

Particulars

About Your Organisation

1.1 Name of your organization

IMCD GROUP B.V.

1.2 What is/are the primary activity(ies) or product(s) of your organization?

- Oil Palm Growers
 - Palm Oil Processors and/or Traders
 - Consumer Goods Manufacturers
 - Retailers
 - Banks and Investors
 - Social or Development Organisations (Non Governmental Organisations)
 - Environmental or Nature Conservation Organisations (Non Governmental Organisations)
 - Affiliate Members
 - Supply Chain Associate
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1.3 Membership number

2-0563-15-000-00

1.4 Membership category

Ordinary

1.5 Membership sector

Palm Oil Processors and/or Traders

Palm Oil Processors and Traders**Operational Profile****1.1 Please state your main activity(ies) within the supply chain**

- Refiner of CPO and CPKO
- Post-refinery processor
- Trader with physical possession
- Trader without physical possession
- Kernel Crusher
- Food and non-food ingredients producer
- Power, energy and bio-fuel
- Animal feed producer
- Producer of oleochemicals
- Distributor and wholesaler
- Other

Palm Oil and Certified Sustainable Palm Oil Use**2.1 Please include details of all operations using palm oil majority owned and/or managed by the member and/or related entities****2.1.1 In which markets do you sell goods containing palm oil and oil palm products?**

Australia, Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Italy, Netherlands, New Zealand, Poland, Spain, Switzerland, United Kingdom

2.2 Volumes of palm oil and oil palm products**2.2.1 Total volume of crude and refined Palm Oil handled/traded/processed in the year**

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2.2.2 Total volume of crude and refined palm kernel oil handled/traded/processed in the year

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2.2.3 Total volume of Palm Kernel Expeller handled/traded/processed in the year

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2.2.4 Total volume of other palm-based derivatives and fractions handled/traded/processed in the year

1,533.96 Tonnes

2.2.5 Total volume of all palm oil and oil palm products handled/traded/processed in the year

1,533.96 Tonnes

2.3 Volumes of palm oil and oil palm products certified

2.3.1 Volume handled/traded/processed in the year that is RSPO-certified (Tonnes):

| Description | Refined/CPO | PKO | PKE | Palm-based derivatives and fractions |
|---|-------------|-----|-----|--------------------------------------|
| 2.3.1.1 Book and Claim from Mill / Crusher | | | | |
| 2.3.1.2 Book and Claim from Independent Smallholder | | | | |
| 2.3.1.3 Mass Balance | | | | 914.99 |
| 2.3.1.4 Segregated | | | | 618.97 |
| 2.3.1.5 Identity Preserved | | | | |
| 2.3.1.6 Total volume | - | - | - | 1,533.96 |

2.3.2 How much RSPO certified products have you sold as certified (tonnes)

| Description | Refined/CPO | PKO | PKE | All other palm-based derivatives and fractions |
|----------------------------|-------------|-----|-----|--|
| 2.3.2.1 Book and Claim | - | - | - | - |
| 2.3.2.2 Mass Balance | - | - | - | - |
| 2.3.2.3 Segregated | - | - | - | - |
| 2.3.2.4 Identity Preserved | - | - | - | - |
| 2.3.2.5 Total volume | - | - | - | - |

2.3.3 How much RSPO certified products have you sold under other schemes (tonnes)

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2.3.4 How much RSPO certified products have you sold as conventional (tonnes)

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2.4 Total annual crude, refined palm kernel oil and derivatives production (only if applicable)

0 Tonnes

2.5 What is the percentage of Certified Sustainable Palm Oil in the total palm oil sold by your company in the following regions:

2.5.1 Africa

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2.5.2 Australasia

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2.5.3 Europe (incl.Russia)

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2.5.4 North America

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2.5.5 South America

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2.5.6 Middle East

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2.5.7 China

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2.5.8 India

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2.5.9 Indonesia

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2.5.10 Malaysia

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2.5.11 Asia

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Time-Bound Plan**3.1 Year of first supply chain certification (planned or achieved)**

2013

3.2 Year expected to/or started to handle/trade/process any RSPO-certified palm oil and oil palm products

2030

3.3 Year expected to achieve 100% RSPO certification of all palm product processing facilities*

2030

3.4 Year expected to only handle/trade/process 100% RSPO-certified palm oil and oil palm products

2030

3.5 Which countries that your organization operates in do the above own-brand commitments cover?

Australia, Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Hungary, Italy, Netherlands, New Zealand, Poland, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, United Kingdom

3.6 How do you proactively promote RSPO and RSPO certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products to your customers?

We are focused in promoting to our customers around the Europe and Extra Europe markets a wide range of RSPO certified (MB and SG) products.
This kind of activity is promoted and involved by our Sale managers and they are aware in sustainable issue and promote certified RSPO products to our customers. They are actively spread the principles of RSPO to them. Also our customers are beginning to be made aware of this topic.

Trademark Use

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

No

If target has not been met, please explain why:

Only IMCD Italia has a trademark license, as distributor, and they use the trademark on their documents because they do not have your own brand products.

Furthermore, the Group for the moment do not have a trademark license.

Actions for Next Reporting Period**5.1 Outline actions that you will take in the coming year to promote the use of RSPO certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products along the supply chain**

We are looking for new Suppliers of RSPO certified products in order to expand our portfolio in Countries involved into RSPO membership. We are promoting to our customers RSPO certified palm oil based and we are continuing to raise awareness our customers on RSPO principles

Reasons for Non-Disclosure of Information**6.1 If you have not disclosed any of the above information please indicate the reasons why****Application of Principles & Criteria for all members sectors****7.1 Do you have organizational policies that are in line with the RSPO P&C, such as:**

- Water, land, energy and carbon footprints
 - Land Use Rights
 - Ethical conduct and human rights
Uploaded file: [P-Policies-to-PNC-ethicalconducthr.pdf](#)
 - Labour rights
 - Stakeholder engagement
 - None of the above
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7.2 What best practice guidelines or information has your organization provided in the past year to facilitate the uptake of RSPO certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products? What languages are these guidelines available in?**Comment:**

We promote to our customers RSPO certified products that are in our portfolio (in different languages). We train our sellers on RSPO to give them more skills.

GHG Footprint**8.1 Are you currently reporting any GHG footprint?**

No

Please state if you have any future plans to do so?

We are not Producers but Distributors.

Support for Smallholders

9.1 Are you currently supporting any independent smallholder groups?

No

Do you have any future plans to support independent smallholders?

No

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?

In the last few years the trend in Europe is to replace or eliminate palm oils and palm oils derivatives from the recipes of foods products and also cosmetics products. We noticed that there is a big disinformation on the Europe market regarding palm oil and its effects on the Human health and on environment, both. We have a large range of certified RSPO products (MB and SG) to offer to our customers such to provide them a wide choice of opportunities to use sustainable palm ingredients/ seminished products. Despite our efforts, due to media misinformation, customers are turning to palm oil-free products because public opinion has been conditioned.

2 In addition to the actions already reported in this ACOP how has your organization supported the vision of RSPO to transform markets in other ways? (e.g. Funding; Engagement with key stakeholders; Business to business education/outreach)

We continue to cooperate with some important RSPO certified Suppliers to meet the needs of Customers that are sensitive to issue involving palm oil and we are committed in the research of products in as much business as the possible on the European Market. We are also working in the disclosure of principles of RSPO for customers who are not yet aware of it. But it is an hard work because, as already mentioned, in Europe and in particular in France and in Italy the trend is to eliminate palm oil

3 File -Please attach or add links to any other information from your organisation on your policies and actions on palm oil (EG: sustainability reports, policies, other public information)

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