

Particulars

Organisation Name	Associated British Foods plc		
Corporate Website Address	http://www.abf.co.uk		
Primary Activity or Product	Processor and/or Trader, Manufacturer		
Related Company(ies)	Company	Primary Activity	RSPO Member
	AB Mauri	Manufacturer	Yes
	ABITEC Corporation	Manufacturer	Yes
	George Weston Foods	Manufacturer	Yes
	Allied Bakeries	Manufacturer	Yes
	The Jordans and Ryvita Company	Manufacturer	Yes
	AB Agri	Manufacturer	Yes
	Speedibake	Manufacturer	Yes
	AB World Foods	Manufacturer	Yes
	Westmill Foods	Manufacturer	Yes
	SPI Pharma	Manufacturer	Yes
	British Sugar	Manufacturer	Yes
	Ohly	Manufacturer	Yes
	The Silver Spoon Company	Manufacturer	Yes
	Twinings Ovaltine	Manufacturer	Yes
Country Operations	Australia, Argentina, Brazil, China - People's Republic of, Colombia, France, Germany, India, New Zealand, Poland, Thailand, United Kingdom, USA		
Membership Number	4-0115-10-000-00		
Membership Type	Ordinary Members		
Membership Category	Consumer Goods Manufacturers		
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Person Reporting	Tim Davies		

Related Information

Other information on palm oil:

See our 2015 palm oil commitment:

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Also, please refer to our section on Responsibility

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Reporting Period

01 July 2012 - 01 July 2013

Palm Oil Processors and Traders

Operational Profile

1. What are the main activities of your organisation?

- Animal feed supplier

Other:

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Operations and Certification Progress

2. Do you have a system for calculating how much palm oil and palm oil products you use?

Yes

3. Total volume of all palm oil products handled in the year:

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3.1. Total volume of Crude Palm Oil handled in the year:

8300

3.2. Total volume of Palm Kernel Oil handled in the year:

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3.3. Total volume of other Palm Oil Derivatives and Fractions handled in the year:

12250

3.4. Total volume of all palm oil and palm oil derived products handled in the year:

20550

4. Volume of Crude Palm Oil that is RSPO-certified

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4.1. Book & Claim

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4.2. Mass Balance

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4.3. Segregated

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4.4. Identity Preserved

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4.5. Total volume of Crude Palm Oil handled that is RSPO-certified:

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5. Volume of Palm Kernel Oil handled in the year that is RSPO-certified

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5.1. Book & Claim

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5.2. Mass Balance

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5.3. Segregated

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5.5. Total volume of Palm Kernel Oil handled that is RSPO-certified

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6. Volume of all other palm-based derivatives and fractions handled in the year that is RSPO-certified

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6.1. Book & Claim

3000

6.2. Mass Balance

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6.3. Segregated

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6.4. Identity Preserved

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6.5. Total volume of palm-based derivatives and fractions handled that is RSPO-certified

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7. Do you ask your suppliers if the palm oil supplied comes from growers who disclose their GHG emissions within the RSPO P&C 5.6 & 7.8?

Yes

Report on suppliers if the palm oil supplied comes from growers who disclose their GHG emissions within the RSPO P&C 5.6 & 7.8

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Time-Bound Plan

8. Date of first supply chain certification (planned or achieved)

2014

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

2015

10. What are your interim milestones towards achieving this RSPO certification commitment (year and progressive CSPO%)?

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11. Timebound plan - Year expected to only 'handle/supply' RSPO certified oil palm products

2015

12. What are your interim milestones towards achieving this RSPO certification commitment (year and progressive CSPO%)?

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

Trade Press Releases, letter to merchant customers, adverts.

Are considering the use of the Greenpalm logo.

14. Do you plan to use the RSPO trademark?

No

If yes, when do you plan to apply for the trademark license?

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

China - People's Republic of, United Kingdom

Actions for Next Reporting Period

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

Continue to work with suppliers to develop supply of physical certified sustainable palm and palm derivatives.

17. Does your company have a public commitment relating to the GHG emissions of your operations?

No

Public commitment relating to the GHG emissions

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18. Does your company have a public commitment to only purchase palm oil from suppliers that disclose their GHG emissions?

