# Givaudan SA

Particulars About Your Organisation		
Organisation Name		
Givaudan SA		
Corporate Website Address		
http://www.givaudan.com		
Primary Activity or Product		
Manufacturer		
Related Company(ies)		
No		
Membership		
Membership Number	Membership Category	Membership Sector
2-0225-11-000-00	Ordinary	Palm Oil Processors and/or Traders

## **Consumer Goods Manufacturers**

## **Operational Profile**

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

• Ingredient 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:

Private Label

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

667.00

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

20.00

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

6459.00

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

7146.00

2.3 Palm oil volume sold in the year in your own brands that is sourced through RSPO-certified physical supply chains:

## In Your 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	511.78	20.00	5,707.00	
2	Mass Balance	29.79		752.07	
3	Segregated	125.36			
4	Identity Preserved				
5	Total volume of oil palm products that is RSPO-certified	666.93	20.00	6,459.07	

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

fragrances and flavors

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

Europe 100% India 100% China 100% South East Asia 100% North America 100% South America 100.00%

2.6 What is the percentage of certified sustainable palm kernel oil in the total palm kernel oil your company sells in:

Europe 100% India 100% China 100% South East Asia 100% North America 100% South America 100.00%

## **Time-Bound Plan**

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

2012

Comment:

Since 2012 Glvaudan has covered its palm derived ingredients with Book and Claim certification.

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

2015

#### Comment:

Since 2014 Givaudan has started buying RSPO MB and SG palm derived ingredients, in 2015 we have started the first supply chain certification for the European production plants.

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

2020

#### Comment:

By 2020, Givaudan intends to source all its palm oil in a way that is traceable to known certified sources once they be-come technically and commercially available. We monitor closely the availability of mass balance and/or segregated RSPO certified derivatives, and the technical and commercial feasibility of including it in our fragrances and flavours in the future.

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?

- Switzerland

# 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

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

### 2015

#### Comment:

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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

Our products (fragrances and flavors) are for Business-to-Business market.

## **GHG Emissions**

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

Yes

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

Yes

Report file: M-GHG-Emissions-Report.pdf

URL: https://www.givaudan.com/files/giv-2015-sustainability-report.pdf

## **Actions for Next Reporting Period**

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

During 2016, Givaudan will : - Communicate updated Position statement on palm oil to reiterates our ambition to source our palm oil derived ingredients from certified sources, but also addresses key issues such as traceability and deforestation free prin-ciples - Partner with the Natural Resource Stewardship Circle (NRSC) http://www.nrsc.fr/ and The Forest Trust (TFT): www.tft-earth.org partnership to enhance traceability in the supply chain and to collect key information for the palm oil and/or palm kernel oil derived ingredients in our supply chain. - Partner with French Alliance on Sustainable Palm Oil through dedicated workshop with NGOs and field project in Indonesia with RainForestAlliance (RFA)

## **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

Uploaded file: M-Policies-to-PNC-waterland.pdf

🗹 Land Use Rights

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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

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

Communicate with all suppliers about procurement requirements relating to social responsibility All suppliers are informed of our requirements through a Global Vendor Expectations document. We have been continuously revising this document to reflect supply chain risks such as anticorruption, money laundering and human trafficking. The latest revision was done 2014. Since then a link to the revised document is sent to all existing and new suppliers as part of the procurement process.

## **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

In our journey to source our palm oil, palm kernel oil and their derivatives in a way that is traceable to known certified sources, we use the following approach: 1. Identification of where palm oil, palm kernel oil and their derivatives are used in our products; 2. Mapping of our supply chains upstream to the refineries, then to the mills and finally plantations; 3. Engagement with our supply chain, working intensively with the companies from which we buy our palm oil, palm kernel oil and their derivatives to improve sourcing practices and monitor progress in relation to traceability, deforestation free and peatland management; 4. Seeking palm oil certification through the RSPO or equivalent standards. By 2020, Givaudan intends to source all its palm oil in a way that is traceable to known certified sources once they become technically and commercially available. We monitor closely the availability of mass balance and/or segregated RSPO certified derivatives, and the technical and commercial feasibility of including it in our fragrances and flavours in the future.

#### 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?

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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?

RSPO certification MB and/or SG are hardly to not available outside Europe. Currently Givaudan mostly uses B&C to sup-port the production of sustainable palm

#### 2 How would you qualify RSPO standards as compared to other parallel standards?

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Cost Effective:
/es
Robust:
/es
Simpler to Comply to:
/es
B How has your organization supported the vision of RSPO to transform markets? (e.g. Funding; Engagement with key Stakeholders; Business to business education/outreach)
- Givaudan is proud to be one of over 50 companies committed to the CDP 'Road to Paris' initiative on removing com-modity-driven deforestation from supply chains :

https://www.cdp.net/en-US/Pages/RTP/removing-commodity-driven-deforestation.aspx - Our partnership with the Natural Resource Stewardship Circle (NRSC) http://www.nrsc.fr/ focused on initiatives around palm: During 2015, Givaudan attended workshops on palm with NGOs, key actors in the supply chain and RSPO. Givaudan has been active within The Forest Trust (TFT): www.tft-earth.org partnership to enhance traceability in the supply chain and to collect key information for the palm oil and/or palm kernel oil derived in-gredients in our supply chain. - Givaudan and French Alliance on Sustainable Palm Oil: Active participation and animation at the Global Forum conver-gences 2015 in Paris and a dedicated working session about zero deforestation. - Givaudan participated to the COP21 as a speaker at a web tv conference on climate change and deforestation. - Through our external communication ( GRI sustainability report, website) and, - Through our interaction with business partners (customers; suppliers, investors).

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

www.givaudan.com On Givaudans' website you can find our sustainability report and on our Position statement on palm oil