & Criteria for all members sectors

14. Do you have organisational policies that are in line with the RSPO P&C

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- Energy and carbon footprints policy

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- Ethical conduct policy

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- Labour rights policy

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- Stakeholder engagement

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14.1. If none of the above, please specify if/when you intend to develop one

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15. What steps will your organization take to realize ethical conduct in business-applicable regulations and industry practices?

N/A

16. What best practice guidelines or information has your organization provided to facilitate production and consumption of sustainable palm oil? What languages are these guidelines available in?

N/A

17. Has your company supported any community programmes, related to palm oil, on its own or through partnerships? How do you benchmark the impacts of these programmes?

Yes, Oxfam has been supporting civil society organisations working on palm oil issues, notably in Indonesia and globally.

18. Has your organization partnered with any RSPO members in the implementation of or benchmarking against the Principles and Criteria?

No

Challenges

1. Significant economic, social or environmental obstacles

N/A

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:

Yes

3. How has your organization supported the vision of RSPO to transform markets?

Oxfam continues to engage the various stakeholder categories that individually and collectively can drive positive change in the sector.

Particulars

Organisation Name	UTZ Certified
Corporate Website Address	http://www.utzcertified.org
Primary Activity or Product	Social NGO
Related Company(ies)	None
Country Operations	India, Netherlands, Pakistan
Membership Number	7-0008-08-000-00
Membership Type	Ordinary Members
Membership Category	Social and Developmental NGOs

Related Information

Other information on palm oil:

N/A

Social and Developmental NGOs

Operational Profile

1. What are the main activities of your organisation?

UTZ Certified stands for sustainable farming and better opportunities for farmers, their families and our planet. The UTZ program for coffee, tea and cocoa enables farmers to learn better farming methods, improve working conditions and take better care of their children and the environment.

Through the UTZ-program farmers grow better crops, generate more income and create better opportunities while safeguarding the environment and securing the earth's natural resources.

In addition, we provide traceability services to other sectors.

2. Does your organisation use and/or sell any palm oil?

No

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

UTZ Certified is the Traceability Service Provider for RSPO. In 2012 we launched the traceability system called eTrace, to be used by RSPO members to record CSPO.

4. Did members of your staff participate in RSPO working groups/taskforces in the reporting period?

Yes

If yes, please explain how:

Standing Committee Trade & Traceability (T&T)

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

Yes

If yes, please explain how:

We assist RSPO members with administering their CSPO transactions correctly in eTrace.

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

11-50

7. How is your work on palm oil funded?

partly via donations, partly via fees on transactions

Time-Bound Plan

8. Date started or expect to start participating in RSPO working groups/taskforces

2011

9. Date expected to undertake and publicise programmes to support RSPO, RSPO certification and/or good standing RSPO members

2007

10. What are your interim milestones towards achieving your commitments to promote sustainable palm oil?

- In accordance with the Traceability System Panel, realizing the eTrace change requests in a timely manner, without compromising on the quality thereof (interim deadlines, all through the reporting period)
- Adequate and timely response by our etrace Support Team on questions posed by eTrace users (ongoing)
- Continuous improvements to the eTrace system (ongoing)

11. Which countries that your institution operates in do the above commitments cover?

India, Netherlands, Pakistan

Actions for Next Reporting Period

12. Outline actions that will be taken in the coming year to promote sustainable palm oil along the supply chain

UTZ certified continues to be a close partner to RSPO, assisting them with their traceability requests, continuously improving the performance of eTrace and adapting the traceability system to market needs.

Reasons for Non-Disclosure of Information

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

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- Other reason:

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Application of Principles & Criteria for all members sectors

14. Do you have organisational policies that are in line with the RSPO P&C

- None

- Energy and carbon footprints policy

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- Ethical conduct policy

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- Labour rights policy

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- Stakeholder engagement

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14.1. If none of the above, please specify if/when you intend to develop one

We have similar policies for our own UTZ certification programs for coffee, tea and cocoa.

15. What steps will your organization take to realize ethical conduct in business-applicable regulations and industry practices?

UTZ certified has developed a set of working instructions, manuals and guidelines for RSPO members and CBs on the proper use of the Traceability System eTrace. These are all continuously revised and updated, in accordance with the RSPO Secretariat.

16. What best practice guidelines or information has your organization provided to facilitate production and consumption of sustainable palm oil? What languages are these guidelines available in?

UTZ certified has developed a set of working instructions, manuals and guidelines for RSPO members and CBs on the proper use of the Traceability System eTrace. These are all continuously revised and updated, in accordance with the RSPO Secretariat.

