

Particulars

About Your Organisation

1.1 Name of your organization

Conagra Brands, Inc.

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

4-0013-06-000-00

1.4 Membership category

Ordinary

1.5 Membership sector

Consumer Goods Manufacturers

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Operational Profile

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

- Food Goods

Operations and Certification Progress

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 where you operate, do you manufacture goods with palm oil and oil palm products?

- Mexico
- United States

2.1.2 In which markets where you operate, do you calculate how much palm oil and oil palm product there is in the goods you manufacture?

- Mexico
- United States

2.2 Volumes of palm oil and oil palm products (Tonnes)

2.2.1 Total volume of Crude and Refined Palm Oil used in the year (Tonnes)

56,757

2.2.2 Total volume of Crude and Refined Palm Kernel Oil used in the year (Tonnes)

5,624

2.2.3 Total volume of Palm Kernel Expeller used in the year (Tonnes)

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2.2.4 Total volume of other palm-based Derivatives and Fractions used in the year (Tonnes)

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2.2.5 Total volume of all palm oil and oil palm products used in the year (Tonnes)

62,381

2.3 Volume of palm oil and oil palm products used in the year in your own brand products that are RSPO-certified (in tonnes):

Description	Crude and Refined Palm Oil	Crude and Refined Palm Kernel Oil	Palm Kernel Expeller	Other palm-based derivatives and fractions
2.3.1 Book and Claim from Mill / Crusher*	30,033.00	697.00	-	-
2.3.2 Book and Claim from Independent Smallholder*	-	-	-	-
2.3.3 Mass Balance	26,723.00	4,927.00	-	-
2.3.4 Segregated	-	-	-	-
2.3.5 Identity Preserved	-	-	-	-
2.3.6 Total volume	56,756.00	5,624.00	-	-

2.4 Volume of RSPO certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products sold to other RSPO certified companies (in tonnes)

Description	Crude and Refined Palm Oil	Crude and Refined Palm Kernel Oil	Palm Kernel Expeller	Other palm-based derivatives and fractions
2.4.1 Book and Claim from Mill / Crusher	-	-	-	-
2.4.2 Book and Claim from Independent Smallholder	-	-	-	-
2.4.3 Mass Balance	-	-	-	-
2.4.4 Segregated	-	-	-	-
2.4.5 Identity Preserved	-	-	-	-
2.4.6 Total volume	-	-	-	-

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

2.5.1 Africa	--
2.5.2 Australasia	--
2.5.3 China	--
2.5.4 Europe (incl.Russia)	--
2.5.5 India	--
2.5.6 North America	100%
2.5.7 South America	--
2.5.8 Indonesia	--
2.5.9 Malaysia	--
2.5.10 Middle East	--
2.5.11 Rest of Asia	--

Time-Bound Plan

3.1 Date of first supply chain certification (planned or achieved)

2013

3.2 Date expected to/or started to use any RSPO certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products in your own brand products

2011

3.2.1 Referring to 3.2, in which markets where you operate do these commitments cover?

3.3 Date expected to be using 100% RSPO certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products from any supply chain option in your own brand products

2014

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

2020

3.5 Referring to 3.3 and 3.4, In which markets where you operate do these commitments cover?

Mexico, United States

3.6 Does your company use RSPO certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products in goods you manufacture on behalf of other companies?

Yes

3.7 Does your company have a Time-Bound Plan to only use RSPO certified palm oil and oil palm products in the goods you manufacture on behalf of other companies?

Yes

3.8 When do you expect all products you manufacture to only contain RSPO certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products?

2014

Trademark Related

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

Yes

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

Peanut butter and margarine

Year: 2017

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 will begin using the RSPO Trademark on popcorn in 2018.

To help ensure our purchases do not contribute to the deforestation of the world's rainforests or negatively impact the communities that depend on them, we have purchased Palm Trace certificates for all of our purchased palm oil and have begun to move to the Mass Balance system.

We are dedicated to sourcing palm oil only from suppliers whose landholdings and operations meet the following principles:

- Only legal sources that adhere to all relevant international, national and local legislation and regulation.
- No development on high conservation value landscapes or high carbon stock (HCS) forests. While the HCS methodology is being refined by field testing and science review, new plantings should only be established in low carbon stock areas.
- No development on peat lands regardless of depth and use of best management practices for existing plantations on peat.
- No burning in the preparation of new plantings, re-plantings or other developments and the progressive reduction of GHG emissions.
- Compliance with our Supplier Code of Conduct, which describes our expectations in matters including food safety and quality, forced labor, child labor, freedom of association and collective bargaining, discrimination and harassment, wages and benefits, work hours and overtime, health and safety, environment and anti-corruption.
- Respect Land Tenure Rights, including the rights of indigenous and local communities to give or withhold their Free, Prior and Informed Consent to all new development or operations on lands to which they hold legal, communal or customary rights.

By end of calendar year 2016, we secured supply chain certification for 98 percent of our production facilities that use palm oil. Certification of these facilities enable use of Mass Balance certified oil for about 93 percent of our consumption.

We will continue to engage with both external and internal stakeholders to promote and encourage the use of RSPO Certified Sustainable Palm Oil.

Reasons for Non-Disclosure of Information

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

Other

- Others:

N/A - All information is disclosed

Application of Principles & Criteria for all members sectors

7.1 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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 Related link: http://www.conagrabrands.com/sites/g/files/qyyrlu371/files/2018-04/2017_ConagraBrands_CitizenshipReport_FINAL-2.pdf
- Land Use Rights
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 Related link: http://www.conagrabrands.com/sites/g/files/qyyrlu371/files/2018-04/2017_ConagraBrands_CitizenshipReport_FINAL-2.pdf
- Ethical conduct and human rights
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- Labour rights
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 Related link: http://conagrabrands.conagra.acsitefactory.com/sites/g/files/qyyrlu371/files/2017-07/Supplier_Code_of_Conduct.pdf
- Stakeholder engagement
 Uploaded file: --
 Related link: http://conagrabrands.conagra.acsitefactory.com/sites/g/files/qyyrlu371/files/2017-07/Supplier_Code_of_Conduct.pdf

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:

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This guidance is available in English as part of our 2017 Citizenship report.

Related link: http://www.conagrabrands.com/sites/g/files/qyyrlu371/files/2018-04/2017_ConagraBrands_CitizenshipReport_FINAL-2.pdf

7.3 Your answers above indicate that you are not yet using 100% RSPO certified palm oil and oil palm products. Do you have plans to immediately cover the gap using Book & Claim?

Yes

When do you plan to cover the gap using Book and Claim?

2014

GHG Footprint

8.1 Are you currently reporting any GHG footprint?

Yes

Related link: http://www.conagrabrands.com/sites/g/files/qyyrlu371/files/2018-04/2017_ConagraBrands_CitizenshipReport_FINAL-2.pdf

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?

A small percentage of palm oil supply globally is RSPO-certified, which drives the price higher than non-certified options. Our strategy is to evaluate which brands are a priority for using sustainably certified palm so that there is maximum alignment with the consumers most interest in sustainable palm as a product attribute. By applying a tiered approach to our implementation of sustainable palm oil, we can develop a path to meeting a time-bound 2020 goal in an economically viable way.

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)

Business-to-business education, promote and encourage use of RSPO CSPO.

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)

- No files were uploaded

Link: <http://www.conagrabrands.com/our-company/corporate-social-responsibility>
