

**Particulars****About Your Organisation****Organisation Name**CFC, Inc dba Columbus Vegetable Oils

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**Corporate Website Address**www.columbusvegoils.com

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**Primary Activity or Product**

- Manufacturer
  - Wholesaler and/or Retailer
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**Related Company(ies)**No

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**Membership**

Membership Number	Membership Category	Membership Sector
2-0432-14-000-00	Ordinary	Palm Oil Processors and/or Traders

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## Consumer Goods Manufacturers

### Operational Profile

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

- Ingredient 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

2.2.1 Do you manufacture for:

Both Private Label and Own Brand

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

10258.00

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

368.00

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

2703.00

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

13329.00

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	231.00		126.00	
3	Segregated				
4	Identity Preserved	250.00			
5	Total volume of oil palm products that is RSPO-certified	481.00		126.00	

**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?

Palm based shortenings for the restaurants, food service and industrial processors

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

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

2015

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

2025

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

2030

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?

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

- Canada - Mexico - United States

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

Columbus will continue to slowly grow the level of sustainable palm use going forward. Much of this depends on the customers in the industry and what their particular requirements are.

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?

Yes

Please state for which product range(s) you intend to apply the Trademark and when you plan to start

Organic Palm Oil sourced from Daabon. May also begin to market other Palm-based Shortening products with the RSPO trademark

Year: 2016

### GHG Emissions

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

No

**Please explain why**

Low usage, as our operations uses clean natural gas and only blends and packages the palm oils. We do not process.

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

No

**Please explain why**

Low user and privately held company

**Actions for Next Reporting Period**

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

Columbus will continue to offer sustainable palm oil products to our customers. Much of the shift to the sustainable product depends on their finished customers. This will be a slow migration.

**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  
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- Land Use Rights
- Ethical conduct and human rights  
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- Labour rights  
No file was uploaded
- Stakeholder engagement
- None of the above

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

**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?**

No

**Please explain why**

Demand for the sustainable Palm products is based off of our customers and the end users.

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

No

**Please explain why**

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**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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**Retailers**

**Operational Profile**

1.1 Please state what your main activities are within retailing

- Ingredient manufacturer

**Operations and Certification Progress**

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

Yes

2.2.1 Total volume of Crude Palm Oil processed and/or traded in the year:

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2.2.3 Total volume of other Palm Oil Derivatives and Fractions processed and/or traded in the year:

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2.2.4 Total volume of all palm oil and palm oil derived products you processed and/or traded in the year:

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2.3 Palm Oil volume used in the year in your own brand products that is RSPO certified

No	Description	Crude Palm Oil (Tonnes)	Palm Kernel Oil (Tonnes)	All other palm-based derivatives and fractions (Tonnes)
2.3.1	Book & Claim			
2.3.2	Mass Balance			
2.3.3	Segregated			
2.3.4	Identity Preserved			
2.3.5	Total volume of palm oil used that is RSPO-certified:			

2.4 Volume of all other palm-based derivatives and fractions covered by Book & Claim

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**Time-Bound Plan**

3.1 Date expected to start (or year started) using RSPO-certified palm oil products - own brand

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

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

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**3.8 Does your company have a Time-Bound Plan for the use of palm oil in the products you sell on behalf of other companies?**

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## Trademark Related

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

- End-product manufacturer
- Ingredient manufacturer
- Food Goods
- Home & Personal Care Goods
- Own-brand
- Manufacturing on behalf of other third party brands
- Biofuels
- Adhesives
- Manufacturer of candles
- Trade Association
- Other:

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## Actions for Next Reporting Period

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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?**

Our Customers are driven by their end customer's requirements for providing sustainable palm products, but many of these are still waiting for it to be actually required.

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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:**

No

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**Simpler to Comply to:**

Yes

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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)**

Work with customers and try to provide as much information as to what their requirements under RSPO may be. Need more educational documents to help this market.

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

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