17. Has your company supported any community programmes, related to palm oil, on its own or through partnerships? How do you benchmark the impacts of these programmes?

N/A

18. Has your organization partnered with any RSPO members in the implementation of or benchmarking against the Principles and Criteria?

No

Challenges

1. Significant economic, social or environmental obstacles

N/A

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

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Cost Effective:

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Robust:

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Simpler to Comply to:

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3. How has your organization supported the vision of RSPO to transform markets?

UTZ certified would like to continue working as a valuable partner to RSPO, both on traceability requirements and certification advise. Since UTZ Certified owns three certification programs (coffee, tea, cocoa) and has extensive experience in traceability and certification , we could share our knowledge and where needed support RSPO to transform the palm oil market.

Particulars

Organisation Name	West Africa Fair Fruit
Corporate Website Address	http://www.waffcompany.com
Primary Activity or Product	Social NGO
Related Company(ies)	None
Country Operations	Cote d'Ivoire, Ghana, Nigeria
Membership Number	7-0013-11-000-00
Membership Type	Ordinary Members
Membership Category	Social and Developmental NGOs

Related Information

Other information on palm oil:

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Social and Developmental NGOs

Operational Profile

1. What are the main activities of your organisation?

- a. Provide technical assistance and promote capacity development for producers and workers;
- b. Ensure continual improvement for sustainable production
- c. Promote voluntary sustainable standards
- d. Facilitate credit and input access for SMEs
- e. Stimulate Public Private Partnerships (PPPs)
- f. Facilitate the negotiating position of producers and workers in the supply chain
- g. Facilitate market opportunities for small and medium (SME) scale producers and workers.

2. Does your organisation use and/or sell any palm oil?

No

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

1. Sensitized relevant stakeholders in oil palm sector on RSPO Principles and Criteria
2. Assisted 2 medium sized mills to carry out RSPO baseline audit
3. Part-funded RSPO Africa Roadshow in Cote D'Ivoire to sensitize relevant stakeholders on RSPO Principles and Criteria
4. Assisting 3 smallholder groups and two processing mills in Ghana to go through RSPO certification
5. Funded RSPO Lead Auditor training for relevant stakeholders to support RSPO certification processes.
6. Demonstrating best management practices to large, medium and small scale farms through establishment of BMP plots in selected farms

4. Did members of your staff participate in RSPO working groups/taskforces in the reporting period?

Yes

If yes, please explain how:

I am a member of the smallholder working Group representing the interest of smallholder farmers in West Africa

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

Yes

If yes, please explain how:

Support (technical and financial) interested industry players to go through RSPO certification
Prepare smallholder farmers associated to mills to go through RSPO certification (training, development of ICS, etc.)

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

11-50

7. How is your work on palm oil funded?

From Donors and RSPO Secretariat (FSP)

Time-Bound Plan

8. Date started or expect to start participating in RSPO working groups/taskforces

2011

9. Date expected to undertake and publicise programmes to support RSPO, RSPO certification and/or good standing RSPO members

2014

10. What are your interim milestones towards achieving your commitments to promote sustainable palm oil?

1. Get 3 smallholder groups and 2 processing mills in Ghana RSPO certified by the end of the year
2. Conduct RSPO Africa Roadshow in Nigeria in Sept, 2013 to sensitize relevant stakeholders in the oil palm sector
3. Carry out RSPO baseline audit for two oil palm processing mills in Cote D'Ivoire by the end of 2013

11. Which countries that your institution operates in do the above commitments cover?

Cote d'Ivoire, Ghana, Nigeria

Actions for Next Reporting Period

12. Outline actions that will be taken in the coming year to promote sustainable palm oil along the supply chain

1. Seek funding from the RSPO Smallholder Fund to assist independent smallholder in Ghana to produce sustainably
2. Initiate the review of Ghana's NI
3. Support the development of Nigeria's NI process
4. Support the development of Cote D'Ivoire's NI process
5. Share our experiences in best management practices with other countries in Africa

Reasons for Non-Disclosure of Information

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

Other

- Other reason:

Information above has been disclosed to others. Information considered to be confidential is not shared

Application of Principles & Criteria for all members sectors

14. Do you have organisational policies that are in line with the RSPO P&C

- None

- Energy and carbon footprints policy

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- Ethical conduct policy

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- Labour rights policy

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- Stakeholder engagement

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14.1. If none of the above, please specify if/when you intend to develop one

In the near future. By mid 2014

15. What steps will your organization take to realize ethical conduct in business-applicable regulations and industry practices?