No

Public commitment to only purchase palm oil from suppliers that disclose their GHG emissions

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Reasons for Non-Disclosure of Information

19. 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

20. Related to your sourcing, do you have (a) policy/ies, that are in line with the RSPO P&C

- Water, land, energy and carbon footprints
 - Land Use Rights
 - Ethical conduct and human rights
 - Labour rights
 - Stakeholder engagement
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Water, land, energy and carbon footprints policy

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Land use rights policy

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Ethical conduct and human rights policy

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Labour rights policy

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Stakeholder engagement policy

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20.1. If none, please specify if/when you intend to develop one

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21. What steps will your organization take to minimize its resource footprints?

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

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23. Has your company supported any community programmes on its own or through partnerships? How do you benchmark the impacts of these programmes?

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

None availability physical supply of palm and plam derivatives.

25. Are you sourcing 100% physical CSPO?

No

Details your organization's plan to cover sourced palm oil and palm kernel oil, which is not yet segregated or identity preserved, through Mass Balance. If you have not committed to sourcing 100% of palm products under the Mass Balance supply chain system until the goal of 100% segregated or identity preserved CSPO can be achieved, please explain why

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26. Has your company integrated aspects of traceability into any other products handled? If so, how?

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Consumer Goods Manufacturers

Operational Profile

1. Main activities within manufacturing

End-product manufacturer, Ingredient manufacturer, Food Goods, Own-brand, Manufacturing on behalf of other third party brands

- Food Goods :
 - Margarine & Cooking Oil

Operations and Certification Progress

2. Do you have a system for calculating how much palm oil and palm oil products you use?

Yes

Total volume of all palm oil products used in the year in your own brand products:

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3.1. Total volume of Crude Palm Oil used in the year:

13578

3.2. Total volume of Palm Kernel Oil used in the year:

2838

3.3. Total volume of other Palm Oil Derivatives and Fractions used in the year:

8865

3.4. Total volume of all palm oil and palm oil derived products you used in the year:

25281

4. Volume of Crude Palm Oil used in the year in your own brand products that is RSPO-certified

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4.1. Book & Claim

472

4.2. Mass Balance

26

4.3. Segregated

638

4.4. Identity Preserved

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4.5. Total volume of Crude Palm Oil used that is RSPO-certified:

1136

5. Volume of Palm Kernel Oil used in the year in your own brand products that is RSPO-certified:

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5.1. Book & Claim

10

5.2. Mass Balance

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5.3. Segregated

618

5.4. Identity Preserved

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5.5. Total volume of Palm Kernel Oil handled that is RSPO-certified:

628

6. Volume of all other palm-based derivatives and fractions used in the year in your own brand products that is RSPO-certified:

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6.1. Book & Claim

85

6.2. Mass Balance

397

6.3. Segregated

2336

6.4. Identity Preserved

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6.5. Total volume of palm-based derivatives and fractions used that is RSPO-certified:

2818

7. What type of products do you use CSPO for?

Cereals, cereal bars, bread, bread products, bakery ingredients, intermediates for pharma & personal care market, cake decorations, ice-cream accompaniments, beverage powders.

8. Do you ask your suppliers if the palm oil supplied comes from growers who disclose their GHG emissions within the RSPO P&C 5.6 & 7.8?

Yes

Suppliers report that palm oil supplied comes from growers who disclose their GHG emissions within the RSPO P&C 5.6 & 7.8

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Time-Bound Plan

9. Date expected to/or started to use any RSPO certified oil palm products – own brand

2010

10. Date expected to be using 100% RSPO certified oil palm products from any supply chain option– own brand

2015

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

2015

12. Do your (own brand) commitments cover your companies' global use of palm oil?

Yes

13. Does your company use palm oil in products you manufacture on behalf of other companies?

Yes

14. Date expected to actively communicate to promote the use of certified sustainable palm oil in other manufacturers' brands that you sell.

2015

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

Australia, Argentina, Brazil, Colombia, Germany, India, New Zealand, Poland, United Kingdom, USA

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

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Actions for Next Reporting Period

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

Ongoing work with existing and new vendors of certified palm and palm derivatives to identify physical supply were possible.

18. Do you publicly report the GHG emissions of your operations?

Yes

Public report of GHG emissions on operations

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Trademark Related

20. Do you use or plan to use the RSPO trademark on any of your products?

Yes

If yes, when will you start?

2011

21. Do you undertake or support any other projects related to sustainable palm oil that have not been captured in this report?

No

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Challenges

1. Significant economic, social or environmental obstacles

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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?

ABF have been a supporter of the RSPO with subsidiaries members since 2006 and also a presence at annual RT meetings, General Assemblies and the recent European Summit.
