

## Particulars

### About Your Organisation

#### Organisation Name

Continental Confectionery Company Gda Sanayi Ve Ticaret Anonim irketi

#### Corporate Website Address

www.continentalconfectionerycompany.com

#### Primary Activity or Product

- Manufacturer

#### Related Company(ies)

Yes

Company	Primary Activity	RSPO Member	Plantation?	Files	
				GHG Report	Map file
Gumlink Confectionery Company A/S	--	No	No	-	-

### Membership

Membership Number	Membership Category	Membership Sector
4-0361-13-000-00	Ordinary	Consumer Goods Manufacturers

## Consumer Goods Manufacturers

### Operational Profile

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

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

Manufacturer of Chewing Gum and Candy

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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:

9.77

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

80.26

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

174.57

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

264.60

**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	2.38		52.28	
3	Segregated				
4	Identity Preserved				
5	Total volume of oil palm products that is RSPO-certified	2.38		52.28	

**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	5.54		122.00	
3	Segregated				
4	Identity Preserved				
5	Total volume of oil palm products that is RSPO-certified	5.54		122.00	

**2.4.1 What type of products do you use CSPO for?**

Chewing gum, compressed gum and mini-mints products

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

Europe 65%  
India --%  
China 3%  
South East Asia --%  
North America --%  
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 --%

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**Time-Bound Plan**

**3.1 Date expected to/or started to use any RSPO certified palm oil products - own brand**

2015

**Comment:**

In 2014 we started to evaluate for supplying and producing MB RSPO certificated products to change with the uncertified PO, PKO sources. During 2015, we gradually shifted to MB RSPO certificated sustainable palm oil and palm kernel oil in our products.

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

2018

**Comment:**

Our aim is to move towards the use of certified sustainable palm oil and palm kernel oil with Mass Balance supply chain certification by 2015, as certified sustainable palm oil derivatives become commercially available in the market, we will be able to provide fully traceable and sustainable confectionery products.

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**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**

2018

**Comment:**

And as of 2016, our aim will be to supply SG certificated raw materials and to ensure the transition of the MB RSPO certificated PO, PKO sources in our products to upgrade level on supply chain. But it should be noted that, possibility of using SG RSPO certificated PO fractions and PKO fractions still seems very difficult as commercial, it may therefore not to focus on this products within the specified timing. So, target date will be 2018.

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**3.4 Do your (own brand) commitments cover your company's companies' global use of palm oil?**

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**3.5 Does your company use CERTIFIED SUSTAINABLE PALM OIL products in goods you manufacture on behalf of other companies?**

y

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

Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Denmark, France, Germany, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia (Slovak Republic), Slovenia, Switzerland, Turkey, United Kingdom

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**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**

Actually, our primary focus is PL products. As of 2015, 69% of total volume of palm/palm kernel based products used in production have been supplied as RSPO MB certificated. And 2% of them is still in process. For the rest, whether we can not find any alternative with RSPO MB certificated during 2016 due to the commercial availability, we're planning to close this gap with green palm certificates to support 100% sustainable production in the long term.

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**3.8 Date of first supply chain certification (planned or achieved)**

2014

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**Trademark Related**

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

No

**Please explain why**

Palm and/or palm kernel based ingredients are not used directly in chewing gum process, they are coming from compound ingredients which are not stated in the ingredient list, in order to avoid misunderstanding in consumer side, using RSPO Trademark logo is not considered at all. On the other hand, when we achieve to produce 100% physical CSPO candy products, depending on the customer demand, RSPO trademark logo can be used.

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**GHG Emissions**

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

Yes

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

No

**Please explain why**

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**Actions for Next Reporting Period**

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

We believe that palm oil industry plays a prominent role in employment and economic development of the region, therefore it is important to support sustainable palm oil production. Depending on that, in 2013 RSPO membership has been applied to encourage using only certified sustainable palm oil, palm kernel oil and its derivatives in our products. As a first step, our sustainable palm oil supplying policy has been established and shared with our customers, stakeholders in communication and also suppliers in 2014 to promote for using sustainable sources and play active role globally. Since 2014, we are asking our suppliers to complete a detailed assessment of their sustainability policies and implementation. High-stage meetings with key suppliers and ongoing contracts between sustainability and procurement teams are being performed and it will be continued until we supply 100% physical CSPO ingredients. We still require from all suppliers to be able to demonstrate policy implementation and time-bound plans that they have in place. CCC will ensure that its staff, suppliers and customers are kept aware of this statement and their individual responsibilities by issuing a procedure on sustainable palm oil procurement.

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**Reasons for Non-Disclosure of Information**

**7.1 If you have not disclosed any of the above information, please indicate the reasons why**

Confidential

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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  
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- Stakeholder engagement  
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- None of the above

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

Managed by Head Office

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**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**

Our aim is to move towards the use of certified sustainable palm oil and palm kernel oil with Mass Balance supply chain certification by 2015, as certified sustainable palm oil derivatives become commercially available in the market, we will be able to provide fully traceable and sustainable confectionery products. And as of 2016, we will focus on supplying SG certificated raw materials and to ensure the transition of the MB RSPO certificated PO, PKO sources in our products to upgrade level on supply chain. But it should be noted that, possibility of using SG RSPO certificated PO fractions and PKO fractions still seems very difficult as commercial, it may therefore not to focus on this products within the specified timing. So, target date will be 2018. In the long term, we're planning to close the gap with green palm certificate to support 100% sustainable production.

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

Yes

**How and when do you plan to immediately cover the gap using Book & Claim?**

We are still looking for alternative for uncertified ingredients, when available, they will be gradually shifted to the certified sustainable palm oil later this year. If the target can not be performed in due time, to provide all requirements in our commitments and also support 100% sustainable production, a combination of RSPO MB certificated products and Greenpalm certificates will be preferred.

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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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## 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 aim will be to supply SG certificated raw materials and to ensure the transition of the MB RSPO certificated PO, PKO sources in our products to upgrade level on supply chain. But possibility of using SG RSPO certificated PO fractions and PKO fractions still seems commercially very difficult, therefore this causes a deviation in the time plan. On the other hand, we have encountered economic obstacles along the way. MOQ and cost increase are the biggest factor for being unable to supply of RSPO SG certified materials. SG certified products are very expensive when they are compared with MB and increased costs in the finished product is not accepted by the customers. The availability of some physically sustainable palm fractions has also proved a challenge due to the lack of development in these supply chains. There is big pressure on the manufacturers because of globalization hence it gets more challenging for suppliers to fulfill the requirements of RSPO standards. But CCC has also experienced and learned a lots of things about RSPO and encourage all stakeholders to collaborate.

### 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:

Yes

### 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)

CCC mostly engages with its customers to encourage the use of RSPO and to help improving its customers sourcing strategy. And also CCC engages with its suppliers to promote its request for MB and SG materials.

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

Please see CCC Palm Oil Sourcing Statement