We sensitize our partners to comply with all applicable laws related to their business with emphasis on sustainable practices

16. What best practice guidelines or information has your organization provided to facilitate production and consumption of sustainable palm oil? What languages are these guidelines available in?

1. Illustrated RSPO Principles and Criteria in English
 2. Illustrated "Good Life of Oil Palm" poster in English for use by smallholder farmers
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17. Has your company supported any community programmes, related to palm oil, on its own or through partnerships? How do you benchmark the impacts of these programmes?

Not yet.

18. Has your organization partnered with any RSPO members in the implementation of or benchmarking against the Principles and Criteria?

Yes

Challenges

1. Significant economic, social or environmental obstacles

The issue of carrying out HCV assessment especially on smallholder farms. Cost of assessment is high since we have limited HCV assessors in Ghana. The same goes for certification audit since most auditors have to come from Malaysia and involves a lot of money.

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

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Cost Effective:

No

Robust:

Yes

Simpler to Comply to:

No

3. How has your organization supported the vision of RSPO to transform markets?

Technical and financial support to interested industry players

Particulars

Organisation Name	Yayasan SETARA Jambi
Corporate Website Address	http://www.setarajambi.org
Primary Activity or Product	Social NGO
Related Company(ies)	None
Country Operations	Indonesia
Membership Number	7-0011-10-000-00
Membership Type	Ordinary Members
Membership Category	Social and Developmental NGOs

Related Information

Other information on palm oil:

Yayasan SETARA Jambi is social NGO, and we are concern to promote the sustainable palm oil among independent smallholder in Jambi, and we are support them to strengthening the organization. we will submit the annual report of the sustainability.

Social and Developmental NGOs

Operational Profile

1. What are the main activities of your organisation?

promoting the sustainable palm oil among the independent smallholder in Jambi. support the independent smallholder organization.

2. Does your organisation use and/or sell any palm oil?

No

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

developed the independent smallholders organization, and support them to implement the P&C of RSPO in their plantation, and support to be part of promotor of sustainable palm oil in Indonesia. now, 1 organization which supported by SETARA in auditing process.

4. Did members of your staff participate in RSPO working groups/taskforces in the reporting period?

No

If yes, please explain how:

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

Yes

If yes, please explain how:

collaborate with Asian Agri to support the independent smallholder in Jambi. and support the independent to try to implement the P&C of RSPO.

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

11-50

7. How is your work on palm oil funded?

founded by international donor, and supported by jambi government.

Time-Bound Plan

8. Date started or expect to start participating in RSPO working groups/taskforces

2013

9. Date expected to undertake and publicise programmes to support RSPO, RSPO certification and/or good standing RSPO members

2013

10. What are your interim milestones towards achieving your commitments to promote sustainable palm oil?

this year, we will try to get certificate of RSPO for the independent smallholder. this year and next year, we will support another independent smallholder to be member of RSPO.

11. Which countries that your institution operates in do the above commitments cover?

Indonesia

Actions for Next Reporting Period

12. Outline actions that will be taken in the coming year to promote sustainable palm oil along the supply chain

2013 : one organization of independent smallholders will got the certificate of RSPO
2015 : one organization of independnet smallholders will get the certificate of RSPO

Reasons for Non-Disclosure of Information

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

Confidential

- Other reason:

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Application of Principles & Criteria for all members sectors

14. Do you have organisational policies that are in line with the RSPO P&C

- None

- Energy and carbon footprints policy

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- Ethical conduct policy

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- Labour rights policy

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- Stakeholder engagement

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14.1. If none of the above, please specify if/when you intend to develop one

we are the social NGO

15. What steps will your organization take to realize ethical conduct in business-applicable regulations and industry practices?

push the local regulation in Jambi which related with the sustainable palm oil iniciaitve.

16. What best practice guidelines or information has your organization provided to facilitate production and consumption of sustainable palm oil? What languages are these guidelines available in?

no available

17. Has your company supported any community programmes, related to palm oil, on its own or through partnerships? How do you benchmark the impacts of these programmes?

yes, we are worked with the independent smallholders.

18. Has your organization partnered with any RSPO members in the implementation of or benchmarking against the Principles and Criteria?

No

Challenges

1. Significant economic, social or environmental obstacles

we have no challenge, because we are NGO

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:

Yes

3. How has your organization supported the vision of RSPO to transform markets?

we hope RSPO also support the independent smallholders, and transform the market, that the independent smallholder also the important parties, and have to help them.



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