

Particulars

About Your Organisation

Organisation NameBiscuiterie Seghers

Corporate Website Addresswww.biscuits.be

Primary Activity or Product

- Manufacturer
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Related Company(ies)No

Membership

Membership Number	Membership Category	Membership Sector
4-0537-14-000-00	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

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:

512.77

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

145.85

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

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

658.62

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

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	5.98	2.05		
3	Segregated				
4	Identity Preserved				
5	Total volume of oil palm products that is RSPO-certified	5.98	2.05		

2.4.1 What type of products do you use CSPO for?

Private label product (Biscuits: Mergpijpes) for a Belgian supermarket.

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

Europe 1%
 India --%
 China --%
 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 1%
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

2017

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

2020

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

2025

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?

y

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

- Belgium - France - Lithuania - Netherlands - Suriname

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

Year % CSPO in own brand 2016 0% 2017 25% 2018 50% 2019 75% 2020 100%

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

2015

Trademark Related

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

No

Please explain why

Cost of changing all the packaging material is too high.

GHG Emissions

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

No

Please explain why

We only use natural gas as combustible.

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

No

Please explain why

This is not an obligation for the Belgian authorities.

Actions for Next Reporting Period**6.1 Outline actions that will be taken in the coming year to promote sustainable palm oil.**

Increase the use of CSPO (MB) in private label products

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
- Land Use Rights
- Ethical conduct and human rights
Uploaded file: [M-Policies-to-PNC-ethicalconducthr.pdf](#)
- Labour rights
Uploaded file: [M-Policies-to-PNC-laborrights.pdf](#)
- Stakeholder engagement
Uploaded file: [M-Policies-to-PNC-stakeholderengagement.pdf](#)
- None of the above

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

A company policy has been set up, implemented and is followed strictly. Yearly we plan the external IFS audits.

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

See question 3.7.

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

No

Please explain why

Customers (especially in foreign countries) are not prepared to pay higher costs for RSPO.

Concession Map

10.1 Does your company or any subsidiary of your company own or manage oil palm plantations?

No

Please explain why

Our company is too small to own/manage palm oil plantations.

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?

Obstacles: - Higher costs of raw materials with CSPO. - RSPO is known in Belgium and the Netherlands, not in the other countries. - Higher administration work load: purchase register, sales register, follow-up, RSPO-audit, reports Efforts - Module in ERP system for the calculation of purchases and sales has been set up.

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:

No

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)

As we produce 95% private labels, for which most brands don't choose for RSPO, the effect of our company is rather minimal.

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

No other information.
